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## ANOTHER BIG STRIKE

### The Chicago Carpenters' Struggle Commenced To-Day.

#### INSTRUCTIONS TO THE POLICE.

#### No One but Regular Officers Will be Allowed to Make Arrests.

**The New York Central Strike and the Board of Arbitration—An Effort to Show that the Board is Not Legal. President Depew Starts To-Morrow on His Homeward Voyage.**

CHICAGO, Sept. 2.—Chief of Police Marsh to-day issued instructions to the police inspectors relative to their course during the carpenters' strike, which began to-day in earnest. The inspectors were told that they would be held responsible for the preservation of peace and the full protection of life and property in their respective divisions. No intimidation or any other interference whatever with workmen, union or otherwise, employed on any building will be tolerated. The inspectors are also ordered to make necessary details to carry out the instructions of the chief.

When the carpenters decided to strike at their meeting a few weeks ago, they prepared and sent to the Mayor and Chief a vigorous protest against the city countenancing the employment of private detective bureau hirelings. It was the belief of both Mayor Cregier and Chief Marsh that the city could amply protect owners against any threatened or proposed interference on the part of the strikers without the aid of private police or so-called detectives. Accordingly no one but regular policemen will be allowed to exercise any authority, and this order of the chief has had an excellent influence on the men who to-day begin their fight.

### IS THIS BOARD LEGAL?

#### It Is Said the New York Board of Arbitration Has No Existence.

NEW YORK, Sept. 1.—A question at issue in connection with the New York Central strike and the proposed ventilation of the grievances of the Knights of Labor before the State Board of Arbitration, is whether the State Board has a legal existence.

The law which created the State Board of Mediation and Arbitration, passed in 1887, provided that the Governor, with the approval of the Senate, should appoint three members to constitute the Board.

Their term of office was for three years. The members of the present Board were appointed May 20, 1887. Their terms expired May 20 last.

There was no provision made in the law for the existence of a Board after the expiration of the three-year term, nor was there any provision made for the appointment of their successors.

There is nothing in the Tenure of Office act covering this case, and the question is now raised whether the Board of Arbitration has not legally ceased to exist.

When the Board of Arbitration meet to-day to hear the grievances of the Knights of Labor, Joseph H. Choate, as special counsel for the New York Central, and Mr. Loomis will protest against their proceedings as a State Board.

### NORVIN GREEN TO RETIRE.

#### George Gould to Succeed Him as President of Western Union.

NEW YORK, Sept. 2.—It is understood in Wall street that Dr. Norvin Green is about to resign as president of the Western Union Telegraph Company.

Dr. Green is growing old and is quite feeble, and he wishes to be relieved from the cares incident to so responsible a position.

He is to be succeeded by George Gould, whose ambition to pose as the president of every Gould company is well known.

Gen. Thomas T. Eckert, the general manager of the Western Union, hopes to succeed Dr. Green, but he will have to put aside his wishes to make way for young Mr. Gould.

#### National Single Tax Convention.

NEW YORK, Sept. 2.—The large hall in Cooper Institute was crowded at the opening of the National Single Tax convention. Two hundred and twenty delegates, representing Single Tax clubs from 32 States and the District of Columbia were present. William T. Croasdale called the convention to order. H. Martin Williams, of St. Louis, was elected permanent chairman. Henry George was present.

#### Stabbed by a Ten-Year-Old Boy.

COBOURG, Ont., Sept. 2.—Two boys named David Smith and Peter Hanson had a quarrel and came to blows. Smith stabbed Hanson in the breast with a pocket knife. Hanson is dead. Smith is only 20 years of age and his victim two years his senior. Smith has been arrested.

#### Strikers Paid and Discharged.

NEWBURG, N. Y., Sept. 2.—A new force of men has been set at work to take the places of striking stonecutters and blacksmiths in getting out stone in Back Road Quarry for the new academy building at West Point Military Academy. The strikers were paid off and discharged.

#### A Newspaper Attached for Libel.

WATERBURY, Conn., Sept. 2.—Mayor C. R. Baldwin has secured an attachment against the Sunday Herald for $20,000 in a suit against that paper for libel.

### FOUGHT FOR HER LIFE.

#### A Widow, Aged 75 Years, Brutally Murdered in Her Home.

ALBANY, N. Y., Sept. 2.—The village of Westport is again excited over another tragedy. The authorities were informed that the Widow Taylor, aged 75 years, had been found dead in her house, situated in a lonely spot on the road near the schoolhouse.

There were many evidences that the victim had not surrendered her life without a terrible struggle. Nearly all her clothing was torn off, her face was shockingly battered, and about her neck were finger marks that led to the belief that she had been strangled. The house had been ransacked and everything was in confusion. What plunder was secured is not yet known. Mrs. Taylor's home was isolated, there being no neighbors near by, and the road is seldom traveled.

Charles Wright and two others are under arrest on suspicion of having committed the deed. Wright yesterday went to the house nearest the Taylor homestead and reported that he had heard shrieks from the vicinity of the widow's home. This led to the discovery of the awful deed. As Wright was seen going in that direction he was at once suspected and put under arrest. The coroner is investigating.

### ATTACKED AND KILLED.

#### An Ex-Coroner of Rochester Pounded by Two Men at a Late Hour.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Sept. 2.—Ex-Coroner Daniel Sharp was on his way to his home at 11 p. m., he met Stephen J. McConnell and Wm E. Vogt who were escorting two young ladies to their homes.

It is alleged by the two men that Sharp made an insulting remark reflecting upon the character of the ladies. However that may be, they attacked Sharp and pounded him so that his injuries proved fatal and his death took place at noon.

He had been unconscious most of the time since the trouble and had been unable to tell his story intelligibly. He was 53 years old and leaves a family. Vogt and McConnell are in custody.

### SOCIAL SCIENCE.

#### The American Association Now in Session at Saratoga.

SARATOGA, N. Y., Sept. 2.—The general meeting of the American Social Science Association began here last night, and will continue until Friday evening. Morning, afternoon and evening sessions will be held.

Some of the most able, profound and advanced thinkers of the nation will read papers and discuss them. The president of the association, the Hon. Andrew White, of Ithaca, N. Y., gave the opening address in recognition of the twenty-fifth anniversary of the association. He spoke to the subject, "Instruction in Social Science." The report of the general secretary, F. B. Sanborn, of Concord, Mass., was then presented.

#### New Hampshire Democratic Convention.

CONCORD, N. H., Sept. 2.—An unusually large number of delegates to the Democratic State and Second Congressional district conventions were present at the opening of the conventions to-day. The general feeling is favorable to the nomination of Charles H. Amsden for Governor, although Col. Thomas Coggswell will receive a large complimentary vote if he allows his name to be used. It is conceded that Warren B. Daniel will be nominated for Congress.

#### Another Gettysburg Tablet Unveiled.

GETTYSBURG, Pa., Sept. 2.—The handsome granite tablet of the Fourteenth Brooklyn Regiment on Culps Hill was unveiled during the morning with appropriate exercises. The monument bears suitable inscriptions. Colonel E. B. Fowler presided and made the opening address. Col. Lewis R. Stegman delivered the oration, and gave a description of the part taken by the regiment in this battle. At 2 o'clock the veterans left for Washington on a special train.

#### Republican Nominations.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Sept. 2.—In the Genesee County Republican convention held at Batavia, Assemblyman Miller was renominated. James Filley was nominated for Sheriff, Wm J. Barry was renominated for School Commissioner, R. W. Hartwell was named for Superintendent of the Poor, Drs. Parmelee and Stone for Coroners, and Hon. Safford North and Wm E. Webster were elected delegates to the Judicial convention.

#### Jewelry Thieves Arrested.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Sept. 2.—John Temple and William Travis were arrested here by a Pittsburg detective while attempting to sell a watch. When searched they had in their possession over one hundred pawn tickets from brokers in New York, Detroit and Pittsburg calling for watches, diamonds and other jewelry. One ticket from a New York broker called for a $450 lens. They were held for examination.

### CONFESSED A MURDER.

#### An Englishman Says He Killed a Man at Tonawanda, N. Y.

LONDON, Sept. 2.—An Englishman named Padman, who recently returned from America, has surrendered himself to the police, and confessed himself to be a murderer. He says that he killed a man named Strickland at Tonawanda, N. Y., last April, and was afterward confined in an asylum at Buffalo.

Padman was remanded for a week, and an inquiry will mean while be made as to the truth of his story.

#### Elmira's Interstate Fair.

ELMIRA, N. Y., Sept. 2.—The Interstate Fair opened here with a large crowd in attendance. Guernie won the ½ mile running race and Miss Clay the ½ mile race.

## WASHINGTON TOPICS

### News from Minister Mizner Anxiously Awaited.

#### MR. GIBSON'S INCOME TAX BILL.

#### Provisions of the Measure Just Introduced in the Senate.

**The Raum Investigation—Representative Smyser Discharged from the Committee—The President Postpones His Trip to Cresson Springs—Changing a Word in the Reciprocity Amendment.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 2.—The State Department officials are anxiously awaiting dispatches from Minister Mizner, which they expect will contain a full account of the facts surrounding the attempted arrest and shooting of General Barrundia. Only a meagre cablegram has as yet been received from him, and it is not deemed good policy to make its contents public until further and more extensive details of the affair have been received.

There is no reason to believe that the State Department has called upon Minister Mizner for any special report of his connection with the unfortunate affair. Until the contrary shall be brought to the attention of the department it is assumed that Minister Mizner's conduct was what it should have been.

Acting Secretary Wharton denies most emphatically that he had ever criticised adversely Mr. Mizner's diplomatic capacity, as he is quoted as doing by a New York morning paper. On the contrary he says that Minister Mizner is entitled to the confidence and support of the department until it is clearly shown that he is not worthy of it. Certainly he will not be condemned on mere hearsay.

"Yes. The Guatemalan Government has consented to allow Mr. John Hollander to return to Guatemala temporarily to wind up his affairs," said Acting Secretary Wharton. "Minister Mizner has just informed the department of Guatemala's decision in the matter. The request was preferred by the department some time since, and now it is granted without conditions. Mr. Hollander has been informed of Guatemala's decision.

### AN INCOME TAX BILL.

#### Provisions of the Measure Just Introduced in the Senate.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 2.—Mr. Gibson introduced in the Senate a bill to provide an income tax. The bill provides that there shall be collected for 1891, and annually thereafter, a tax of two per cent. upon the gains, profits and income of every resident of the United States, or citizen temporarily residing abroad.

This tax is to be upon all property, rents, interests, premium on gold and coupon, gains and income of any employment or vocation, including salary as a member of Congress.

It is provided that military or naval pensions, and the sum of $2,000 of the income of any person shall be exempt under certain conditions. The salaries of the President of the United States, the Judges of the United States and officers of any State are to be exempt. The tax is to be assessed and collected by the Commissioner of the Internal Revenue under an elaborate system provided in the bill.

#### The Raum Investigation.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 2.—In the House Mr. Cooper rising to a question of privilege stated that one of the members of the committee investigating the charges against Commissioner Raum—Representative L. M. Smyser, of Ohio, was one of the stockholders of the refrigerating company of which Raum is president. He therefore offered a resolution discharging Mr. Smyser from the committee. Mr. Smyser thereupon asked to be discharged and the request was granted.

#### Aldrich's Reciprocity Amendment.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 2.—Mr. Aldrich reported from the Finance Committee to the Senate a modification of the reciprocity amendment heretofore reported by him. The modification consists in the change of a single word. Where the amendment read that the President is empowered to act when other countries impose duties on American products "reciprocally unequal and unjust," the word "unjust" is struck out and the word "unreasonable" inserted in its place.

#### The President's Trip to Cresson.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 2.—Private Secretary Halford said that there was so much important public business requiring the President's attention that he had determined to postpone his trip to Cresson, Pa., until the latter part of the week.

#### Ex-P. M.-General Cutler Dead.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 2.—Ex-Paymaster Gen. George F. Cutter, U. S. N., is dead at his residence here. He was in his seventy-first year. The remains will be sent to Mount Auburn, Boston, for interment.

#### Assemblyman Gibbs to be Expelled.

NEW YORK, Sept. 2.—The Executive Committee of the Republican County Committee decided last night to expel Frederick S. Gibbs from the Executive Committee, and to recommend his expulsion from the County Committee.

#### A Schooner Yacht Aground.

VINEYARD HAVEN, Mass., Sept. 2.—The schooner yacht Gitana, from New York, of and for Boston, was set ashore by the strong tide while making this harbor, and is still aground.

### BASEBALL GAMES.

#### National League.

AT BROOKLYN.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Brooklyn | 4 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | x—10 |
| Pittsburg | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0— 0 |

Batteries—Caruthers and Clark; Baker and Wilson.

SECOND GAME.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Pittsburg | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1— 2 |
| Brooklyn | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0— 3 |

Batteries—Anderson and Decker; Lovett and Daily.

THIRD GAME.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Brooklyn | 3 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | x— 8 |
| Pittsburg | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0— 4 |

Batteries—Lovett and Daily; Anderson and Decker.

AT BOSTON.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Boston | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0— 1 |
| Chicago | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0— 4 |

Batteries—Luby and Nagle; Nichols and Ganzel.

SECOND GAME.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Boston | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 5—11 |
| Chicago | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 1—12 |

Batteries—Clarkson and Hardy; Stein and Kittridge.

AT PHILADELPHIA.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Philadelphia | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0— 2 |
| Cincinnati | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0— 1 |

Batteries—Mullane and Harrington; Gleason and Schriver.

SECOND GAME.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Philadelphia | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1— 6 |
| Cincinnati | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0— 3 |

Batteries—Duryea and Keenan; Vickery and Schriver.

AT NEW YORK.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| New York | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2— 4 |
| Cleveland | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0— 0 |

Batteries—Rusie and Buckley; Young and Zimmer.

SECOND GAME.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| New York | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0— 5 |
| Cleveland | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0— 1 |

Batteries—Murphy and Sharrott; Beatin and Zimmer.

#### Players' League.

AT NEW YORK.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| New York | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0— 7 |
| Buffalo | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0— 5 |

Batteries—Ewing and Ewing; Clarke and and Mack.

SECOND GAME.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| New York | 6 | 2 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 3 | —19 |
| Buffalo | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 3 | — 7 |

Batteries—O'Day and Ewing; Cunningham and Mack.

AT BROOKLYN.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Brooklyn | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0— 1 |
| Chicago | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 2 | x—13 |

Batteries—Hemming and Cook; King and Boyle.

SECOND GAME.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Brooklyn | 1 | 4 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0— 7 |
| Chicago | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2— 6 |

Batteries—Weyhing and Kinslow; Baldwin and Farrell.

AT BOSTON.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Boston | 2 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0—11 |
| Cleveland | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 1— 7 |

Batteries—Kilroy and Kelly; Bakely and Brennan.

SECOND GAME.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Boston | 4 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0—11 |
| Cleveland | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0— 2 |

Batteries—Gumbert and Kelly; Gruber and Brennan.

AT PHILADELPHIA.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Philadelphia | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0— 3 |
| Pittsburg | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2— 7 |

Batteries—Husted and Cross; Maul and Quinn.

SECOND GAME.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Philadelphia | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0— 0 |
| Pittsburg | 0 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | x— 9 |

Batteries—Sanders and Milligan; Staley and Quinn.

#### American Association.

AT BALTIMORE.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Baltimore | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0— 6 |
| Columbus | 1 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | x— 7 |

Batteries—German and Tate; Chamberlain and O'Connor.

SECOND GAME.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Baltimore | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0— 6 |
| Columbus | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 3— 6 |

Batteries—O'Rourke and Townsend; Gastright and O'Connor.

AT SYRACUSE.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Syracuse | 3 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0— 7 |
| Toledo | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0— 3 |

Batteries—Keefe and Briggs; Smith and Wells.

SECOND GAME.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Syracuse | 6 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1—12 |
| Toledo | 0 | 1 | 0 | 7 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2—11 |

Batteries—Casey and Pitz; Sprague and Sage.

AT ROCHESTER.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Rochester | 0 | 8 | 4 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | x—12 |
| Louisville | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3— 6 |

Batteries—Titcomb and Grimm; Stratton and Ryan.

SECOND GAME.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Rochester | 0 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | x—10 |
| Louisville | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0— 5 |

Batteries—Daily and Bligh; Barr and McGuire.

AT PHILADELPHIA.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Athletic | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 0— 7 |
| St. Louis | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0— 2 |

Batteries—McMahon and Baldwin; Hart and Munyan.

#### Atlantic Association.

AT HARRISBURG.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Harrisburg | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 1 | 0 | 0— 6 |
| Lebanon | 1 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0— 5 |

Batteries—Gamble and Sommers; Swift and Koons.

AT NEW HAVEN.

New Haven, 6; Newark, 0.

SECOND GAME.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| New Haven | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0— 5 |
| Newark | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0— 4 |

Batteries—Doran and Cahill; Fitzgerald and Childs.

Attendance at Games.

| | Players | League |
|---|---|---|
| Philadelphia | 4,453 | 9,867 |
| New York | 3,772 | 3,639 |
| Boston | 11,180 | 11,302 |
| Brooklyn | 7,442 | 8,109 |
| Totals | 26,857 | 32,917 |

Standing of the Clubs.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

| Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'ct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Brookl'n .74 | 36 | .673 | Chicago..62 | 47 | .569 | |
| Boston....69 | 42 | .622 | N. York..51 | 60 | .459 | |
| Philadel..66 | 44 | .600 | Cleve'nd..31 | 75 | .292 | |
| Cincin'ti .65 | 42 | .607 | Pittsb'rg.19 | 92 | .171 | |

PLAYERS' LEAGUE.

| Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'ct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Boston....67 | 41 | .620 | Philadel..59 | 52 | .532 | |
| Brookl'n .67 | 46 | .593 | Pittsb'rg.46 | 57 | .447 | |
| N. York...53 | 45 | .583 | Cleve'nd..42 | 63 | .400 | |
| Chicago...59 | 53 | .527 | Buffalo ..29 | 75 | .279 | |

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

| Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'ct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Loui'v'le..64 | 35 | .646 | Col'mb's..55 | 43 | .534 | |
| St. Louis.60 | 43 | .583 | Toledo....52 | 46 | .531 | |
| Athletic ..51 | 51 | .508 | Syracuse..41 | 59 | .410 | |
| Roch'st'r.53 | 47 | .535 | Baltim'e..38 | 76 | .274 | |

#### A Minister Nominated for Congress.

ASBURY PARK, N. J. Sept 2.—Rev. George R. Snyder, of Ocean Grove, was nominated for Congress by the Prohibitionists of the Third Congressional district.

## HER LIFE A BURDEN

### Dramatic Suicide of a Young Peasant Girl.

#### THE TRADE UNIONS CONGRESS

#### The Largest Gathering of Labor Leaders Ever Held in England.

**Osman Digna Marching on Cairo—A Nephew of the Archbishop of Canterbury Joins the Roman Church—Trying to Prevent the Spread of Cholera. Confession of a Murderer.**

BERLIN, Sept. 2.—A melancholy incident occurred yesterday in the small village of Rnaid.

Judge Scodik, 70 years old, who has been a local justice for many years, married a girl of 18 about six months ago. The bride was an innocent country girl who had never been nearer to a large city than the small town where her husband dwelt, and was possessed of such surprising beauty that she at once became a sensation when introduced by the judge to the local society.

The meeting of this maiden and the judge was romantic, she being at her home on a distant farm and the judge en route through the country. When the newly made husband found that his wife's beauty created such a sensation he became insanely and morbidly jealous, curtailed her enjoyments, limited her going out and coming in, bridled her in every possible manner, and rebuked her in the presence of her friends or strangers for fancied errors in her conduct.

This treatment began with the second month of their marriage, and continued to increase in severity and unreasonableness until the wife's life became unbearable. Yesterday the judge was entertaining company among which were two young men who he thought had admired his wife rather more than they should, and he therefore forbade her coming into the library where they were.

During the afternoon, and after smoking and drinking in a friendly way, the judge invited his guests to the parlor for the purpose of examining some rare Dutch paintings. They entered the room, and had got well into the centre, when a horrible sight met them. There, hanging from a curtain pole in the window was the dead body of the young wife, clothed in her white wedding dress, bearing upon her head a chaplet of orange blossoms, and at her feet two lighted candles, while pinned to her dress was a paper, and upon it written:

"The cruel suspicion of my husband makes life more than I can bear."

The young woman had fastened the rope around her neck, bent her knees so as to clear the ground, and slowly strangled to death.

### TRADES UNION CONGRESS.

#### Burns Warns the Delegates to Keep the Labor Movement Out of Politics.

LONDON, Sept. 2.—The opening of the Trades Unions Congress at Liverpool was marked by the greatest enthusiasm. The prominent labor agitators—Burns, Mann, Tillett and others—were wildly applauded.

In the course of his address John Burns warned the Congress that it was necessary to keep the labor movement out of politics, as it was essentially an economic question and had nothing to do with Liberalism or Conservatism as such.

The Congress is by far the largest and most important of the kind ever held. The steady growth of trade-unionism, its importance to all men who labor in large bodies, the victories it has won for its supporters, all combine to make the present meeting significant, as much depends upon its decisions and decrees. Employers of labor are keeping as anxious a watch over the deliberations of the body as the workmen who are represented in it by delegates.

#### Joined the Church of Rome.

LONDON, Sept. 2.—The Rev. Sidney Benson Thorpe, a nephew of his Grace, the Archbishop of Canterbury, has joined the Roman Church, owing to the effect produced on him by a diligent study of the works of the late Cardinal Newman.

#### Osman Digna Advancing on Cairo.

CAIRO, Sept. 2.—Osman Digna, who recently renewed his rebellion against the Egyptian Government in the Soudan, has arrived at Tokar with 8,000 followers. He has announced his intention of advancing upon Cairo.

#### Crispi to Call on Salisbury.

ROME, Sept. 2.—Prime Minister Crispi proceeded on a special steamer from Naples to Nice to-day. It is reported that the object of his visit is to hold an interview with Lord Salisbury, who is now sojourning at Nice.

#### Stanley and the Slave Trade.

LONDON, Sept. 2.—It is stated that Stanley has informed the French publisher of his biography that he will devote the proceeds of the edition toward the abolition of the African slave trade.

#### Cholera's March.

LONDON, Sept. 2.—The grain trade between Suakim and the interior of the Soudan has been suspended in order to prevent the spread of cholera.

While walking about the grounds of his residence at Woodbridge, Conn., Donald G. Mitchell (Ik Marvel) fell and broke his left arm.

#### Was He Murdered?

KINGSTON, N. Y., Sept. 2.—John McGuery, a young man residing near Whiteport, in the Ulster cement region, was found dead at Brinewater yesterday. There is every indication that he met his death by violence. Seventy dollars in money and a watch which he was known to have in his possession are missing.

### PULLED DOWN A FLAG.

#### Junior O. U. A. M. Men Tear the German Emblem to Shreds.

PITTSBURG, Sept. 2.—The German flag was pulled down, torn to shreds and trampled under foot last evening in Allegheny by Junior O. U. A. M. men. It was carried by the bakers' contigent in the labor parade. At Arch street and North avenue, an aid was prevailed upon by some influential members of the Junior O. U. A. M. to order the obnoxious flag hauled down. The bearer refused and raised the banner higher and unfurled it to the winds. The aid rode off and the spectators began to jeer.

There were a large number of junior order men around, and they were particularly incensed. They called back the aid and insisted that the German flag be removed. The officer thus urged rode into the ranks and took hold of the banner. He tried to take it away from the man who carried it, but the men in the ranks quickly surrounded the aid and essayed to beat him off. Policeman Diebold, of the Allegheny force, dashed into the thick of the fight and beat the horse and rider with his mace.

For a time it seemed that the champions of the flag would win. Therefore the Junior O. U. A. M. men who had encouraged the aid to remove the flag took part. Canes and fists were used, resulting in black eyes and torn clothes. Policeman Diebold was roughly handled.

Despite the efforts of the bakers and policeman, the flag came down. The junior order men secured the banner, and in about a minute all semblance to a country's emblem was gone. The silk was torn to shreds, and the men trampled them under foot. Having won the victory, they shouted: "America for Americans," "The Stars and Stripes the only banner on our streets," and other patriotic sentiments. They retired, and the bakers closed up their ranks and proceeded on their way, but they were angry and will not cool down for some time. They threaten vengeance. No arrests were made.

### EXCURSIONISTS ROBBED.

#### Held Up on an Eastern Train in the Wild Western Style.

DUNKIRK, N. Y., Sept. 2.—The Dunkirk, Alleghany & Pittsburg excursion train from Lily Dale was the scene of a bold robbery.

When the train stopped at the station a general rush for seats was made. Mr. F. V. Jackson, of Grand Rapids, Mich., had just seated himself when he was grabbed by the men. One held him while the other took his pocketbook. Both men disappeared in the crowd. The robbery was done so quickly that Jackson had no time to make an outcry.

At the same time Mrs. John Stape, of Dunkirk, who was in the next car ahead, was robbed of a pocketbook containing $100 in the same manner. A jewelry store in Lily Dale was robbed of $450 worth of goods.

#### Double Murder and Suicide.

STOCKTON, Cal., Sept. 2.—News reaches here from West Point, a mining town in Calavaras County, of a double murder and suicide in that place. A man named Gallagher fatally shot his wife, killed his son, and then committed suicide. Gallagher had been drinking heavily of late and committed the crime because of his wife's refusal to give him money to continue his debauch.

#### Revoked the Pilots' Licenses.

NORFOLK, Va., Sept. 2.—Supervising Inspector John W. Cast, after a careful review of all the testimony submitted in the case of the collision between the steamers Louise and Virginia, which caused the death of 15 persons, has revoked the licenses of Thomas Rhuork, pilot of the steamer Louise, and W. J. Bonanan, master and pilot of the Virginia from this date.

#### Three Persons Burned to Death.

COMO, Col., Sept. 1.—The Wilford House was burned during the morning. The fire started in a room occupied by an invalid, who, it is supposed, upset the lamp. Three persons were burned to death. Their bodies were found in the ruins. One was recognized as William Pryor, a Western Union lineman; the others could not be identified.

#### Eighty Miners Suffocated.

VIENNA, Sept. 2.—Eighty miners were suffocated by an explosion at Boryclav, Galicia, to-day.

### NEWS OF THE DAY.

President Carnot of France is indisposed.

The Vermont State election is taking place to-day.

Alphonse Chiquette shot and killed Frederick Collette at Ferrisburg, Vt. Jealousy.

Edward Wayman and Nelson Swarts are on trial at Genesseo, N. Y., for the murder of Emory Thayer.

The town of Oxford, Iowa, was almost totally destroyed by an incendiary fire. The firebugs had cut the rope of the fire bell.

A girl at Moncton, N. B., who was addicted to eating brown paper, has slept seven days without waking and is still asleep.

While walking about the grounds of his residence at Woodbridge, Conn., Donald G. Mitchell (Ik Marvel) fell and broke his left arm.

#### McLaughlin to Ride Again.

NEW YORK, Sept. 2.—Jimmy McLaughlin, who stood foremost among the jockeys of the country a couple of years ago, has decided to again join the ranks of his fellows. He has signed a contract with Frank Ehret, the owner of Roy del Roy and others, to ride for the stable next year.

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## BY THE WAY.

—Letter-carrier Blair was given a new route Monday.

—James Arnold, Jr., carries his left arm in a sling, the result of a fracture caused by a fall.

—The Dauntless base ball club defeated the Green Brooks yesterday by the score of 12 to 10.

—A horse owned by John Morton died Sunday morning, making the third horse he has lost recently.

—Regular meeting of Central Lodge, No. 48, A. O. U. W., will be held this evening at eight o'clock.

—Transfers of Plainfield real estate and other items of local interest, crowded out of today's PRESS, will appear to-morrow.

—F. R. Stevens of East Fifth street, had some pigeons come home from the ocean-bound steamer, "Umbria," the other day.

—Richard Hapenny who accompanied the Grocers Association excursion from this city yesterday to Boynton Beach, caught a crab that measured 21½ inches from tip to tip.

—Miss Rogers, pupil of Dr. Wm. Mason, will resume her lessons on the piano Sept. 25. She is highly indorsed by well known Plainfielders, as appears in her advertisement in another column.

—A men's christian conference will be held at the Y. M. C. A. rooms this evening at 8 o'clock. An excellent opportunity is afforded in these meetings to ask questions of experienced Christian workers.

—The third shooting match for a silver trophy will take place at Campbell's club house Wednesday afternoon at half-past three o'clock. Former winners are Councilman S. G. Smith and Thomas Brantingham.

—An attempt was made to burn the hotel at Bound Brook, last night. A train of kerosene was laid from outside into the cellar, and lighted. The firemen quickly responded to an alarm and saved the building.

—About seven o'clock of last evening, the curtains in a window of the house occupied by J. B. Stickle, on East Fifth street, caught fire. For a few minutes there was a fierce blaze that was only quenched after much difficulty.

—Nine cars packed in seats and aisles, were not enough to accommodate those who wanted to go to Boynton Beach with the Grocers Association excursion, yesterday. Two hundred people, at least, were left behind for want of railroad accommodation. Of the distinguished guests present were Acting-Mayor Moffett, ex-Mayor Rockfellow and Councilman Dunham.

—Tickets are on sale at Miller's pharmacy and Sebring's clothing house, for the excursion of St. John's Commandery, Knights Templar, to Asbury Park, Thursday, September. 4. The special train bearing the Commandery and its guests, will leave Elizabeth at 9 A. M. Tickets are each one dollar. Drake's Band will accompany the party. A number of Sir Knights of Trinity Commandery No. 17, of this city, with their wives, will join St. John's at Elizabeth.

### A Plainfielder to the Rescue.

A wagon owned by N. A. Barnett of Westfield, collided with one owned by Wm. Edgar on the Mt. Ararat streets this morning, and in a twinkling Edgar's wagon was overturned. Edgar narrowly escaped being crushed by the fall, and his horse was severely cut and bruised. One of Engineer F. A. Dunham's county roads corps sprang forward in the nick of time, seized Edgar's horse by the head, and prevented a runaway.

### Council Adjourns Till Wednesday.

Councilmen Dunham, Jenkins, Johnson, Roberts, Smith and Spangenberg attended the regular meeting of the Common Council last evening. In the absence of President Moffett, Councilman Hetfield was put in the chair. City Clerk Coward read the minutes of the last meeting, after the adoption of which the Council adjourned till Wednesday evening.


The gormandizer likes it because it is fine, The workman likes it because it quenches his thirst, enriches his blood, and strengthens his muscle. It is cheap. The mother likes it. It keeps her boys at home. The women of America like it, because it takes the place of intoxicants. This Hires' Root Beer.


## PARTICULAR MENTION.

Seymour Marsh and family, of Putnam avenue, are home from Belmar.

Miss Della Bowers, daughter of B. O. Bowers, is at Albany for two weeks.

J. M. Dayton and family, of East Sixth street, are home again from Lake Hopatcong.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. See, of "The Elms," East Front street, have returned from Belmar.

Mrs. Charles Sandford and family expect to reach home from Watch Hill, R. I., to-morrow.

L. W. Serrell of West Front street, is among the recent visitors to the Park House, Summit.

C. W. Opdyke, P. Opdyke and Clinton Keene, of Plainfield, have been camping at Budd's Lake.

Chas. Lang of Newark, is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Zeisz, of New street.

The name of Miss Mary E. Holton, of Grove street, appears on the list of new arrivals at the ElDorado, Ocean Grove.

Miss Florence M. Randolph, of West Front street, is home again after a months' visit at seaside and mountains.

Charles Overbaugh, a former Plainfielder, but now of St. Louis, is visiting his sister, Mrs. Amos P. Gray, of West Second street.

Miss Addie Roberts, daughter of Councilman Roberts, has returned from a two month's trip through Pennsylvania, greatly improved in health.

The Misses Gracie and Florence Voorhees, of Woodbridge, are visiting their aunt, Mrs. W. H. VanWinkle, of Park place, North Plainfield.

Wm. A. Wilson and wife of Jersey City, were the guests of Mr. Wilson's parents during Sunday and Labor Day on Harmony street, North Plainfield.

Jasper G. Cadmus, who has been ill several weeks, was able to venture out of doors Saturday, and received hearty greetings from many friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Dudley S. Miller, of East Fifth street, sail today for Norfolk. They will spend two weeks at Virginia Beach and Old Point Comfort.

Dr. H. K. Carroll, of North Plainfield, religious census director, and editor of *The Independent*, has returned, with his wife and daughter, from a pleasant outing at Pine Hill, N. Y.

The Rev. C. B. Mitchell and Mrs. Mitchell have returned from Liberty, Sullivan county, N. Y. Mr. Mitchell gained eleven pounds in weight during his absence of three weeks.

Charles Potter, Jr., and family, left the Larkin House, Watch Hill, yesterday morning, for Westerly, R. I., where they will visit friends for a few days before returning home on Thursday.

The Rev. Father Smyth, pastor of St. Mary's church, officiated at the 10:45 service, yesterday morning. He said he was very glad to see his parishioners again, and promised that at a future date he would give them an account of what he saw in his travels.

Col. Charles W. Thomae, who was a member of Governor Green's staff, and a resident of Bound Brook, is prominently mentioned in connection with the Assemblymanship of Somerset county, on the Democratic ticket. His nomination would be a credit to the party, and bring assured success to the ticket.

Councilman Seymour G. Smith, the biggest of the "Big 6," returned home Saturday from a visit at Hartwick, N. Y., leaving his family there for the present. He reports having had a good time in the fishing line, but does not return in as good health as his many friends would like to see. Nevertheless, he will "be there" in Councilmanic matters when the proper time arrives.

Councilman Walter L. Hetfield returned to his Plainfield home Saturday, from a two weeks' outing at Block Island, R. I., and enjoyed the excellent game of ball in the afternoon between the Crescents and the Cuban Giants. This member of the "Big 6" looks in excellent trim after his vacation, and reports having made big catches of the finny tribe during his visit. One of the victims to his line was a nine-pound blue-fish. Mr. Hetfield is now ready to tackle the water question, or any other that comes before him.

### Racing at the Driving Park.

Several spirited races occurred at the Gentlemen's Driving Park, Saturday.

The first race was between Charles Brower's Aala, Peter Osborn's Galatea, and John Osborn's black colt. Aala won the first and third heats in 2:43 and 2:45½. Galatea won the second heat in 2:45½.

The second race was between John Osborn's Peter and M. Quinn's Kittie Jackson. Peter won both heats. Time, 3:12 and 3:09½.

The third race was between Mr. Reynolds's Experiment and Nate Robbins's Doctor. Experiment won in 2:54.

Peter Osborn drove the gray stallion Pilot Jackson, owned by Mr. Reynolds, a mile in 2:40½.

O. T. Waring drove Copeland to road wagon a half-mile in 1:20.

### Broke His Arm Vaulting.

The fourteen-year-old son of Mr. Burt of Union avenue, broke his arm this morning. He was vaulting, when he fell heavily on his hands with the result stated. Dr. Fritts attended the unfortunate lad who is now quite comfortable.


If all so-called remedies have failed, Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy cures. 25c., by druggists.


## KILLED BY HIS BROTHER.

### Careless Handling of a Defective Gun Causes a Distressing Accident.

Eight-year-old Freddie Kissam, son of Wm. Kissam, whose home is on the road from Fanwood to Rahway, two miles from Fanwood, was accidentally shot by his fourteen-year-old brother, Charles, late Saturday afternoon, and died next day in great suffering.

The elder lad, gun in hand, left the house at about five o'clock to shoot a crane which had been flying about the place during the day. Freddie persisted in accompanying him, in spite of his protests. When but a few yards from the house Charles wheeled suddenly about to order his brother back. His gun, which was at half-cock, almost fell from his grasp, and he gave a sudden grip to recover it. His fingers tightened on the trigger, and to his horror the contents of the weapon were discharged into Freddie's side and breast. The boy's lungs were riddled with shot. Freddie was carried into the house, and Dr. J. B. Harrison, of Westfield, was summoned. The physician was able to relieve the boy's pain somewhat, but found it impossible to save his life. The lad died Sunday afternoon.

Freddie's brother is frantic with grief, refuses to eat or drink, and says he wants to die.

An examination of the fatal gun reveals the fact that the hammer is defective, and falls whether at half-cock or full-cock.

### Lieutenant Flannery Receives a Sword Wound.

During the parade at Red Bank, yesterday, of the Uniformed Rank, Knights of Pythias, of New Jersey, Lieut. J. E. Flannery, of Crescent Division, Plainfield, was wounded in the fleshy part of his thigh by a sword thrust from some one marching behind him. The Knight behind was carrying his sword out of its scabbard, and it was accidently stuck into the Lieuteanant's leg because he got out of step. The wound was dressed at a neighboring drug shop.

Others present from this city at the parade which was a great success, were Grand Officers Lieut-Col. George H. Polhemus and Quartermaster John C. VanDyke. Crescent Division was led by Capt. J. H. Carney, Lieut. J. E. Flannery, Herald, J. M. Hawkins and Recorder, S. J. Robinson.

### Death of N. W. Fine.

N. W. Fine, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Fine of West Front street, died yesterday after a long illness. He had been treated for softening of the brain, which was attributed to the depositing of a clot of blood on the brain from the bursting of a blood-vessel. It was a matter of surprise to the physicians that he lived so long under such suffering, and his case was called one of the most remarkable in medical annals. The patient took scarcely any nourishment, and was kept alive merely through his own force of will-power. He was in his thirty-sixth year.

The funeral services will take place to-morrow afternoon at two o'clock.

### Some Illustrious People Who Came Home on the "Servia."

Yesterday morning just after midnight, the steamship "Servia" reached Sandy Hook, and a few hours later had landed her passengers again on the welcome shores of the United States. Among those the most glad to get home, were Dr. and Mrs. T. S. Davis, Master Charley Davis and the Misses Davis, of Park avenue; Mulford Estil, of Grove street; Leander Lovell, and two sons, of Crescent avenue; and Corporation Counsel Craig A. Marsh.

Henry George, Dr. Lyman Abbott, Daly's company and others were among the passengers who made the voyage interesting and entertaining.

### Another Fire of Unknown Cause.

Fire broke out about 10:30 o'clock of last night in the paint shop of F. O. Smith, 196 West Front street. The cause is not known. The flames spread to the new barn and chicken coop of Henry H. Hoffman, adjoining, which were entirely destroyed. The barn was 14x36 and contained a cow and a lot of hay. The cow was rescued, but everything else was destroyed. Hoffman's loss was $300 uninsured.

Smith had an insurance of $1,000 on his shop and contents which were entirely consumed.

### Next Time it Will be Her Legs.

The little daughter of John J. Ackerman, of Warren street, North Plainfield, fell from a seesaw yesterday, resulting in a fracture and a dislocation of her right arm. It is a very bad case, but Dr. Long has it in charge and the little one is doing remarkably well.

Although only nine years old, the child has been particularly unfortunate. The other arm was broken about five years ago, and her collar bone, also, has been fractured.

### Fell From a Wagon to Death.

Otis Woodruff, of Westfield, fell from a wagon a week ago, and died from the effects of the fall Friday. He had removed to Westfield from Elizabeth but a month ago.

—Locomotive sparks set fire to the trestle-work in Thickstun's coal yard Sunday morning. Boys extinguished the blaze with buckets of water.

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### Funeral of Mrs. B. F. Littell.

Funeral services over the remains of Martha Milliken, wife of Benj. F. Littell, ex-Postmaster of Bound Brook, were held at the Bound Brook Methodist church Sunday. The attendance was very large. Members of Jerusalem Lodge, F. and A. M., of which order Mr. Littell is a member, together with friends and relatives, attended from Plainfield. Mrs. Littell was a sister of John Milliken of this city, and of Elias Milliken of Dunellen.

### A Big Incendiary Fire.

ERIE, Pa., Sept. 2.—Bauschard Brothers' planing mills, in the heart of the city, were burned last evening. Loss, $125,000. The residences of Alderman Curtze, H. V. Claus and Mrs. M. Metz were also destroyed, adding $20,000 to the total loss. The entire insurance is only $15,000. A lull in the breeze probably prevented a terrible conflagration. The fire is believed to have been of incendiary origin.

### Nearly Cut in Two by a Train.

NEW YORK, Sept. 2.—Thomas Goddy, for many years employed on the New York Central as a track joiner, was struck by a northbound train at 113th street, where he was at work, and nearly cut in two. He was thrown about twenty feet and instantly killed.

### Mr. Depew Sails To-Morrow.

LONDON, Sept. 2.—Mr. Chauncey M. Depew sails to-morrow in the White Star steamer Teutonic on his return voyage.


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Persons calling for the above please say advertised. JAMES H. HAROLD, P. M.

### Arrival and Departure of Mails

*NEW YORK MAILS.*

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## DEATHS.

FINE—In this city, Sept. 1, N. W. Fine, in his 36th year.

Funeral services from the residence of his father, C. M. Fine, 190 West Front street, Wednesday, Sept. 3, at 2 o'clock P. M. Interment private. 2

## WANTS AND OFFERS.

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## CRESCENTS TAKE THREE STRAIGHT.

**The Cuban Giants, the Alerts, and the Ridgewoods, All Defeated by Plainfield's Crack Team.**

Modest Michael Gregg saved the game from the Cuban Giants in the 9th inning, last Saturday, and won it for the Crescents a few minutes after. It was the closest and quickest game ever played on the Plainfield grounds—not a run made until the fight finished, yet the visitors came dangerously near home on a number of occasions. The head work of Gentle Gregg, the superb playing of Freddy Jones as a back stop, and the fielding of Gillis, McIndoe, Martin and Lufberry, pulled their team out of several holes during the afternoon.

As Manager Bright told a PRESS reporter, the Cuban Giants had not before put so fine a team in the field this season. It consisted of six of the original colored champions, and was no more like the team that played at Somerville a few weeks ago than the Boston League nine is like the Bayonnes. The game they put up Saturday was one of the finest ever witnessed. There was not an error of judgment throughout, and no approach even to an error of any kind except in the case of an unaccepted chance in the ninth inning, when a high fly of McIndoe's was allowed to drop in the faces of Bell, Boyd and Garrison who all rushed after it.

In the first inning Martin got to first on a bunt and stole second, but died there. In the second inning McIndoe got to first on a safe hit but was caught stealing second. After that nobody of the Crescents reached a base until the sixth, when Douglass who was afraid to let Hatfield have a chance at him, gave the latter his first on balls. In the seventh it seemed as if the home team would get a run. Lufberry, the first to the bat, made a safe hit; but Wiegand fouled out, McIndoe hit his to first base and Gregg hit his into the pitcher's hands. In the eighth, Jackson again gave Hatfield his first on balls, and also Gillis. Then the Crescents had two men on bases for the only time during the game. But Lee struck out, Jones flew out to Nelson, and Martin batted a little one that was thrown to first before he could get there.

The way Gregg saved and won the game in the ninth inning when the score stood 0 to 0, is this. The Giants were first at the bat, and their coachers shouted "Here's where we win! Its all ober but de cheerin!" B. Jackson faced Gregg with admirable confidence, but gentle Michael struck him out. Then the fire works begun but did not worry Gregg a bit. Nelson knocked a liner into right field and reached second on Lufbery's failure to hold the throw in. Catto stepped up and after two balls and one strike had been called, hit the ball right into Gregg's hands. Catto thought he was out, but Gregg smiled kindly at him and turned his back. Nelson was playing away down the line towards third base and Gregg smiled at him, too, and waited. Nelson, however, could not make up his mind which way to go, so Gregg started to chase him to third and kept the run up until Nelson was within four feet of Lee, then Gregg lined the ball to the latter and there were two out and a man on first only. Had Gregg thrown Catto out at first, as it is natural for an infielder to do every time he gets a short hit in his hands, two runs at least would have been scored in the ninth by the Giants, because W. Jackson followed with a hit that would have brought Catto home and Douglass' hit would have brought W. Jackson home. But Gregg is always figuring away ahead. The result was that although the Giants eventually filled the bases in the ninth, Gillis made a fine catch in centre field of Boyd's savage hit and the visitors were out without a run.

The Crescents went to the bat in the ninth amid the plaudits of twelve hundred. But Lufbery flew out to Garrison on the first ball pitched, and Wiegand struck out just two minutes after. McIndoe then stepped up and knocked a high fly that everybody was sure Bell would clutch with ease. But three players ran for it, as told above, and no one got it. McIndoe had reached second and Gregg was at the bat, but there were two out and the scorers began to fix their sheets for ten innings. Then occurred one of those seeming impossibilities that about once a year happen so unexpectedly to a ball nine. Gregg hammered the ball into the right field bleachers, making a home run himself and bringing McIndoe in ahead of him. The excitement was terrific. One of the largest attendances of the year was present and the shouting was deafening. Those who had backed the Giants began a cry of "foul ball." This claim was ridiculous, but of course it at once found supporters enough to stir up trouble. The right fielder of the Giants who ran to get the ball, made no claim that it was foul but had gone to the dressing room to take off his uniform before he heard there was any dispute about it. A PRESS reporter hurried over to the bleachers and found the man who had been struck by the ball. He had not moved from his seat yet, and there was a crowd of fifty people around him who could all see that he was "inside" of the foul flag. The man said his name was Goff, and that he would make an affidavit himself and get a hundred witnesses to testify that it was a fair ball. The score was:

Earned runs—Crescents, 1. First base on errors—Crescents, 1; Giants, 2. Base on balls—Crescents, 3; Giants, 3. Two base hit—Woods. Home run—Gregg. Passed ball—W. Jackson. Files caught—By Crescents, 7; by Giants, 9. Time of game—1:15. Umpire—Mr. Berriman.

CRESCENT LEAGUE.

| | AB | R | BH | SB | SO | LB | PO | A | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Hatfield, rf | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Martin, ss | 4 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Lufbery, 2b | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 1 |
| Wiegand, 1b | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 11 | 0 | 0 |
| McIndoe, lf | 4 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Gregg, p | 4 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 6 | 1 |
| Lee, 3b | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 1 |
| Jones, c | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 1 | 0 |
| Gillis, cf | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| | 2 | 4 | 1 | 3 | 5 | 27 | 13 | 3 | |

CUBAN GIANTS.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Boyd, cf | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Bell, 2b | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 1 |
| Woods, 3b | 3 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 5 | 0 |
| Garrison, ss | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 0 |
| B. Jackson, 1b | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 13 | 0 | 0 |
| Nelson, lf | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Catto, rf | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| W. Jackson, c | 4 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 5 | 1 | 0 |
| Douglass, p | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| | 0 | 6 | 1 | 5 | 10 | 26 | 12 | 1 | |

SCORE BY INNINGS.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Crescent League | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | —2 |
| Cuban Giants | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —0 |

Monday morning's game was more like the handle on a jug, than was really expected. Of course everybody realized that Elizabeth's team of semi-amateurs, were not in it with Plainfield's semi-professionals; yet when the former came on the ground quite materially strengthened, the 700 people present thought the game might at least be interesting. Then, too, Shaw was put in the box to give Gregg a rest before the afternoon's game, and Hatfield was brought in from the field to catch.

But even under all these circumstances the result of the game was never in doubt. The Crescents earned five of their fourteen runs, and could have earned a dozen more. McIndoe made one of his holiday hits over the fence, bringing in two runs ahead of him. Shaw pitched a model game, and if the Crescent outfielders had not played entirely too deep, the Alerts would have had but two hits. In the fourth inning Shaw only pitched four balls before the Alerts where out and in the next inning he struck out the whole side.

The Alerts two runs were given them. In the sixth inning with two out and no runs, the third man hit to Lee who fielded it to Wiegand. The latter dropped it and gave the runner his base. The next at the bat knocked a high fly into Shaw's hands and he let it twist out. The next batter, after two strikes was given his base on balls, and the bases were full. Mills then made a little hit and two runs came in.

The score was:

CRESCENT LEAGUE.

| | AB | R | BH | SB | SO | LB | PO | A | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Hatfield, c | 5 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 8 | 4 | 0 |
| Martin, ss | 5 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 1 |
| Lufbery, 2b | 5 | 3 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Wiegand, 1b | 4 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 13 | 0 | 1 |
| McIndoe, lf | 4 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Jones, rf | 5 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Lee, 3b | 4 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 7 | 0 |
| Shaw, p | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 1 |
| Gillis, cf | 4 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| | 14 | 13 | 7 | 5 | 4 | 27 | 16 | 5 | |

ALERTS.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Cook, cf | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Liddy, 3b | 4 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 5 | 0 |
| Carter, c | 4 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 2 | 2 |
| Ogden, 2b | 4 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 5 | 2 |
| Schwabe, ss | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 |
| Beebe, 1b | 2 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 3 | 12 | 1 | 2 |
| Ahern, lf | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Mills, p | 3 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Chandler, rf | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| | 2 | 5 | 5 | 9 | 5 | 24 | 18 | 10 | |

SCORE BY INNINGS.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Crescent League | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 2 | 1 | 4 | * | —14 |
| Alerts | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —2 |

Runs earned—Crescents, 5; first base on errors—Crescents, 7; Alerts, 2; base on balls—Crescents, 1; Alerts 3; hit by ball—Wiegand. Home run—McIndoe. Double play—Gillis to Wiegand; Schwabe to Ogden to Beebe. Passed balls—Carter—2. Wild pitch—Shaw. Files caught—By Crescents, 5; by Alerts, 4. Time of game—1:35. Umpire—Mr. Berriman.

The afternoon game was played under a great strain on both sides. The Crescents wanted the victory more than any of the season. There was standing room only when the game commenced, and during its progress 1500 people shouted themselves hoarse. One excited man with $19 on the game, left his seat and chased McIndoe to second base in the eighth inning. Peter Collins, formerly of this city and now one of the employes on the Brooklyn L where all the Ridgewoods work, offered a silver bat to the member of the latter team who should make the longest hit. It was won by Helser in the eighth on a two-bagger down in the corner of left field.

Hammond was put in to pitch for the Ridgewoods at the start. It was plainly visible in the very beginning that he was not the man to win the game. Hatfield, the first of the Crescents to the bat, got his first base on four bad balls, his second on a passed ball, his third on a wild pitch and scored on Lufbery's hit to left. In the third inning, a single by Martin, a three-bagger by Lufbery, and a double by Wiegand followed in succession. Two more runs were scored, and with the game 3 to 0 for the Crescents, Livingston was substituted but too late to win. For the balance of the game the Crescents got but two hits neither of which scored.

The Ridgewoods earned one of their runs. The other two were made on an error of Martin's, and Jones' only passed ball for a month. Haley being still timid about the hand he split when playing here before, changed places with Fritz in the last two innings. Mr. Berriman's umpiring in all three of the above games, was thoroughly satisfactory to the visiting teams, because it happened that all the close decisions were hard on the Crescents.

The score was:

CRESCENT LEAGUE.

| | AB | R | BH | SB | SO | LB | PO | A | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Hatfield, rf | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Martin, ss | 3 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Lufbery | 4 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Wiegand, 1b | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 10 | 0 | 0 |
| Lever, cf | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| McIndoe, lf | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 |
| Gregg, p | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Jones, c | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 8 | 4 |
| Lee, 3b | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 5 | 0 |
| | 4 | 6 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 8 | 27 | 13 | 2 |

RIDGEWOODS.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Ryman, cf | 4 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Helser, lf | 4 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 1 |
| Haley, c rf | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 |
| Evers, ss | 4 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 1 |
| Gatens, 2b | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 4 | 0 |
| Fritz, rf, c | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Landman, 3b | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 4 | 1 |
| Leinbach, 1b | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 12 | 0 | 0 |
| Hammond, p | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Livingston, p | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 |
| | 3 | 5 | 5 | 3 | 6 | 24 | 16 | 5 | |

SCORE BY INNINGS.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Crescents | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | * | —4 |
| Ridgewoods | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | —3 |

Earned runs—Ridgewoods, 1. First base on errors—Crescents, 2; Ridgewoods, 1. Base on balls—Crescents, 5; Ridgewoods, 4. Two base hits—McIndoe, Wiegand, Helser, Evers. Three base hit—Lufbery. Passed balls—Haley (3); Jones (2). Wild pitch—Hammond. Double plays—Landman to Leinbach (2). Flies caught—By Crescents, 8; by Ridgewoods, 7. Umpire—Mr. Berriman. Time of game—1:50.

## PLAINFIELD WILL HAVE TO PLAY.

**Westfield's Last Three Games Show That it Has a Strong Team.**

On Saturday the Westfield team went to Staten Island and played a game with the Corinthians on their new grounds at Port Richmond. This turned out to be one of the closest long games that has been played anywhere this year, as shown by the score:

| | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Westfield | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | —2 |
| Corinthians | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —1—3 |

Errors—Westfield, 4; Corinthians, 9; Base Hits Westfield, 6; Corinthians, 5.

Yesterday Westfield lost a game to, and won a game from the Allertons of New York. In the morning game the Allertons had Sworback to pitch and were reinforced by several Metropolitans. Westfield had in O'Neil and McManus, the regular battery. The score was:

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Westfield | 1 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 3 | 4 | 0 | 2 | 1 | —14 |
| Allerton | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | —9 |

Errors—Westfield, 3; Allerton, 7; Base Hits—Westfield, 13; Allerton, 6.

In the afternoon game Westfield put in Johnston and McManus, and the Allertons had Galligan of the Bayonnes. The score was:

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Westfield | 2 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | —8 |
| Allertons | 1 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | —10 |

Errors—Westfield, 4; Allertons, 2; Base Hits—Westfield, 9; Allertons, 12.

The Westfields were short in both games the services of DeWitt and Sansom, who were relieved from duty in base ball in order to win the singles in tennis in the League tournament at Fanwood. This they did easily.

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AN important discovery has been made in etching, and especially in photogravure. As usual, the drawing is traced on a plate of zinc, either by an artist or by photography, with a suitable etching ground. The plate, backed with asphaltum, is then laid in a bath of dilute acid, and put in circuit with a dynamo, the other pole being merely placed in the acid. The acid bites the plate with great rapidity, and the depth of the etching can be easily controlled.

TWO FRENCH biologists, MM. Apostoli and Laquerrier, have hit upon a new weapon against all diseases occasioned by bacteria. This weapon is none other than a constant galvanic current of a low degree of intensity. Remarkable practical results have been accomplished by this simple method. It is believed that the current itself does not destroy the germs, but that their extinction is due to the disengagement of acid and oxygen by the current.

THE electric light is being turned to very artistic use by a prominent wall-paper manufacturer of New York City. The dark, clear-cut shadows caused by the play of the electric light among the foliage of trees have often been remarked, and the gentleman in question has been for some time making, by means of photography, a series of records of these beautiful effects, which he intends to use in connection with his business. The collection is a valuable one, and some of the designs which have already been made from it are of exceptional merit.

THE increase in the tractive adhesion of locomotives by electricity is destined to enable the railroads of the near future to haul with their present engines much longer trains than they can now do, increasing the carrying capacity of the road, saving the wear and tear of tracks and bridges, and enabling better speed and time, notwithstanding unfavorable conditions of weather. A recent report of a large railway contains the suggestive statement that an increase of one-fifth of one car per train augmented the revenue of the company by $50,000 in six months, so that it can readily be imagined that the increased earnings of the railway companies when the new system comes into general use will be enormous.

## THE GULF STREAM.

**An English Writer Calls It the Grave-Yard of the Atlantic.**

The Gulf Stream, after sweeping between the coast of Florida and the islands of Cuba and the Bahamas, runs northward along the American coast until it reaches the shoals of Nantucket, when it swerves off to the northeast and, passing to the south of Sable island, stretches across the Atlantic eastward to Europe. The cold, ice-laden current of the North passes out of the Arctic ocean, along the east coast of Greenland, and there, joining with another current from Baffin's bay, sweeps along by the coasts of Labrador to the banks of Newfoundland. There it meets the north edge of the Gulf Stream and splits in two. One part, from its greater density, sinks below the warm current of the Gulf Stream and continues its southward course as a submarine current. The other portion, after striking the Gulf Stream, turns off to the west and sweeps along the coast and bays of the northern continent. This is the current which mariners dread, and which in the neighborhood of Sable island runs at such a rate as to carry them out of their reckoning before they are aware of it. Then there is a third current, which, detaching from the polar stream at the south end of Labrador, rushes through the Straits of Belle Isle, joins the outflow of the St. Lawrence, and becomes the Gulf of St. Lawrence current. This third current skirts the east side of Cape Breton, and, passing south, strikes the westward-flowing portion of the great polar current in the neighborhood of Sable island.

There is this sand heap in the midst of a swirl of waters, which, as they are affected by the prevailing winds, will put a ship all round the compass in twenty-four hours.

A curious illustration was found by one of the superintendents, who one year had his provisions devoured by the rats and had seen large masses of the island washed away. He became alarmed for the safety of his company before the arrival of the relief ship in the spring, and thought to dispatch a message to the mainland for help. A small boat was put together, and, letters being put on board, the sail was hoisted, and she was dispatched before a southeast gale in the hope that she would either be picked up by some inbound vessel or be blown onto the mainland. Thirteen days later the boat floated right onto the beach six miles from the place from which she had been dispatched!

In calm weather an empty barrel will circle around the island again and again; and, indeed, one is often sent adrift on this journey for the purpose of testing the velocity of the currents. Bodies from wrecks will also make the same ghastly circuit in full view of the watchers, who, when the wind is offshore, will go to the opposite side from that on which the wreck occurred in order to receive the sea-tribute.—All the Year Round.

## FOUR-LEAF CLOVER.

**To Find Them Requires Nothing Save Training of the Eye.**

The mass of people have strange ideas about the finding of a four-leaf clover—that is, about the ability to find them. Two persons out of every three will say when the subject is mentioned. "Why, I never found a four-leaf clover in all my life." Yet four-leaf clovers are a great deal more common than people think. The trouble is that most people do not know how to see them. The general impression is that the ability is the result of a kind of spirit of divination or some special sense of perception which is bestowed on only a few specially lucky mortals. It is nothing of the kind.

It is a simple training of the eye. It is the eye that finds the clover, not the person. It is precisely the same education of the eye that enables a trained proof-reader, for instance, to detect instantly the least departure from the ordinary appearance of a word. One may find hundreds of four-leaf clovers without giving it one conscious thought, if one's eyes have only got in the way of it. The eye, when trained, wanders over the patch of leaves and instantly detects the slightest variation in the trefoil pattern, just as the eye of the proof-reader sees the variation in the look of a word. So, you see, there isn't any more luck in that than there is in most other things in the world.

That's the physiological explanation of the matter, and no doubt it's the true one; but it isn't half so pretty as that an old Irish coachman once gave a sweet young girl who found the four parted leaves everywhere: "Orrah, miss," he said, "you'll find them where non at the rist af us cud. For wheriver your swate feet touch the grass, the four-leaf clover springs up to kiss thim, and so ye'll always fin' thim."

To go back to the training of the eye required to find the four-leaf clover, do people ever suspect, we wonder, that that is the only trick in learning to spell? The education is of the eye and not of the mind. An accurate speller is simply a person whose eyes can be trusted to take an accurate photograph of the appearance of the word, and to recall that appearance of that word in the mind at will, as he recalls the face of an absent friend. The eyes spell, not the mind.

And the exactness with which the eye reproduces depends upon the keenness with which it has been trained to observe. Is, then, the drill of the old spelling book, with its droning of a-b, ab, b-e-y, abbey, all for naught? Not at all, because the ability to reproduce through sound an idea that has been gained by sight necessitates accurate observation in the first place and is excelent discipline for the power concentration in the second place.—N. Y. Evening News.

—London Engineering says it need excite no surprise if before many years the first-class Atlantic ships maintain an average speed of thirty to thirty-five miles an hour, and a four days' journey between Queenstown and Sandy Hook is probably not at all an impossible thing in the future.


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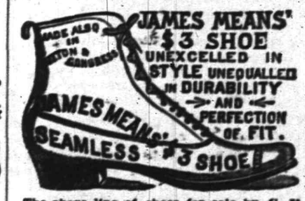


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O, free and easy neighbors are so nice to have about;
The daytime isn't lonely when they're running in and out,
They give a sense of safety from the burglars in the night—
Oh, yes, a social neighborhood is ever a delight.

It's pleasant in the morning, when you're busy making cakes,
To have old Mrs. Jones drop in to tell you all her aches,
And when she's gone see Mrs. Todd come puffing up the walk
To cheer your drooping spirits with how people of you talk.

It is indeed enjoyment when the servant from next door
Comes for a cup of sugar or a pinch of tea or more;
It's fun to lend your papers, books and tools, because, you know,
To get them back necessitates a call you likely owe.

It's pleasant in the afternoon, when dying for a nap,
For Mrs. White to visit with her baby on her lap,
And have to say it's beautiful and cunning—when it ain't,
And kiss it when its squalling tries the patience of a saint.

It's nice when neighbor's children in your garden come to play
And pluck your choicest flowers which they, after, throw away,
And trample with their muddy feet your cleanly stoop and hall,
And raise so grand a racket that you can not think at all.

And when your neighbor's chickens, goats, pigs, cows, and dogs and cats,
Come in to scratch, root, howl and bite and fight ferocious spats,
The day is never lonely for you're busy throwing stones,
Nights, robbers never hurt you for you can not rest your bones.

It's pleasant in the evening, when you want to go to bed,
To entertain late callers while they talk you nearly dead;
You like to hear their merry laugh and loud discussion long,
And have them wake the baby with a jolly midnight song.

Indeed it is delightful to sit patiently and smile
When these familiar neighbors of the free and easy style,
Run in to chat or borrow—while the ones you care to see,
For fear they are intruding, stay away so modestly.

Yes, for a fact, it's pleasant to have neighbors all about;
They find you're very handy when they feel like going out.
They "accidentally drop in"—a dozen times a day—
And give you such enjoyment that you wish they'd stay away.

—H. C. Dodge, in Goodall's Sun.

## THE STRANGLER VINE.

### A Horrible Plant in Yucatan, the Grip of Which Is Death.

**A Prospector, While Searching for Wealth, Falls Into the Clutches of the Deadly Creeper—His Terrible Struggle for Life.**

OU want to know how those marks came there, do you? Well, you would guess a mighty long time before you would come near it, so I'll spare you the trouble and tell you the story."

He held up his brown right hand as he spoke, says the San Francisco Examiner. Across the back of it were two livid lines. One of these lines passed inside his hand and wound around his little finger. This finger was twisted and broken and bent backward. Right up to the finger-nail extended the fiery thread-like line.

The second line was a deeper red, wider than the other, and from it other filament-like lines branched, covering the wrist with a network of scarlet tendrils. The main line could be seen to wind once around the wrist and was then lost up the speaker's sleeve.

"Well," he resumed, "you remember the excitement that followed the discoveries of silver in Yucatan in 1877. The Indians had been bringing down small quantities of horn silver for some time and selling it at Merida. Finally one of the half-breed merchants of that town got an Indian drunk and induced him to tell where they obtained the silver. They say it was one of the mines from which the Aztecs, or whatever race it was that built the cities

I THOUGHT I COULD TRACE THE OUTLINES OF TWO HUMAN FORMS.

the ruins of which cover so many miles in that country, used to get silver for their temples. At all events the merchant came back with two burros laden with almost pure silver. He said that there was silver enough in sight at the mine to load a fleet of steamers. He told in a general way where the treasure mountain was, and started out with a pack train for more. One of his mules strayed back nearly a month later, but that was all that was ever heard of him.

"I was one of the swarm of prospectors that started out to find the old mine. It had taken the merchant two weeks to make his first trip, so we could calculate about what distance he had traveled. I had for a companion a Balise Indian hunter, who knew something of the interior country. We traveled ten days through the wildest country that any one ever heard of. Mountains whose snowy tops were thousands of feet above the clouds and whose sides were covered with jungles so thick that for days together we simply had to hew our way through it. At last we reached a valley, the other side of which was bounded by a separate chain of mountains. These, from where we stood, seemed perfectly unassailable, but my companion said he had been on top of them.

"'From the summit,' he said, 'you can see the Chihuandassi.'

"I had heard of the Chihuandassi. The name means Table of Dead Men, and the Indians say it is covered with plants that have the power of motion.

"'Have you ever been on the Chihuandassi?' I asked.

"'No man has ever gone there and returned to tell of it,' he answered.

"We crossed the valley, passing through the ruins of a great city built of almost transparent quartz, and finally struck the trail he spoke of and two days later stood on the top. On the other side was a narrow gulch and beyond it a sheer wall many hundreds of feet high. Still the top of this was lower than we were and we could look down upon the Table of Dead Men. The mesa on the other side of the gulch seemed perfectly level, and as far as we could judge was surrounded on all sides by just such a precipice as we saw. The country is all sandstone, and the swift little rivers have nearly all worn deep channels for themselves. In many localities you can walk one hundred miles, be able to throw a stone into the river, and yet you may die of thirst, so high and erect are those fearful walls. The Chihuandassi was covered with some low vegetation, and there were a few trees in the distance.

"'That is the flower that travels,' said my companion.

"He noticed my look of amused incredulity and resumed rather angrily:

"'You don't believe it? I have seen it move. Look there!'

"I looked. The table was agitated and looked like the waves of the sea. The whole green surface seemed to approach the edge nearest us. My hair rose for a moment, then I burst out laughing. 'It is only the wind tossing the snakeweed,' I said.

"'But there is no wind here.'

"He spoke truly. The air where we stood was perfectly still. Yet, I explained, it might be a breeze engendered by the nature of the country that did not extend to our side.

"'No, no,' he insisted. 'The Indians who have lived here for years know better. Those flowers are devils. No one who goes ever comes back from there.'

"Two Indians who loved one woman went up on the Chihuandassi to battle. Human eyes never again saw them alive. We are told that they fell victims to the flower that creeps.

"I had a first-class pair of glasses with me and I directed them to the plateau. Half covered with the vines and creepers I could see something white. There were two spots that might be skulls, and I thought I could trace the outlines of two human forms. They might have been rocks, and were doubtless what originated the Indian legend.

"An idea suddenly occurred to me that this story of certain death to whoever went up to that mountain-top was a story of the Indians to prevent any one from going there.

"'I'll bet a horse,' said I, 'that the mine is there, and I'm going to see.'

"Well, to cut it short, I left him there, and, with one mule, started for the Chihuandassi. I calculated that I could get around in three days, and told him to camp there and wait for me. It was nasty work getting down into the river-bed, but I did it before night, and had the satisfaction of camping on an old trail that night. Early the next morning I entered a fissure at the base of the lone mountain. It was a dry water course, not more than a dozen feet wide, and wound around between high sandstone walls. It was, however, comparatively free from brush, and I got along famously for a time. There were many rattlesnakes and centipedes along the old water course, but nothing more.

"I had been going up the old channel for probably four hours, getting higher every step. The walls of the water course were getting lower, and at this point I was not more than forty feet below the surface. As I turned a sharp bend, however, I came right up against a bowlder that completely filled the creek bed. The trail ended right there. It appeared as if the rock had recently rolled down to where it lay. I thought that if I could climb over it I could continue on up the water course. So I started to climb. The bowlder was rough enough to enable me to gain holds for my hands and feet, and though it was slow, hard work and I often slipped back, at last I managed to surmount it and stood on top. To my intense surprise I found myself within a dozen feet of the floor of the mesa and just above me one arm of the giant cactus I had seen from the other mountain. Then I determined, instead of continuing in the dry creek bed, to scale this wall and so reach the mesa where I expected to find the silver mine.

"The sandstone was soft and I had a strong knife. Besides, at the edge I saw some vines hanging over that looked strong enough to bear my weight if I succeeded in reaching them. So I began to climb the wall.

"At last I grasped the hanging vines.

"The stems were covered with fine points like a prickly pear, but I could not let go without falling. I reached my other hand higher and grasped another vine.

"In an instant its tendrils were around my wrists, other stems fell over the edge of the cliff. They curled around my arms and waist like snakes. Then they began to draw me up, and almost before I realized it I was dragged over the edge of the chasm almost to the foot of the cactus.

"The vines dragged me on, other stems curled about my legs and drew tighter and tighter.

"Then I realized that the Indian story was no fable. The idea of being in the power of this constricting thing that covered acres of land paralyzed me for an instant. The hand that had first touched the vines was being crushed in the devilish tendons. My little finger was broken backwards by the power of the vine. The pain brought me to my senses, and I began to fight for my life. One hand was still free, and in it was my knife. I began to hack at the snake-like coils of the devilish vegetable. As fast as I could cut away one running stem another would coil around me. Fight as I would, the vine was stronger, and on and on it dragged me.

"My foot struck something and I felt it crush and crumble beneath my heel. I looked down. It was a human head, one of those white spots I had seen through my glass. The body, fearfully shrunken and emaciated, lay there among the coiling, twisting vines. Near it was another.

"I realized it all while I backed and struggled. These two had been caught in the toils of the awful monster like myself and strangled.

"I was getting weak. The pressure about my limbs was unbearable. I had cut myself badly in cutting the strangling bonds. I looked over the mesa with a wild hope of seeing some one or something to help me.

"The mesa was all in motion. The vines were twisting, curling, falling, rising, trembling. It was a moving mass like the ocean and the waves were reaching and falling towards me.

"It was not the wind, blowing the snakeweed. The fiendish plant had life and motion, and every fiber of it

IN AN INSTANT THE TENDRILS WERE AROUND MY WRISTS.

was straining to reach me. I knew that if those advancing waves of black ever reached me I was lost. I would be like those shriveled bodies by the giant cactus.

"I made a final effort to escape. I could hear the muscles crack and strain as I pulled. I cut the thickest stem that enveloped me, and, for the first time since the struggle began, was able to make a step backward. But the fight was not over yet. A dozen smaller tendrils, like so many whip-cords, were tangled about me, cutting into my flesh with a terrible power. I had kept my throat free, though the vegetable serpents seemed to strive to coil about it. So I cut and struggled backward. A final slash, a jump, and I was over the edge and on the bowlder in the dry creek. But the demon's arms followed me. I knew that they would seize me again before I could get down, so I dashed to the other side of the water-course and clambered up there.

"How I thanked God when I found nothing there but greasewood and cactus. I saw the vines swing and sway over where I had escaped, and then I fainted.

"When I came to, the mesa was quiet again. The vines had receded, and if it had not been for my aching, swollen limbs I would have sworn it was all a nightmare. But there laid the two dried-out bodies. While I lay there I recognized them. It was the half-breed merchant from Merida. The other was doubtless the Indian who betrayed the secret of the silver mine."

## SALT AS A DISSIPATION.

**Perilous Effect of Its Excessive Use on the Gentler Sex.**

Salt, the least harmful of condiments, if such a necessary article of diet can be termed a condiment, is by the medical profession recognized as a species of dissipation in its excessive use among many women. Every one knows how flat and flavorless all food becomes when the system is a trifle deranged; it is just then, when men resort to bitters and burning sauces to tone up their jaded appetites, that women find their sole recourse in the apparently innocent salt cruet. It is the old story of giving an inch to yield an ell, and before the victim knows it her palate demands a double or triple quantity of the mineral to savor every morsel she eats. Some go so far as to salt not only the substantial dishes, but tea, coffee, fruit, nuts, sweetmeats and wine. They begin by taking a pinch extra now and then to pique their tastes, and before long steal a bit to keep in the pocket, or buy a crystal to nibble on the sly. Nature's revenge on her weak daughter is as insidious as the result her immutable laws have suffered. She flies her first signals of distress in a deadening of the skin, replacing the pink glow of health by a dim, yellowish pallor. Lips and cheeks blanch alike, this change being accompanied by a deepening of every shadow on the face. This is as nothing, however, to the destruction this morbid habit works on a woman's crowning glory, her hair. And it is astonishing how sensitive the the hair is to every fluctuation of one's health. Soon, each time the comb passes through it brings great handfuls of long, shining strands. No lotion or tonic is effective in checking the loss, and, unless corrected, the abnormal amount of salt in the system will produce partial baldness. Even now quite a number of women are under treatment, some avowedly and others secretly for this form of cases.—Illustrated American.

—"Yachting muths be very wemuncrating to the hardware twade, Mith Mabel." "How so, Mr. Jenkins?" "Why, I heard the man behind us thay that they'd been hammering away at it for the lasth half an hour, tweaking and thplitting tacks."—Harper's Bazar.

## GUIDE-BOOK VACATION.

**How Young Yardstick Made the Most of a Poor Thing.**

There is nothing in this world that is a livelier factor in one's happiness than being able to make the most of a poor thing. And it is the happy temperament of the imaginative clerk who can not get away for a vacation in the mountains or on the shore that enables him to be as serene in his third-story back hall bed-room.

Here he can be in all the resorts in the country in his imagination without leaving the house. We are all well aware that the anticipation of the circus intoxicates the soul of the small boy much more than the circus itself, and anticipation and imagination are about the same thing. Therefore, the clerk in his imagination enjoys something that can not be clouded by disappointment, when he fancies the joys of a place that he can not visit.

He has guide books and photographs without number, and with these he may well murmur, his soul bubbling over with dreamy joy:

"Here I am climbing Mt. Whiteface, while sitting on a soft bed in my slippers. I can look up to its grand old bald head on which there are no flies, in any sense, and from the top of it enjoy Tahawus and the Druids to my heart's content without feeling that on returning I have got to hold on to saplings and lower myself to its base like one descending from a burning building on a rope. If this mountain climbing gives me a huge appetite, I have not got to travel two hours to reach Grizzly Lodge to get a meal about three sizes too small for a dwarf. As it costs nine dollars per week here and $17.50 at the Grizzly Lodge, I can not consistently feel that I am at all unfortunate in not being able to get away.

"At Grizzly Lodge, if you complain of the smallness of the portions, you are told that they are in reality large, but appear diminutive to your vision only because your vision is acted upon by your gnawing mountain appetite. Therefore, in this house I may enjoy Grizzly Lodge at its best—which is the guide-book description, and still be within half a block of a first-class restaurant.

"It costs fifteen dollars to travel from Grizzly Lodge to Campobello, but in my hall bed-room I can make the journey in a second by turning a page. Here I am in Campobello in a first-class hotel—in the guide book—and, looking at the picture, I see the wavelets curling like weary tiger lilies beneath the silvery moon. Ah, the grand old ocean, this is the way I like to lay hold of its frothy —Oh, ouch, ah—!——!!——!!! I never thought I could split a head-board with my knuckles before. How delightful, how picturesque is the grand old sounding main, when enjoyed in this way, where its freezing air can't chill you through, and the land breeze can not thrust you into a swarm of hungry mosquitoes.

"I tell you, Horatio, there is nothing so pleasant as a guide book vacation, because there is no disappointment; you don't have to tip the waiters, you don't have to sleep in a room so narrow that you can not turn over in bed without falling over your trunk, you don't have to attend to your correspondence by sitting on the bed, having your feet against an elastic wall, and writing on your knee, and you don't have to sleep on a bed that's so uneven that you awake round-shouldered and bow-legged.

"I am the old optimist that believes firmly in the guide-book vacation, for it stretches through all the year, enables you to paddle among the lilies in December, to catch fish out of season, and shoot in great quantities animals that are really extinct. Pray, excuse me, gentle reader, for I am an impecunious dry-goods clerk, and I tremble until the very scissors, jingle in my vest pocket, when I think of to-morrow, and the rural mob that swarm the place on every bargain day, and I want to lose myself in the howling wilderness of the North Woods, and float off into rosy visions to the murmurous melody of the sparkling silvery Ultowana.

Where the steak is sweet and tender
As the lily on the stream,
Where the lovely maidens render
Life a rosy posy dream.
Where by Towser's bark Peruvian
We at night are not unnerved,
Where no hen that's antediluvian
On the table's ever served.
Where the atmosphere's delicious
And the views as fine as silk,
And the cocktails as nutritious
As the cream upon the milk.

—R. K. Mumkittrich, in Once a Week.

**Enterprising.**

"I tell you Hooks, of Radical City, is an ornament to the profession," remarked the president of the Real Estate Agents' Association, at a recent meeting.

"I heard they had him in jail there," said a member.

"So they did; but they couldn't keep him in. Why, in less than three days he had sold ten lots in his Highland addition to the guards, dickered the sheriff out of his pistols and handcuffs, taken a mortgage on the jail, and sold the balls and chains and part of the gratings to the junkman. Oh, he's enterprising, Hooks is!"—Puck.

**The Printer Had Been There.**

Irate real estate boomer (entering business office of a daily paper)—See here, what does this mean? I wrote in my advertisement of the "Elysium Addition" that is fifteen minutes walk from the postoffice and you printed it "fifteen miles."

Business Manager—Well, the fact is the proof reader undertook to walk out there yesterday, and when the proof come to him this way he thought it was correct.

**A Foolish Question.**

Bobby—Pa, are you very busy to-night?

Father—Well, I'm just reading the paper, Bobby. What is it?

Bobby—There's a race of little people called Pigmies, isn't there?

Father—Yes.

Bobby—Well, pa, when they grow up are they Hogmies?

Father—Bobby, you can go to bed at once.—Munsey's Weekly.

## FOREIGN GOSSIP.

—The people of Munich consume the enormous quantity of 485 quarts of beer per head per annum.

—The cultivation of tobacco has been forbidden in Egypt and the duty upon the imported article raised.

—A reduction of postal rates in Japan was expected to cause a deficit in the revenues, but instead they showed an increase.

—Almost 54,000 Frenchman belong to the Legion of Honor, 32,021 of them being connected with the army, and the rest civilians.

—The German colonists in Southern Russia will be compeled, it is said, to emigrate, the authorities at St. Petersburg having determined to get rid of them.

—An olive tree, with an authentically recorded age of five centuries, was recently destroyed by the wind at Beaulieu, France. It measured thirty-six feet in circumference.

—The common attachment of a boy for his nurse has been carried to the extreme by Herr Gerhardt, a wealthy Bremen merchant, who has just married the woman who was once his wet nurse.

—Between April 1, 1889, and April 1, 1890, the Prussian Department of Forestry sold at cost to Prussians 35,397,244 young trees; 2,807,288 of them were shade trees and the rest evergreens. The department is making strenuous efforts to increase the amount of standing timber on private grounds.

—Some curious statistics on the amount of artificial lighting supplied per head in Paris have been laid before the Societe International des Electricians. Thirty years ago the lighting was equivalent to 3,765 candles per annum for each inhabitant. By 1872 the amount had risen to 6,000, and by gradual increments it in 1889 reached 11,300, which was equal to about thirty candles per head per day.

—The second parade of the Royal Botanic Society in Regent Park was a brilliant success. All kinds of vehicles wreathed in flowers formed a charming procession. The most original and striking device of the day was a dog cart draped in white, shaded by a huge umbrella, which gave the effect of an elephant's howdah as it appeared in the distance of the grounds. Near at hand this chariot was seen to be entwined with plaited straw and white marguerites.

—One of the most beautiful sights in the world will soon be seen in India. The unparalleled beauty of the Taj Mahal will be made visible at night, and still further idealized by electric-light illumination. Within the next month powerful arc lights will be placed in each of the front minarets, on each of the back minarets, and on the Musjid and Jawab. The effect will be all the more striking from the fact that the main building will have no light stationed upon it, so that the points mentioned will be thrown into magnificient relief.

—The Royal Academy is confronted with trouble of a most novel sort. A prominent non-member seeing his picture placed in the center of the wall, but above the line, requested that it should be taken down and returned to him. That, of course, was impossible. Such a precedent would make the exhibition liable to be pulled to pieces immediately after it was hung. Then the artist daubed his work all over with white, by which he nearly killed the painting below, and wrote "sketch" in black letters in the corner. The picture now is no longer the picture that was accepted by the committee.

## RUSSIAN OFFICIALS.

**How They Manage to Live High on Very Small Salaries.**

When we descended into the street Herr von Hamilton told me that the *nacselnik*, whose official salary is £600, is supposed to make an income of about £3,000 to £4,000 a year. Nothing is done, nothing is carried out under his regime, but something remains in his palm behind. Every official request must be accompanied by a ruble note, or a bundle of that commodity of proportionate value to the matter in question. A merchant, say, wishes to undertake a journey, and forwards his passport, together with a five-ruble note, to be *vise*. A week passes, his departure is imperative—no passport! The Russian merchant knows better than to show any temper. He presents an humble request between the leaves of which a ten-ruble note is gracefully sandwiched, and lo! he receives his passport—he is a happy man. The proverbial spoonful of oil goes further than the bottle of vinegar, and in dealing with Russian officialism gentle persuasiveness is the means of gaining your end.

A characteristic episode led to the removal of the last *nacselnik*. He had conveyed to an old Bendzin Jew that his son could be got off serving in the army by the payment of a thousand rubles (for a short time ago (before) it was a usual thing for the officials who were connected with this matter, from the *nacselnik* downward, to sell exemptions and share the spoil). This Hebrew's son happened to be a weakly creature—almost a cripple—and by some misunderstanding the old Jew wrote to the authorities at St. Petersburg averring that his son would make at best such a poor soldier that he thought that he was not worth more than five hundred rubles. After that *expose* the *nacselnik* was no longer comfortable in Bendzin, so he was sent to the Caucasus—kicked up-stairs into an even more lucrative position!

We had not walked far before another meeting took place, and in broad daylight the usual kisses and affectionate accolades. "That man," said Herr von Hamilton, "was up till lately the secretary of the *nacselnik*. His official salary was about £80; still he managed to take his wife and family to Italy every year, and when he was removed—perhaps for being too energetic—he had managed to save 60,000 rubles besides."—Gentleman's Magazine.


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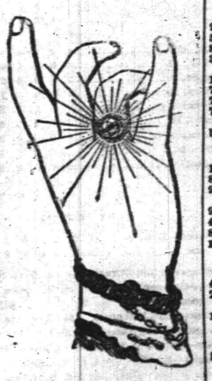

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Leave New York from foot of Liberty street, 4 30, 5 45, 7, 7 45, 8 45, 10, 11, A. M., 1, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 4 30, 5, 5 30, 5 45, 6, 6 15, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 8, 8 30, 9 15, 10, 11 30 P. M., 12 15, night. Sunday—4 30, 7, 8 30, 9, 9 30, A. M., 12 M., 1, 1 15, 4, 5 30, 6, 7, 9 00, 10 00 P. M., 12 15 night.

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Leave Plainfield 5 38, 6 29, 6 59, 7 30, 8, 8 27, 9 32, 10 05, 11 09, 11 39, A. M., 1, 2 07, 2 30, 3 12, 3 51, 5 08, 5 31, 6 07, 6 54, 7 03, 8 31, 9 28, 10 12, 11 28 P. M. Sunday—8 01, 8 32, 11 02, 11 16, A. M., 12 33, 1 39, 3 20, 5 16, 7 01, 7 10, 8 23, 8 32, 10 02 P. M.

Leave Newark 7 10, 7 50, 8 55, 10 10, 11 05 A. M., 1 05, 2 35, 3 40, 4 40, 4 02, 5 05, 5 30, 6 05, 6 55, 6 29, 7 15, 7 35, 8 20, 9 35, 10 10, 11 25 P. M. Sunday—7 20, 8 40, 9 05, 9 50, A. M., 12 05, 1 10, 4 10, 5 40, 6 05, 7 05, 9 25, 10 20 P. M.

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Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7, 8 07, 9 42, 11, 11 56 A. M., 1 59, 3 32, 5 45, 4 34, 5 20, 5 34, 6 20, 6 38, 7 05, 7 12, 7 34, 8 20, 9 45, 11 15, 12 43 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 13 A. M., 2 03, 6 35 P. M.

Leave Somerville, 6, 6 30, 7 03, 7 25, 7 36, 7 48 9 05, 9 47, 11 15 A. M., 12 35, 1 15, 1 48, 3 06, 3 52 4 40, 5 12, 5 35, 8 05, 8 50, 11 05, P. M. Sunday—8 25, 10 35 A. M., 12 08, 1 05, 4 50, 6 40, 8 03, 8 05, 9 30 P. M.

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Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7, 8 07, 9 42, A. M., 1 59, 4 34, 5 20, 6 38, 8 20 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 13 A. M., 2 03, 6 35 P. M.

Leave Easton 6 05, 8 44, 10 A. M., 12 22, 4 05, 6 49 P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 52 A. M., 6 40, 7 30 P. M.

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5 45 A. M. for Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Manch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

7 A. M. for High Bridge Branch and Easton.

8 07 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor and Manch Chunk.

9 42 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Manch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Nanticoke, Drifton, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c.

1 59 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Manch Chunk, &c.

4 34 P. M. for D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor, Manch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

5 20 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Schooley's Mountain, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, &c.

6 20 P. M. for Flemington.

6 38 P. M for Easton, Allentown, Manch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg.

8 20 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 A. M Sunday for Easton, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8, 12 a. m. Sundays for High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Manch Chunk, Tamaqua, Scranton, &c., 2 08 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Manch Chunk, Tamaqua and Pottsville. 6 35 p. m Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Manch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m. 1 p. m.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c.

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For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 38, 8, 10 05, 11 09 a. m., 1, 3 07, 3 51, 5 31, 7 03 p. m. Sunday—3 37, 8 32 a m., 3 20 p m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8, 11 09 a. m., 1, 3 51, 5 31 7 03 p. m.

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## TAKING TESTIMONY

### State Arbitrators Investigate the Central Strike.

### MR. WEBB A WILLING WITNESS.

### He Said He Hired the Pinkerton Men Before the Trouble Began.

**Master Workman Lee Told Why He Ordered the Strike—Several Discharged Workmen Testify—A Letter from Mr. Powderly Read Advising Caution—The Leader of the Knights on the Stand.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 3.—The State Board of Arbitration is now in session in the Superior Court room, taking testimony regarding the strike on the New York Central Railway. All three members of the Board are present and several witnesses have been examined. Among them were Third Vice-President H. Walter Webb, Terence V. Powderly, James J. Holland, E. J. Lee, John Devlin and a number of the ex-employes of the company.

Mr. Webb was the only witness for the company. The others were against it. A notable feature of the affair was the indifference manifested by the attorneys for the corporation regarding their opponents' testimony. They did not cross-examine a witness. Frank Loomis, Hamilton Harris and D. W. Sears appeared for the company and Roger A. Pryor for the strikers.

**Mr. Webb's Testimony.**

Third Vice-President Webb took the stand and in reply to counsel said the company had not had any controversy with the men. On August 8 a body of men left the employ of the road, which was now being operated without them. To General Pryor Mr. Webb said that 78 men had been discharged, 17 of whom were Knights of Labor. Of these Engineer Truax had been discharged because work was slack; Engineer Lee and employes named McCarthy, Converse, Molloy and Brown because their work was unsatisfactory. Lee, Mr. Webb said, had told Mr. Toucey that if he did not get money from the road he would make trouble for it. Mr. Webb said he had declined to discuss arbitration with Mr. Powderly or Mr. Holland. As to Pinkerton's policemen Mr. Webb said he had them before the strike and at the time the newspapers began to talk of it. He declined to answer, when asked, what he paid them, and admitted that he employed them before asking for police protection.

After Mr. Webb left the stand Mr. Harris announced that the New York Central Company had told all they knew about the case, and that for the present, at least, they had no more testimony to present.

**The Strikers' Side.**

General Pryor announced that he had several witnesses. William A. Valentine took the stand and said he was 26, and had been employed by the Central as trainman until August 4 last, when he was discharged by written notice and without assigned reason. The note was signed by J. W. Stevens, assistant superintendent, who accused witness of saying to other employes that if they did not join the Knights of Labor they would be sorry for it. Witness explained the nature of his conversation with the other men on the road to Stevens and the latter went away, after advising him to keep quiet about his connection with the Knights of Labor, and that his connection with that organization would probably get him off the road and would certainly interfere with his promotion.

**Why the Strike Was Ordered.**

Master Workman Edward J. Lee, of District Assembly 246, was called. Mr. Lee said he had been an extra engineer on freight trains and was discharged on July 9 without being told what he was discharged for.

He claimed that the strike was ordered because the officers of the New York Central road had violated an agreement between them and the company providing for promotion by seniority, and because the men were discharged because they were Knights.

On one occasion, after the strike was decided on, he said he told Mr. Toucey, when the latter called him an agitator, that he would not be false to his organization, and that if they would only reinstate the other discharged men he would not ask to be taken back himself, upon which Mr. Toucey said: "They are as bad as you are."

**Powderly's Advice to Lee.**

General Pryor read a letter from Mr. Powderly dated February 8, 1890, in which the writer commended Mr. Lee and his associates for their course, and warned them against rashness or precipitate action in the future. He reminded them of the unfortunate strike on the Reading road and its result, and bade them avoid the same mistakes. He also reminded them that the railroad company had rights which the employes were bound to respect, and bade them to sacredly regard the company's rights while endeavoring to secure their own. General Pryor then read Mr. Lee's response dated Feb. 12, written in the same spirit.

**Powderly Testifies.**

General Master Workman Powderly was called to the witness stand and was asked to describe the interview he had with Mr. Toucey and Mr. Webb on August 19. He said that it was to secure arbitration that he had decided to meet the officials of the company.

"They refused arbitration," said Mr. Powderly, "and then we asked to have the men brought in and examined in our presence, and were refused in this also. They would not meet us on any ground whatever."

"You did not imply in this interview that the company had no power to discharge employes for cause?"

"Not at all, but we did want to ascertain whether they had or had not been discharged because they were Knights of Labor. We firmly believe that they had been dismissed on this account."

"You claim that the company had no right to discharge them on that account?"

"Most assuredly not any more than they should discharge them because of their religious views."

"And you would strike on such a ground as that?"

"Certainly. We are fighting for existence and it was an issue that had to be met. If the company was attacking our organization we were willing to go any length to meet the issue."

### THE CHICAGO STRIKE.

**Over 6,000 Men Quit Work and All Sides Surprised.**

CHICAGO, Sept. 3.—The second great strike of the carpenters this year was a surprise. Of the 8,000 members of the craft in this city less than 2,000 resumed work and by to-night it is expected that most of those will have joined the strikers.

The strike is much more general than had been anticipated by either of the employing associations, and far more unanimous than the promoters of it had hoped for.

The men demand the eight-hour day, 47½ cents an hour and arbitration of all disputes. The strike differs from the one inaugurated last May in that any contractor that concedes the terms demanded will be furnished men by the Carpenters' Council.

### SAFE ON AN ISLAND.

**A Connecticut Picnic Party Found Suffering from Hunger and Exposure.**

NORWALK, Conn., Sept. 3.—Yesterday noon Misses Lucy and Nellie Hoyt, nieces, and Lyman Hoyt, nephew of ex United States Treasurer James W Hyatt, and Misses Annie and Ida Hosegood, and Charles Hosegood, went in a small skiff on a picnic. Their failure to return, coupled with the fact that a heavy sea was on, caused great anxiety, and searching parties hunted for them all night.

During the morning a special steamer found the party all safe on a small piece of land called Betts Island, though suffering from hunger and exposure. The heavy weather had carried them farther out than they intended to go, and they were carried ashore on the island.

**The G. A. R. of Pennsylvania.**

GETTYSBURG, Pa., Sept. 3.—At the business meeting of the G. A. R. of Pennsylvania, it was decided to hold the next summer encampment of the department at Williamsport, provided that city would guarantee to bear all the expenses. Resolutions were passed favoring the transfer of the body of General Grant from New York to Arlington if the removal shall meet the wishes of Mrs. Grant.

**Addressing Central Strikers.**

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Sept. 3.—J. H. Hart of Scranton, Pa., and J. H. Meltin of Boston, Mass., prominent members of the Knights of Labor organization, addressed a meeting of New York Central strikers and sympathizers here last night. Both speakers insisted that the strike had only begun, and Hart told his hearers not to be surprised if they heard "something drop within a week."

**Veterinary Doctors in Session.**

LANCASTER, Pa., Sept. 3.—The semi-annual meeting of the State Veterinary Medical Association is in session in this city. There is quite a full attendance of members from the different counties in the State. The question was discussed of petitioning the Legislature to compel all animals affected with glanders to be either quarantined or killed.

**Aldermen Revising Election Lists.**

BIDDEFORD, Me., Sept. 3.—The Aldermen are now revising the check lists. All persons who hold naturalization papers issued by the Biddeford municipal court are being summoned to appear before the Board and show cause why their names shall not be stricken from the lists.

**Warships to "Attack" Halifax.**

HALIFAX, Sept. 3.—The warships Buzzard and Comus will make an attack upon Halifax Saturday afternoon as a preliminary to the grand attack to take place about the end of the month when the other ships of war return from Quebec.

**From Massachusetts to Honolulu.**

GREAT BARRINGTON, Mass., Sept. 3.—F. A. Hoerner, formerly principal of the High School in this village, left with his wife for San Francisco to-day, enroute for Honolulu, where he will occupy the president's chair in the American College.

**Shot Herself Through the Head.**

TROY, N. Y., Sept. 3.—Mrs. Caroline A. Van Arnam, 49 years of age, wife of John T. Van Arnam of Lansingburgh, shot herself through the head at 4:30 a. m. She was of unsound mind, caused by sickness, and had been in an insane asylum twice.

**Failure of a Big Steel Works.**

BOSTON, Sept. 3.—It is reported that a note of the Worcester Steel works for $5,000 had been protested. The capital of the company is $500,000, but a commercial agency gives it no rating. The failure is an outcome of the suspension of Potter, Lovell & Co.

**A Well-Known Horseman Dead.**

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., Sept. 3.—Benjamin Sherow, a prominent resident of Dutchess County and a well-known horseman, died from apoplexy at his home near Washington Hollow last evening. He was 75 years old.

**Nominated for Congress.**

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Sept. 3.—George W. Shonk was re-nominated for Congress by the Twelfth District Republican Convention.

## ARMED PINKERTONS

### A Congressional Committee to Consider the Subject.

### WORKINGMEN MAKE AN APPEAL

### Federation of Labor Delegates Urge Congress to Take Immediate Action.

**Senator Hale Discusses His Reciprocity Amendment—Mr. Sherman Thinks the Plan a Startling One—He Talks About Canada's Trade—The Surplus Described by Congressmen of Both Parties.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 3.—Representative Quinn of New York appeared before the Committee on Commerce and urged that action be taken on the resolution introduced by him relative to the unlawful employment of Pinkerton detectives by the New York Central Railroad Company.

He presented to the committee Messrs. Ferry, McCann and Schultein, from the Federation of Labor, each of whom spoke of the necessity for Congress to take some action in the matter and put an end to the illegal appointment of irresponsible parties by corporations.

A committee was appointed to consider the matter and report a resolution at an early day.

### TALKING FOR RECIPROCITY.

**Mr. Hale Advocates His Amendment in the Senate.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 3.—In the Senate Mr. Hale offered the reciprocity amendment of which he gave notice last June, and spoke in support of it. Discussion of reciprocity he said had resulted in grave and pertinent suggestions from eminent men of the country during the last thirty years. Whoever had seen the gradual falling off of American trade with Central and South America and the islands of the sea must have witnessed those conditions with the greatest impatience. The people of all those countries had a common interest with the people of the United States.

Mr. Hale referred to the reciprocity message of President Harrison and to Mr. Blaine's attitude in support of it, and to the increasing and earnest discussion of the subject; also to Mr. Frelinghuysen's letter of the 14th of December, 1884, transmitting the Foster treaty with Spain; also the reciprocity resolution offered in the Senate by Mr. Aldrich in December, 1886, and to a report of Mr. Abram S. Hewitt in the House of Representatives to carry into effect a convention between the United States and Mexico, which showed that Hewitt was influenced by the same idea that now prevailed with a vast majority of the American people.

Mr. Sherman said that the proposition of Mr. Hale's amendment was a startling one. It authorized the President of the United States without further legislation to declare the ports of the United States free and open to all the products of any nation of the American hemisphere upon which no export duties are imposed. Was Cuba, he asked, a nation? He knew that the Senator, Mr. Hale, said to-day that he meant to include Cuba. But was Canada embraced in that list of nations?

He had asked the Senator that question and the Senator had replied, "No, no; that is quite a different thing." And yet Canada was an independent Government to all practical purposes, except as to the tie which bound her to the mother country. But if any reciprocal trade arrangements were made with any country they ought to be made with Canada. The amendment would authorize the importation of all products, including the mezcal, or whiskey of Mexico.

Mr. Hale referred to the trade tables with Central and South America to show the unfavorable position of the United States in regard to those countries, and said that there was a sentiment among the people that something should be done to remedy that condition.

Coming directly to the question of putting sugar on the free list, Mr. Hale said that no one could tell what benefit would come to the consumer by the unreserved repeal of the sugar duties. No one could tell whether the prices of sugar might not be proportionately increased by the sugar producing countries.

**Two Estimates on the Surplus.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 3.—In the House Mr. Cannon made a statement of the probable surplus after all appropriations are made for the fiscal year 1891. He estimated a net surplus of $17,000,000. Mr. Sayers for the Democrats also submitted an estimate in which he produced figures which he claimed would show a net deficiency of $11,500,000 for 1891.

**The Anti-Lottery Bill.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 3.—Mr. Sawyer, from the Postoffice Committee, reported in the Senate the House Anti-Lottery bill and gave notice that he would ask for its consideration as soon as the Tariff bill was passed.

**Fasted 154 Days.**

WHITEHALL, Pa., Sept. 3.—Mrs. Adam Wuchter has, it is asserted, fasted 154 days. It is positively affirmed by her friends, who are continually at her bedside, and by her attending physician, that no food or nourishment of any kind has passed her lips in the time mentioned.

**Gov. Hill and the Grant Monument.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 3.—Governor Hill sent a special messenger to the Grant Monument Fund Committee to say that he would be glad to co-operate with them in any way. The committee will meet to-morrow to consider the plans presented by the various architects.

### BASEBALL GAMES.

**National League.**

AT BROOKLYN.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Brooklyn | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | —5 |
| Pittsburg | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | —4 |

Batteries—Caruthers and Clark; Day and Decker.

AT NEW YORK.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| New York | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | —4 |
| Cleveland | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | —1 |

Batteries—Rusie and Buckley; Vian and Zimmer.

AT PHILADELPHIA.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Philadelphia | 4 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —16 |
| Cincinnati | 3 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | —12 |

Batteries—Foreman and Harrington; Smith and Gray.

AT BOSTON.

The regular umpire failing to appear in time for the first game, Nagle of the Chicagoes was selected. After the first half of the first inning had been played, Fessenden, the regular official, arrived. The Bostons insisted on Fessenden relieving Nagle, but Chicago objected, and Nagle gave the Bostons notice that he would forfeit the game to Chicago unless the game was proceeded with. The Bostons refused, and Nagle decided the game forfeited to Chicago, 9 to 0. Fessenden in the meantime had called upon Chicago to proceed under penalty of forfeiture, and as they also refused, he gave the game to Boston, 9 to 0.

SECOND GAME.

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| Boston | 0 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —4 |
| Chicago | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —3 |

Batteries—Getzein and Ganzel; Hutchinson and Kittridge.

**Players' League.**

AT NEW YORK.

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| New York | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 0 | —5 |
| Buffalo | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —3 |

Batteries—Crane and Ewing; Stafford and Mack.

SECOND GAME.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| New York | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | x | —14 |
| Buffalo | 0 | 0 | 5 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | —12 |

Batteries—Ewing, O'Day and Vaughn; Stafford and Mack.

AT BROOKLYN.

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| Brooklyn | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2—8 |
| Chicago | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0—5 |

Batteries—Sowders and Daily; Barstone and Farrell.

AT BOSTON.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Boston | 2 | 4 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —18 |
| Cleveland | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | —9 |

Batteries—Radbourne and Murphy; Gruber and Sutcliffe.

AT PHILADELPHIA.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Philadelphia | 5 | 0 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | —13 |
| Pittsburg | 2 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | —8 |

Batteries—Buffinton and Cross; Tener and Hurley.

**American Association.**

AT BALTIMORE.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Baltimore | 3 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —6 |
| Columbus | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | —6 |

Batteries—German and Townsend; Knauss, Gastright and Doyle and O'Connor.

AT ROCHESTER.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Rochester | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 1 | x | —7 |
| Louisville | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | —3 |

Batteries—Miller and McKeough; Daily and Ryan.

AT SYRACUSE.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Syracuse | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 2 | —10 |
| Toledo | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | —8 |

Batteries—Keefe and Pitz; Cushman and Sage.

AT WILMINGTON.

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| Athletic | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —3 |
| St. Louis | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —2 |

Batteries—Stechner and Riddle; Neal and Frost.

**Atlantic Association.**

AT NEW HAVEN.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| New Haven | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 0 | —7 |
| Newark | 0 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —6 |

Batteries—Gilliland and Hoffard; Staib and Murphy.

AT LEBANON.

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| Lebanon | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | —4 |
| Harrisburg | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —1 |

Batteries—Smith and McCaffrey; Gamble and Sommers.

**Standing of the Clubs.**

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

| | Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'ct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Brookl'n | 75 | 36 | .676 | Chicago | 63 | 48 | .568 |
| Boston | 70 | 42 | .623 | N. York | 52 | 60 | .464 |
| Philadel. | 66 | 44 | .600 | Cleve'land | 51 | 78 | .290 |
| Cincin'ti | 65 | 43 | .602 | Pittsb'g | 19 | 93 | .170 |

PLAYERS' LEAGUE.

| | Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'ct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Boston | 68 | 41 | .624 | Philadel. | 60 | 52 | .536 |
| Brookl'n | 68 | 46 | .596 | Pittsb'g | 56 | 54 | .509 |
| N. York | 65 | 45 | .591 | Clev'land | 54 | 64 | .396 |
| Chicago | 59 | 54 | .522 | Buffalo | 29 | 77 | .274 |

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

| | Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'ct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Louis'v'le | 84 | 26 | .840 | Col'mb's | 55 | 48 | .534 |
| St. Louis | 60 | 44 | .577 | Toledo | 52 | 47 | .525 |
| Athletic | 52 | 51 | .505 | Syracuse | 42 | 59 | .416 |
| Roch'st'r | 54 | 46 | .540 | Baltim'e | 28 | 76 | .269 |

ATLANTIC ASSOCIATION.

| | Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'ct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| N. Hav'n | 73 | 25 | .745 | Harrisb'g | 43 | 63 | .406 |
| Newark | 53 | 48 | .525 | Wilm't'n | 32 | 62 | .300 |
| Lebanon | 43 | 45 | .489 | | | | |

**Attendance at Games.**

| | Players | League |
|---|---|---|
| New York | 870 | 304 |
| Brooklyn | 1,018 | 437 |
| Philadelphia | 657 | 2,149 |
| Boston | 1,481 | 2,494 |
| Totals | 4,026 | 5,384 |

**Schedule of To-Day's Games.**

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

New York vs. Philadelphia, at Philadelphia. Boston vs. Brooklyn, at Brooklyn.

PLAYERS' LEAGUE.

Buffalo vs. New York, at New York. Chicago vs. Brooklyn, at Washington.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

St. Louis vs. Syracuse, at Syracuse. Louisville vs. Athletics, at Philadelphia. Toledo vs. Baltimore, at Baltimore. Columbus vs. Rochester, at Rochester.

ATLANTIC ASSOCIATION.

Lebanon vs. Harrisburg, at Lebanon.

**Interesting Exercises at Gettysburg.**

GETTYSBURG, Pa., Sept. 3.—Ex-Governor A. G. Curtin presided at the exercises held by the Pennsylvania Reserve Association, which were held in the presence of a large assemblage. The monuments were presented to the Battlefield Memorial Society by Gov. Beaver, and were received on behalf of the society by Provost Major C. W. Hazzard. The Sixth, Tenth and First Cavalry held individual exercises.

**The Central Discharging New Men.**

BUFFALO, N. Y., Sept. 3.—The New York Central road is taking back some of its old switchmen and discharging new men. It is said that five were reinstated yesterday, and that others were received and put to work to-day. Six of the new men who took strikers places were discharged during the morning because of incompetency.

## MIZNER IN DANGER

### Gen. Barrundia's Followers Threaten to Kill Him.

### HIS FRIENDS URGE HIM TO FLEE

### The Minister Will Not Accept the Advice But is Badly Frightened.

**The Legation Guarded by Squads of Policemen—The Abortive Attempt of Barrundia's Daughter to Shoot Mr. Mizner Still Discussed in Guatemala. The Woman Taken to Prison.**

CITY OF GUATEMALA, Sept. 3.—United States Minister Mizner's friends are urging him to abandon the city if he would save his life. The followers of General Barrundia threaten to kill him on sight. Incensed by his order to Captain Pitts to surrender their chief, they hold him responsible for the subsequent tragedy on board the Acapulco. The failure of the attempt of Barrundia's daughter to shoot Mizner seems only to have whetted their appetite for what they call their revenge.

Up to the present Mr. Mizner shows no signs of accepting the advice of his friends—to flee from the city—but the almost open threats of assassination have badly frightened him, and the legation is constantly guarded by squads of policemen.

Nothing is talked of but the abortive attempt of Barrundia's daughter to kill Mr. Mizner. Undoubtedly the woman, who was recently married in this city, was made temporarily crazy by the story of the killing of her father.

When she appeared at the Legation she was very pale and trembling with excitement. In her hand she carried a Colt's revolver, and she had forced her way into Mr. Mizner's private office before any one had presence of mind enough to arrest her.

While the servants were disarming the woman, it is now said, Mr. Mizner ran into the street, crying loudly for help. A crowd quickly gathered among them being a number of policemen, who arrested the woman and marched her off to prison.

### THE LABOR CONGRESS.

**Unskilled Workingmen Represented at the Liverpool Meeting.**

LIVERPOOL, Sept. 3.—The distinguishing note of the great labor congress now assembled in this city is the large representation of women and of unskilled labor. These two classes, the importance of which is not to be denied in the face of recent developments, have been completely neglected by the old trades unions, and have only lately been really recognized as forming powerful factors in the complicated labor problems of the day. Their promince, therefore, on this occasion is noteworthy and significant.

President Watkins in his address said the time had undoubtedly arrived when an energetic attempt should be made to secure eight hours as a day's work. He did not advocate that a measure should be forced through the House of Commons immediately, irrespective of the wishes and desires of the industries affected, making eight hours a day's work, but he saw no reason why such a concession should not be made immediately to the occupations which unmistakably wanted it. He advocated a direct representation of labor in Parliament, the control of the railways by the State and the solution of the land question by naturalization.

The delegates to the Congress represent a constituency of 1,500,000 workmen. The morning hours are devoted to business, while the afternoons are given up to recreation and sightseeing. The latter, however, is largely of a practical nature.

**In Memory of John Boyle O'Reilly.**

BOSTON, Sept. 3.—A large audience filled Tremont Temple last night for the purpose of paying tribute to the memory of the late John Boyle O'Reilly. Mayor Hart called the meeting to order, and Charles Levi Woodbury presided. The Hon. P. A. Collins, Col. T. W. Higginson, Gen. B. F. Butler, Col. Charles H. Taylor, Vicar-General Byrne and others made addresses, and appropriate resolutions were adopted.

**New York Complains About the Census.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 3.—The Board of Aldermen to-day passed resolutions alleging that the recent census of the city is defective; that the local statistics indicate that it is deficient to the extent of not less than 200,000 persons, and applying to the President of the United States, the Secretary of the Interior and the Superintendent of the Census to order a recount.

**A Mother's Leap for Her Child.**

POTTSTOWN, Pa., Sept. 3.—Mrs. David S. Lafferty was sitting on an eminence in Mount Zion Cemetery, overlooking the Schuylkill Canal at this place, with her 13-months-old child in a baby-coach by her side. Two children, in playing, started the carriage in motion, and it rapidly descended an embankment and then plunged 40 feet perpendiculariy into the canal, followed by the mother in her frantic efforts to rescue her baby. The woman was taken out of the water alive, though severely injured, but the baby was drowned.

**A Mortgage for Over Three Millions.**

HUNTINGTON, Pa., Sept. 3.—A mortgage for $3,000,998, representing the par value of the stock of the Iron Car Equipment Company of New York, was entered here yesterday. This company is a new organization and succeeds the defunct Iron Car Company. The claims for labor will be paid this week and the works will resume operations.

### THE SAWTELLE TRIAL.

**Fifty Witnesses for the State Arrive at Dover, N. H.**

DOVER, N. H., Sept. 3.—The witnesses who will appear before the grand jury in the Sawtelle case are all here. There are 50 of them altogether, who, in the presentation of the case before the jury, will appear for the State.

Mrs. Hiram Sawtelle has arrived, as have also Captain Martin White and Special Officer Shields from Boston, and Inspector Cogan is on the way here.

The trial of Isaac B. Sawtelle in a week or two will mark an era in New England history. Outside of general interest in the case and the horrible features of the alleged fratricide, as a legal fight it will come very near standing unparalleled in the annals of New England courts of justice. Both sides have made endeavors to present a strong case, and each propose a surprise to the other.

### SUICIDE AT SEVENTY.

**Mary Patterson Had Worked Fifty Years in One Mill.**

PATERSON, N. J., Sept. 3.—Mary Patterson, 70 years old, was found dead on her bed in her squalid quarters at 29 Cross street, about 9 o'clock.

An empty two-ounce laudanum bottle was standing on a chair near her bed and the marks of where some of the liquid had spilled on her shin.

She had been employed at the Dolphin Jute Mills in this city for the past 50 years, but has not been seen by any of her neighbors since last Thursday.

Her poverty was great, and being too proud to beg it is believed that she took laudanum to end her existence.

### THE VERMONT ELECTION.

**A Light Vote Polled—The Republicans Carry the State.**

WHITE RIVER JUNCTION, Vt., Sept. 3.—This State voted for State officers, two representatives to Congress and a full list of State Senators and Representatives.

The returns thus far received indicate that the vote is very light. Fifty towns out of 242 in the State give Page (Rep.), 8,198; Brigham (Dem.), 4,862; Allen (Pro.), 240; scattering, 3. The same towns in 1888 gave Dillingham (Rep.), 12,554; Shartleff (Dem.), 4,477; all others, 337.

The Republican majority over all in towns so far heard from is 3,373, as against 7,750 in 1888.

### NEWS OF THE DAY.

The annual convention of the United Typothetæ is in session in Boston.

Nearly all the principal hotels at Cape May have closed for the season.

Capitalists of Mount Holly, N. J., have decided to build a street railway in the town.

The New York Republican State Committee nominated Judge Earl for Judge of the Court of Appeals.

The glass furnaces at Clayton and Millville, N. J., went into blast with non-union men.

E. & B. Holmes, Buffalo, N.Y., lumber dealers, filed a general assignment, giving preferences of $97,000.

The Rev. Dr. Duff, professor of church history in the United Presbyterian Theological Hall, of Edinburgh, Scotland, is dead.

John C. Peach, the leading shoe manufacturer at Marblehead, Mass., and a very prominent citizen died last night, aged 73.

Phillip Parsell, 40 years of age, of Orange, N., J., was drowned at Coney Island, about midnight, while bathing. His body was recovered.

Hattie Deerk, aged 20 years, was struck and killed by a Pennsylvania Railroad train at Shamokin, Pa., last night while crossing the tracks.

Fire last night at Lancaster, Pa., destroyed the factory of the Miller Soap Company, a large, four-story brick building. Loss, $60,000; insurance, $30,000.

Wheeler Beers, founder of the spring and axle business in Bridgeport, Conn., and well known in this trade throughout the country, died yesterday from paralysis.

Messrs. Dillon and O'Brien are guests of Archbishop Croke at Cashel, Ireland. Both express confidence that their forthcoming visit to America will result in great good to Ireland.

Joseph H. Welch, the Old Colony section foreman, who was arrested in Quincy, Mass., charged with manslaughter in connection with the recent railroad accident there, has been released on $2,000 bail.

The Republican Club Convention is to meet at Saratoga, N. Y., to-morrow. Among the prominent persons on the ground are Judge Thurston of Nebraska, chairman, and A. B. Humphrey of New York, secretary.

**Weather Indications.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 3.—For Eastern New York: Fair; cooler in northern; stationary temperature in southern portions; variable winds.

For Eastern Pennsylvania, New Jersey and Delaware: Fair; warmer; southerly winds

For Western New York and Western Pennsylvania: Fair; followed by light local showers on the lake; cooler; variable winds

### NEW YORK MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Sept. 2.—Money on call to-day, 5 and 6 per cent.

BONDS.

| | Closing Saturday. | Closing To-day. |
|---|---|---|
| 4½s, 1891 Reg | 104 | 104¼ |
| 4½s, 1891 Coup | 104 | 104 |
| 4 s, 1907 Reg | 125¼ | 125 |
| 4 s, 1907 Coup | 125½ | 125 |

STOCK MARKET.

| | Closing Saturday. | Closing To-day. |
|---|---|---|
| Canadian Pacific | — | 54¼ |
| Central Pacific | — | 35 |
| Chicago, Bur. & Quincy | 102¾ | 101¾ |
| Delaware & Hudson | — | — |
| Del., Lack. & Western | 145 | 144¾ |
| Erie | 20¾ | 20¾ |

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## BY THE WAY.

—Patrick Rogers was fined $5 for intoxication, this morning.

—The Plainfield Bicycle Club will hold a regular meeting, next Monday evening.

—First class music for dancing at the sociable in T. A. B. Hall, to-morrow night.

—A regular and important meeting of the Crescent League will be held this evening.

—Soldiers read the announcement of comrade A. S. Titsworth in this issue of THE PRESS.

—The Central railroad had 185 extra cars in use Monday, for special excursions of the day.

—Charlotte Russe is the name of a very excellent cigar, on sale at Guttman's Amphion Hall cigar store.

—There will be live bird and inanimate target shooting on the grounds of the Middlesex Gun Club, to-morrow.

—The union choir of the Local Union of the Christian Endeavor Societies will meet for rehearsal Thursday evening at 7:45.

—The regular choir of Grace church will resume its duties next Sunday. Rehersal at the usual time. All the men and boys are expected to be on hand.

—James Babbitt shot a dog supposed to be mad, in Stiger's alley, yesterday. It is said that other dogs were bitten, and that a man narrowly escaped the mad dog's teeth.

—Complaints are loud and just in the Borough, over the late lighting of the lamps. It was 8:30 o'clock last night before Duer street was reached by the Italian lamplighter.

—Those desiring lessons in vocal or instrumental music, should apply for terms to Miss Babcock at 73 East Fifth street. She adopts the Italian method of singing as taught by Giovanni, of Milan, and the Leipsic method of piano playing.

—Joseph G. Miller has just purchased of the Lee heirs, the very desirable residence location at the West corner of Broadway and Sixth street. The property has a broad frontage on Broadway and includes a fine building lot on Sixth street.

—John Motley, of Elizabeth, appeared in Court yesterday to tell how Patrick Day, James Day and others had assaulted him because he refused to treat the crowd in Day's saloon more than twice. Every witness, however, happened to be a neighbor and friend of the Days, and the evidence given astonished all who heard it. Memories of the most convenient sort were produced, and the outcome was that the case had to be dismissed.

### Shifting of Realty.

The following transfers of real estate have been recorded since those last published in these columns:

Randolph M. Stelle and Frances E. Marsh, executors will of Manning Stelle, of this city, to James H. Havens of New York; land in this city at intersection of South side of Stelle avenue with Plainfield avenue, 200x494 feet, $6,325.56.

William Ritter, of this city, to Jacob Grieb, of this city; land Northwest side of Third street, 330 feet from Spooner avenue, 35x167, $1.

Jacob Grieb and wife to Frederica Ritter, of this city, same tract, $1.

Randolph M. Stelle and Frances E. Marsh, executors Manning Stelle estate, of this city, to Anna F. Marshall, lot West side Central avenue, this city, 299x65 feet, $1.

Randolph M. Stelle to Anna F. Marshall, land on West side Central avenue, this city, 85x299 feet, $1.

### Attention, Sir Knights!

The Sir Knights of Trinity Commandery No. 17, K. T., will meet in their asylum, Masonic Hall, West Front street, this evening at 8 o'clock sharp, at which time Eminent Sir Wm. H. Meeker, will be present to drill them, preparatory to their departure for Asbury Park to-morrow. Sir Knights who intend to drill to-night will please bring their swords and belts. The excursion train leaves Elizabeth to-morrow at 9 o'clock A. M. The Sir Knights of Trinity will reach St. John's asylum at 8 o'clock A. M., in full uniform, when it is the intention of the Eminent Commander to have a short drill and street parade before taking the excursion train.

### "The Manly Art of Self Defence."

Giving "blow for blow," is often more thought of, than that other "art of self defence," which consists in defending one's own system from the assaults of disease and neglect. When dyspepsia, biliousness, "liver complaint," jaundice, and the like lay hold of the system, the best defence is the immediate use of Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets; tiny, sugar-coated Granules, made from concentrated vegetable extracts; one a dose.

## WHEELMEN OUT FOR A LARK.

### They Have a Good Time and Rescue a Lady's Pocketbook.

Messrs Frank L. C. Martin, Stuart H. Patterson, E. L. Walz, Jr., David H. Lenox, and A. L. C. Marsh, of the Plainfield Bicycle Club, left New York with their wheels on the steamboat Albertina last Saturday afternoon, got off at Navesink Highlands, and rode to Seabright, where one of the party, Mr. Patterson, left and rode to Belmar, while the others rode to Red Bank, where they remained one night. Next day they rode back to Seabright, and spent the morning sailing on Pleasure Bay. In the afternoon they wheeled through Long Branch and Asbury Park to Belmar, where they were again joined by Mr. Patterson. On the road between Avon-by-the-Sea and Belmar a scramble was indulged in between the wheelmen for a lady's pocketbook, fashioned of handsomest snake skin, that lay in the road. Messrs Marsh and Martin saw it about the same time, and both made a dive from their wheels. Mr. Martin was the successful grabber. The purse was found to contain about $50 in cash, with no card or name in it to serve as a clue to find the owner, save a check drawn on a Philadelphia bank. Mr. Martin is now in correspondence with the party who drew the check and thinks he will be able to find the owner so as to return the lost money.

The wheelmen stopped over night at Belmar, next day riding down as far as Sea Girt and riding back to Asbury Park, where after a surf bath they had an excellent dinner, returning to Long Branch and taking the boat for home. The trip was one that will long be pleasantly remembered by the participants.

## PARTICULAR MENTION.

T. S. Armstrong, wife and children, are at home again.

Mr. and Mrs. Seeley Edsall are home from their Summer outing.

David Krymer of East Fifth street, is visiting relatives at Easton, Pa.

Louis R. Ross, of LaGrande avenue, has returned from his trip abroad.

Mrs. Charles J. Taggart of Sycamore avenue, is visiting friends in Philadelphia.

Robert S. Miller and family of Mercer avenue, have returned from a few weeks spent in New York State.

Robert Crozson, of Brooklyn, N. Y., is spending his vacation in this city, with his sister, Mrs. J. E. Yose, of West Second street.

Mrs. John Mangan and Miss M. Mangan, of Yonkers, have been spending a week at the home of Mrs. T. Blyth, South avenue, Netherwood.

W. E. Hinkson, of Princeton, a graduate of the Philadelphia College of Pharmacy, is the latest addition to the affable and competent staff of clerks at Reynolds' pharmacy.

A. F. Matthews, who ranks among the brightest of America's newspaper men, is the guest of his old-time collegue, editor Frank W. Runyon. Mr. Matthews is at present on the staff of the Philadelphia Press.

The Rev. and Mrs. Cornelius Schenck, and their son, Cornelius Frelinghuysen Schenck, leave this afternoon for a visit with Mrs. Schenck's mother in Philadelphia. It will be young Master Schenck's first trip abroad.

Counselor W. K. McClure is back from a stay at the Megantic Club's fish and game preserves of thousands of acres in Canada. He reports it a sportsman's paradise, where four-pound bass are daily catches. Messrs R. L. Livingston, Wm. H. Brower and Henry C. Squires, of this city, are also members of the association.

The ladies at Hotel Netherwood surrendered the parlors to the gentlemen last night, and Messrs O. Bridgman, Harry Martin, D. F. McCabe, W. H. Raser, F. L. Froment, W. E. McCredy, W. S. Thorne, Jr., and A. E. Benary, indulged in a stag dance. Messrs Martin, Raser, McCredy and Benary taking feminine parts.

### Another Benefit Asked From the Big 6.

One of the many good things the "Big 6" has done for the city, is the purchase of fire department horses and putting them to work on the streets, in place of hiring the horses of others. These horses have already earned $433, while their cost of keeping during the same time, was $52.

Now let the "Big 6" give the city a system of electric fire alarm, and then such mistakes as occurred Monday night won't occur again at a time when the mistake might result in the loss of much property and possibly some lives. The alarm bell the city now has rang Monday night for a fire in the North Plainfield district, and the call sent over the telephone was for "Seventh street," whereas the fire was on Front street and beyond control when the firemen found it.

—The official census figures show that Plainfield's increase is greater than that of New Brunswick and Rahway combined. The bureau at Washington announces the following: New Brunswick, 18,459; increase, 1,293. Plainfield, 11,250; increase, 3,125. Rahway, 7,090; increase, 635.

The gormandizer likes it because it is fine, The workman likes it because it quenches his thirst, enriches his blood, and strengthens his muscle. It is cheap. The mother likes it. It keeps her boys at home. The women of America like it, because it takes the place of intoxicants. This Hires' Root Beer.

## SOUGHT TO KILL THE ITALIANS.

### Harsh Treatment of the Dagoes by Young Men From Jerusalem.

Wm. Perrine and Del Pheasant, natives of Jerusalem Road, beyond Scotch Plains, went on the warpath against ex-Street Commissioner Angleman's gang of Italians working on the county roads. Perrine was pounding Tommy Delenco, and Pheasant was pounding Eggie Blounie, when James Connelly and other valiant young men went to the rescue and, in the face of a shower of stones which drew blood in several places, drove the two young men away. Subsequently the belligerent twain returned in a wagon, armed with a jug of whisky, an axe, and two revolvers. They flourished their weapons promiscuously, but were chased, and Perrine was captured. Connelly brought him, a prisoner, in a wagon to Plainfield, in spite of his drunken plea to be allowed to go to Summit to dig for clams, and he was given a hearing this morning before Justice Nash, who held him for the grand jury, on the charge of assault and battery, and sentenced him to thirty days imprisonment in the county jail, for drunkenness and disorderly conduct. Perrine vowed that he would get square by killing the Italians.

### Plainfield Well Represented at the State Building Loan Convention.

Pursuant to invitations from Hon. James Bishop, Chief of the Bureau of Statistics of Labor and Industries, delegates from the various Building and Loan Associations of New Jersey met as a convention in the Assembly Chamber at Trenton, yesterday morning, and continued in session through the afternoon. About one hundred and twenty duly appointed delegates were present, among them being Treasurer Codington and Secretary Harper of the Plainfield Building and Loan Association, and President Rushmore, Secretary Struthers and Attorney Stillman of the Home Association of this city. Ex-Speaker Armstrong, of Camden, presided in his usual able and dignified manner.

The primary object of the conference was to agree upon the form of an annual report made obligatory upon each Association by a recent act of the Legislature. After recess, the committee to whom the matter had been referred, submitted as the result of their labor, a comprehensive and practical form of report, which was taken up for consideration, item by item, and finally, with but slight alterations, adopted by the convention and recommended for official approval. The remarks of various members were highly interesting and instructive, and evidenced zeal in the work, and the great and growing benefits derivable from all well conducted Associations.

The convention also inaugurated the idea of a State League, by requesting the different Building and Loan Associations to consider the propriety of giving to such suggested action organized authority.

### We Named Them and We're Proud of it.

A correspondent asks: "Who first gave the 'Big 6' Councilmen, that title?"

Early in the year Mayor Male nominated Wm. Hand as Street Commissioner. He was not confirmed, and the Mayor was therefore very much in the humor of permitting Commissioner Angleman to hold over, much to the disappointment of the people and Councilmen Gallup, Hetfield, Moffett, Roberts, Smith and Spangenberg.

On February 7, in speaking of the circumstance, THE PRESS said: "Still there is this sprig of hope sprouting in the breasts of the Big 6. The Mayor has been known to change his mind. It is said that he promised he would not sign the contract employing constructing engineer Hering; and he didn't—for a while."

Thus it was that they were baptised with a name that will last, like their good deeds, for years and years.

### Glad News for Plainfield and Somerville.

A series of base ball games between the Somerville and Plainfield teams, will be arranged for the Saturday afternoons of September 13, 20 and 27.

This will be glad news to the base ball cranks of both places. It is the intention now of having one game on each team's ground, and the third chosen by tossing a cent.

Make no mistake about the nine Somerville will put in the field. It will not be the same as has played during the past few months. It will be much strengthened.

It is no more than is just to pitcher Harkins and the Somerville people, that he should have better support than he has had.

Plainfield's team will not be changed. It could hardly be bettered. If we lose it can't be helped and Somerville will deserve heaps of credit.

### Shot So Close as to Burn His Clothes.

Further particulars that are obtainable as the excitement subsides over the accidental shooting of six-year-old Freddy Kissam by his older brother Richard, are: The little fellow as soon as the charge of shot struck him, turned and ran for home. He ran so fast that although the bigger boy started after him, he could not catch him.

When Freddy got in the house he threw himself down on a lounge and cried out to his mother that he was going to die. He said, further, "And Dick ought to be shot too, for shooting me." The little lad's clothing was ablaze from the closeness of the explosion, and the first thing the mother had to do was to put out the fire.

## INDUSTRY AND FINANCE.

THE wine product of California this year is expected to reach eighteen or twenty million gallons, the largest for several years.

THERE were over eight million kegs of nails produced last year, of which one-half were cut steel, less than one-fourth cut iron and more than one-fourth wire.

IT is estimated that the railroads of the United States lose $2,000,000 yearly by landslides, $5,000,000 by floods, $1,000,000 by fire, and $9,000,000 by collisions.

THE United States Government Commissioner of Patents estimates that from six to seven-eighths of the entire manufacturing capital of the United States, or $6,000,000,000, is directly or indirectly based upon patents.

CALIFORNIA is quite successful in cultivating the fig, and the East furnishes a good market. The importations into the United States in 1889 from Smyrna alone were 12,000 cases. Her total product was 40,000 cases, or nearly 1,000,000 boxes.

THE report of the liquidators of the Panama Canal Company has been presented to the Tribunal of the Seine. According to the report the total expenditures of the company thus far amounted to 1,313,000,000 francs. The assets on March 3d were 16,000,000 francs.

The wealth of the United States is unofficially estimated at $71,500,000,000, an increase in ten years of 42 per cent. England's wealth was placed at $50,000,000,000 in 1885, but divided among a smaller population than that of the United States; while the value of France's property is put at $36,000,000,000. Taxes in England average $20 per capita, and in the United States, $12.50.

THE total silver production of the world for the year 1889 is thus given in ounces by the New York Financial Chronicle: United States, 50,000,000; Mexico, 42,939,156; South and Central America, 18,447,846; all other countries, 14,601,669; total, 125,988,671. The law which goes into effect upon the 13th inst. requires the Secretary of the Treasury to buy 4,500,000 ounces per month, a total of 54,000,000 ounces per annum.

A VAST sum was sunk in the temporary plant used in building the Forth bridge. The engineers estimated that £500,000 was spent in this direction alone. In scaffolding, flooring, shedding, etc., 1,000,000 cubic feet of timber were used. From first to last 1,300 tons of mere service bolts were needed to hold the mass of material together. Scores of hydraulic jacks, sixty miles of wire rope and rams innumerable were also among the temporary appliances.

THE Calumet and Hecla copper mine, one of the Monte Cristo properties of this continent, is said to have paid in dividends the enormous sum of $35,350,000. It has been worked nineteen years. This year, as has been the case before, five dividends of $5 each on every share will be paid. Its stock, of which not very much is lying around loose, is at a premium somewhere between 300 and 307. A younger but also profitable mine, situated in the same vein, is the Tamarack, with stock at about 207. The Calumet and Hecla has 100,000 shares, the Tamarack 50,000.

## CAST UP BY THE LAST TIDE.

A PORTSMOUTH, O., man has a well-developed apple growing on an ordinary grapevine, the result of skillful grafting.

A HORSE in Waterbury, Conn., is inordinately fond of pie, and often, walking to the kitchen door, refuses to leave until his appetite for the dainty is satisfied.

SEVERAL newly hatched chickens (so the story goes) were recently found in a bale of hay at Belfast, Me. The owner of the bale thinks that the eggs were probably pressed into the hay when it was green, and were hatched by the heat generated.

A BOSTON boatman, who received a fifty cent piece as a reward for saving four men from drowning, has had the coin engraved: "Reward of Merit—For Rescuing Four Men from Drowning; Twelve and a Half Cents Apiece." He will wear the coin as a medal.

AN Albino or white lion was born recently in John Robinson's circus at Deer Lodge, Mont. There is not a spot or blemish to mar its immaculate color. A white lion has never before been boasted of, though Albinos among men, women, birds and some animals are common enough.

THE inspector of streets of St. Louis has adopted a novel method of marking the names of streets, so that the darkest night will not render the way difficult to find. The names of the streets are painted upon the electric light globes, and the shadow resulting throws the name upon the ground so plainly that it can be read fifty feet away. The letters on the globes are three-quarters of an inch, and the shadow name is five feet wide.

A PORT HURON bicycle rider attempted to ride past a calf, a farmer and a connecting rope. The two calves scared the one, and the calf from the country bounded all over the road, bellowing as if the shambles were in sight. The walking-beam calves saw an opening and made for it, but were too late. When the dust had risen sufficiently to permit an observation, the velocipede was in the ditch broken, the rider was on his head broken, the farmer on his back broken, and the calf, tail in air, was half a mile down the road with a rope and a bellow trailing out behind it like the rudder of a kite.

A CORRESPONDENT at Saratoga noticed the dinner order of a modest and fragile-looking little woman in one of the big hotels. It comprised the following articles: Little Neck clams, turtle soup, blue fish, roast beef, cold boned capon, fricasseed chicken, lobster salad, stuffed green peppers, boiled new potatoes, string beans, green peas, New England pudding, cake, wine jelly, ice-cream, assorted fruits, nuts, raisins and coffee. And he adds that she partook more or less of all these dishes. Her husband tasted of a little soup, had a bit of roast beef with mashed potato and some crackers and cheese.

### Mr. Seader's Pension Was Allowed at Once, When Senator McPherson Moved in the Matter.

Eleven years ago Jacob Seader of this city, an aged veteran, sorely wounded in the service of his country, applied for a pension. He was not as many already drawing pensions, just past middle age and able to earn a comfortable living at a trade or behind a counter; but he was 70 years old and utterly incapacitated by the results of his army service from earning anything. Yet his application filed in 1879 dragged along without success. He was examined time and time again, and passed upon favorably, yet nothing came of it.

Seader was told by a member of the Winfield Scott, G. A. R., Post, of this city, that he could not get his pension allowed until he joined the Republican ranks. That as long as Seader voted the Democratic ticket he could not get a cent of pension, no matter how much he deserved it. Seader thought different, but as the years went by, and his Republican friend—who was in good health and working every day at his trade, yet drawing a pension for incapacity—kept saying "I told you so," Seader began to feel there was some truth in the statement, which he also heard from others, that he must join the G. A. R., and vote the Republican ticket, or he'd get no pension.

But a philanthropic citizen—who is an officer of the late war and a good Democrat, but who will ask for no pension himself—heard of Seader's case and brought it to the attention of the Democratic U. S. Senator, John R. McPherson. The latter gave it his personal attention at once with the following result:

WASHINGTON, D. C., August 27, 1890.

*The Hon. J. R. McPherson, U. S. Senate,*

Dear Sir:—The pension claim of Jacob Seader of Plainfield, has been allowed. * * * * As you have called up this case by letters of inquiry, I deem it but courteous that I should advise you of the final action, as above set forth.

Very Respectfully,
GREEN B. RAUM,
Commissioner.


M. H. A.

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# UNRAVELING THE PLOT.

## SOME OPENING CHAPTERS THAT SHOW HOW THE SCHEME TO BREAK THE WATER CONTRACT IS BUT A STEP TOWARDS ROBBING THE PEOPLE.

**If John Kean's Tool, the "news," Succeeds in Driving Out the Company That Corporation Counsel Marsh and Councilman Newhall Have Bound Down to Low Hydrant Rentals and Reduced House Rates, Then a Company Controlled by That Monied Boss Will Fasten Its Clutches Upon the City and Compel the Payment of Unrestricted Charges for Every Drop of Water Used.**

I—THE DEMAND FOR THE TRUTH.

Large numbers of letters received every day of the same tone as that published in these columns of Tuesday last, signed by H. P. Reynolds, call upon THE PRESS to disclose, so far as is within its knowledge who are the indirect projectors and what is the motive of their attack upon the consummation of the contract to build at last in this city the water works that Plainfield has so long needed for the comfort of its residents and the attraction of an increased community. Mr. Reynolds' letter may well be given space again in these columns, though it is only one of many of like nature received during the past ten days. Mr. Reynolds is one interested alone for the welfare of all, and he signs his name to what he says like a man:

TO THE EDITOR OF THE PRESS:—It should be the chief end of the local newspaper not only to print the local news, but to watch the interests of its community, to warn against dangers, to advocate whatever is beneficial. THE PRESS, therefore, acts in its line of duty in printing all that rightly concerns the people of Plainfield in reference to an enterprise of such vital importance as the Water Works.

The City Council of 1889—in good part made up of able business men having considerable interests at stake in our city—concluded a contract with responsible men for the construction of a water works on terms approved by the city's attorney, by the Mayor, and, in a general way, by the people. It has never been charged that any city official had any improper interest in the promotion of the enterprise. The construction of the works is now going on subject to the approval of the city's engineer; no complaint has been published in regard to the character of the work; and the people of Plainfield, with more or less impatience, are awaiting the abundant supply of pure water which they have a right to expect within a year. There is no doubt that such a supply will add to the comforts and safety of our people, and will add to the attractiveness of our city as a residence, in many ways.

At this stage of the work a voice is raised against its progress, an obstacle—in the shape of a threatened law suit—thrown in its path. Is it a citizen of, or even a dweller in Plainfield who thus protests? Oh, no! the complaint of Israel cometh from an alien, a man of Jersey City. Neither Israel nor his attornies are known here, and few of our people know aught of the old charter which is to be dragged out of the past as an obstacle.

What, then, means this attack? Who are its projectors? What are their motives? These are questions which the taxpayers and citizens of Plainfield will ask, and it is the office and duty of THE PRESS to investigate the source and object of the attack, and truthfully to publish every detail relating thereto. Your efforts in this line will gratify the people, will enhance the value of your paper and so yield a sufficient reward.

Let us have the truth.

H. P. REYNOLDS.

Every honest reader of the above, single-minded like THE PRESS for the City's fair treatment and prosperity, will join in repeating that last line, "Let us have the truth!"

II—THE FIRST SIGN OF THE SPECTRE.

During the last month of last year, the Republican Council of 1889 was holding frequent meetings in order to grant the franchise for the building of water works in Plainfield before the Council of 1890 stepped into their shoes and gained some of the glory. The old Council naturally wanted to leave on the record of their existence the culmination of as many good acts and creditable accomplishments as possible. By the evening of December 23, matters were nearing completion. An adjourned meeting was then held entirely for the purpose of hearing the Committee on Water Works, Councilmen Newhall and Erickson, report their progress. The bid of Mr. Moore for the Water Works Company of Plainfield had already been accepted, and the meeting discussed the several clauses of the contract presented for adoption.

Among the spectators present was Engineer Bassett, who, as the representative of the Commonwealth Water Co., had been one of the many whose bids were too high. But he would not give up without a last kick, and he accompanied it with a lightly veiled treat. He said he was present to present the claim of the "Plainfield Water Supply Company," organized by an act of the Legislature in 1869, and holding a perpetual contract to furnish the city with water. This company, he said, was prepared to make more liberal terms for the introduction of water works than any yet submitted. Mr. Bassett said it was the intention of the Company to merge the perpetual franchise into a more favorable contract. He asked for an opportunity for representatives of the company to be heard before final action was taken.

No attention was paid to him, however. Those present who ever knew of the "Plainfield Water Supply Company," believed its charter had lapsed and the Company had allowed itself to drop out of existence. That the company was dead, needed no better proof than that one of its members, Councilman Erickson himself, was a member of the Committee recommending, and one of the Council voting to award a contract for the building of water works, to another company.

Four evenings afterwards the Council had another meeting, and Mr. Bassett's company sent in another warning. It was a communication alluding to the alleged perpetual contract to furnish Plainfield with water, that had been granted by act of the Legislature in 1869, and still in the possession of the Commonwealth Company, adding that it was the intention of the Company to merge the contract into a proposition, and that the same would be ready in three days. This second threat was also treated with scorn; and among those who voted to file the communication without attention, was Mr. Erickson, a member of the "Company" from which the Commonwealth Company had secured an option on the old water charter they were using as a bugaboo.

III—PREPARING TO RESIST ATTACK.

It is not necessary to state that every step taken by the Water Committee of the Council of 1889, was only after extended deliberation and upon the advice of Corporation Counsel Marsh after the consideration of every possible point that could arise in the future. It will be first told here, however, that the Water Committee and the Corporation Counsel, weighed and found wanting the very action that is now taken, seven months after the contract has been awarded by the city, signed by its Mayor and accepted in good faith by J. Herbert Johnston, residing in New York city and Plainfield; Cornelius N. Hoagland, residing in Brooklyn, N. Y.; William Foster, Jr., residing in New York city; James Moore, residing in Elizabeth, N. J.; Samuel Knox, residing in Elizabeth, N. J.; Jno. R. Moore, residing in Elizabeth, N. J., and Geo. K[illegible]te, residing in Fanwood, N. J., who are the Water Works Company of Plainfield.

Over seven months before, then, Chairman Newhall and the Corporation Counsel forecasted the very action taken by the City's enemies and their tool, the *news*. The constitutionality of the law was a question that was gone into very deeply before the awarding of the contract was recommended. It was the point of most vital importance, and the Corporation Counsel called the attention of the incorporators of the Water Works Company to it. Councilman Newhall, however, as well as every other sound mind and authority THE PRESS has consulted, agrees that there is not the least shadow of suspicion on the law. The Atlantic City water works, representing an investment of three million dollars, were constructed under its provisions, and so were the works at Bound Brook and other places in the State. The attornies of all those corporations undoubtedly satisfied themselve also, before such large sums were invested by their clients, that the law was constitution l. As to the matter of the charter granted twenty years ago to the Plainfield Water Supply Co., it was agreed that any life it had had, lapsed long ago—in fact it is said that members of the company acknowledged they believed it "dead." With the eyes of all parties wide open then to the possibility of just the antagonism that has arisen, the contract was issued by the city and accepted by the company.

IV—TRUSTFULNESS PRECIPITATES OPPORTUNITY.

As in all steps taken in the matter of securing water works for Plainfield, the city—thanks to Councilman Newhall, Corporation Counsel Marsh and others concerned—has secured the best of the deal (except in the appointing of a supervising engineer at a salary of $5,500, when as good men in every way and better in many ways, would have accepted the work for half that money). In fact a very bad bargain did the Water Works company make for themselves, and an unprecedentedly good one did the city make for itself in the matter of hydrants, for instance. Look at just that one item in the deal so beneficial to the city, that its enemies are trying to break. The Company agree to put in the hydrants at a rental per year of $15 each, when the facts are that the hydrant itself costs $26, and the average rental throughout the country is $35 a year. The entire rental received for the public hydrants in Plainfield, therefore, in two years, would be just four dollars more than each hydrant costs. Yet subscribers to the bonds would have been forthcoming if the ex-Hon. John Kean, Jr., had not said that he wanted to furnish the funds himself, and thereby stopped the sale to any outside investors.

V—THE MONIED BOSS REBUFFED.

The bonds, therefore, were not floated, the incorporators were not called upon to build the works out of their own pockets, and the Company rested on its trust in shrewd John Kean, Jr, one of the sureties on its bond. Then he thought he saw the chance to possess himself of the contract—peacefully if possible, by threats or legal violence if necessary. As soon as ready money was wanted, he suggested that the company come to him. He would be happy to advance it. They fell in this second trap but never in another. Kean said if the Contractor and Mr. Kyte, one of the company, would just draw a note for $5,000 and send it to his bank, he would take care of it. They did so, but when it came due a few days ago, he informed the makers that they must pay it. They refused, a suit was begun, and they filed as an answer the statement that they had a good and sufficient cause for their action. This was the first move to force the Contractor in a hole and compel him either to sell out, or throw up the contract for want of funds or fear of the law. Then followed the action brought before the Supreme Court to break the law under which the contract was given. This served at once the purpose of closing while the suit was pending, any possible channel through which the Company might have secured money to continue the work; and it is hoped by the *news* and its masters, that in the end the law will be declared unconstitutional and the present contract and the present Water Works company, will be wiped out of existence.

But in another and a more peaceful way did John Kean, Jr., bring pressure to bear to get the contract into his own possession. He offered a price for it; but the contractor said "no." The price was bettered, but the answer was still an emphatic refusal. How would he be treating the members of the company if he sold out, was a thought that undoubtedly came to his mind. The tempter suggested probably that they only went into the scheme as a personal favor to the contractor. Then, thought the latter, there is all the more reason I should deal honorably with them and keep my faith with the people of Plainfield. He utterly refused to give up the contract, then the threat was made that will appear further on in this tale.

VI—HOW THE ENEMY WAS ORGANIZED.

Knowing that the Plainfield Water Supply Co., had resurrected itself and its charter; because Engineer Bassett had been given an option on the latter to use it in an attempt to scare the Council; and knowing that that option had almost expired, the writer said to a member of the Water Supply Co., one day in July: "I have been expecting every day you people would have an injunction put on the Water Works Co., stopping their progress But maybe you are only waiting until the work is nearer completion." The reply was: "Oh, we've got no right to do anything of that sort. They have been given a contract by the city to do a certain work. Our charter doesn't give us any power over them."

But not many days after a call was made for a meeting of the Plainfield Water Supply Co., for the "annual" election of a board of directors. This call was signed, if THE PRESS is not mistaken, by E. R. Pope, J. C. Pope, J. F. Hubbard, J. W. Murray and E. N. Erickson. This was just the number required for a call, and it will be noticed that in order to find sufficient members in existence for the purpose, it was necessary to have the name of ex-Councilman Erickson who was one-half of the committee who had in charge the making of the contract with the Water Works company.

This election was held on Monday, Aug. 4. There was a shuffle of the cards, and lo! a new Board came out in the deal. Frank S. Bergen, Kean's keen lawyer, was President, and among the directors were Kean himself and H. G. Bunkle of this city who is also interested in gas and water works all over the country. It may be that Kean promised to deliver into the hands of the Water Supply Co., the Water Works Co's contractor and his contract. Anyhow, the contractor was offered stock in the Supply company if he would drop out of its way. He refused. Then he was offered cash in lieu of the stock, and he again positively refused to break his faith with the Plainfield people and sacrifice the incorporators of the Water Works Co. Then John Kean, Jr, said: "I will bring an action to bust your corporation, and the minute I do that you won't find an investor that will advance a cent for your works," the substance of which he has since repeated to a reporter of the New York *World*.

VII—WHAT WILL A VICTORY BRING?

Some will say, why should John Kean, Jr., who is an endorser on the bond of the Water Works company, seek to "bust" it? Will he not in such event be the sufferer financially? No! Even if he could be held for the whole amount of the bond he would reap a profit in the end. But if the law is declared unconstitutional, the contract granted under it would be wiped out and the bond given as surety for its completion would be abrogated.

The result that Kean hopes for and expects in this case—and in fact has desired for other reasons before the Plainfield contract was thought of—is, therefore, that the law should be declared unconstitutional. Then the advantageous contract the City now has would be annulled, the work now progressing would stop where it is, and as there would no longer be a law under which the City had the power to make a contract, it must either bond the people to build its own works, or do without.

Except—and here is the reason for suspecting that the Supply company, with John Kean, Jr., as one of its directors, is at the back of the fight that is being made through the *news* and the Courts to break the present contract no matter at what cost to the City or damage to the community's interests and prosperity. Free from competition, and master of all it surveys, the Plainfield Water Supply Co., will step up with its resurrected charter, build works as it will and charge the City and the people any rates it may please.

VIII—THE BRANDING OF A LIE OR TWO.

The enemy's Tool has printed a decision of Vice Chancellor VanFleet's which the paper claims already "criticises" the giving of the Plainfield contract under the law in question. The *news* says the Water Works company's counsel was not "aware" of this decision. One of these claims is false, and the other foolishness. The decision was only on the question whether a contract awarded under the law gave the contractors an *exclusive franchise*. The decision was thoroughly sifted by Corporation Counsel Marsh and the Water Works Co's counsel. They found it had no bearing on Plainfield's action, as the City did not claim to give an exclusive franchise, and the Water Works Co., never asked or expected such monopoly.

Of course the *news* is not to be condemned for all the lies that appear in its columns concerning this matter. Everything that is grammatical is written by some one outside who is working the tool. But the talk about an effort to sell the bonds of the company to the "people of Plainfield," is of course understood to emanate from the brain of the editor because of its inanity; and the talk about the Company's "mulcting" the city, is of course from the same source, because of the same nature. Everybody views the state of affairs in this way—if anyone is being "mulcted" just now its the poor Water Works Co., who are compelled to pay $1,000 a month to the City on a contract that the Supreme Court is asked to take away from them.

IX—THE FIRST STEP THE CITY SHOULD TAKE.

Chairman Newhall of the Water Board says he does not consider that any action taken so far in the courts, should be considered as an injunction, or even a stay, on the city. He believes the law will stand, as the question of its constitutionality was thoroughly considered before the granting of the contract.

Yet while the Court's decision is in doubt, and must be awaited for months probably; with a possibility that in the end the present Company will be thrown out and the work postponed a year longer; Constructing Engineer Hering's preposterous salary—which the Water Works company may now be paying, but which the city may have to hand back—should be summarily cut off.

### The Pasco Murder Trial.

GLENS FALLS, N. Y., Sept. 3.—The trial of Cal Wood for the murder of Leander Pasco was begun at Caldwell. The defense challenged the entire panel of 100 names of jurors on the ground that the extra panel was not drawn according to the statute. Judge Fish sustained the challenger and ordered a new panel of 100 jurors drawn. The defense entered a plea of insanity.

### Two Carpenters Killed.

NEWARK, N. J., Sept. 3.—A swinging scaffold on a building in course of construction on Claremont avenue fell, precipitating four carpenters who occupied it a distance of thirty-five feet to the ground. Theodore Brand and Herman Matthias were killed, and the other two were badly injured. It is claimed that the ropes supporting the scaffold were rotten. The coroner will investigate.

### PEPPERY PLEASANTRIES.

"WHAT is your salary, Mr. Stiggins?" "My salary," said the clergyman, slowly, "is $3,000. But my pay is about $1,200."

SHE—"Did you notice what a magnificent pair of shoulders Mr. Youngfellow has?" He—"Yes; I wish I knew his tailor."

MODERN CHIVALRY—Awkward Miss (with an umbrella)—"Beg pardon!" Polite gentleman—"Don't mention it. I have another eye left."

Mrs. Cumso—"Any one who met us could tell that we were man and wife." Mr. Cumso—"How, my dear?" Mrs. Cumso—"By the way you hold the umbrella."

HE—"I notice you have a piano, Miss Clara." She—"Oh, yes, but it is my sister who plays on it—not me." He (rapturously)—"Clara, I love you. Will you be my wife?"

"CAN it be only six o'clock?" said John, opening his watch. "There goes the factory whistle." "That's not the whistle dear," put in Mrs. John. "It's the new cook singing in the kitchen."

GIRL friend (kissing the Chicago bride ecstatically)—"Oh, Fan, you did splendidly at the altar, and this is only your second!" Bride (complacently)—"Yes, I've really had very little practice."

"How does your husband spend his evenings?" "He stays at home and thinks up schemes to make money." "And what do you do with yourself when he is thus occupied?" "Oh, I think up schemes to spend it."

COUNTRYMAN—"Can I sell you a wagon-load of apples this morning?" Proprietor—"No, sir." Countryman—"Why, I supposed this was a cider factory." Proprietor (angrily)—"That's what it is. Jacobs, show this man out."

THUMP-RATTLETY bang! went the piano. "What are you trying to play, Jane?" called out her father in the next room. "It's an exercise—'First Steps in Music,'" she answered. "Well, is there nothing you can play with your hands?" he asked.

"AH," she remarked, "I see that they are reviving the old style of the reign of Queen Anne. Patches are becoming fashionable for ladies." "They have been stylish for gentlemen for some time," he thoughtfully replied, caressing his trousers.

"My dear," said a vain old man to his wife, "these friends here won't believe that I'm only forty-five years old. You know I speak the truth, don't you?" "Well," answered the simple wife, "I suppose I must believe it, John, as you've stuck to it for more than fifteen years."

THE salesman in the music shop has succeeded at last, after an hour's hard talking, in working off a cheap, wheezy, screeching fiddle on a customer at four times its value. "Where shall I send it?" he inquired. "To No. 14 Slugg street." The salesman's jaw fell. He had moved with his family the day before to No. 15 Slugg street, on a two years' lease.

IF a woman does not like a man, she can characterize him as no man ever can. A certain young man, Mr. Smirk, was noted for an extraordinary and perennial smile. A lady who knew, but did not admire him, described a meeting with him thus: "As I was going out of church, I saw a smile down by the door; when I came nearer I discovered Mr. Smirk was around it."


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### Where Is the World?

Oh! where is the world that we used to know
In the bright, glad days of the long ago?
And where is the smile of the broad, blue skies
As they beat down low to our youthful eyes,
And where are the songs of the birds and bees
And the oft-told tales of the whisp'ring trees?
Where are the voices soft and low?
Oh! where is the world that we used to know?

Oh! where is the world that we used to know?
And where are the roses that used to grow
About our paths; and the fragrant phlox,
And the dear old-fashioned hollyhocks?
And where are the friends whose songs with ours
We blended as blends a wreath of flowers?
Yes, where are the ones we cherished so;
Oh! where is the world that we used to know

Oh, where is the world that we used to know?
And the murmuring brooks that used to flow
Through the dew-kissed meads of clover bloom
Where the bees were drunk with the sweet per fume?
And where are the joys that the snows would bring,
And where is the charm of the new born spring,
And the summer's gold and the autumn's glow;
Oh! where is the world that we used to know?
—Chicago Post.

### Philopene.

In playful mood he placed his black straw hat
On top of Madge's curly, bronze brown hair,
And thought in all his life he'd never seen
A maiden half so ravishingly fair.

Her blue eyes sparkling in a roguish way,
Her dimpled cheeks just red enough to show
The cherry ripeness of her luscious lips,
Just fetched him, and of course he wasn't slow

To seize the opportunity, likewise
The half-resisting Madge, and plant a kiss
Or two, or more, just where they'd do most good,
His aim was true—he never made a miss.

He thought she might be angry, but his fears
All vanished as he reached the hall door mat
She said: "Next time you come be sure to wear
That tricky—mean—old—lovely black straw hat."
—N. Y. Herald.

### Waiting at the Door.

When the shadows gloom and gather,
And the need of rest is sore;
When the light of home is gleaming
On the way that lies before,
And the world's great heart is pulsing
With the memories of yore,
It is sweet to find my mother
Standing, waiting at the door.

Of the good things God has given
From the fulness of His store,
And for which I humbly thank Him
As upon my path they pour,
There is nothing of the earthly,
That so nearly I adore,
As the dear, old, patient mother
Standing, waiting at the door.

But a time of grief is coming,
I have thought it o'er and o'er,
It may come at noon, at night time,
And the years be less or more,
I will need a higher wisdom,
From the book of sacred lore,
When I find no loving mother
Standing, waiting at the door.

When the shadows float behind me
And the soul begins to soar,
In the subtle, swift transition,
Gliding to the other shore;
When the shining portals open,
Sending life through every pore,
I will surely find my mother
Standing, waiting at the door.
—Mary A. McKee, in Interior.

### There's Music Everywhere.

Whene'er I walk abroad I find
There's music everywhere;
The mountain has a heavy base,
A sail can take the air;
Against the harbor-bar the swells
With dashing volume come;
The humming-bird flits gayly past—
I hear the kettle-drum.

The fisherman can castanet
And catch a score or so;
The hautboy cries: "With pain high C
The cornet by the crow;"
The grocer runs the scales and makes
Them weigh a pound full soon;
The bagpipes with a will, the staff
Can carry any tune.

The cobbler tries a measure,
Full forte lyres fill
Our ears with sound; the Jew's-harp too,
Accordion to their skill;
The sky has tone, the pines have pitch,
The sea the quay also;
And lovers, ere they reach the tie,
Are pianissimo.

'Tis thus, whene'er I walk abroad,
Such tuneful sights I see
As prompt to happy rhymes like these
That speak of melody.
The beach is sweet with hims, and soft
The belles salute the heir;
The ocean has a thousand sounds—
There's music everywhere.
—Mrs. George Archibald, in Judge.

### Worthy of It.

I may not reach the heights I seek;
My untried strength may fail me;
Or, half way up the mountain peak,
Fierce tempests may assail me.
But, though that place I never gain,
Herein lies comfort for my pain:
I will be worthy of it.

I may not triumph in success,
Despite my earnest labor;
I may not grasp results that bless
The efforts of my neighbor.
But though my goal I never see,
This thought shall always dwell with me:
I will be worthy of it.

The golden glory of Love's light
May never fall on my way;
My path may always lead through night,
Like some deserted byway.
But though life's dearest joy I miss
There lies a nameless strength in this:
I will be worthy of it.
—Ella Wheeler, in Phrenological Journal.

### The Modern Martyr.

As soon as teacher leaves the house I jes' sits down an' looks
At yellow men an' azure dogs in great big picture books;
I'm always fixed up pretty, an' my dresses are so neat
That I'd be mos' sure to spoil 'em if I went out on the street.
My ma is in society, an' though the weather's warm,
I dasn' play out doors becos it Ain't Good Form.

I think that poor folks' children have an awful jolly time,
When I see them from the window—how they run an' jump an' climb!
An' they tear their clothes jes' frightful, an' they never seem to care;
I wish that I was with them as I watch them playing there.
But I'm mother's little lady, an' I know that she would storm
If I went out on the sidewalk, cos it Aint Good Form.
—Philander Johnson, in Puck.

### The Mouse.

Anna Belinda sat quietly thinking,
And Sally Hypatia sat reading a book,
When, out from a corner, with little eyes blinking,
A visitor crept with a wondering look;
And though he was timid in manner, and shrinking,
Yet Anna Belinda cried: "Mercy, I pray!"
While Sally Hypatia, not even once winking,
Jumped over the sofa and fainted away.
—Mrs. J. T. Greenleaf, in Good Housekeeping.

## A G. A. R. BUTTON.

### The Part It Played in a Nice Little Romance.

"TWO years ago, while I was journeying toward Chicago," says a gallant Captain of the late war, "I had a most interesting conversation with a good-hearted and social Western man who sat beside me in the smoker; and it was he who told me the greater part of what I shall relate. He said that in his neighborhood there lived a certain Colonel Fifer, a veteran of the late war, who was a millionaire. Although he had the means to surround himself with every comfort and every pleasure, he had for several years lived in the plainest manner and had cared nothing for the gayeties of the world. But it was not surprising that he lived as he did, for fate had dealt him cruel blows. In one year not only his wife, to whom he was most tenderly attached, but also two idolized children, a daughter sixteen years of age and a son of twenty, were swept from his side by death. At the age of fifty years he was left alone. The chief object of his life had been to promote the comfort and happiness of his family, and they were gone. He had his great riches, but there was no one near and dear to him with whom he could enjoy them. Some men, visited by a similar misfortune, would have yielded to despondency, but he was a man of too much resolution and good sense to allow himself to become morbid and to let his life go to waste.

"One day, in the course of his travels, he visited a small Western city for the purpose of examining the inducements to invest in real estate.

"While making his inquiries in the city he chanced to see standing in the doorway of a grocery store a man who had a pleasant, intelligent face. The appearance of the man impressed him so favorably that he obeyed a sudden impulse to make his acquaintance. Accordingly Colonel Fifer introduced himself to the man, who proved to be the proprietor of the store, and, finding him very polite and friendly, soon told him what his business was. The man—Joseph Decker was his name—said that, although he was not pecuniarly interested in the real-estate business, he thought he could give the Colonel some valuable information. They had not been talking long before Colonel Fifer noticed that the store-keeper was gazing intently at the lapel of his coat, to which was attached a small bronze G. A. R. button.

"'I see that you are an old soldier, said Mr. Decker.

"'Yes, I have seen a little service,' the Colonel modestly replied.

"'I know you were a good soldier, by your looks,' said the other, eagerly, 'and I wish you would allow me to shake hands with you, for I have been a soldier, too.'

"They shook hands heartily, and soon were engrossed in reminiscences of the war, as only two thorough veterans could become engrossed. Although each of them refrained from recounting his own valorous deeds, it did not take them long to become convinced that each had seen hard service and had been a brave soldier. Mr. Decker became so much interested in his new friend that he insisted that he should go home with him to dinner, and should be his guest throughout the remainder of the day, the Colonel having informed him that it was his intention to leave the city on a late afternoon train. The Colonel felt that he ought not to accept so much hospitality from a stranger, and endeavored to excuse himself; but in vain. Mr. Decker would not take no for answer. It was then noon, and they immediately started for Mr. Decker's home. In ten minutes they reached it.

The house was evidently not a fashionable one, but it was a comfortable

"I SEE YOU ARE AN OLD SOLDIER."

home for a man of modest means, and was situated in a roomy yard where there were fine shade trees and plenty of green grass. As they left the gate and went up the graveled walk toward the front door, Mr. Decker's only daughter ran forth to meet them. She had a winning face, a lithe and graceful figure, and the tender feeling that beamed from her eyes as she spoke to her father convinced Colonel Fifer that she was a dutiful and affectionate girl.

"They went into the house and seated themselves in the pleasant parlor. Dinner was soon announced, and then Colonel Fifer met Mrs. Decker for the first time. She proved to be a very agreeable woman, and was not less anxious than her husband to make their guest feel at home. It seemed to the Colonel that he had never met with a family that interested him more. They were so kind to each other, so desirous to please their guest, that he felt his heart warm toward them as if they were old friends. After dinner they insisted that he should take a ride with them.

"When it was time for Colonel Fifer to take the train, Mr. Decker drove to the station, and the Colonel parted with the friendly family with much regret, after having extended a hearty invitation to them to visit his home.

"About a year passed away, during which the Colonel did not hear any thing concerning the family that had interested him so much, although pleasant recollections of them often came to his mind. One day he picked up a daily paper and began to read an account of a cyclone that had done much havoc in the West. Much to his alarm he noticed that the city where Mr. Decker lived had been partially destroyed by the tornado, and among the list of killed he found the names of his friend and his amiable wife. The picture of the happy family returned to him and his soul was filled with sadness. It seemed cruel and wrong that so great a misfortune should visit people so worthy. He looked for the name of the daughter in the list of dead, but could not find it. Probably she had escaped, and he immediately formed a generous resolution. He packed his valise and made a journey to the unfortunate city. When he arrived he went immediately to the locality where his friend's house had stood. A sad sight greeted his eyes. All of the houses in the vicinity had either been blown down or had been partially torn to pieces. In place of pleasant homes were heaps of unsightly ruins. Mr. Decker's house had been laid flat, and he and his wife, who were supposed to be in an upper room at the time, had fallen into the cellar and had been killed instantly. Their daughter was visiting a school-mate in another part of the city, outside of the cyclone's track, and, frantic with apprehension, ran home only to find her worst fears

HE WISHED TO ADOPT HER AS HIS DAUGHTER.

realized. The terrible shock overpowered her, and it was at first feared that she would have brain fever; but youth and a good constitution were in her favor, and at the time of Colonel Fifer's arrival she was considered to be out of danger. She had gone to live with a married sister of her mother until she could find something to do for a livelihood. It was necessary that she should support herself, for her father's store had been destroyed by the cyclone as well as the house, she would inherit only a little property, and her relatives in the city were in moderate circumstances.

"All of the foregoing facts were learned by Colonel Fifer as he talked with citizens of the place, and served to strengthen his resolution to carry out the plan that he had formed. He sought out the girl. She remembered his visit well and was very glad to see him. She told him that her parents had often spoken of the great pleasure that his visit had afforded them, and had hoped that they should see him some time again. Overcome by recollections of the happy days that she had spent with her beloved parents, and by the consciousness of her own loneliness, the beautiful and amiable girl burst into tears. Colonel Fifer hastened to comfort her and then unfolded his plan for her welfare. He told her that he had no family, that he was rich, and that he wished to adopt her as his daughter and heir. She listened astonished, and at first refused, saying that she could not take so great a favor. But he persisted, told her that he was glad to return the kindness that had been shown him by her parents, and that, now that he was alone in the world, he greatly desired to adopt one that could be as a daughter to him. He argued so well that she finally consented to do as he wished. She soon had good reasons for being glad that she had given her consent, for a kinder man than Colonel Fifer is does not exist. He immediately placed her in one of the best boarding-schools in the country, being resolved that she should have the finest education obtainable, and he frequently visited the school and manifested the greatest interest in her progress. Miss Decker was as bright intellectually as she was amiable in disposition, and made excellent use of her opportunities.

"And now comes the conclusion of my story, that part which to me is the most interesting of all, and a part which I am certain will surprise you. Not long ago a young man in whose welfare I am greatly interested, and in whose abilities I take much pride, became acquainted with the charming Miss Decker, and, as was extremely excusable, and even commendable, all things being considered, fell desperately in love with her. He proposed, and to his vast astonishment he was accepted, for he was a very modest young man. Colonel Fifer inquired as to the character and ability of the young man, and was so well satisfied that he readily gave his consent to the marriage, first stipulating that the young couple should make his house their home, 'and cheer him and take care of him during his declining years. When he is gone they will inherit his property, amounting to a million or more dollars. Next fall the wedding will occur; and now, who do you suppose the bridegroom is? He is my son."

The gallant Captain sat down amid the hearty applause of his comrades, and they all declared that it was the best camp-fire story they had heard for a long time.—J. A. Bolles, in Boston Budget.

## CREEPING AND FLYING THINGS.

A HUGE lobster was caught by Henry Dunbar in the bay of Penobscot. It was thirty-four inches long and weighed twenty-one pounds. The guests at the Penobscot House had the pleasure of discussing the lobster, which was served soon after the catch.

AT Americus, Ga., as the workmen commenced their labors on the roof of the furniture factory, which is three stories high, a huge rattlesnake was discovered coiled on the highest point of the building. The snake was soon killed. Just how he got in to his elevated position is not easily understood, but it is possible that he may have been concealed in one of the rolls of roof tin.

A COCOA (Fla.) citizen witnessed an exciting race between a big rat and a snake of the variety called coachwhip. The man was sitting on his front veranda when his attention was attracted to a swiftly-moving object approaching the house. On closer inspection it proved to be a monster rat pursued by a coachwhip. They dashed under the house, where the rat eluded the snake among some empty orange boxes.

AN odd result of rivalry between two tiger snakes is recorded by D. LeSouef, assistant director of the Melbourne Zoological Gardens. One of the snakes was large, the other small. "Not long ago both happened to fasten on the same mouse, one at each end. Neither would give way, and the larger snake not only swallowed the mouse but also the smaller snake. In about ten minutes nothing was seen of the smaller snake but about two inches of its tail, and that disappeared next day."

THE London Daily News says that at the freight station of Jessen a little wagtail has this year built her nest, choosing a chest in a freight car. The bird deposited four eggs, and remained firmly fixed in that place till she had hatched her young. The car made from six to eight journeys a day, but the bird was in no way incommoded, and remained in full possession of her nest throughout all the bustle of the service. When a stoppage was made at the end of the journey she quietly fed her young.

OF all roosting places imaginable the hands of a clock would seem the last place a bird would seek. But, nevertheless, a feathered warbler of some description took up quarters for the night on the hour hand of the Lima, O., town clock, and was as cozy as a "bug in a rug." It was first noticed about 10:30 o'clock, and, as the hands would soon pass, an interested crowd looked on, anxious to know what the bird would do. Well, that bird knew its business, and when the minute hand drove up in front of it demurely hopped aboard, and, taking a seat on the extreme end, rode safely by. The danger over, it resumed the former position on the hour hand.

A HORDE of noisy sparrows has chosen for a roost a tree in the yard of a citizen of Orange, N. J. For several evenings he has been experimenting with a sparrow disturber, which is at least a partial success. He has tied stout cords to to nearly every limb of the tree and gathered the ends at his window. When the sparrows settle down for the night he goes to the window and jerks the string. The sparrows become "rattled" and flit away in the dark. Another citizen of Orange has a fine growth of ivy on the side of his house, and the sparrows have been inhabiting it throughout the year until recently. He has driven them away by going into the attic and sifting Scotch snuff and cayenne pepper down through the vine.

## AFFAIRS OF AMERICAN WOMEN.

A MAN who was carting away ashes from Mrs. W. C. Whitney's residence at Newport found in the rubbish an envelope containing a check for $6,375 payable to Mrs. Whitney. He promptly returned it and was handsomely rewarded.

EVERY window in Mrs. George W. Childs' Long Branch cottage is filled with a bright scarlet box thickly planted with palms, ferns, hanging vines, and flowering plants. The contrast of the scarlet and green is most striking and very beautiful.

MRS. GARFIELD is rich, besides having $5,000 a year as the widow of a President. Her daughter, Mrs. Stanley Brown, has purchased a fine lot in a Washington suburb upon which she will build a house, where, it is believed, Mrs. Garfield will take up her residence with her.

MISS BLOUNT, daughter of Henry F. Blount, received as a birthday favor a very curious and valuable Japanese cabinet from a celebrated English savant. In the compartments are bits of mummy cloth, a scarab, the pocket compass carried by Admiral Nelson and a number of antique coins.

MRS. PORTER, wife of Dr. William Porter of St. Louis, Mo., wears an opal that has a history. It was given to the doctor by one of his patients, who was a Polish exile living in the United States. The man assured the doctor in giving him the gem that it had once been one of the crown jewels of Poland.

THE wife of Senator Davis, of Minnesota, is able to make this extraordinary statement: "When I was ten years of age my aunt bought me a pattern, some navy blue cloth and some black velvet, and told me I must make myself a gown, which I did greatly to her satisfaction and my own and the envy of my little playmates. From that time to the present I have never paid one cent to a dressmaker or a milliner, nor has any one else done so for me. Every dress, hat and bonnet I wear is made and trimmed by my own hands."

MRS. ELIZABETH STUART PHELPS WARD has relinquished her lot at Eastern point, Gloucester, Mass., where it has been her intention to build a permanent residence. The site is the one on which her world-wide known book, "Gates Ajar," was written. The place has been a favorite resort both of Mrs. Ward and her husband. Together they matured the plans of an ideal home to be erected on that site; waiting only till the isolation and inaccessibility should be obviated by neighbors, but the permanent location of the whistling buoy at Eastern point has caused them to abandon their intention.

## FOREIGN PEOPLE AND EVENTS.

CHANCELLOR CAPRIVI, Bismarck's successor, it is reported is betrothed to a niece of General von Waldersee, Commander-in-Chief of the German armies.

THE Roumanian Government has offered prizes to the architects of all nations for the best plans for its new Assembly and Senate chambers. The first prize for each building is $3,000; the second $1,500; third, $600.

THE London tower is so far on its way to become an accomplished fact that a site of three hundred acres has been purchased. One-half of this ground will be used for a site for the tower and the other half will be laid out in pleasure grounds.

COUNTESS DE BIRON, nee de Lesseps, drives about Paris in her $1,800 victoria dressed in white paneled silk with hand-painted flowers. Her white parasol is ornamented with a Dresden china handle the cost of which would pay for a whole tea set.

CARRIER swallows are now used in France by the military authorities instead of pigeons. A test was recently made at Rauboix, and fifteen of the birds were given absolute freedom of wing for the first time. They flew in different directions, and in about twenty minutes one came back and perched on the trainer's outstretched finger. In half an hour every swallow was back.

THE Empress of Russia, who, as the Princess Dagmar, was one of the royal beauties of Europe, is now so thin and haggard that the friends who have not seen her in half a dozen years do not recognize her. Since her accession she has lived in continual terror of assassination, either for herself or for her husband and son; or in the still more grim companionship of the fear that his consciousness of perpetual danger would unsettle the Emperor's wits.

A VERY rich vein of iron ore has been discovered in Kherson, near the village of Privolna about 300 sazhen from the river Ingula. It is estimated that the yield will be sufficient to keep fifteen iron factories at work. The Minister of Mountain Works has ordered engineers to sink shafts and to begin mining as soon as possible. With the rich yield of coals in that district it will be easy in a very short time to work the new mines for all that they are worth.

IN Mr. Gladstone's library of twenty-five thousand volumes are two which were given to him in 1815, when the future statesman and bibliophile celebrated his fifth birthday, one of the two shabby little booklets being the gift of the admirable Mrs. Hannah More—his "holy Hannah," as Horace Walpole used to call her—then already seventy years of age, but taking great delight in clever children, in which class her young friend "Billy" Gladstone was conspicuous.

SALI, the black boy who traveled with Stanley throughout his long and perilous expedition, is a youth of some resource. Until his terrible book had got into his master's brain the boy had been accustomed to free access to Stanley at all hours; but now things were different; every time he approached the den the least thing he expected was that the ink-stand would be thrown at his head. He no longer ventured therein. One day he originated a new way of saving his head; he had a telegram to deliver, so he ingeniously fixed it on the end of a long bamboo, and getting the door just ajar, he poked it into the room and bolted.

## LAUGHS AT LOVERS.

"THESE are my household gods," he said to her as he entered his bachelor apartment. "But you lack something," she remarked. "What?" "A household goddess."

THEY were rustic lovers and they were courting. "Don't sit so near me," she exclaimed. "I ain't sitting near you," he declared. "Well, if you ain't you mean to—I know you do," she cried. And her fears were at once realized.

"WHY, Clara, you look radiant! What has happened?" "I've just received an invitation to a wedding." "Well, there's nothing particular in that to go into raptures over." "Yes, but it happens to be my own," and she showed the new engagement ring.

A BASHFUL young man escorted an equally bashful young lady. As they approached the dwelling of the damsel, she said, entreatingly: "Zekill, don't tell anybody you beau'd me home." "Sary," said he, emphatically, "don't you mind; I am as much ashamed of it as you are."

A PHILADELPHIA bachelor has a large frame filled with photographs of young ladies, under each of which is pasted a newspaper clipping. With a pathetic accent the poor man exclaims: "They are pictures of the only girls I ever loved, and those clippings are their marriage notices."

A YOUNG man got married without consulting his parents or friends. After seeing the bride, one of his friends asked him: "How did you come to marry that girl? She has not got a pretty face, her figure is not good, she is not rich, neither is she intelligent. What did you find attractive about her?" "Well, you ought to see how prettily she sneezes!"

A SPOONY couple in Paris hailed a cabby, and the gentleman thus gave his directions: "You will go up the Champs-Elysees to the Arc de Triomphe, then to the entrance of the Bois, and then—let me see—oh! then back again, but go very slowly all the time." Cabby took note of the pair and replied, touching his hat, respectfully: "All right, boss; only my horse is rather tired; if you don't mind, I'll just stand still."

A YOUNG woman, on becoming engaged for a second time, was somewhat astonished at receiving from number two the identical ring she had returned to her first love. "Why, Charles," she said, "this is the same ring I had when I was engaged to Harry." "I know it," replied the young man. "Harry is an old friend of mine, and when he heard of our engagement he came round to congratulate me, and offered to sell me the ring for half cost. He said you liked it very much and it fitted, so I took it. Good scheme, eh?" The young woman's sensations are not de-


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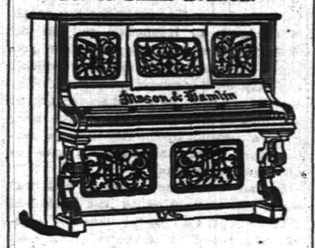
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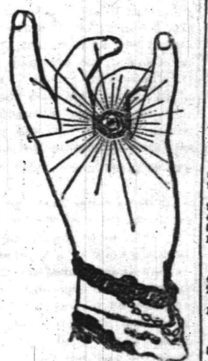
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| 4th do | 10.00 | do | 10.37 do |
| 5th do | 11.00 | do | 11.34 do |
| 6th do | 11.45 | do | 12.03 P.M. do |
| 7th do | 1.45 P. M. | do | 2.15 & 2.35 P.M. do |
| 8th do | 2.45 | do | To the Post Office. |
| 9th do | 3.30 | do | meet 3.51 P. M. train. |
| 10th do | 5.00 | do | do 5.39 do |
| 11th do | 5.45 | do | do 6.07 do |
| 12th do | 6.45 | do | do 7.02 do |

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PLAINFIELD AND NEW YORK.

Leave Plainfield 3 37, 5 24, 5 38, 6 29, 6 59, 7 26, 7 30, 7 40, 8 07, 8 31, 9 07, 9 32, 10 06, 11 09, 11 39, A. M., 1, 1 41, 2 07, 2 30, 3 12, 5 51, 6 08, 6 37, 6 54, 7 03, 8 31, 9 28, 10 12, 11 28 P. M. Sunday—3 37, 5 24, 8 01, 8 52, 11 02, 11 16 A. M., 12 33, 1 30, 3 30, 5 16, 7 01, 7 10, 8 23, 9 32, 10 02 P. M.

Leave New York from foot of Liberty street, 4 30, 5 45, 7, 7 45, 8 45, 10, 11, A. M., 1, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4, 4 30, 5, 5 15, 5 30, 5 45, 6, 6 15, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 8, 8 30, 9 15, 10, 11 30 P. M., 12 15, night. Sunday—4 30, 7, 8 30, 9, 9 30, A. M., 12 M., 1, 1 15, 4, 5 30, 6, 7, 9 00, 10 00 P. M., 12 15 night.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield 5 38, 6 29, 6 59, 7 30, 8, 8 37, 9 33, 10 05, 11 09, 11 39, A. M., 1, 2 07, 2 30, 3 12, 5 51, 6 08, 6 37, 6 54, 7 03, 8 31, 10 12, 11 28 P. M. Sunday—8 01, 8 52, 11 02, 11 16, A. M., 12 33, 1 30, 3 30, 5 16, 7 01, 7 10, 8 23, 9 32, 10 02 P. M.

Leave Newark 7 10, 7 50, 8 55, 10 10, 11 05 A. M., 1 05, 1 35, 2 40, 3 40, 4 02, 4 37, 5 05, 5 30, 5 55, 6 25, 7 15, 7 35, 8 20, 9 35, 10 10, 11 25 P. M. Sunday—7 25, 8 46, 9 05, 9 50, A. M., 12 05, 1 10, 4 10, 5 40, 6 05, 7 05, 9 25, 10 20 P. M.

Passengers for Newark change cars at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7, 8 07, 9 42, 11, 11 58 A. M., 1 59, 2 32, 3 45, 4 34, 5 20, 5 34, 6 20, 6 38, 7 03, 7 12, 7 24 8 20, 9 43, 11 12, 12 43 P. M. Sunday—8 48, 8 13, 9 48, A. M., 2 03, 2 30, 6 14, 6 35, 10 15, 11 14 P. M.

Leave Somerville, 6 40, 7 05, 7 35, 7 48 9 05, 9 47, 11 15 A. M., 12 35, 1 15, 1 48, 2 05, 3 2 4 40, 5 12, 5 38, 8 05, 8 50, 11 05, P. M. Sunday—6 25, 10 35 A. M., 12 08, 1 05, 4 50, 6 40, 8 03, 8 05, 9 36 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7, 8 07, 9 42, A. M., 1 59, 4 34, 5 20, 6 38, 8 20 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 13 A. M., 2 05, 6 35 P. M.

Leave Easton 6 05, 8 44, 10 A. M., 12 32, 4 09, 6 40 P. M. Sunday—7 15, 10 52, A. M., 6 40, 7 30 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 7, 9 42 A. M., 1 59, 5 20 P. M. Sunday—8 13 A. M.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.
LEAVE PLAINFIELD.

5 45 A. M. for Easton; Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

7 A. M. for High Bridge Branch and Easton.

8 07 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 42 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Nanticoke, Drifton, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c.

1 59 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, &c.

4 34 P. M. for D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

5 20 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Schooley's Mountain, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, &c.

6 20 P. M. for Flemington.

6 38 P. M. for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg.

8 20 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

6 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8 14 a. m. Sundays for High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, &c., 2 03 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua and Pottsville. 6 05 p. m Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m. 1 p. m.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c.

Leave Plainfield 3 37, 8, 8 37, 10 05, 11 09, a. m., 1, (2 07, through coach,) 3 51

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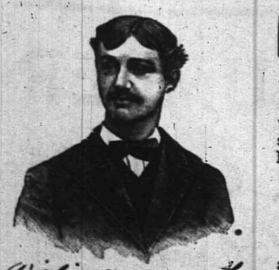

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## NEW YORK'S CENSUS

### Mr. Porter Says There Is No Occasion for a Recount.

### HE DENIES CERTAIN CHARGES.

**New Jersey's Returns Will Explain Why the Population Is Not Greater.**

**Senator Edmunds Opposes the Reciprocity Amendment—The Steamer Kearsarge Ordered to Proceed to Aspinwall at Once—President Harrison Sends a Dispatch to Gen. Barrundia's Widow.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 4.—Concerning the resolution adopted by the New York Board of Aldermen relative to the population of that city under the recent enumeration, and demanding a recount, Superintendent Porter said in an interview that there is no reason for ordering a recount in that city, all the collateral evidence serves to corroborate the accuracy of the enumeration.

The official returns from the State of New Jersey when published will probably give an explanation of the fact that the population of New York did not increase during the last decade as rapidly as some anticipated it would. As the business of the city has encroached upon the residence quarters the residents have found homes in what might almost be called surburban towns adjacent to New York in New Jersey. From the returns already tabulated in the Census Office there is every reason to believe that the results of the New Jersey census will in a large measure explain the apparently small increase in New York city.

An increase of nearly 43 per cent. in Brooklyn also means that a large number of people who carry on business in New York have sought homes in Brooklyn.

Porter denies the charge that politics had anything to do with the work of making up the census in New York.

### THE SUGAR SCHEDULE.

**Senator Edmunds Opposes the Reciprocity Amendment.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 4.—In the Senate Mr. Edmunds, in discussing the sugar schedule of the Tariff bill, said if the duty of two cents a pound were taken off from sugar he did not believe the price of sugar would fall two cents a pound. It would be apt to turn out as coffee had turned out. He did not want to be led into putting sugar on the free list on what he believed to be the fallacious and illusive idea that because sugar was now two cents a pound cheaper in London than in New York, it would then be the same in both places. But even if the wholesale price of sugar did fall by means of the removal of the duty the price at the grocers would not fall. Somebody else than the consumer would make the money.

He spoke of the reduction of the duty on coffee of three cents a pound in 1872, and stated on the authority of the American Minister to Brazil that, as soon as that reduction was known at Rio Janeiro, the price of coffee there was put up three cents a pound. The same thing occurred, he said, two years afterwards, when coffee was put on the free list.

Experience has shown, from that day to this, that the American consumer, had profitted nothing whatever from the taking off of that duty. But on the other hand, the United States had lost nearly $150,000,000 which it would have received from the duty on Brazilian coffee alone.

As a practical farmer and farmer's son, he thought that the farmers in the region where he lived understood that sort of business, and were not extremely anxious that he, as one of their representatives, should go into anything of that kind now.

### ORDERED TO ASPINWALL.

**The Kearsarge Will Proceed at Once to Protect American Interests.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 4.—Orders were issued by the Navy Department for the United States steamer Kearsarge, now at New York, to proceed at once to Aspinwall.

It is supposed that this action is based upon rumors of a threatened railroad strike at the place. Information to that effect has been received at the State Department from Consul General Adamson at Panama.

The latter said he heard the rumors through the consul at Aspinwall, and that he had requested the Columbian authorities to protect American interests in the event of trouble, and had been assured that it would be done.

**A Woman's Body Found in a Canal.**

READING, Pa., Sept. 4.—The almost nude body of a young woman apparently about 30 years of age, the features much distorted, was found in the Schuylkill canal dam several miles below Reading last night. It is believed that the skull is fractured. The woman is not known. City officials are making an investigation. The body has the appearance of having been in the water at least 10 days.

**Drowned in Two Feet of Water.**

BROOKLYN, Sept. 4.—John Kilday, employed as a night watchman on the Brooklyn Water Works extension, was found dead early in the morning, lying face downward in two feet of water at the bottom of an excavation. Kilday came from Amsterdam, N. Y., where he has a family.

**Narrow Escape of Hotel Guests.**

DANBURY, Conn., Sept. 4.—The Ives Grand Central Hotel was partly burned in the morning. Many people were asleep in the hotel at the time and some narrowly escaped suffocation.

### THE STRIKE INQUIRY.

**The Board Adjourns to Meet at 9 o'clock To-Morrow Morning.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 4.—The State Board of Mediation and Arbitration continued its investigation relative to the New York Central Railroad strike, but it adjourned at 11:15 to resume its labors at Albany to-morrow morning.

Superintendents Toucey and Vorhees and Foreman J. W. Stephens of the Central gave some testimony regarding the dismissals of the men before the Board adjourned, but the testimony was unimportant.

After the Board adjourned Mr. Powderly said that he and his colleagues were pleased at what had been developed in the investigation. It proved, he said, that the company was waging warfare against the Knights of Labor.

The correspondence between General Master Workman Powderly and Master Workman Lee, excited much comment, and it was thought that the giving of it to the press was an evidence that the strike would be declared off. Mr. Powderly refused to talk about the matter. A. W. Wright said there was no prospect of the strike being ordered off. The letters, he thought, were not an evidence of weakness. The fight would be continued. The strikers held a meeting and resolved to remain out.

### SHE HAS TWO HUSBANDS.

**The First One Just Heard from After an Absence of 25 Years.**

LOWELL, Mass., Sept. 4.—William S. Davis, of No. 4 Dodge street, this city, received a letter from California containing the information that his father, who left his mother and little children at Pittsfield, Me., in 1849, was living, but very ill at Rockland, Cal. It was signed "Unknown Friend" who proved to be the postmistress.

Wm. W. Davis, the father, who is now 80 years of age, left his home with the gold-seekers of '49, telling his wife that he would return rich. She heard nothing of him afterward. About 25 years ago she heard he was killed by the Indians, and then she married a man nam d Plummer, with whom she still lives at Pittsfield.

The facts indicate that the absent husband and father has kept trace of his family during his self imposed exile. The father is now anxious to see some of his friends from the East.

**Military Affairs at Gettysburg.**

GETTYSBURG, Pa., Sept. 4.—The directors of the Battlefield Memorial Association re-elected the old officers and transacted other business. The 14th Indiana monument will be brought to the crest of East Cemetery hill, and the 4th Ohio memorial, which had been ordered removed, will be permitted to remain where it now is. The 11th New York memorial also stays on the front line. Lieut. Calvin Hamilton was made secretary, vice John M. Krauth, deceased.

**Races at the Elmira Fair.**

ELMIRA, N. Y., Sept. 4.—The New York State Breeders' Association races at the Interstate Fair were well contested. Capt. Waters won the race for stallions who had never beaten 2:40. His best time was 2:35¼. The Nursery stakes was won by Sunshade Patchen. Best time, 2:51¼. The race for stallions without records better than 3:20 was won by Sunrise Patchen. Best time, 3:26.

**Knights Templar at Asbury Park.**

ASBURY PARK, N. J., Sept. 4.—To-day is a field day here for the Knights Templar of the State of New Jersey. The headquarters of the Grand Commandery are at the Ocean Hotel. There will be a big parade and prize drill this afternoon. Eighteen commanderies are expected to participate, and their families and friends arrived on special trains early in the day.

**The Chicago Strike Nearly Ended.**

CHICAGO, Sept. 4.—The carpenters' strike is to all appearances already ended. At the headquarters of the strike committee of the Carpenters Council it was stated that fully 4,000 men returned to work at the rate of pay and terms demanded and that not over 600 men are now idle on account of the strike.

**National League of Republican Clubs.**

SARATOGA, N. Y., Sept. 4.—At a meeting of the executive committee of the National League of Republican Clubs it was decided to not advise incorporation under the laws of the National and State Leagues as proposed. April 21 next was chosen as the date of the next National Convention to be held at Cincinnati.

**Watching for Ghosts.**

DUBLIN, Sept. 4.—Excitement runs high in this city over the report that the recently discovered ruins of the old Chapter House of Christ Church Cathedral are haunted by ghosts, and crowds assemble nightly to witness the appearance of the spirits, who are said to have the forms of priests and nuns.

**Fatal Fire in Philadelphia.**

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 4.—A fire at 1502 Germantown avenue early in the morning caused great excitement. Three unfortunates, a mother, her daughter, and adopted daughter, were suffocated to death. The names of the victims are Mrs. Sarah McIntyre, aged 59 years; Mamie McIntyre, aged 10; Agnes Rogers, the adopted daughter, aged 17 years.

**To Arbitrate the Brick Boycott.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 4.—By invitation of the State Board of Mediation and Arbitration the Board of Walking Delegates of the Building Trades met the former last night and agreed to submit the question of the brick boycott. A similar invitation was sent to the Manufacturers' Association, who replied that the matter would be submitted to their meeting to-day.

## MR. REED IN BOSTON

### The Speaker Warmly Received at the Hub.

### BIG AUDIENCE IN FANEUIL HALL.

**He Thanks Massachusetts Republicans and Praises His Party.**

**In His Speech He Said the Democrats in Congress Were Parsimonious—He Does Not Disclaim the Title of Partisan—Pension Legislation and the Surplus Touched Upon Briefly.**

BOSTON, Sept. 4.—Speaker Reed, who is on his way to Maine to participate in the political campaign in that State, addressed a large audience last night at Faneuil Hall. It was a very enthusiastic gathering and Mr. Reed was given a rousing welcome. Chairman Burdette, of the Republican State Committee, opened the meeting, introducing Jonathan A. Lane, president of the Boston Merchants' Association, as the presiding officer. Mr. Lane made a brief speech, touching upon the tariff question, and then introduced Mr. Reed as the first speaker.

This was the signal for a storm of applause which completely drowned the music and for ten minutes prevented a sound of the Speaker's words being heard. Mr. Reed said:

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN—I am willing to admit that a more cordial reception was never extended to me before, for which I thank you. I accept it as a tribute to the party I represent. At a former meeting in Boston a similar scene attended the anticipation of my policy, and I rejoice to see you applaud its fulfillment. Such kind feelings are gratefully received. No soldier so brave but feels better when, in the thick of battle, he feels the consoling nudge of his comrade's elbow, and I am like the soldier.

As I said at a former meeting in Boston, I now repeat, if the country wants anything done it must come to the Republican party. Such has been the condition of affairs for the last thirty years. The world is growing. Progress is ever creating new situations.

The present Congress with all its shortcomings, gives evidence of a willingness of the Republicans to meet all requirements. The progress of the country necessitates new laws. The nation cannot be run on dead issues. Look for yourselves and name one issue of vital national importance that the Democrats have advanced. Tell of any measure affecting finance, trade or human liberty that has not been decorated with Democratic opposition.

Such being the history of the two parties, is there not good reason for a man being proud to belong to one and not to the other? All progress is over the ruins of old institutions, and the upholders of such fight desperately when their breastworks are invaded. In battle tongue is not considered; parliamentary expressions are forgotten.

Looking over the headlines of the opposition papers, published during the last eight months, some idea can be obtained of the views of some well known gentlemen whose breastworks are being taken. It is amazing to notice the great measures of public interest due to the Republican party. When in power it has been the sole end of the Democracy to undo these measures. The interests of the country have not been consulted by them.

They have devoted their whole time to cutting down appropriations with a view of making the surplus as large and unwieldy as possible. Then they petted and lectured the surplus. Out of power they have concocted all sorts of schemes to dissipate the surplus, so they stand in the position of being happy with or without a surplus.

Despite all this the Republican party has made a record of supporting the surplus and at the same time reducing the national taxation $40,000,000 annually. Pension legislation has proven the most difficult attack on the Treasury which the Republicans have successfully met. It is a subject very little understood by the people at large.

In the East the farmer is satisfied with what the government has done and is going to do for him, but in the West and the Mississippi region he is carried away by the tales poured into his ear of untold Treasury wealth, and he is wild over all schemes to draw a stream of gold from the public treasury. It is due to the Republican party to have met this craze and have vanquished it.

Mr. Lodge followed in a brief address, in the course of which he urged the necessity of passing the Elections bill.

### WALKED IN HER SLEEP.

**Out of a Second-Story Window and Not Hurt.**

FLEMINGTON, N. J., Sept. 4.—Miss Bertha Shaw, a well-known society young lady, had a narrow escape from death while walking in her sleep. She had accompanied a gentleman to a picnic. After her escort had left her at her house Miss Shaw went into the parlor and fell asleep on the sofa.

Suddenly she arose and yet while asleep went upstairs to the second story, opened the window and walked out. She fell on soft grass without being injured. The fall brought her to consciousness and she soon began calling for help, which was responded to by her father and mother.

**Explaining Dr. McGlynn's Visit.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 4.—The Single Tax conference adjourned after passing resolutions of thanks to the press for the accurate reports of the convention. President Post, in speaking of the visit of Dr. McGlynn to the convention, characterized it as a movement to stampede the convention in favor of protection theories.

**Mysterious Poisoning Case.**

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., Sept. 4.—William Shea of Holyoke was taken violently ill last night. He complained of intense thirst and in a short time was unable to swallow. He died at 6 o'clock with every symptom of arsenic poisoning. There are some mysterious features which the police are investigating.

**Vice-President Morton at Rhinecliff.**

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., Sept. 4.—Vice-President Morton arrived at Rhinecliff last evening, after a sojourn of a month at Bar Harbor. Mrs. Morton and her daughters returned on Tuesday evening. The family will remain at Mr. Morton's summer residence until the latter part of October.

**Sharp Shock of Earthquake.**

GILROY, Cal., Sept. 4.—A sharp shock of earthquake was felt here at 2:20 p. m. Its duration was about two seconds.

### BASEBALL GAMES.

**National League.**

AT BROOKLYN.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Brooklyn | 3 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 6 | 0 | 0 | x | —13 |
| Boston | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | —4 |

Batteries—Lovett and Daly; Clarkson and Gansel.

AT PHILADELPHIA.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Philadelphia | 2 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | —6 |
| New York | 0 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | x | —9 |

Batteries—Vickery and Schriver; Sharrots and Buckley.

SECOND GAME.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Philadelphia | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1 | x | —9 |
| New York | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | —5 |

Batteries—Esper and Gray; Burkett and Buckley.

**Players' League.**

AT NEW YORK.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| New York | 2 | 1 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | x | —11 |
| Buffalo | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 0 | —7 |

Batteries—Twitchell and Halligan; Crane and Ewing.

AT BOSTON.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Boston | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 5 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | —12 |
| Cleveland | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | —6 |

Batteries—Gumbert and Murphy; Bakely and Brennan.

AT PHILADELPHIA.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Philadelphia | 1 | 0 | 3 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | —10 |
| Pittsburg | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | —11 |

Batteries—Knell and Cross; Maul and Quinn.

AT WASHINGTON.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Chicago | 5 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | —7 |
| Brooklyn | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 3 | —4 |

Batteries—Baldwin and Farrell; Murphy and Kinslow.

**American Association.**

AT PHILADELPHIA.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Athletic | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —4 |
| Louisville | 2 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 3 | x | —10 |

Batteries—McMahon and Baldwin; Stratton and Bligh.

AT SYRACUSE.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Syracuse | 1 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | —5 |
| St. Louis | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | —3 |

Batteries—Mahr and Pitts; Ramsay and Munyon.

AT ROCHESTER.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Rochester | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | x | —7 |
| Columbus | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | —5 |

Batteries—Titcomb and Grimm; Knauss and Doyle.

AT BALTIMORE.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Baltimore | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | —2 |
| Toledo | 1 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | x | —4 |

Batteries—O'Rourke and Tate; Healy and Welch.

**Atlantic Association.**

AT LEBANON.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Lebanon | 1 | 0 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | —8 |
| Harrisburg | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —4 |

Batteries—Swift and McCaffrey; Lawson, Vagan and Sommers.

**Standing of the Clubs.**

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

| | Won | Lost | P'ct. | | Won | Lost | P'ct. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Brookl'n | 76 | 36 | .679 | Chicago | 63 | 48 | .568 |
| Boston | 70 | 43 | .619 | N. York | 53 | 61 | .465 |
| Philadel. | 68 | 45 | .602 | Cleve'nd | 51 | 62 | .290 |
| Wash'n'g | 65 | 43 | .602 | Pitts'b'g | 19 | 93 | .170 |

PLAYERS' LEAGUE.

| | Won | Lost | P'ct. | | Won | Lost | P'ct. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Boston | 69 | 41 | .627 | Philadel. | 60 | 53 | .531 |
| Brookl'n | 68 | 46 | .596 | Pittsb'rg | 47 | 58 | .448 |
| N. York | 68 | 45 | .593 | Cleve'nd | 42 | 65 | .393 |
| Chicago | 59 | 54 | .522 | Buffalo | 39 | 78 | .371 |

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

| | Won | Lost | P'ct. | | Won | Lost | P'ct. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Louis'v'le | 65 | 36 | .644 | Col'mb's | 55 | 49 | .529 |
| St. Louis | 60 | 45 | .571 | Toledo | 53 | 47 | .525 |
| Athletic | 59 | 45 | .567 | Syracuse | 43 | 59 | .421 |
| Rochest'r | 55 | 46 | .545 | Baltim'e | 28 | 77 | .267 |

ATLANTIC ASSOCIATION.

| | Won | Lost | P'ct. | | Won | Lost | P'ct. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| N. Hav'n | 73 | 25 | .745 | Harrisb'g | 43 | 64 | .402 |
| Newark | 53 | 48 | .525 | Wilm't'n | 32 | 62 | .300 |
| Lebanon | 44 | 45 | .494 | | | | |

**Attendance at Games.**

| | Players | League |
|---|---|---|
| New York | 439 | ..... |
| Brooklyn | ..... | 2,979 |
| Philadelphia | 1,562 | *2,127 |
| Boston | 1,286 | ..... |
| Washington | *2,800 | ..... |
| Totals | 6,107 | 5,497 |

*Exhibition.—Two games for one admission.

**Schedule of To-Day's Games.**

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

New York vs. Brooklyn, at Brooklyn.
Boston vs. Philadelphia, at Philadelphia.
Cincinnati vs. Chicago, at Chicago.
Cleveland vs. Pittsburg, at Pittsburg.

PLAYERS' LEAGUE.

New York vs. Brooklyn, at Brooklyn.
Philadelphia vs. Boston, at Boston.
Chicago vs. Pittsburg, at Pittsburg.
Cleveland vs. Buffalo, at Buffalo.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

Louisville vs. Athletics, at Philadelphia.
St. Louis vs. Syracuse, at Syracuse.
Columbus vs. Rochester, at Rochester.
Toledo vs. Baltimore, at Baltimore.

ATLANTIC ASSOCIATION.

No games scheduled.

### JAY GOULD'S GIFT.

**A Monument to the Memory of John and Betty More.**

ROSENDOUT, N. Y., Sept. 4.—Nearly 5,000 people were present at the unveiling of a monument at Roxbury, Delaware County, to the memory of John and Betty More, the original settlers of the village about 130 years ago.

A reunion of the family descendants from all parts of the United States and Canada occurred. Charles C. More, of Poughkeepsie, delivered the address of welcome.

When the monument was unveiled, Hon. J. H. More, of Michigan, spoke of the life and times of John More. Mrs. Sarah B. Northrop, sister of Jay Gould, also delivered an address.

The monument is of Scotch granite, and is the gift of Jay Gould, whose native town is Roxbury.

**On Trial for Killing His Rival.**

GLENS FALLS, N. Y., Sept. 4.—Frederick Collett was assassinated near Farrisburg, Vt., Sunday evening by Alphonz Shackett, who crept up to Collett's house and without warning emptied the contents of a shot-gun into Collett's head. Shackett was arrested shortly after and his examination began to-day. Shackett was a rejected suitor of Mrs. Collett's, and he swore vengeance against Collett, who successfully wooed the lady.

## DEATH TO YANKEES

### The Cry of an Excited Mob in Guatemala.

### MINISTER MIZNER UNDER GUARD.

**The United States Legation Surrounded by an Angry Crowd.**

**Every Visitor Closely Questioned Before Being Admitted—General Barrundia's Daughter Kept a Close Prisoner—President Harrison Sends a Dispatch and Is Awaiting Details.**

CITY OF GUATEMALA, Sept. 4.—"Death to Yankees!" was the cry of an angry and excited mob that surrounded the United States Legation all day.

Threats of stoning the building and mobbing the inmates were freely uttered, but no overt act was committed in the face of the strong force of police that guards the premises day and night. Every visitor is closely questioned before being admitted to the offices, and is, more or less, under surveillance while inside and until he emerges again.

Whenever Mr. Mizner has occasion to leave the Legation he is surrounded by a body guard of armed police. Rumor has it that these are to be superceded by blue jackets from the Thetis, who are also to form a cordon of safety about the Legation.

Sympathy grows for General Barrundia's daughter, who is kept a close prisoner for her attempt upon Mr. Mizner's life.

**The President Awaits Official Details.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 4.—Acting Secretary Wharton sent the following telegram to the widow of General Barrundia in reply to her message to the President: "The President desires me to say he has received your telegram announcing the death of your husband General Barrundia. While deeply sympathizing with you in your affliction, he awaits official details of the occurrence necessary to determine his action in regard thereto. The matter, you may be assured, will receive most careful attention."

**Mexico's View of the Case.**

CITY OF MEXICO, Sept. 4.—The public and the Mexican press generally speaks of the killing of Barrundia by the Guatemalan authorities as an atrocious deed, and believes that the United States Government should take action at once for the punishment of his assassins and an indemnification for his widow and children.

### WATCHING THE CONGRESS.

**Radical Socialistic Utterances and Demand Cheered by the Delegates.**

LONDON, Sept. 4.—The Conservative organs editorially minimize the importance of the Liverpool Trades Unions' Council, though they, as well as all the other newspapers, devote columns of space daily to reports of its proceedings and comments upon the speeches and resolutions.

A noticeable feature of the congress is that the most radical socialistic utterances and demands are cheered to the echo.

John Burns' speeches display an unexpected amount of temper, and it is evident that Burns is much more cautious and wise as a leader in action than he is as a speaker.

The Congress has voted to accept an invitation for an international labor conference in Brussels in 1891. A number of meetings were held last night in different parts of Liverpool, at which delegates to the council delivered addresses.

### GONE TO FIGHT A DUEL.

**The Marquis de Leuville and a Newspaper Man to Fire Pistols.**

LONDON, Sept. 4.—The Marquis de Leuville left this city for Boulogne, where he arrived and registered at the Hotel Marine. It is reported that the Marquis has gone to fight a duel. The other fellow is a French correspondent for a syndicate of Paris newspapers.

The origin of the duel lies among the other relics of Mrs. Frank Leslie's visit to England two months ago.

Last week the French correspondent undertook to interview the Marquis about Mrs. Leslie. De Leuville threatened to kick him out of the house, but found out that he couldn't. Then the newspaper man got saucy and called the Marquis all sorts of disagreeable names. Finally he was put out.

The next day De Leuville sent the correspondent a challenge, it is said, and it was accepted. The meeting was arranged to take place to-morrow morning. The London police have warned the Bologne officers to stop the affair however.

**Mr. Blaine at a State Fair.**

BANGOR, Me., Sept. 4.—Secretary Blaine, with Gov. Burleigh and staff, attended the Eastern Maine State Fair here. Twenty-five thousand persons were in attendance.

**The Sawtelle Murder Case.**

DOVER, N. H., Sept. 3.—The Sawtelle murder case is now before the grand jury of Strafford County and that body is examining the witnesses summoned to appear before it.

**Gilbert and Sullivan's Earnings.**

LONDON, Sept. 4.—The litigation between the famous operatic collaborateurs, Gilbert and Sullivan, has revealed the fact that the profits of the partnership in eleven years were $1,350,000.

### A GIGANTIC BOYCOTT.

**The Pittsburg Exposition to Suffer on Account of a Labor Difficulty.**

PITTSBURG, Pa., Sept. 4.—The second annual exhibition of the Pittsburg Exposition Society opened in the Exposition buildings in this city last night. The exhibits are numerous and unusually attractive.

During the preparation for the exhibition an annoying strike occurred. Union men refused to continue work on the building where non-union employes of the Westinghouse Company were erecting the electrical display. The completion of preliminary work was accomplished under difficulties and by union men, it is claimed, in violation of promises given by the society. It is authoritatively stated that the different trades unions in Western Pennsylvania have already or will at once take action on the matter and refuse to patronize the exposition.

The action already taken by the Carpenters' Assembly indicates that a gigantic boycott will be inaugurated at once. That the effect will be more or less disastrous to the society cannot be denied when it is asserted that over 40,000 trades unionists and their families will withhold their patronage and support.

### NEWS OF THE DAY.

The labor troubles at the Antipodes have extended from Australia to New Zealand.

The Porte has authorized the establishment of a Russian school at Constantinople.

The Danube Valley is being flooded and Vienna is in danger, while many lives have been lost.

The annual convention of the American Bankers' Association has begun at Saratoga, N. Y.

Owen Shields and John Flaherty, charged with killing James Connors in Lawrence, Mass., were discharged.

An unknown tug with the Leary raft passed Chatham, Mass., at 7 o'clock last night heading for Pollock Rip.

The President has appointed James Brady, Jr., to be collector of customs for the district of Fall River, Mass.

Horace M. Cloverdale, 12 years old, of Philadelphia, was drowned by the upsetting of his canoe in Wreck Pond, near Spring Lake Beach, N. J.

Charles T. Salisbury, general agent of the American Screw Company of Providence, R. I., dropped dead at Block Island early in the morning.

Governor Beaver of Pennsylvania has appointed Stillwell Briggs of Newcastle as Associate Judge of Lawrence county in place of O. H. Greer, deceased.

City Auditor Shaw, of Manchester, N. H., reported to the Mayor and Aldermen that the accounts of ex-City Marshal Jenkins showed a shortage of $2,950.

Horace A. Wilder, proprietor of the Centennial House, at Bethlehem, N. H., and one of the best known men in the White Mountains, died at the age of 53 years.

Mrs. Adolph Nanson, of Lowell, Mass., was fatally burned by the explosion of a kerosene stove at her home on Powell street. She was removed to St. John's hospital without hope of recovery.

The Texas State health officer, Dr. R. Rutherford, reports, as the result of an investigation, that the disease which has caused so much discussion in Waco, Texas, is the mildest form of smallpox.

Capt. Sydney Crowell, who died at Hyannis, Mass., Saturday of pneumonia, was born at Yarmouth in 1828. At 19 he was captain of one of the vessels of the Boston and New York packet line.

A resolution has been adopted by the glass men of the country, who are in session at Chicago, to advance prices, limit reduction and demand a prohibitory tariff, so that Belgium and other European glass may be kept out.

Joseph Tatero, aged 28, serving a year's sentence for adultery in the Pittsfield, Mass., County Jail, committed suicide during the morning. A week ago he attempted to kill himself by opening the veins of his left wrist. This time he secured a case knife and reopened the old wound.

Mrs. Emily Cavanaugh, of New York city, who on the evening of July 24 endeavored to riddle her actor-husband, John Cavanaugh, with bullets at the corner of Irving Place and Fourteenth street, was sentenced to five years and four months in the State prison.

**Weather Indications.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 4.—For New England: Fair; warmer; variable winds, becoming easterly.

For Eastern New York, Eastern Pennsylvania and New Jersey: Fair; warmer; variable winds, becoming southeasterly.

For Western New York and Western Pennsylvania: Fair; warmer; southeasterly winds.

**NEW YORK MARKETS.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 3.—Money on call to-day, 5½ and 6 per cent.

BONDS.

| | Closing Yesterday. | Closing To-day. |
|---|---|---|
| 4½s, 1891 Reg | 104¼ | 104 |
| 4½s, 1891 Coup | 104 | 104 |
| 4 s, 1907 Reg | 126 | 125 |
| 4 s, 1907 Coup | 126 | 126 |

STOCK MARKET.

| | Closing Yesterday. | Closing To-day. |
|---|---|---|
| Canadian Pacific | ..... | 82½ |
| Central Pacific | 34½ | ..... |
| Chicago, Bur. & Quincy | 101¾ | 101¾ |
| Delaware & Hudson | ..... | 142¾ |
| Del., Lack. & Western | 144¾ | 144¾ |
| Erie | 20¾ | ..... |
| Erie pref | ..... | ..... |
| Lake Shore | 108 | 108¼ |
| Louis. & Nash | 89¾ | 89¾ |
| Michigan Central | ..... | 93 |
| Missouri Pacific | 71¾ | 72 |
| New Jersey Central | ..... | 122 |
| Northwestern | 110¼ | 110¼ |
| Oregon Navigation | ..... | ..... |
| Pacific Mail | 45¼ | 45¼ |
| Reading | 42¾ | 43 |
| Rock Island | 85 | 84¾ |
| St. Paul | 72¾ | 73¼ |
| Union Pacific | ..... | 51½ |

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## BY THE WAY.

—The Red Men of Plainfield will visit the New Brunswick Indians September 13.

—Rand, the stationer, has a full line of school books and supplies. See advertisement in today's PRESS.

—Miss Mattison resumes piano instructions on Monday next. Her card appears in our educational column.

—Even such distant papers as *The Hotel Mail* express themselves in rapturous notes over the new Howard Club car.

—The regular business meeting of the Reform Club will be held this evening at eight o'clock. A full attendance is desired.

—The Olympia club house and bowling alleys on Sycamore street, will be rented by the Crescent League until such time as their new house is completed.

—Crescent-Westfield base ball game at Westfield, next Wednesday, September 10. Grand stand reserved seats, 50 cts., can be had by mail of Frank T. Lent, Westfield.

—The annoying flea pest of which several Plainfield families complained seems to have subsided, and now Newark and Harlem are suffering from the lively little creatures' bites.

—Jacob Seader, the old veteran whose pension was so long delayed as told of in THE PRESS of yesterday, received today a check for $798.83 back pay and notice of an allowance of $24 a month hereafter.

—A Plainfield housewife advertised in a recent issue of THE PRESS for a waitress. Fifteen minutes after the paper was issued a satisfactory applicant, who had learned through THE PRESS of the vacancy, was permanently secured.

—The Trentons, who play ball here Saturday, were defeated by the West Ends, at Somerville, Monday. Saturday's game, therefore, may afford a means of judging where Plainfield will stand and land in the coming series with Somerville.

—Saturday's ball game is against the Trentons. This is the only team the Crescents have met this year that they have not defeated. If Plainfield's team wins, they will have the unprecedented record of beating every nine they have played against.

—A mania for disfiguring the bill-boards about town seems to have taken possession of some of Plainfield's urchins. The law provides for the punishment of those who deface signs, and if the offenders are caught they will pass through an unpleasant experience.

—The Directors of the Plainfield Building and Loan Association have voted, pursuant to the constitution, to raise a third series of shares. The number will be limited to 500, the payment of dues commencing September 22. The treasurer of the Association, Judge Wm. R. Codington, will impart all needed information.

—Plainfield Engine Company, No. 2, made a great success of their picnic Monday evening. The committee of arrangements, which is given great credit for its management of the affair, consisted of A. Kahrman, R. D. Eick, F. B. Randolph, C. J. Newman, Frank Shuck, Hiram K. Voorhees, W. F. Townley, W. S. Marsh, W. T. Sherwood and C. W. Smith.

### Col. Teeple Won It With His Ithaca Gun.

The third shooting match for the silver trophy, took place at Campbell's Club House yesterday afternoon at half-past three o'clock. "Colonel" Teeple, with his brand new Ithaca gun THE PRESS has told about, won after a long and hard contest.

Smith and Teeple tied on seventeen breaks out of twenty. On shooting off the tie each broke four out of five. On the next five Teeple won, breaking four to Smith's three, and making a total score of twenty-five out of thirty. The following is the score at 20 blue rocks: E. Teeple, 17; C. Smith, 17; Dan Terry, 16; Tee Kay, 16; R. B. Manning, 13; S. G. Smith, 13; T. Brantingham, 12; H. Campbell, 7; Dug Darby, 7.

The former winners of the trophy were Councilman S. G. Smith and T. Brantingham. The next shoot will take place in two weeks.


"Five years ago I had a constant cough, night sweats, was greatly reduced in flesh, and had been given up by my physicians. I began to take Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, and after using two bottles of this medicine, was completely cured."—Anga A. Lewis, Ricard, N. Y.


## PARTICULAR MENTION.

The Rev. Jesse L. Hurlbut and family are at home again.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. A. Woodruff of East Second street, are guests at The Arborton, Ocean Grove.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. M. Stillman left town yesterday for Castine, Me., where they will spend several weeks.

The Misses Gertie and Annie Cogan, of Laurel Hill, L. I., have returned home after a two weeks' visit with their uncle, F. M. Whitely, of North Plainfield.

Emma A. Jones has transferred to John J. Poillon, land on East side of Kensington avenue, 150 feet from North side of Putnam avenue, 150x173 feet, for a consideration of $2,250.

Frederic R. Coudert, the eminent New York lawyer and Plainfield real estate owner, who was severely injured by being thrown from his horse near New Market several weeks ago, is recuperating at Fire Island. His physicians say that it will be a month more before he will be able to use his injured leg.

Karl Feininger writes from Berlin that his voyage to Hamburg was a very pleasant one, and his reunion with his family a thing to be long remembered. "I cannot say," he continues, "that I anticipate the coming separation on September 12, but I must be in New York again before October 1, and resume lessons." Those who want to join his Plainfield class may address him at Steinway Hall, New York.

At Valois, on the St. Lawrence river, the other day, Willie McClure, the fourteen-year-old son of Counselor McClure of this city, won the second prize in the single-scull race. Young McClure had only two weeks' training and pulled in a borrowed shell that was some pounds too heavy. The large crowd present at the races loudly expressed their appreciation of his fine work, and experienced oarsmen said that if he had as good a boat as the winner, he would have been first at the finish.

### Those Games With Somerville.

The talk of the town is the series of games arranged between the ball teams of this city and Somerville, which news was first told in THE PRESS. They will be played on the last three Saturdays of this month. The first, on September 13, will be at Somerville and the other two on following Saturdays in this city. The managers of the two clubs will hire in New York a professional umpire unknown to both. Each club will pay an equal share of his salary. An effort will be made to secure the one who umpired the Princeton-Yale matches. The entire receipts of the first game go to the Somerville club, and the entire receipts of the second game will go to the Crescent League. The receipts of the third game, after deducting the umpire's salary, will be equally divided between the two clubs.

The Crescent League's team will remain as it is. There will be no changes. The Somerville team, however, will be strengthened. The battery will be Harkins and Bowes. The rest of the team will probably be—O'Rourke, first base; Farrell, second base; Williams, third base; Howe, short stop; and Davenport, Bergen and Carbonell in the field. It is a strong team but the Crescents can beat it.

There is no one to be afraid of in this Somerville team. Galligan will be the extra man to go in the box if Harkins is hit, but he can't hurt anybody. Bowes caught for Plainfield in a game that the Somerville's won. Howe played here with the Metropolitans and could not hit over Martin's head besides being struck out by Gentle Gregg. O'Rourke played with the Crescents a year ago, and Farrell is a back number. All else that can be said is that Williams is a good one, the outfield is strong, and Harkins is a hitter from way back.

### Councilman Spangenberg Breaks Away.

A rupture has occurred in the Big 6 and for a righteous reason, too. Councilman Spangenberg refused last evening to vote to grant any more "wholesale" liquor licenses. He says he has not joined a temperance society, and is still an advocate of high license; but he considers that there are enough beer peddlers now, and those who have paid $700 for a license to sell by the glass, should be better protected from the cheap dealers.

### North Plainfield Transfers.

During the past week the following changes in Borough real estate, have been recorded:

Wm. E. Marsh et al to Anna M. Marsh, tracts of land in North Plainfield. (Power of Attorney.)

Mary A. Marsh et al., heirs, etc., to George N. Nelson and Albert E. Nelson, property in North Plainfield, $400.

### A Small Circle but They Do Much Good.

The "Whatsoever Ten" Circle, King's Daughters, members of Trinity Reformed church, met yesterday afternoon at the home of Miss Mabel Woodruff. They sent to the New York Flower Mission for distribution in the tenement house district 138 bunches of flowers. They have met every Wednesday during the Summer and sent flowers.

### "The Manly Art of Self Defence."

Giving "blow for blow," is often more thought of, than that other "art of self defence," which consists in defending one's own system from the assaults of disease and neglect. When dyspepsia, biliousness, "liver complaint," jaundice, and the like lay hold of the system, the best defence is the immediate use of Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets; tiny, sugar-coated Granules, made from concentrated vegetable extracts; one a dose.

## A PITFALL FOR BOROUGH FEET.

### Unguarded Excavations Receive a Victim, and Yawn for More.

Residents of the Borough say that their lives are in peril every time they pass Richard Elliott's vacant lot and gravel pit on Somerset street after nightfall. The ground has been excavated from the back of the lot close to the sidewalk line, and besides being considered an eyesore is a constant source of danger. It is a dark spot, after sundown. A few planks are usually laid across the edge of the opening, but no handrail or other guard has been erected, and no light is ever displayed: consequently, pedestrians may at any time, without warning, step off into space, and serious injury may result.

Last Monday night a woman, a resident of Duer street, returning from the grocers' excursion, congratulating herself on having passed the day without mishap, had occasion to pass the gravel pit. To avoid crowding others, she took a step aside, and fell headlong into the great hole beside the walk. She was stunned by the fall, and lay unconscious several minutes. When she recovered her senses two men with considerable difficulty lifted her out, and assisted her home. It is considered extraordinary that no bones were broken, nor serious internal injuries received.

The Borough authorities are the proper ones to see that every precaution is taken along their thoroughfares, to prevent such accidents. If they don't heed the case in point they may yet be taught a very severe lesson.

### The Misses Levy Will First Appear in Plainfield.

The comedians, Evans and Hoey, appear here for the first time on Monday evening, presenting their great comedy success, "A Parlor Match," Edition De Luxe. Among the new specialties introduced this season are the Levy sisters, three in number, who will make their first appearance in America in Plainfield. They have been the talk of London for the past two seasons and will be without a doubt the talk of this country for there is seldom seen such large women or any so clever.

### Awful.

On Thursday Friday and Saturday we will put on sale ten cases of ladies' and misses oxford ties at 50 cents that have sold for $1.00 and $1.50 all Summer. Also a broken lot of ladies' and gentlemen's shoes some as low as 75 cents a pair. Come early and get your pick for they are all to be closed out in three days. Rogers Bros., 12 West Front street.

## SYRACUSE CRAWFISHED,

### And Then He Retired and Tied His Head Up with a Towel.

When five or six men get together and begin to tell stories there is always more or less lying done, especially if they are only casual acquaintances. Going down on the boat from Natchez there were three or four "rings" which hung together, and each of us told some pretty tall stories. There was a man from Syracuse who laid himself out for a whopper, and when the rest of us were through he settled back and said:

"Gentleman, the ship which was carrying me to India was burned off the island of Borneo, and I got away in a boat with a single sailor."

"When was this?" asked a native Mississippian, who was taking a lot of mules down the river.

"In 1858."

"Exactly—go ahead."

"We had neither water nor provisions in the boat," said the man, "and after drifting for three days I wanted to draw lots to see who should die. The sailor refused."

"His name?" asked the Mississippian.

"Foster, I believe."

"You are right; go ahead."

"I suffered one day more, and then, as he slept, I killed him with my knife and drank his blood. It saved my life. Next day I was picked up by a ship."

"And you killed the man, did you?"

"I did."

"And drank his blood?"

"Yes."

"Well, you are the man I've been looking for these many years. That sailor was my brother—my big brother—the only brother I ever had!"

"No!"

"Yes, he was. Some of those who got away in another boat saw him go off with you and told me of it. Stranger, the man who drinks my brother's blood has got to die!"

"But you must be mistaken. I—I hardly think his name was Foster."

"Oh, yes it was. Name was Foster—ship got afire—off the island of Borneo—drifted about in a boat. It's all straight, and now I want satisfaction. Have you got a bowie knife about you?"

"Look here, boys," said the Syracuse man, as he caught his breath, "I'm in a box and I have got to make a confession. I was lying about that adventure from start to finish."

"Sure of it?" demanded the Mississippian, while every body else laughed.

"I know I was."

"Didn't kill my brother and drink his blood?"

"Certainly not."

"Well, then, that's all right and I'm glad to hear it. I'm as humble as a lamb on ordinary matters, but when it comes to killing my brother—the only brother I ever had—why, who wouldn't fight?"

We asked the Syracuse man to give us something else, but he wouldn't do it. He went off to his state-room and tied his head up with a towel.—N. Y. Sun.

### A Chicago Custom.

Gazzam (taking up card)—Who in the world is this? "Mrs. Annie Laker-Smyth-Cregier-Van Shooten-Livewayte-Penuckle."

Mrs. Gazzam—It's a Chicago lady who has adopted the new style of hyphenating each husband's name as fast as she marries—Jury.

### First Reunion Since the War.

ASBURY PARK, N. J., Sept. 4.—The survivors of the Twenty-ninth New Jersey Volunteers held their first reunion since the civil war at Keyport, the armory of the Puritan Guards. Adjutant-General William S. Stryker, of the New Jersey National Guard, delivered an oration. Ex-Superintendent Walling, of the New York Police, led the veterans in the march that preceded the banquet. Four hundred veterans of the old regiment were in line.

### Broker Frank Work Injured.

NEW YORK, Sept. 4.—While Mr. Frank Work, the well known broker, was driving in Central Park one of his horses became refractory and the team ran away. Mr. Work jumped out of the wagon and was dragged some distance, sustaining severe contusions.

### Murdered by an Unknown Man.

BELLEFONTE, Pa., Sept. 4.—An unknown man shot Harry Waterhouse, an Englishman, about 50 years old, here during an altercation. Waterhouse died in about an hour. The murderer was arrested, but refused to give his name. He is a stranger in the place.

### Fatal Ending of a Spree.

NEW YORK, Sept. 4.—John H. Wyle, a soap manufacturer of Camden, N. J., ended a spree by committing suicide in Gee's Hotel, on Eighth avenue, last night. He took poison.

### Potters and the Knights.

TRENTON, N. J., Sept. 4.—The Potters' National District Assembly are in session here. Delegate Henry of Ohio introduced a memorial giving among other reasons why the Potters should leave the Knights of Labor, that the order kept the Potters in trouble because of its constant strikes, and that the assessments were too much of a drain. In the west the Knights are becoming blacklisted because of the many strikes they get into. The resolution accompanying the memorial wants the Potters to form a separate trade organization. J. J. Holland, of the Executive Board arrived, and further discussion was postponed.

### Banquet to Henry George.

NEW YORK, Sept. 4.—Henry George was entertained at a banquet and reception at Coney Island by the Brooklyn Single Tax Club. Many single tax men made addresses and delegates were present from the leading single tax clubs of every State in the Union.


"It goes right to the spot," said an old gentleman, who found great benefit in Ayer's Sarsaparilla. He was right. Derangements of the stomach, liver, and kidneys are more speedily remedied by this medicine than by any other. It reaches the trouble directly.

## Sick Headache

IS a complaint from which many suffer and few are entirely free. Its cause is indigestion and a sluggish liver, the cure for which is readily found in the use of Ayer's Pills.

"I have found that for sick headache, caused by a disordered condition of the stomach, Ayer's Pills are the most reliable remedy."—Samuel C. Bradburn, Worthington, Mass.

"After the use of Ayer's Pills for many years, in my practice and family, I am justified in saying that they are an excellent cathartic and liver medicine—sustaining all the claims made for them."—W. A. Westfall, M. D., V. P. Austin & N. W. Railway Co., Burnet, Texas.

"Ayer's Pills are the best medicine known to me for regulating the bowels, and for all diseases caused by a disordered stomach and liver. I suffered for over three years from headache, indigestion, and constipation. I had no appetite and was weak and nervous most of the time. By using three boxes of Ayer's Pills, and at the same time dieting myself, I was completely cured."—Philip Lockwood, Topeka, Kansas.

"I was troubled for years with indigestion, constipation, and headache. A few boxes of Ayer's Pills, used in small daily doses, restored me to health. They are prompt and effective."—W. H. Strout, Meadville, Pa.

## Ayer's Pills,

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## Auction Sale of Crockery!

Sale to commence SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, 1890, at 2 o'clock P. M. rain or shine, at No. 25 SOMERSET STREET, Plainfield, N. J.

Don't fail to visit this great Auction Sale. Chance of a lifetime. 9 4 2

M. H. A.

## Music Hall.

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 8.

The Comedians,

EVANS and HOEY,

In their Evergreen Success,

-A PARLOR MATCH,-

*Edition De Luxe*; Hoyt's best play, embellished with a whole lot of good things.

First appearance of the LEVEY SISTERS in America.

Prices—35c., 50c., 75c., and $1. Seats on sale Friday. 9 2 td

## NEW LIVERY!

IRVING C. STELLE,

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In the rear of S. C. Peck's store.

First-Class Horses and Carriages

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A share of public patronage is solicited.

Telephone call 182. 6-30-3m

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Largest package, greatest usefulness of any cereal.

Equally delicious and wholesome in porridge and mush (hot, cold or fried), Gems, Griddle Cakes, etc.

Better than drugs as a hot weather tonic and regulator.

For young or old.

At leading grocers.

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## Wanted Immediately

A young man with a thorough knowledge of

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Apply, with references,

United Tea & Coffee Growers Ass'n.

Leading Grocers,

29 WEST FRONT STREET. 9 4 tf

DON'T FORGET THE

## SOCIABLE

In T. A. B. Hall, on THURSDAY NIGHT of this week.

The Committee in charge promise a good time to all who attend. 9 3 2


### LIST OF ADVERTISED LETTERS

Remaining in Dunellen Post Office for the month ending Aug. 30, 1890:

Agent Penna R R
Agent P & R R R
Allen, Mr John W
Boice, Cyrus
Barry, John
Blackford, Nathan
Calhoun, Lt G A, U S N
Creelin, Chas
Cunningham, Wesley
Clements, Jr Jos B
Curtis, Miss M E
Clawson, J R
Dilts, Mrs W E
Eaglesson, Mrs Elletta
Elder, Prof Wm A M
Farier, Wm
Furman, F M
French Board'g House
Garretson, H S
Griffin, Miss Mary
Hancock, Rev John
Vloter, Mr H Gladstine
Hefty, Mat
Johnson, Mr Robt
Kerrigan, Miss Winny
Kenny, John
Lord, David S
Miller, Rev A
McMahon, Mrs Mich
Maguire, Miss Katie
Overland, Mrs J
Quinn, John
Roberts & Collins,
Richardson, Wm
Voorhees, A P
Smalley, Mrs Jane H
Vancleve, Rev Cook S
Topeler & Co, Wm
Taylor, Mrs Jos R
Smalley, Samuel
Whiteing, Fredk
Wagener, Jeptha A
Wendell, John

Persons calling for the above please say advertised. JAMES H. HAROLD, P. M.

### Arrival and Departure of Mails

*NEW YORK MAILS.*

*Arrive*—7:30, 8 40, A. M., 12:15, 2:30, 5:30 P. M.
*Close*—7:30 and 9:30 A. M., 1:45, 5:30 and 8 P. M.

*SOMERVILLE AND EASTON MAILS.*

*Arrive*—8:40 A. M., 2:40, 6:30 P. M.
*Close*—7:30 A. M., 4:30 P. M.

Direct mail to Trenton and Philadelphia at 4:30 P. M.

*SUNDAY MAILS.*

Office open from 9:30 to 10:30 A. M.
Mail closes at 6:30 P. M.

E. B. POPE, P. M.

### WANTS AND OFFERS.

*Advertisements under this heading, one cent for each word each insertion.*

WANTED—A competent, practical Dressmaker; steady employment. Madame Gettl, Park avenue. 9 4 3

GIRL wanted to do general housework. Must be good cook: must have references. Call 10 Third place. 9 4 2

TO LET—Store corner 4th and Washington; 18x26.

WANTED to hire by the month, a safe and sound horse for family driving; if found satisfactory, might purchase. Address, Good Care, PRESS office.

WANTED—Three competent girls: cook and laundress, chambermaid and waitress; also a nurse, (not under 20 years.) References. 120 East Front street. 9 4 2

BUTTONHOLES—Mrs. C. M. Jackson has removed to 18 East 2d street, and desires employment making first-class buttonholes for ladies' and gentlemen's garments. 9 4 w

GOOD horse for sale. Apply 330 West Front street. 9 4 3

WANTED—A place for a young girl to mind children, or light housework. Inquire at 35 Steiner place.

WANTED—A competent cook and laundress; unexceptionable reference required, at 12 East 7th street.

WANTED—Girl for general housework. 27 Bay street.

ONE room house to let near Pond tool works. $12 50 per month. Inquire Chas. H. Hand, 8 West Second street. 9 2 2 eod

MAN wanted to work by the month and live on place. Address R., PRESS office. 9 2 3 eod

DESIRABLE front room to rent, furnished; with or without board; locality perfect. Address M., care PRESS. 9 2 3 eod

WANTED—At South Plainfield, 10 wood choppers; wages $1 90 per day. Inquire at Geary's Hotel; Byron & Bro., Contractors. 9 3 3

WANTED—Girl for housework and care of children. Apply Andrews, No. 49 Liberty street. 9 3 2

FURNISHED House to Let; will board in lieu of rent; privilege of other boarders. Address W., PRESS office. 9 3 4

WANTED—A girl for general housework. Apply 35 Madison avenue. 9 3 2

WANTED—A young girl as chambermaid and waitress. Apply immediately at Boston Cafe, No. 7 Somerset street. 9 3 tf

STORAGE for furniture in separate rooms. Apply to C. Frank French, 69 Somerset st. 9 2 tf

GIRL wanted to do general housework. References required. Apply No. 1 Myrtle avenue. 8 30 4

A LARGE Front Room, furnished, to rent, 21 West Second street. 8 30 2w

TO LET—Part of a house. Inquire at 33 Madison avenue. 8 25 tf

WANTED—Jobbing at painting, glazing kalsomining and roof painting. Address Isaac Kennedy, 49 Chatham street, North Plainfield. tf

WANTED—Work cleaning Vaults and Cesspools. Satisfaction guaranteed. City Odorless Excavating Works, 256 Broadway. Mrs. David Jones, Proprietor. No connection with JONES & CO. 6-11-tf

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Apollinaris Water; pints, $1.50, quarts, $2 dozen; Belfast Ginger Ale, $1.40 dozen.

Excelsior Sugar Cured Hams are the best—15c.

The finest Java and Mocha coffee in town, and the prices are right. Won't be undersold for same quality of goods. P. M. DEMAREST, 25 PARK AVENUE. 3-24-tf

## CLAIRVOYANT

Mrs. DR. EDWARDS,

By request of her many former patrons has returned again to Plainfield; can only remain a few weeks, from

August 26 to September 10.

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**President Moffett Courteously Intrusts the Whole Matter to the Present Water Board —Other Doings of Interest in the Common Council, Including Signs of Mutiny Among the Big 6.**

The harmony that usually characterizes the deliberations of the Plainfield Common Council was considerably disturbed last night by the squawkings of a human voice trying on a new opera, whose notes, bereft of melody, went floating across the housetops and through the open windows, piercing the ears of all in the Council chamber with holes large enough to drop nickels in; and there followed, as a seeming result, a surprising chopping-up of the balloting over nearly every question. Councilmen voted for or against a thing just as everybody seemed to think they wouldn't, and the uncertainty of what the vote would be on each important matter arising added a spice of excitement to the interest of the session.

When the Council assembled, the subject uppermost in many minds was that concerning the water-works, and it was one of the first matters reached. The Corporation Counsel lost no time, after his return from Europe, in preparing his views on the subject, and they were presented in the following communication:

*To the Honorable Common Council of the City of Plainfield:*

GENTLEMEN:—On August 21st, last, Supreme Court Justice Magie allowed a writ of certiorari applied for by Israel Dewis against J. Herbert Johnston, William Foster, Jr., Cornelius N. Hoagland, James Moore, Samuel Knox, John B. Moore and George Kyte, incorporators of the Water Works Company of Plainfield, and the Inhabitants of the City of Plainfield, for the purpose of reviewing the resolution of the Common Council adopted December 27th, last, purporting to give consent to the incorporation of such company, the resolution of the Common Council purporting to accept the offer and contract of said J. Herbert Johnston and others, and authorizing and instructing the Mayor and City Clerk to execute the contract with the said company, and the contract purporting to have been executed in pursuance thereof, together with all matters and proceedings of the Common Council touching and concerning the said resolutions, offer and contract.

The probable purpose of the prosecutor is to test the constitutionality of the act of the Legislature adopted April 21, 1876, under which the Water Works Company of Plainfield was formed.

With respect to this question, it is sufficient at this time to say that long before the incorporation of the said company the Corporation Counsel of this city called the attention of the proposed incorporators and of their counsel, Mr. Hill of New York, to the fact that the constitutionality of the statute under which the incorporators proposed to organize, had several times been called in question. The titles of all such cases, and the books and pages in which the same were reported, were furnished by me to the company's counsel, and were carefully examined by such counsel, before the company was incorporated. The act in question has never been declared to be unconstitutional. As was declared by Vice Chancellor VanFleet in *May, 1888, "The question whether that statute is valid or not is an unsettled legal problem * * * The question, though twice before the Supreme Court, is still unsettled."* The remarks of the Vice Chancellor are as true today as when he uttered them. The committee of the Common Council then having the matter in charge, considered that as there appeared to be no other law under which any company having necessary powers of condemnation could be formed for the purpose of supplying water in this city, and as the proposed incorporators, after having their attention called to the cases in which the constitutionality of this law had been questioned were willing to invest their money, and take the risk of the statute being subsequently declared unconstitutional, the city could well afford to consent to the proposed incorporation, and to the proposed contract, whereby the whole expense of construction, including the supervision of the city's engineer, was to be borne by the Water Company.

The counsel for the water company adopted the view that inasmuch as the law had despite all attacks stood upon the statute books for some fourteen years, and several cities and towns were supplied with water pursuant to its provisions it was highly improbable that the courts would declare the act invalid, and, if they did, he believed that there would be little difficulty in procuring the necessary remedial legislation which all such cities would, with one voice, demand.

The counsel for the water works company of Plainfield called at my office today and informed me that the company were making arrangements to proceed with the execution of the contract in strict accordance with the terms thereof, and that the company would be glad to unite with the city in taking any action that might be deemed advisable, looking to the full and entire completion of the contract in good faith as originally contemplated. The counsel for the company also offered to join forces with the city in defense of the action brought by Mr. Lewis in case the city should deem such concert of action advisable.

The writ was granted expressly on condition that argument should be had at the ensuing November term of court. The importance of the case renders it probable that a speedy decision will be handed down.

I advise that your honorable body refer the matter to some appropriate committee with power to act in conjunction with the Corporation Counsel in taking such action as the interests of the city may seem to require.

Dated September 3, 1890.

Respectfully submitted,
CRAIG A. MARSH,
Corporation Counsel.

Promptly following the reading of this report came the adoption of the suggestion that a committee of three be appointed to act with the Corporation Counsel in the matter. Before the committee was appointed, however, Councilman Newhall requested the privilege of being excused from serving on it.

"Giving this matter in charge of a new committee," he said, "will relieve the Water Board of a great responsibility. This responsibility we don't shirk, but we are willing to be relieved. Though in the natural course of events such a question should go to the Water Board, I hope that the Chair will grant me the courtesy of leaving me off the committee."

President Moffett listened quietly to Mr. Newhall's statement, and appointed the Water Board, with Mr. Newhall as chairman, as the committee.

The only other mention of water works appearing during the session was caused by the introduction of the "seventh report of progress" by Supervising Engineer Rudolph Hering.

Mr. Hering stated that the wells, connecting pipes and other essentials for collecting the water from the ground had been completed, and the erection of the pumping station was well under way. The building was being constructed of mountain stone and cement, hard and durable, and the workmanship was satisfactory, but the external appearance was coarse and inartistic, and the attention to architectural requirements demanded by such a conspicuous site had not been given. He had the assurance of the company, however, that they would yet give the building a thoroughly attractive appearance.

Two-thirds of the time—the report continued—for the completion of the water system, had expired, and though bids for material had been received the contract for the purchase of street mains and connecting pipes had not yet been completed. Even if a large force were immediately put to work it was not practicable to finish the water works properly by January 1, as the contract demanded.

Mr. Hering's report was referred to the Water Board, whose chairman, Mr. Newhall, "called attention to statements now made for the first time by Engineer Hering that the time had passed when it was possible to complete the works under the strict terms of the contract. Besides," he continued, "though the company has paid the $2,000 reported delinquent at the last meeting of the Council, there is now a few days overdue another $1,000. We should like, therefore, to have this entire matter referred to our Board with power. We want authority to take whatever preliminary legal proceedings the Corporation Counsel may deem necessary."

Mr. Newhall concluded with the statement that though he desired such action he didn't wish to make the motion himself, and Councilman Smith moved that the Water Board be given full power to take whatever preliminary legal proceedings Counselor Marsh might advise concerning the water company's fulfillment of its contract. The motion was unanimously carried.

Another matter concerning which much public interest had been aroused was the proposition which has been under consideration some time to give the city a perfect fire alarm system, and the popular local advocacy of the scheme was gratified by the awarding of a contract to construct in Plainfield *the best system in the world.*

The Committee on Fire and Buildings reported that after a careful examination of the several systems proposed, and a thorough consideration of the various contracts suggested, they deemed the offer of the Gamewell Fire Alarm Telegraph Company the most advantageous and the best. The committee had secured the addition of several advantages to the original proposition, and the company had agreed to furnish privileges worth $200 or $300 more than they had mentioned at first, with no increase of the original price, $3,125. For this sum they stood ready to construct, within four months after the signing of the contract, a perfect system of fire alarm, complete in every particular, and including a central or battery station, a signal station with thirteen connecting signal boxes, placed advantageously throughout the city, with five keys for each box, a whistleblowing machine to be attached to a whistle on the electric light works, gongs for the engine houses, and tappers for the house of the Chief Engineer and other fire officials. By the mere pulling down of a hook in each signal box the exact location of the fire is registered, and an alarm is automatically sounded indicating in just what part of the city fire is discovered. The boxes also contain signal keys for police service. The company proposed to use twelve miles of hard-drawn copper wire in the system—eight miles of bare wire, and two miles of insulated. At the completion of the system, in four months, and the payment of the specified sum, $3,125, it would become the property of the city, and the city would be licensed to use it under the Company's patents. It would be put in operation as soon as the Board of Engineers and the Committee on Fire and Buildings had inspected it and accepted it.

Mr. Newhall suggested, when the reading of the proposed contract had been finished, that all danger from electricity ought to be very carefully guarded against. He thought that all the wires used in the service ought to be insulated; it would be safer and more satisfactory in the end. He also deemed it advisable that an agreement be procured from the company guaranteeing the proper working of the system for a certain length of time.

Councilman Hetfield said that he didn't consider it necessary that all the wires should be insulated. The use of bare wires except in the neighborhood of electric light wires was entirely safe, and wholesale insulation would but add to the expense.

Chas. Wann, of North Plainfield, a representative of the Gamewell Company, was accorded the privileges of the floor. He stated that the cost of insulated wires would be about $30 per mile more than bare wires. The wires would be placed at the top of the present telephone and electric light poles, out of reach of the other wires. Insulation, he continued, was necessary only in proximity to electric light wires, which also were insulated. The thirty years' experience of his company had demonstrated the thorough success and safety of bare wires where no other wires than telephone or telegraph were near. Other cities mingled fire alarm, telegraph and telephone wires freely. As to a time guarantee, his company had so much confidence in their apparatus that any defects in mechanism or construction that manifested themselves inside of two years would be made good at the company's expense—and if there were any defects they would be discovered in less time than that.

Mr. Newhall expressed himself entirely satisfied with the statements of Mr. Wann, but still felt a dread of stringing any more bare wires along the streets or across buildings and lots. He felt that too much caution in such matters could not be exercised.

Mr. Hetfield still thought entire insulation a needless expense.

Mr. Smith agreed with Mr. Newhall that all the fire alarm wires ought to be insulated, to guard against every possible accident.

A motion was already before the Council to agree to the contract submitted by the Gamewell company, and Mr. Newhall moved to amend the contract by providing that the company give a time-guarantee satisfactory to the Committee on Fire and Buildings, and also providing that all the wire used in the system shall be insulated, a fair additional amount being added to the cost for such additional insulation.

For the amendment all voted aye except Mr. Hetfield who explained that he was in favor of the time-guarantee, but opposed to entire insulation as a useless expense.

The original motion, to accept the Gamewell Company's proposition, was then unanimously adopted as amended, and the Board of Engineers and the Committee on Fire and Buildings were authorized to fix the locations for the signal boxes.

The report of the Board of Fire Engineers was presented, stating that the cost of the new 10-inch steam whistle to be purchased by the city for use in connection with the Gamewell system of alarms would be about $300, while the old bell and tower could be sold for $400. The whistle would be perpetually connected with a strong head of steam, free of charge at the electric light works. The Board also recommended that the inlet to the fire well at the corner of Front and Somerset streets, be changed, at a cost of not over $50, from the forebay at French's Mills to the raceway, as now it constantly failed when most needed. The report was referred to the Committee on Fire and Buildings.

Wm. E. Johnson, sexton of the Methodist Episcopal church, was appointed keeper of the town clock at a salary of $2 50 per month.

Edwin H. Dobbs was appointed regular policeman in place of Eugene A. Laine, resigned, and Patrick Kiely was also appointed a regular policeman.

City Judge W. B. Codington reported that during the last quarter 73 prisoners had been brought before him, and $220.50 in fines had been paid. Overseer of the Poor J. Oakley Nodyne, reported that $1,095.63 had been expended by the city on the poor the past three months, and forty-eight families and single persons had been assisted.

Several residents petitioned for relief from the constant submersion of the roadway North of the railroad track near the Netherwood station, stating that in Winter the place was almost impassable, and that even in Summer the road was often a foot under water. The Committee on Streets will consult with the Land Improvement Company owning the adjoining property with a view to remedying the difficulty.

On motion of the Finance Committee the City Treasurer was authorized to borrow $1,000 for the poor fund, $5,000 for the general fund, and $2,500 for the fire department fund, and was authorized to pay two $500 fire bonds now due.

The Committee on licenses stirred a breeze by reporting as not approved the application of James Day for a hackman's license and Joel C. Giddis for a license to operate a stage line between Plainfield and Dunellen, giving as their reason the statement that the city had enough hackmen already.

Mr. Hetfield protested against discrimination concerning men going into the hackmen's business. This was the first instance, he said, where any attempt had been made to prevent a hackman from entering his chosen line of work.

Mr. Roberts and Mr. Smith considered that North avenue was already blockaded by too many vehicles.

Mr. Spangenberg thought it inadvisable to try to shut any hackman out at this late season of the year.

A vote was taken on the application of Giddis, and the first noteworthy split of the evening—outside of the nine-to-one vote on the fire alarm insulation question—occurred. Councilmen Dunham, Hetfield, Jenkins, Johnson, Moffett, Newhall and Spangenberg voted to grant the license. Councilman Gallup, Roberts and Smith voted no.

Then a vote on Day's application was taken, and Councilman Roberts pursed his lips and said "we might as well all vote aye," and voted aye himself. Consequently only two Councilmen—Johnson and Smith—voted against granting the license.

Liquor license applications next attracted attention. August H. Krohne of Plainfield avenue, asked for wholesale or "quart" license, and the License Committee reported that the application conformed to the laws and ordinances, and was correct in form.

Mr. Spangenberg instantly announced his intention of voting against the application.

"We have enough of such places already," he said. "Those to whom we have already granted licenses have paid high fees, and we ought to protect them against encroachment."

Mr. Smith held that Krohne's business would not interfere with that of anybody but the one other wholesale dealer.

Mr. Dunham at this point threw a little bombshell that he had been nursing in silence all the evening.

"I," said he, "dare to say that this man who now applies for a license has been selling illegally, in defiance of the law. It's a farce for him to seek our protection now. And what's more I believe there isn't a man here that doesn't know that Krohne has been selling illegally."

Mr. Smith retorted that Mr. Dunham's remarks were entirely wrong, as Krohne had not been dispensing illegally, and Mr. Hetfield stated that he for one hadn't known and didn't know (as Mr. Dunham charged) that Krohne had been selling against the law.

A tie vote resulted, Councilmen Gallup, Hetfield, Moffett, Roberts and Smith voting in favor of granting the license, and Councilmen Dunham, Jenkins, Johnson, Newhall and Spangenberg voting against it. The application was declared not granted.

The application of Michael F. Watson for a "quart" license next came up, and was defeated by the following vote:

To grant—Councilmen Hetfield, Moffett and Smith—3.

To refuse—Councilmen Dunham, Gallup, Jenkins, Johnson, Newhall, Roberts and Spangenberg—7.

Only one "quart" application was left—that of Matthew Kilpatrick. It was refused.

To grant—Councilman Gallup—1.

To refuse—Councilmen Dunham, Hetfield, Jenkins, Johnson, Moffett, Newhall, Roberts, Smith and Spangenberg—9.

Mr. Spangenberg announced that because he had voted against these application it must not be inferred that he had joined a temperance society; the reason for his voting as he had was because he was in favor of high license for all. At this Mr. Dunham gave one of his cutest winning smiles, said that as for him he didn't think that temperance societies would hurt anyone, and rolled his eyes like cherub-marbles across the room towards the high license man.

Two stepping-stones presented to the city for use at the Public Library were accepted with thanks.

An ordinance was presented having in view the macadamization of Plainfield avenue from Seventh street to the city boundary line.

Mr. Hetfield objected to macadamizing streets in the outskirts and neglecting thoroughfares in the heart of the city. Ordinances for macadamization of Third and Fourth streets [and Elm place, Councilman Jenkins interposed] had been adopted long ago, and yet those streets were in many places in very bad condition.

Mr. Smith, Chairman of the Street Committee, said that those thoroughfares would be attended to as soon as the property-owners subscribed the customary percentage of the cost. Plainfield avenue was one of the oldest thoroughfares in Plainfield, and for eleven years no street had been in a more disgraceful condition. The property-owners had subscribed $2,000 more than one-half the cost of improvement, and the purpose of the ordinance was to keep faith with the subscribers and to put the avenue in first-class order, even going so far as to curb it in places where washouts frequently occurred.

Mr. Hetfield insisted that the streets in the heart of the city ought to be given attention before Plainfield avenue. Such streets as Madison avenue, Central avenue and Richmond street had been macadamized entirely at the city's expense; and why couldn't Third and Fourth streets be perfected now without demanding subscriptions?

After further discussion the ordinance was adopted by a vote of seven to three, Councilmen Dunham, Gallup, Johnson, Moffett, Newhall, Roberts and Smith voting in favor of it, and Councilmen Hetfield, Jenkins and Spangenberg against.

The Committee on Lights were given power to place electric street lamps along the improved Plainfield avenue.

On motion of Councilman Jenkins, the Mayor and Street Committee were appointed a committee to confer with the North Plainfield authorities concerning the widening and opening of Peace street.

Councilmen Smith and Newhall together framed a motion that when Council adjourn it be to meet Monday evening, September 15, in special session, to consider street railway matters, the water works question, and the proposition to audit city laborers' bills every two weeks.

Mr. Hetfield moved to amend by adding the matter of street macadamization to the list of items for special consideration. The amendment was lost.

For the amendment—Councilmen Gallup, Hetfield, Jenkins, Moffett, Spangenberg—5.

Against—Councilmen Dunham, Johnson, Newhall, Roberts, Smith—5.

The original motion was then carried unanimously, and the Council adjourned for two weeks.


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## THE CRANKS.

There is one kind of man has accomplished much good.
Though often without a sole thank;
Because his intentions were misunderstood,
The man to you known as a crank.

When Noah his ark in the days of old reared,
The rabble around him were frank
To tell him a flood was something unheard,
And to laugh at the commodore crank.

But when the tide rose o'er the mountain tops wide,
And they strove in the sea's bosom dank,
They thought of the truth they once did deride,
And remembered the words of a crank.

When Columbus first told to the Castilian court
Of a country rich, verdant and rank,
They laughed him to scorn, and made him their sport,
And doubtless some called him a crank.

But when a new world he discovered full soon,
Their puns and their railleries sank;
Each strung up his harp to fit a new tune,
And praised the wise thought of the crank.

When Fulton his steamboat was building, 'tis said,
Folks thought it a lunatic's prank,
And deemed his fit home in a house for the mad,
For fools, you know, laugh at a crank.

But when the invention, completed at last,
Moved off mid machinery's clank,
They opened their eyes as she swiftly steamed past;
Not one of them called him a crank.

When Pasteur his mission attempted to show,
Some called him a fool mountebank;
But now they are forced to acknowledge we owe
A paean of praise to the crank.

His thoughts are all twisted and tangled one way,
Like the strands in a thread knitter's hank;
But this will be righted and straightened some day,
And then all the praise to the crank.

Like a foreign hand-organ that grinds but one tune,
When turned by an Italian lank,
His mind ever dwells on one thing; only one,
The onederful mind of the crank.

Perpetual motion oft claims his thought,
Though to others 'tis almost a blank;
If his wished-for invention should ever be brought
To work, it will be by a crank.

On this you can bet with assurance your gold,
And high on your winning can bank,
Though hatless, though homeless, though houseless and pld,
The smartest of men is the crank.
—Yankee Blade.

## SAVED BY A BANK-BOOK.

### Disastrous Experience of a Greenhorn on a Florida Homestead.

I HAD been a clerk in a city store ever since I was old enough to work, and I was green. There is no doubt about that in my mind now, though I spurned the thought then. I had sold the stony little farm on the bleak Vermont hillside, which had come to me after my father had worried himself into his grave trying to get rich on it, and had landed in Florida full of guide-book opinions of the balmy climate, the fertile soil, the clamoring market for sub-tropical fruits, and the ease with which they could be raised in that "land of the cypress and myrtle."

"I took up a homestead on the long, narrow strip of land that divides the Atlantic ocean from the Indian river. I did not go to see it before 'entering' for it at the land office, because I knew that to be unnecessary. The guide-book said that strip was wonderfully fertile, salubrious and easy of access. I found a good many homesteads on it not yet occupied, and I wondered a little that a greater rush of settlers had not been made for it. However, I set this down to my own good luck in being so early in the field, and figured on selling off enough of the homestead in a year or two to pay for a fine house on what I retained for my own use.

"I reached the spot by sail-boat from Titusville, at the head of the river, and was delighted to find that I had neighbors, not far away to the north, and also to the south. They were 'crackers.' That is the name which one native Floridian applies to other native Floridians whom he does not like. They had orange groves, to be sure, but they did not seem to be growing rich on their crops. This I attributed to their shiftless method of agriculture. Instead of clearing their land of the big pine trees that cumbered it, they merely girdled

I REACHED THE SPOT BY SAILBOAT.

the trees, and left them standing, dead and bare, a constant menace to passers-by and to the young orange trees which were planted among their roots, as well as an eyesore on the landscape.

"I determined to cut my trees down, in the good old New England fashion, clear the land thoroughly, and raise vegetables between the rows of orange trees till they were old enough to bear a golden harvest. First I set to work on the underbrush, and then came my first experience with palmetto roots. If there is one thing more exasperating than another to get out of the ground, it is a palmetto root. A palmetto as high as your waist, with a stem as thick as a baby's arm, will have a root as big around as a boy's leg and as long as the whole boy. This root runs along, just under the surface of the ground, sending down a fringe of tough feelers into the subsoil, that holds it like the suckers of an octopus.

"But the most exasperating thing about it is that when you have dug down and got a fair hold on the thing, with your hands, if it's a little one; with your hoe (a big, strong, heavy affair, made for the purpose), if it's a middle-sized one; and with a chain attached to a mule, if it's a big one; the pesky thing breaks off in joints about a foot or two long, at the first good pull; and you have to hitch on all over again.

"Well, by the time I had two acres of palmetto roots pulled out and a wilderness of big trees down on top of them, my back was almost broken, my ready money all gone, and no prospect of a crop in sight. I had come down in the early fall and now it was about Christmas. The season had been a pretty dry one and the logs looked so full of sap that I thought they would burn, though too green to burn fast. So I set them on fire.

"That was the most disastrous fire I ever lit. I forgot that the sap of these trees was mostly resin. The way the flames crept along through that mass of underbrush and leaped up every resinous pine tree it met was terrific. I fought it as long as I could move a limb and then dropped, exhausted and despairing, and watched it roar off through the woods like an evil spirit that I had raised and was powerless to control. It was sundown when I gave up the fight,

ALL ARMED WITH SHOTGUNS.

and I could do nothing more that night. Too wretched to eat, I drank freely from my little store of whisky and threw myself on my couch.

"The liquor and the exhaustion made me sleep far into the next day, and I was awakened a little after noon by loud knocks at my door. Opening it I was confronted by five or six big, rough men, all armed with shotguns and with an ominous look on their faces. They strode into my cabin and shut the door behind them.

"'Stranger,' said the spokesman, gruffly: 'You have started a fire here in your darned Yankee ignorance of farmin', and all the good you've done is to burn the rawsun and the bark off a lot of green trees, and now ye've got a lot of black logs on your hands that are a derned sight meaner to handle than ever. But yer derned fire has spread into the groves of yer neighbors, where the dead trees were still a standin', and they have been burned to the ground, as anybody but a natural-born fool might 'a'-knowed they would, and our orange trees is ruined with them. Such varmint as you isn't fit to live in this country. Say yer prayers, mister, for we're going to plant you before we go back.'

"I was terribly frightened, for I could see they were in dead earnest. My teeth began to chatter, but a bright thought struck me. I had deposited some money in a bank at Jacksonville on my way down, and had a check-book with some blank checks left in it, though the money had all been drawn out long ago.

"'Gentlemen,' I said, 'I am clearing this place for a Northern syndicate, who are going to make extensive plantations here, and I can pay you on the spot for your losses, caused by my ignorance of Florida forests, and I assure you that such a thing will not happen again.' With that I whipped out my check-book, took up a pencil and prepared to write with as much show of confidence as I could muster under the circumstances.

"I had been pretty free with the five or six hundred dollars I had brought down with me, and so the story of the Northern syndicate seemed to them to be likely enough. The word syndicate, any way, seems to have an awe-inspiring power down there. The idea that a syndicate might be penniless seems preposterous. But it was the bank checks that overwhelmed them; checks on a real National bank were something they had heard of, but never handled before.

"You may be sure they swindled me awfully in making up the estimates of their losses, but I was not disposed to be penurious, merely making enough objections to allay possible suspicion. So I drew a check for each man, big enough to buy his whole farm five times over, and they went away laughing to themselves at my gullibility.

"As soon as they were out of sight, I packed into my boat all my outfit, set every stitch of sail and reached the nearest town by the next night, sold my outfit for enough to buy a ticket North and did not breathe freely till I felt myself well beyond the reach of these simple 'crackers,' whose groves I had ignorantly ruined, and in whose hands I knew my life would not be worth an hour's purchase when they discovered how I had escaped their just indignation."—N. Y. Tribune.

### The Ways of Woman.

Armand—Come! Fly with me! I implore you!

Camille—Never! Sir, you insult me.

Armand—What! You will not go?

Camille—I will resist you with all the strength of my woman's nature. If you would tear me from this place you must first drug me and render me unconscious. You will find a bottle of chloroform on the bureau over there.—From an Unproduced Drama by Dumas.

—"Queer! She never asked me to call." "Perhaps she was afraid you would take her at her word."—Harper's Bazar.

## STRICT SOBRIETY.

### How Colonel Blowers Failed to Carry Out His Pledge.

COL. HARVEY BLOWERS promised his wife that he would never again drink a drop of intoxicating liquor. "Molly," said he, "from this time forward number me among your soberest acquaintances."

"Harvey, you have made me so many promises."

"Yes, dear, I know that."

"And each time you have broken them."

"That's very true, precious, but I will never do so again."

"How many times have you made such a promise?"

"Oh! never mind that. I have come to the conclusion that unless a man reforms he is gone."

"Well, Colonel, I will give you one more trial."

"Now you are talking. One more trial is all I want."

The next day, after the above-narrated conversation, the Colonel accidentally met an old friend. Had not the meeting been accidental it would not have

"OH! I'M WITH YOU."

occurred. The Colonel owed his friend. After a few moments of pleasant conversation the two men went into a saloon. The Colonel said that he would take seltzer. His friend looked at him in astonishment.

"I've stopped drinking," said the Colonel.

"The deuce you have!"

"Yes."

"Since when?"

"Well, I haven't taken a drink for several days."

"What's the matter?"

"Nothing, only I promised my wife that I would not drink again."

"That's all right, of course, but you are not that foolish, I hope."

"It is not foolishness, old boy. I must stop."

"When, just as you meet me? Take a little something."

"I don't want seltzer, that's a fact. Give me a little ginger ale."

"Oh, now here, Colonel, don't whip the old man around the stump."

"Well, confound it, give me a little whisky," said the Colonel.

A few moments later the friend said: "Won't you have something else, Colonel?"

"Nothing else, thank you."

"You can stand another whisky."

"Of course, I can stand another, but I don't want one."

"Well, hang it, let's take one anyway."

"All right, blamed if I care."

They drank. After about ten minutes had elapsed, the Colonel said:

"Suppose we try another one?"

"Can we stand it?"

"Stand it!" The Colonel laughed.

They took another one and seemed to stand it.

"Well, sir," said the Colonel, "do you know that a few drinks of whisky make a man of me? It's a fact. My memory is better, my mind becomes more acute. After I take a few drinks I can recall odd little scraps of poetry and little grabs of sentiment which had long been forgotten. Here, fill 'em up again."

They drank.

"I promised my wife that I would not drink again," said the Colonel.

"Well, you haven't drunk again," replied the friend. "You've drunk whisky."

"By George, that's a good joke," exclaimed the Colonel. "Haven't drunk again. Haw! haw! haw! Old fellow, you ought to start a humorous paper."

"I could run her and don't you forget it."

"Well, I should say so. Say, when I go home my wife will not know that I have taken a drop."

"Of course she won't. Suppose we try it again."

"Oh, I'm with you."

They drank.

"I don't see how these fellows around town can stand it to drink so much," said the Colonel. "I couldn't, I am sure. In fact I don't see why any man desires to throw himself away. Let's see, what remark was it that the Governor of North Carolina made to the—"

"Haw! haw! haw!" laughed the friend. "That's a good one. A little more of the same, please. Well," he continued when the drinks had been brought, "here's a rum go, as the Englishman says."

"A bloody rum go," added the Colonel. Then they leaned on the bar and laughed.

As the Colonel was going to dinner, he mused:

"I was never soberer in my life. Blamed if I don't believe that I am soberer than I was before I took a drink."

Dinner was not quite ready. The Colonel's wife was tacking down a carpet. The Colonel said that he would help her. She looked at him suspiciously. It hurt his feelings. He got down on his knees and went to work. His words were the worst of soothing syrup. Pretty soon his wife, in attempting to arise, uttered a shriek. He had tacked her skirts to the floor. Then he began to blubber. It was no use, he said, for a man to try to be anybody. Everybody was working against him. He would go away and never come back again. His wife kissed him and he blubbered afresh. The Colonel, like many another man, is a brute.—Opie Read, in Arkansaw Traveler.

## WANTED THE TOWN.

### The Only Man on Record Who Ever Frightened a Western Real Estate Shark.

Let an Eastern man register at a hotel in any of the far Western towns and he is sure of a caller within an hour. The caller will turn out to be a real estate agent, and he will be followed by No. 2, No. 3, No. 4, and so on until the list is exhausted. A Detroiter who recently made a trip to Washington Territory had no sooner registered at the hotel in a certain town than he was asked for a brief interview, and the interviewer began:

"You are probably seeking a real-estate investment?"

"Yes."

"You want an investment that will double in one year's time."

"I do."

"I have it."

"How much capital will be required?"

"Ten thousand."

"I wouldn't fool away time with it."

"Do you wish to go $50,000?"

"That would be no object, sir. What can this whole town be bought for?"

"You don't—don't mean—"

"But I do. Go out and get me a ten days' option on the whole town, every thing included, and, if not too high, I'll close the deal and pay the cash inside of a week."

The agent walked softly out, his eyes as big as onions and his hair on end, and the Detroiter was not bothered by any others. They hadn't any thing rich enough for a man who could buy the whole earth.—Detroit Free Press.

## MADAM WAS PLEASED.

### But Unfortunately She Expressed Her Delight Too Soon.

Housekeeper (to pleasant-faced girl at employment agency)—Have you any objections to the country?

Girl (politely)—None at all, madam.

Housekeeper—I have quite a large family.

Girl—The more, the merrier.

Housekeeper—Seven children, two of them quite young.

Girl—I love little children.

Housekeeper—It will be necessary for you to bake bread, wash and get the meals. I attend to the pastry and chamber work myself.

Girl—I will also make the pastry and do the rest if you will allow me.

Housekeeper—I can not give you more than three afternoons off.

Girl—Two will be sufficient, perhaps more than I will want, as my plan is to give strict attention to my household duties and thus get the work done up promptly every day, so as to have plenty of opportunities to rest between times.

Housekeeper—I am delighted—

Stranger (suddenly entering)—Sorry to interrupt you, madam, but you are conversing with one of my patients who has just escaped from the Hopelessly Incurable Lunatic Asylum. — N. Y. Weekly.

### His Preference.

"Would you rather spend the afternoon at the base-ball grounds or here at the tennis club?" she inquired, fishing for a compliment.

"Here, by all means," he replied. "There isn't a single bar-room handy to the base-ball grounds."—Munsey's Weekly.

### Caught.

"Why, child, what are you doing?" asked a mother trout as her youngest was being drawn rapidly out of the water.

"Just foraging on my own hook," replied the little trout, and it was landed. —Judge.

### It Made a Slight Difference.

Jones—I am opposed to working on Sunday. It's wicked.

Tough Citizen—Well, that's not the way you used to talk.

Jones—I know it; but I'm working for the Government now.—Texas Siftings

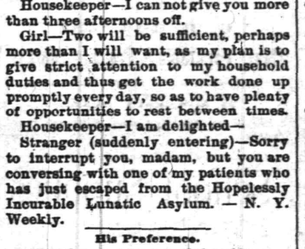
### A PLAIN ADVANTAGE.

Real Estate Agent—This is a good lot, my friend.

Friend—But it stands right-up-and-down the side of the hill.

R. E. Agent—Yes; but look at the drainage!—Puck.

### DECEITFUL APPEARANCES.



Uncle Hiram—Who you get to patch your clothes, young man?

Summer Boarder (disgusted)—Those aren't patches. They're checks.—Munsey's Weekly.

## HEDGED IN BY RULES.

### Some of the Tribulations of Sleeping-Car Porters.

#### Queer Mandates and Regulations Issued by the Pullman and Wagner Companies—Questions Asked of Men Seeking Employment.

The life of a porter on a sleeping-car is usually pictured as one full of trials and tribulations, and his work as lacking sufficient remuneration. All this is in a great measure true.

"Most men who enter into the duties of a 'car-service man,' as the porters are called, recognize that they are working for a vast corporation, and there must exist a strict system of discipline. It has been said that among the orders issued to the porters are those to wear clean, white linen, "stand-up" collars and bright and clean uniforms. They are furthermore forbidden to speak to the lady passengers, unless first spoken to In other words, as one of them put it: "We are expected to dress like dudes, but not to act like them."

A Chicago News reporter spent some time the other day talking to a few Pullman and Wagner porters. The men were not at all disposed to enumerate their little grievances. A railroad official remarked that it was because they did not have confidence in the interrogator's identity. "They may think you are a special agent," he said. "Yes, we find lots of things that we are ordered to do unnecessary and not very pleasant," said one porter on a vestibuled St. Paul train, "but it would not do for me to complain. The officials would find me out and tell me if I did not like the work to get out and make room for a willing man."

Superintendent Lincoln, of the operating department of the Wagner Sleeping-Car Company, was interviewed. He showed the reporter the printed instructions issued to porters and conductors. They are almost identical, section after section, with those of the Pullman company "A porter or conductor travels a rough road to secure his position," said Mr Lincoln. "The number and nature of the questions asked the applicant very often startle the man. He must be able to read and write, to state his antecedents, education, physical condition, names, addresses and businesses of each of his employers within five years at least, stating his position with each employer, and when and why he left the employ of each man. The applicant is also asked: 'Are you willing to go wherever sent?' 'Are you in debt?' 'Do you use intoxicating liquors?' 'Do you ever play games of chance for money or gamble in any way?' These are sample questions. A porter, when he is accepted, is told his duties and supplied with badges, buttons and white jackets. The uniforms, summer and winter weights, he must purchase. The porter is not asked to wear a white vest. That is a portion of the conductor's summer uniform. The vest in cold weather is covered up by the coat, which is buttoned clear to the top. A white standing-collar and flat scarf are demanded of the porters for the sake of having uniformity and preventing gaudy or 'sporty' neckwear. The shoes or boots must be kept polished, and our company prohibits the use of slippers at any time while on duty. The Pullman company allows its porters to wear slippers, after all passengers have retired, or when lying at a waiting point. The summer or light-weight uniforms are worn from June 1 until October 1. Porters are requested to remove their caps when making up or putting away berths or attending to other similar duties. They are provided with white duck jackets by the company to be worn over the uniform while doing this work only, and the porters must see that they secure enough to have a clean one for each night. At no time while on duty is a porter allowed to play cards or gamble. This seems like a startling array of rules, but if the men are willing to do the work they are employed to perform they can not consistently complain."

"Have you any system of rewarding old and efficient men?"

"Yes; they get the best 'runs,' like those to New York on the limited. We have porters who commenced working for us fifteen years ago. They like the work, and, as I said, they get the preference of the best runs. These porters earn much more than the conductors."

There is one thing which very often disgusts a Pullman porter. His berth is supposed to be that in the smoking-room, but should the smoking-room be "sold," he must take "upper 1." If that also is occupied, the porter must either remain awake or crawl up on the roof and sleep. Between the hours of ten p. m. and three a. m. the porter is monarch of the car. He can lie with one eye open and watch any number of passengers enter the car at a main station, but, though they call loudly for their berths, he never moves. It is his sleeping time, and the conductor must then make up berths.

### Villages Built in Trees.

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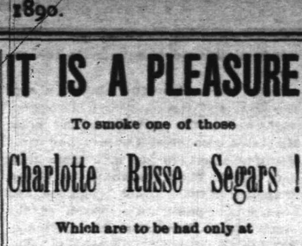
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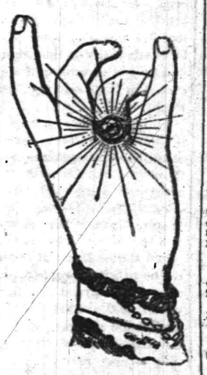
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| 4th do | 10.00 | do | 10.17 do |
| 5th do | 11.00 | do | 11.24 do |
| 6th do | 11.45 | do | 12.06 P.M. do |
| 7th do | 1.45 P. M. | do | 2.15 & 2.35 P.M. do |
| 8th do | 2.45 | do | To the Post Office. |
| 9th do | 3.30 | do | meet 3 51 P. M. train. |
| 10th do | 5.00 | do | do 5.20 do |
| 11th do | 5.45 | do | do 6.07 do |
| 12th do | 6.45 | do | do 7.03 do |

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PLAINFIELD AND NEW YORK.

Leave Plainfield 2 37, 5 34, 5 38, 6 29, 6 59, 7 26 7 30, 7 58, 8, 8 15, 8 31, 8 37, 9 32, 10 08, 11 09, 11 39, A. M., 1, 1 41, 2 07, 2 30, 3 12, 3 51, 5 08, 5 31, 6 07, 6 54, 7 03, 8 31, 9 28, 10 12, 11 28 P. M. Sunday—2 37, 5 34, 8 01, 8 32, 11 02, 11 16 A. M., 12 33, 1 10, 3 20, 5 16, 7 01, 7 10, 8 23, 8 32, 10 02 P. M.

Leave New York from foot of Liberty street, 4 30, 5 45, 7, 7 45, 8 45, 10, 11, A. M., 1, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4 30, 5, 5, 5 15, 5 30, 5 45, 6, 6 15, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 8, 8 30, 9 15, 10, 11 30 P. M., 12 night. Sunday—4 30, 7, 8 30, 9, 9 30, A. M., 12 M., 1, 1 15, 4, 5 30, 6, 7, 9 00, 10 00 P. M., 12 15 night.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield 5 38, 6 29, 6 59, 7 30, 8, 8 37, 9 32, 10 05, 11 09, 11 39, A. M., 1, 2 07, 2 30, 3 12, 3 51, 5 08, 5 31, 6 07, 6 54, 7 03, 8 31, 10 12, 11 28 P. M. Sunday—8 01, 8 32, 11 02, 11 16, A. M., 12 33, 1 10, 3 20, 5 16, 7 01, 7 10, 8 23, 8 32, 10 02 P. M.

Leave Newark 7 10, 7 54, 8 55, 10 10, 11 05 A. M., 1 05, 1 35, 2 40, 3 40, 4 02, 4 37, 5 05, 5 20, 5 55, 6 25, 7 15, 7 35, 8 20, 9 35, 10 10, 11 25 P. M. Sunday—7 20, 8 40, 9 05, 9 50 A. M., 12 05, 1 10, 4 10, 5 40, 6 05, 7 05, 9 25, 10 20 P. M.

Passengers for Newark change cars at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7, 8 07, 9 42, 11, 11 58 A. M., 1 59, 2 32, 3 45, 4 34, 5 20, 5 34, 6 20, 6 38, 7 03, 7 12, 7 34 8 20, 9 43, 11 15, 12 43 P. M. Sunday—8 45, 8 13 A. M., 2 03, 6 35 P. M.

Leave Somerville, 6, 6 30, 7 03, 7 25, 7 35, 7 48 9 05, 9 47, 11 15 A. M., 12 35, 1 15, 1 48, 2 05, 3 2 40, 5 15, 5 35, 8 05, 9 50, 11 05 P. M. Sunday—8 25, 10 35 A. M., 12 08, 1 05, 4 50, 6 40, 8 03, 8 05, 9 30 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7, 8 07, 9 42, A. M., 1 59, 4 34, 5 20, 6 38, 8 20 P. M. Sunday—8 45, 8 13 A. M., 2 03, 6 35 P. M.

Leave Easton 6 05, 8 44, 10 A. M., 12 32, 4 09, 6 49 P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 02, A. M., 6 40, 7 30 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 7, 9 42 A. M., 1 59, 5 20 P. M. Sunday—8 13 A. M.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

LEAVE PLAINFIELD.

5 45 A. M. for Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

7 A. M. for High Bridge Branch and Easton.

8 07 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 42 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Nanticoke, Drifton; Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c.

1 59 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, &c.

4 34 P. M. for D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

5 20 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Schooley's Mountain, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, &c.

6 38 P. M. for Flemington.

6 38 P. M. for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg.

9 20 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8 13 a. m. Sundays for High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, &c., 2 03 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua and Pottsville. 6 35, p.m Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

For Atlantic City, 9 37 a. m. 1 p. m.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c.

Leave Plainfield 2 37, 8, 8 37, 10 05, 11 09, a. m., 1, (2 07, through coach,) 3 51, 5 31, p. m. Sundays—(except Ocean Grove) 2 37, 8 32, a. m., 3 20 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 2 37, 5 38, 8, 10 05, 11 09 a. m., 1, 2 07, 3 51, 5 31, 7 03 p. m. Sunday—2 37, 8 32 a. m., 3 20 p. m.

For Freehold, 2 37, 8, 11 39 a. m., 1, 3 51, 5 31 7 03 p. m.

ROUND BROOK ROUTE.

Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia, 1 17, 5 45, 8 29, 9 48, 11 58* a. m., 1 59*, 2 32*, 4 08, 5 34*, 6 29*, 8 20 p. m. Sundays—1 17, 9 48, a. m., 2 30* 4 08, 5 14*, 6 55 p. m.

For Baltimore and Washington at 1 17, 9 48, 11 58*, a. m., 2 45, 4 08, 5 34* p. m. Sundays—1 17, 9 48 a. m., 2 47, 4 08, 5 14* p. m.

RETURNING—LEAVE PHILADELPHIA.

Ninth and Green streets, 7 30*, 8 30*, 9 30, 11 05 a. m., 12 45, 1 30, 3 15, 5 15, 6 15, 8 02, 8 45, 12 p. m Sundays—9 a. m., 12 50, 3 10, 5 15, 6 10, 8, 12 p. m.

From 24th and Chestnut—3 10, 8 20*, 11 05, a. m. 12 52, 3 20, 6 18, 8 05, p. m. Sundays—3 10, 8 36 a. m., 12 52, 3 20, 8 18, 8 05p. m.

Leave Trenton, Warren and Tucker sts., 1 05, 4 00, 7*, 8*, 9*, 10 15, 11 05 a. m., 1 25, 2 10, 2 40*, 3 55, 5 35 6 59, 8 47, 10 p. m. Sundays—1 30, 4 00, 9 55 a. m. 1 25, 4, 5 55, 7, 8 47 p. m.

Plainfield passengers by trains marked * change cars at Round Brook.

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**Over $1,000,000 Lost in a Pork Deal—Trading for European Speculators Without a Margin—Agents of the Firm in Every Part of the World—Over Thirty Seven Years in Business.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 5.—Samuel A. Sawyer, David L. Wallace and Thomas Miller, constituting the firm of Sawyer, Wallace & Co., cotton, coffee and provision commission merchants, of No. 18 Broadway, have assigned for the benefit of creditors to Marshall Ayres, without preferences.

The assignment was a surprise on all the exchanges and on Wall street. The cause is the losses the firm have sustained in their foreign option business.

The failure will undoubtedly reach into the millions, though at present it is impossible to make any approximate. Houses on Wall street say the cause of the failure was the result of the efforts made by the firm to squelch competition in their commission business, by doing their commission business with European speculators without a margin, and at a small commission. In the pork deal last January the firm is said to have sustained losses of $1,000,000 on this account. The claims for these losses against European speculators are among the nominal assets. It is estimated that the sum total of nominal assets will reach $1,750,000, among which are included the $1,000,000 lost in the pork deal.

Besides the New York and London offices, the firm had a branch in Louisville, where their tobacco warehouse is the largest in the country.

In addition to branch offices, Sawyer, Wallace & Co. had no less than 180 agents in every part of the world.

In Berlin alone the firm had five agents. The firm in 1889 shipped three-quarters of the total amount of wheat sent from this country to Germany.

They were the largest shippers and handlers of tobacco in the world.

The first whispers that there was anything wrong in the firm's affairs was caused by the cable announcement that a Berlin agent of Sawyer, Wallace & Co. had committed suicide by shooting himself.

The agent was Theodore Itzig, who had represented the firm in Berlin for six years.

Itzig began a wild speculation in lard and it went against him. When his funds had been swallowed up in margins Itzig shot himself.

It is feared that the suspension may involve some of the smaller traders on the Produce Exchange, and developments will be watched with intense interest.

### THE KENNEDY SPEECH.

**The Pennsylvania Delegation Much Incensed at the Ohio Member.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 5.—The Republican members of the Pennsylvania delegation are much incensed at Mr. Kennedy's remark's and Mr. O'Neill has drawn up a resolution reciting that Mr. Kennedy had violated the rules and privileges of the House by using language uncomplimentary to the Senate and to Senator Quay, and providing that the speech shall be withheld from publication in the Record.

The resolution will be offered at the first opportunity by Mr. Dalzell of Pennsylvania, if Mr. Kennedy will not consent to withhold his remarks. Mr. Kennedy will publish his speech in the Record when it is revised.

Senator Quay was in consultation with Mr. Ingalls and other Republican Senators, and it is understood it was decided to be advisable to take no action in regard to the Kennedy speech.

### THE STRIKE INQUIRY.

**The Board of Arbitration Taking Testimony at Albany To-Day.**

ALBANY, N. Y., Sept. 5.—The Board of Arbitration and Mediation reconvened in the Senate Chamber this morning at 10 o'clock for the purpose of continuing the investigation of the strike.

Messrs. Wright and Devlin, of the General Executive Board said their side had about 20 discharged Knights to give testimony. The only other man they knew to be subpœnaed is Supt. Bissell. Mr. Wright said Roger A. Pryor would inist on Mr. Webb answering his question as to what instructions were given the Pinkerton men at the beginning of the strike.

It was proposed to see whether the Board could not compel Mr. Webb to answer this question, and if not then appropriate legislation would be sought to give the Board additional powers and jurisdiction.

**Confectioners Organize.**

HARRISBURG, Pa., Sept. 5.—Confectioners from Pennsylvania, New York, New Jersey and Delaware held a convention here, and the Middle States Confectioners' Association was organized. The following officers were elected: President, James Holwood, Buffalo; vice-president, Mr. Croft, of Philadelphia; secretary, S. W. Mesick; treasurer, Jacob Reamer, Pittsburg. The purpose of the association is to promote the interests of confectioners.

**Cranston's Hotel to be Sold.**

NEWBURG, N. Y., Sept. 5.—Cranston's Hotel, owned by J. Pierpont Morgan, of New York, and a famous summer resort, will soon be sold to a syndicate of capitalists of which its present proprietor is at the head. Mr. Cranston leased the hotel several years ago with the privilege of purchase.

### PUGILISTIC STARS.

**Champion Sullivan to be Followed on the Stage by Several Fighters.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 5.—The success which has attended the debut of John L. Sullivan as an actor has incited a number of the lesser lights of the prize ring to discard the fistic arena and adopt the boards as a means of livelihood.

The Kilrain-Ashton combination will shortly blossom out with the assistance of several other pugilists and wrestlers, in a specially written comedy farce, entitled, "Jack's Little Game." It is confidently expected by members of the company, who haven't the slightest idea what the play will be like, that they will coin money next season.

Charles E. Davies, better known as the Parson, not to be outdone, has perfected arrangements with Jim Corbett and Peter Jackson, whereby they will be the stars in a piece now being written by an eminent playwright of Chicago, which will be called "The Bunch of Fives." This, it is said, will eclipse even "Honest Hearts and Willing Hands."

Dominick McCaffrey has also thrown the mits aside for the buskins. He is on the road in a company of which he is the chief owner.

### SPEAKER REED AT HOME.

**He Praises the McKinley Bill in a Speech at Portland.**

PORTLAND, Me., Sept. 5.—Three thousand people welcomed Speaker Reed home last night at the City Hall. Mr. Reed was accompanied to the platform by the Mayor. State Representative Fogg, who presided, presented the Speaker, who advanced to the front of the platform and was received with a prolonged burst of applause.

He reviewed the work accomplished by the present House, and explained the rules now governing that body. Dismissing this subject he took up the tariff and gave an exposition of the value of the protective system. He eulogized in the highest terms the McKinley bill, and characterized it as "a measure destined to build up and expand American industries and American enterprises."

At the close of the meeting he held an impromptu reception and shook hands with hundreds of admiring constituents.

### GOING TO CRESSON.

**The President Leaves Washington To-Day for the Mountains.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 5.—The President will leave Washington to-day for Cresson, Pa. Mrs. Harrison, who arrived here Wednesday night, will accompany him, as will also Secretary Halford and Miss Sanger, the President's stenographer. All business of a routine character will be transacted at Cresson.

The President will probably remain in the mountains until the 17th inst., when he will go to Toledo, Ohio, to accept the invitation of the Society of the Army of the Cumberland, which holds its twenty-first annual reunion in Toledo on Sept. 17th and 18th.

**Mysteriously Disappeared.**

BUFFALO, N. Y., Sept. 5.—Joseph Roth, a well-to-do saloonkeeper of this city, has mysteriously disappeared, and there is no trace of his whereabouts. He left here on June 19, intending to go to Europe and visit relatives at Havre, France, and in Germany. His wife received no word from him, and a few weeks ago wrote to his European relatives asking where he was. She has just received a reply that he has not been there.

**Brickmakers Refuse to Arbitrate.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 5.—In response to a dispatch from the State Board of Arbitration as to the existing trouble, a sub-committee of the Brickmakers' Association notified the Board that they had nothing to arbitrate, and that they proposed to run their yards and employ whom they please without any dictation. The Board said they would get the statement of the Walking Delegates and transmit it to the association.

**Sunol and Palo Alto Sent a Mile.**

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 5.—Nearly 15,000 persons were present at Belmont Park to witness the attempt of the stallion Palo Alto and the trotting mare Sanol to lower their records. Neither the stallion or the mare succeeded. The mare made the mile in 2:11¾, an unfortunate break marring her performance, and Palo Alto trotted the distance in 2:12¾.

**Attacked by an Infuriated Bull.**

TITUSVILLE, Pa., Sept. 5.—Alexander Russell, aged 70 years, while cutting weeds in a pasture, was attacked by an infuriated bull and torn to pieces. Two neighbors who rushed to the scene were forced to drop the body several times while carrying it to a neighboring house on account of the mad charges of the infuriated animal.

**The Benwell Murder Case.**

WOODSTOCK, Ont., Sept. 5.—It is reported that Miss Smith of Eastwood, the most important witness for the Crown in the Benwell murder case, has mysteriously disappeared. Col. Benwell, father of F. C. Benwell, the murdered young man, was to have sailed to-day from England to give evidence at the trial, but a cablegram states that the father is dying of a broken heart and will not be able to appear as a witness.

**A Dispatch from Minister Mizner.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 5.—A dispatch has been received at the State Department from Minister Mizner, at the City of Guatemala, saying that peace would be proclaimed next week, and that the armed forces were rapidly disbanding. The Minister makes no allusion to the recent shooting affair, and Mr. Wharton attaches no importance to the episode.

## THE PENNANT FIGHT

### Second Place Captured by the New York Giants.

KELLY'S TEAM IN THE LEAD

Philadelphia and Cincinnati Tied for Third Place in the National Race.

**Manager Barnie Says that There Was No Such Meeting as Reported at Philadelphia—Baltimore to Have Practically a New Team in the Field Next Week. How the Clubs Stand.**

BALTIMORE, Sept. 5.—William Barnie, manager of the Baltimore Baseball Club, has just returned home from New York. He says that no such meeting as reported occurred in Philadelphia between representatives of the American Association and the Players' League. President Phelps, who was reported as being there, was in reality in Louisville, as is shown by telegrams from Phelps.

Arrangements for several new men for the Baltimore Club are being completed, and a new team practically will be in the field next week.

### BASEBALL GAMES.

**National League.**

AT BROOKLYN.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Brooklyn | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | x—7 |
| New York | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —3 |

Batteries—Terry and Daly; Rusie and Buckley.

AT PHILADELPHIA.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Philadelphia | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | —3 |
| Boston | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 1—7 |

Batteries—Nichols and Ganzel; Gleason and Gray.

AT PITTSBURG.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Pittsburg | 0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | —6 |
| Cleve and | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —2 |

Batteries—Anderson and Decker; Beatin and Dowes.

AT CHICAGO.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Chicago | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | | | —7 |
| Cincinnati | 0 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | | | —4 |

Batteries—Stein and Hutchinson; Duryea and Kittridge.

Game called on account of darkness.

**Players' League.**

AT BROOKLYN.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| New York | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 4 | 0 | x—7 |
| Brooklyn | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 0—4 |

Batteries—Ewing and Ewing; Weyhing and Kinslow.

AT BOSTON.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Boston | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0—6 |
| Philadelphia | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —0 |

Batteries—Dailey and Murphy; Sanders and Cross

AT BUFFALO.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Buffalo | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —2 |
| Cleveland | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | x—6 |

Batteries—Cunningham and Mack; McGill and Brennan.

AT PITTSBURG.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Pittsburg | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | —4 |
| Chicago | 0 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | x—5 |

Batteries—Staley and Quinn; King and Boyle.

**American Association.**

AT PHILADELPHIA.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Athletic | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0—2 |
| Louisville | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 | x—8 |

Batteries—Green and Riddle; Daily and Ryan.

AT SYRACUSE.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Syracuse | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 2— | 6 |
| St. Louis | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 2 | 1 | x—13 | |

Batteries—Keefe and Pitts; Stivitts and Munyon.

AT ROCHESTER.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Rochester | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0—1 |
| Columbus | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0—6 |

Batteries—Gastright and O'Connor; Callahan and McKeough.

AT BALTIMORE.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Baltimore | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —2 |
| Toledo | 0 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | x—8 |

Batteries—German and Tate; Sprague and Sage.

**Atlantic Association.**

AT NEW HAVEN.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| New Haven | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —0 |
| Newark | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0—1 |

Batteries—Fitzgerald and Murphy; Doran and Cahill.

AT LEBANON.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Lebanon | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0— |
| Harrisburg | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0— |

Batteries—Smith and McCaffrey; Gamble and Sommers.

**Attendance at League Games.**

| | Players | League |
|---|---|---|
| Pittsburg | 650 | 162 |
| Brooklyn | 1,974 | 2,505 |
| Philadelphia | ..... | 2,212 |
| Boston | 2,172 | ..... |
| Chicago | ..... | 3,000 |
| Buffalo | 1,138 | ..... |
| Totals | 5,934 | 7,819 |

**Standing of the Clubs.**

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

| Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'ct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Brookl'n..77 | 36 | .681 | Chicago...64 | 48 | .571 | |
| Boston....71 | 43 | .623 | N. York...53 | 62 | .461 | |
| Philadel..68 | 46 | .596 | Clev'nd...31 | 77 | .287 | |
| Cincin'ti..65 | 44 | .593 | Pitts'rg..29 | 93 | .177 | |

PLAYERS' LEAGUE.

| Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'ct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Boston....70 | 41 | .631 | Philadel..60 | 54 | .526 | |
| N. York...67 | 45 | .598 | Pitts'rg..47 | 59 | .443 | |
| Brookl'n..66 | 47 | .591 | Clev'l'nd..43 | 65 | .398 | |
| Chicago...60 | 54 | .526 | Buffalo ..29 | 79 | .269 | |

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

| Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'ct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Loui'v'le..66 | 36 | .647 | Col'mb's..56 | 49 | .533 | |
| St. Louis..61 | 45 | .575 | Toledo....54 | 47 | .535 | |
| Athletic..55 | 53 | .495 | Syracuse..43 | 60 | .417 | |
| Roch'st'r..53 | 47 | .530 | Ba'tim'e..26 | 76 | .306 | |

ATLANTIC ASSOCIATION.

| Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'ct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| N. Hav'n..73 | 26 | .737 | Harrisb'g..43 | 65 | .398 | |
| Newark....54 | 48 | .529 | Wilm't'n..32 | 69 | .309 | |
| Lebanon..45 | 45 | .500 | | | | |

**Schedule of To-Day's Games.**

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

New York vs. Brooklyn, at Brooklyn.
Boston vs. Philadelphia, at Philadelphia.
Cincinnati vs. Chicago, at Chicago.
Cleveland vs. Pittsburg, at Pittsburg.

PLAYERS' LEAGUE.

New York vs. Brooklyn, at Brooklyn.
Philadelphia vs. Boston, at Boston.
Chicago vs. Pittsburg, at Pittsburg.

### GEN. NOYES DROPS DEAD.

**Ohio's Ex-Governor Expires on the Sidewalk in Cincinnati.**

CINCINNATI, O., Sept. 5.—Judge Edward F. Noyes, of the Superior Court, dropped dead shortly after 11 o'clock on North Court street, near the large entrance to the jail yard.

He had just left the court house, having heard an injunction case. Coming down from the bench the judge entered into conversation with several friends, and just as he reached the gateway he staggered and fell, striking his head against the stonewall. A gentleman who was walking behind him at the time ran to his assistance, but after a few short gasps the General expired.

[Edward Follensbee Noyes was born in Haverhill, Mass., Oct. 3, 1832. He served five years in a printing office, graduated at Dartmouth in 1857, and at the Cincinnati Law School in 1858. In July, 1861, he was commissioned Major of the Thirty-ninth Ohio Volunteers. He was in many of the great battles of the war, lost a leg at Raff Mills, and was made Brigadier General in 1865. In that year he was elected City Solicitor of Cincinnati, and two years later Judge of the Probate Court. He was chosen Governor of Ohio in 1871, and in 1877 was appointed as United States Minister to France. He was a member of the celebrated Commission to determine the Hayes contest. March, 1880, he was elected Judge of the Superior Court, which office he held up to the time of his death.]

### ENFORCING A NEW LAW.

**The First Arrest Made for Answering a Green Goods Circular.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 5.—The Postoffice Department has received information of the first arrest under the act of March 3, 1889, which makes it unlawful to answer a green goods circular.

J. S. Nicholson, wrote from Matthewson, Md., under date of October 25, to Adam Conkling, Hoboken, N. J., in answer to a typewritten circular. Conkling's mail was stopped and Nicholson's letter was found containing $10 for which he was to receive $300 worth of green goods.

The arrest was made day before yesterday at Lewiston, Md., and Nicholson was given a hearing to-day before Commissioner Rogers of Baltimore and held under $1,500 bonds to await the action of the grand jury, in default of which he went to jail.

Postoffice Inspectors Jacobs and Stoutenburg arrested Nicholson at Lewiston, Md., and he admitted mailing the letters which was written by his sister at his dictation.

### ATTACKED BY STRIKERS.

**A Central Employe Beaten So Badly That He Will Probably Die.**

ALBANY, N.Y., Sept. 5.—Frank Snyder, of Wilkesbarre, Pa., a non-unionist brakeman, was attacked last night about 9:30 o'clock at West Albany, by a gang of unknown men, and beaten so badly that he will probably die.

Snyder had left his train and was going to his hotel. When he reached a dark place he was set upon by a number of men and beaten on the head with clubs. His skull is smashed in two places and he is otherwise badly bruised about the head and body. He lies in an unconscious condition at the City Hospital.

**Tariff Debate at a Fair.**

OSWEGO, N. Y., Sept. 5.—Fifteen thousand people listened to a debate on the tariff question between Representative Bynum of Indiana and Representative Grosvenor of Ohio at the Oswego fair. Both speakers were loudly cheered and presented ingenious and plausible arguments. The debate was exceedingly spirited and interesting and lasted two and one half hours. Mr. Bynum handled the barley question, in which Oswego is so deeply interested, with telling effect, Republicans joining with Democrats in the applause.

**Injured by an Explosion.**

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Sept. 5.—An explosion occurred at No. 4 colliery of the Kingston Coal Company, at Edwardsville, Pa., and two men were badly and one fatally injured. The following are the injured: John E. Jones, miner, frightfully burned, and cannot live; John T. Armstrong, mine boss, and William D. Lewis, miner, seriously burned. The explosion was probably caused by a body of gas being set off with a naked light.

**Central Employes Injured.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 5.—Rufus Barrett, a freight conductor from Evansville, Ind.; James Ryan, of Philadelphia, and Brakeman William Skidmore, of Brooklyn, all green hands employed in the New York Central Railroad yards, while employed in coupling cars, were more or less badly injured by being caught between the cars. Barrett had his right arm fractured and one of his legs lacerated. Ryan was terribly crushed between the cars, and Skidmore had his left leg crushed.

**An Old Lady's Narrow Escape.**

HUNTINGTON, Pa., Sept. 5.—An old lady named Hagey, aged 92 years, wandered upon the tracks of the East Broad Top Railroad, near Shade Gap, and was struck by a passing engine. The train was stopped, and the aged lady was found lying on the cowcatcher, so little hurt that notwithstanding her advanced age she may recover.

**Will Stick to the Knights.**

TRENTON, N. J., Sept. 5.—The National Potters' Convention decided not to leave the Knights of Labor, but to strengthen the order in the West among the potters by placing a permanent organizer in the Western States. The convention passed resolutions of sympathy with the New York Central strikers and voted them financial aid.

**Accident to a Tally-ho Party.**

MILLFORD, Mass., Sept. 5.—Ten members of a tally-ho party were swept from the top of a coach here through coming in contact with the guy rope of a derrick. Five of those who met with the accident were more or less injured.

## TRADE WITH CANADA

### The Dominion's Attorney-General Visits Washington.

RECIPROCITY ALL THE TALK.

Leading Statesmen of Both Parties Said to Favor the Scheme.

**An Exciting Debate in the Liverpool Congress—A Murderer Bites His Executioner—Thirty Persons Drowned at Prague—A Monument to Cardinal Newman—Another Exciting Ocean Race.**

OTTAWA, Ont., Sept. 5.—Attorney General Longley, who has just returned to Canada from Washington, is delighted with the result of his mission. Regarding the question of unrestricted trade relations between the United States and Canada he says that while in Washington he spent some days in promoting a feeling of reciprocity between Canada and the United States, and that never before was the feeling in the United States, as manifested by the people's representatives at Washington, been so favorable to reciprocity with Canada as at present.

Mr. Blaine's recent letters and speeches in favor of reciprocity with the South American republics have set the people and their representatives thinking, and the conclusion reached is that if reciprocity between the United States and the countries south of it would be beneficial to both parties, reciprocity with Canada would be of still greater advantage both to Canada and the United States.

He says that while in Washington he met many of the leading men in both the political parties and almost without exception found them favorable to the scheme of reciprocity. He had a lengthy interview with Senator Sherman, who was so impressed with the result of the interview that he gave notice of an amendment to the McKinley Tariff bill, looking towards complete reciprocity between Canada and the United States. Mr. Longley is of the opinion that it will pass both houses.

### THE EIGHT-HOUR DAY.

**Stormy Debate in the Liverpool Trades Union Congress.**

LIVERPOOL, Sept. 5.—The Trades Unions Congress adopted by a vote of 21 to 178 a resolution that the eight-hour day should be made compulsory by Parliament, and rejected an amendment that the matter of shorter hours should be left to voluntary arrangements between such unions as desire the change and their employers. Numerous speeches were made during the debate. John Burns held that the eight-hour day could be obtained only through Parlimentary action. Where the concession had been gained by strades here and there the capitalists had eventually succeeded in driving the men back to 12 hours. The ground thus lost could be recovered only by a general strike, unless the desired legislation could be had.

**A Monument to Cardinal Newman.**

LONDON, Sept. 5.—A movement has been started for the erection by national subscription of a monument to the late Cardinal Newman. The Duke of Norfolk is chairman of the committee in charge of the matter. Westminster Abbey is favored as the site of the memorial, but Birmingham and Dublin are also discussed in this connection, both of these places having been the scene of important events in Newman's life.

**To Separate from the United States.**

MONTREAL, Que., Sept. 5.—At a meeting of the Catholic Mutual Benevolent Association, the motion to separate from the United States body was carried by an almost unanimous vote. It will now go before the Supreme Council for confirmation, and when passed a Canadian Supreme Council will be established.

**Bit His Executioner.**

PARIS, Sept. 5.—The murderer Savary suffered the penalty of his crime this morning, at Montreuil, where he was guillotined. Just as the knife was about to descend Savary turned his head and inflicted a severe bite on the executioner's hand, just as Troppmann, who murdered a whole family, did 19 years ago.

**Another Exciting Ocean Race.**

LONDON, Sept. 5.—The steamship City of New York sailed from Queenstown at 2:43 p. m., and the steamship Teutonic followed at 2:58. There were a large number of bets made between passengers on the two vessels as to the result of the race.

**Drowned While Watching a Flood.**

LONDON, Sept. 5.—A dispatch from Prague says that the bridge in that city over the Moldau, on which a number of persons were watching the flood in that stream, collapsed and 30 persons were drowned.

**A Big Coke Strike Threatened.**

MT. PLEASANT, Pa., Sept. 5.—Preparations are being made in anticipation of a long strike at the Standard Coke Works of H. C. Frick & Co. There are no indications of a speedy settlement, and a convention of cokers and miners of the entire region has been called for next Tuesday. At this convention it is likely that a general strike will be declared until the difficulties of the Standard works are settled. The strike will affect 9 000 men.

### DOUBLE TRAGEDY.

**A Jealous Philadelphian Shoots His Wife and Then Himself.**

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Sept. 5.—The Hotel Minnequa on Pacific avenue was the scene of a very sensational double shooting affair at 1:30 a. m., which rivals the Eva Hamilton tragedy in interest. Joseph F. Young, of No. 1826 North Twenty-sixth street, Philadelphia, who is employed by the Hale & Kilburn Manufacturing Co., in that city, shot and fatally wounded his wife and then put a bullet in his own head, but only slightly wounded himself.

He was arrested and brought to the police station by Chief Eldridge, who happened to be there at the time, and who knocked up his hand when he attempted to kill himself.

It is alleged that one W. Ogden, of Morton, Delaware Co., Pennsylvania, was a lover of the woman, and her husband hearing of it, came down here to investigate.

Young was interviewed as to the cause of the shooting. Rumors circulated in the neighborhood of his home as to the relations of his wife, who was here in Atlantic City, and William Ogden, "were sufficient," said he, "to start me to Atlantic City. I boarded a train and on my way down I made up my mind what to do."

Then came the tale of the visit to the Minnequa House in search of his wife.

"I went to the house and found both my wife and Ogden out. This looked to me very strange. Then I waited, and the return of the woman made me wilder than before and I used the revolver."

Mrs. Young is a pretty blonde, 23 years of age. She was modest in manner, and the guests at the hotel said she appeared to them the last person who would figure in such an affair. When she went out with young Ogden nothing was thought of it, as it was understood to be with her mother's knowledge, and it was generally supposed Ogden was an intimate friend of the family.

Ogden has kept shady to-day, but the point of seclusion was discovered; he declined to make any statement about the affair.

Mrs. Young's condition is still critical.

**Mr. Hatton Out of Danger.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 5.—Hon. Frank Hatton, ex-Postmaster-General and editor of the Washington Post, who has been dangerously ill for some time, is improving radidly. His condition is much less serious than it was last week, and his physician believes that he is out of danger.

### NEWS OF THE DAY.

It is reported that there are cases of cholera in Madrid and Barcelona.

Three men were suffocated in a cesspool vault in West Brighton, Staten Island, N. Y.

The assignment in the case of Seavey, Foster & Bowman, Boston, was executed yesterday.

There is a possibility of a split in the ranks of the Henry George single tax men because Dr. McGlynn has not been recognized.

The mills of the Boston Duck Company at Bondsville, Mass., which have been running four days a week all summer, have started up on full time.

Eight more firms in New York city acceded to the demands of the striking varnishers to-day and the sixty men employed by them returned to work.

Gov. Brackett of Massachusetts has nominated Associate Justice Albert Mason to be Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of the Commonwealth.

The directors of the Globe Yarn Mills, at Fall River, Mass., have voted to increase the capacity of the mills 15,000 spindles. The present capacity is 86,000 spindles.

The President sent to the Senate these nominations: Postmasters, Randolph Knapp, North Attleboro, Mass.; Christian Schwinger, Tonawanda, N. Y.; Mrs. Sallie P. Ramsey, Wayne, Pa.

While a colored excursion party was on its way to Albany, Ga., a row ensued over a woman's choice of an escort. Fighting soon became general, and pistols were freely drawn. Seven women were shot dead and several others severely wounded.

The Supreme Court of New Hampshire fined Mrs. Emma Cornish $500 and costs for bringing Emma Gee, a pauper, from Massachusetts to Claremont, N. H., contrary to the New Hampshire law. She was convicted in September, 1889, and appealed. Mrs. Cornish acted as an agent for the Massachusetts board of lunacy and charities in bringing Mrs. Gee to Claremont.

**Weather Indications.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 5.—For New England: Fair; warmer; southerly winds.

For Eastern New York, Eastern Pennsylvania and New Jersey: Fair; followed by light rain in Northern New York; warmer; southerly winds.

For Western New York and Western Pennsylvania: Light rain; cooler; southeasterly winds.

### NEW YORK MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Sept. 5.—Money on call to-day, 4 and 4½ per cent.

BONDS.

| | Closing Yesterday. | Closing To-day. |
|---|---|---|
| 4½s, 1891 Reg | 104 | 104 |
| 4½s, 1891 Coup | 104 | 104 |
| 4 s, 1907 Reg | 124½ | 124½ |
| 4 s, 1907 Coup | 125½ | 125½ |

STOCK MARKET.

| | Closing Yesterday. | Closing To-day. |
|---|---|---|
| Canadian Pacific | 85¾ | 85¾ |
| Central Pacific | ..... | ..... |
| Chicago, Bur. & Quincy | 101½ | 100¾ |
| Delaware & Hudson | 126¾ | ..... |
| Del. Lack. & Western | 144¾ | 144¼ |
| Erie | ..... | ..... |
| Erie pref | ..... | 107¾ |
| Lake Shore | 108¼ | 107¾ |
| Louis. & Nash | 80¾ | 80¼ |
| Michigan Central | ..... | ..... |
| Missouri Pacific | 72 | 71¾ |
| New Jersey Central | 121 | 121 |
| Northwestern | 110¾ | 110¾ |
| Oregon Navigation | ..... | ..... |
| Pacific Mail | 45¾ | 45 |
| Reading | 43 | 42¾ |
| Rock Island | 94¾ | 93¾ |
| St. Paul | 71¾ | 71¾ |
| Union Pacific | ..... | ..... |

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## BY THE WAY.

—The Crescent Avenue church choir will meet for rehearsal again, to-morrow evening.

—George Huff of Dunellen, was unfortunate enough to lose a valuable horse, Saturday.

—In Monday's ball games, Billy Lee had 13 chances, accepted them all and never made an error.

—Thos. Mair, of Mountain avenue, North Plainfield, has been nominated by the Somerset County Prohibitionists for Assemblyman.

—A dog belonging to Elston Lowrie of Dunellen, bit Isaac Hillyer as he was walking by the house. Suit for damages is about being entered.

—A horse owned by John Morton ran away on Liberty street, yesterday, and threw his driver out of the wagon. No serious injury is reported.

—The new stage route between Plainfield, Dunellen and New Market is a great convenience to the residents. Mr. Swartz, the owner, is punctual as to time.

—Charles H. Hand and wife have transferred to William C. Smith, of North Plainfield, lot on Southwest side of Mc Dowell street, 150x8 feet, for a consideration of $80.

—Crescent-Westfield base ball game at Westfield, next Wednesday, September 10. Grand stand reserved seats, 50 cts., can be had by mail of Frank T. Lent, Westfield.

—To-morrow's game of the Crescents against the Trentons will probably be a close one. The Trentons defeated the Crescents on June 28, by a score of 7 to 6 in ten innings.

—At the store of Joseph M. Harper, No. 75 Park avenue, near Fourth street, can be found a full assortment of school supplies and school books, of the best qualities and at lowest prices.

—THE PRESS has spoken before of caterer Stephenson of North avenue. He has the taste and facilities to serve anything in the way of a wedding breakfast, reception dinner, or high tea.

—Marsh & Ayers have purchased of Peter V. Weaver, his entire stock, business and good will, and will be glad to receive orders from any of his old customers for anything in the way of house painting or decorating.

—The Reform Club at its regular meeting last evening received and accepted an invitation from the Woman's Christian Temperance Union to attend their anniversary exercises in the Congregational church, Monday evening, Sept. 8.

—They can raise peanuts, at least, in the Plainfield bureau of religious statistics of the U. S. census, opposite the station. Vines that grew from some peanuts casually planted in a box of earth in the office, were pulled up yesterday and young peanuts found clinging to the roots.

—A horse owned by Finton Hibbitts ran away on West Second street last evening, covering the ground from Elmwood place to Plainfield avenue in race-track time. It was stopped by colliding with one of the delivery wagons of the United Tea and Coffee Growers Association. A pair of splintered shafts and a lump on the head of a boy who was thrown out of one of the wagons, constituted the damage.

—It was an off-day for the Crescents when the Trentons beat them before by one run in ten innings. The home team made seven errors, but they won't do it again. At the end of the ninth inning the score was 4 to 4. The Trentons went to the bat in the tenth and made three runs on two single base hits, a double and a triple. The Crescents made only two runs in their last inning. To-morrow they don't expect they will have to play out their last inning.

—Plainfielders on a North River ferry-boat, a few days ago, witnessed an interesting phenomenon in a fall of rain. In Jersey City the rain had fallen in torrents for an hour, yet over New York the sky was cloudless. As the ferry boat lay at her pier the pouring rain thundered on the upper deck. A couple of hundred feet from shore the river was calm, and no drop broke the stillness of the water. The boat started, and as it gained headway and shot forward, the noise overhead suddenly ceased. The sun was streaming radiantly down, while just over the stern of the boat the air was thick and the heavens sent down their floods. In New York the streets were dry and dusty.

## PARTICULAR MENTION.

Mayor Male arrived home this morning.

Miss Harriett T. Putnam, of Peace street, is visiting in Philadelphia.

Miss Etta Krymer, of East Fifth street, is visiting friends in Hunterdon county.

Charles Apgar's new home in Dunellen is nearly completed and ready for occupancy.

W. L. Gavett has just purchased a handsome, new home on Sandford avenue, for $5,500.

Master Rob Carpenter has returned from a weeks visit to Ocean Grove, to his home in Dunellen.

F. E. Knight, of Boston, has leased George Thatcher's house for two years, and will take possession in a few days.

Mrs. Coombs, and daughter, of Brooklyn, have rented a home on Bay street, through Mulford's real estate agency.

E. C. Mulford of North avenue, has rented Mrs. Crane's house on East Fifth street, to Mr. Wilder, of the New York law firm of Wilder & Lynch.

The Rev. Mr. Stinson of Dunellen, has returned from his vacation, and will soon move into the new parsonage, which is one of the handsomest houses in the town.

On the first page of this issue is told the story of a million-dollar failure. The firm is one which Robert S. Miller of this city has been connected with for a great many years.

The Rev. Dr. Lewis of the Seventh Day Baptist church, being still in the West, his pulpit will be occupied to-morrow morning by the Rev. Dr. Ketcham, of the First Presbyterian church.

A party of young ladies from Plainfield visited New Brunswick on their bicycles yesterday afternoon, and were entertained at the home of the Misses Cheeseman, Bayard street.

Ernest Lambert of the New York *Tribune* staff, has come to Plainfield to live and taken up his residence on Bay street where E. C. Mulford has leased him one of the pretty new houses just completed.

During the stay at the Marion House, Lake George, of the families of J. W. Murray, E. N. Erickson, O. T. Waring, and others, the little chapel near by, one Sunday morning, looked inside like a Plainfield church interior.

Wm. J. Debele, of the Borough, and one of the faithful employes at the Reynolds pharmacy, with Mrs. Debele, left town Wednesday for a week's visit with Mr. Debele's sister, Mrs. Swope, 919 North Third street, Philadelphia.

Leo Daft paid a flying visit to Plainfield today. He left his family all well at his Summer cottage on Lake George, and came to New York for the purpose of laying in a new stock of various kinds of ammunition before going further up into the wilderness after deer.

The recovery of Miss Lilly M. Taylor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. P. Taylor of Somerset street, from a persistent siege of illness, is considered almost miraculous. Twice she was given up by her family to die, but her physician, Dr. Berg, has been so untiring in his exertions to save her life that now she is rapidly convalescing.

The speaker in Reform Hall next Sunday evening will be Samuel A. Haines of Netherwood, a platform orator of established repute. Mr. Haines has just returned from a business trip to England and Europe. While in London, on his way homeward, he addressed by invitation, a large assemblage within Metropolitan Hall on the question of temperance. His return to Plainfield deserves to be greeted by a throng of hearers.

### The Best Service in the Country, It Will Be.

Close upon the heels of THE PRESS' expression of the community's desire for an electric fire alarm service, the Council have made a contract for one. The people are thus much to be congratulated, not only upon securing the convenience and protection of such service, but because the service contracted for will equal any in the United States. The Council are satisfied of such fact for they have awarded the contract to the company represented by Charles Wann; and to that gentleman's standing in this city as an upright, conscientious man, was due as much as anything else the awarding of the contract.

The committee in asking for a bid from the Gamewell company, said they wanted only the very best apparatus they made. Consequently, not a city or town in the country has a fire alarm telegraph system that will not be equalled by Plainfield's. That is all very creditable to the committee, but besides that, after securing the very bottom price, they induced the company to add two more tappers and another signal box.

### They Seldom Need to Play the Ninth.

Of the 25 games the Crescents have played this season, 21 have been won by them without finishing their ninth inning. Of the other 4, one was lost by one run in ten innings, and one was lost by one run in twelve innings.

### Hoopskirts Again

May come into style, but it is hoped not. The transformation which will bring back that style of crinolines ought to be indefinitely postponed. Transformations in the health of thousands of women throughout the country have taken place during the past few years. Pale, haggard and dispirited, they have become bright-eyed and healthy. The secret? Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, which cures all those ailments peculiar to women.

### Still Lying About Plainfield.

Within ten days no less than six barns in Plainfield have been set on fire by incendiaries and burned, the aggregate loss being several thousand dollars. Soon after midnight yesterday morning some unknown person set fire to the barn of H. Hoffman on West Front street, and in half an hour the building was in ashes. The flames communicated with the paint works of Ferdinand O. Smith, and they were also burned. Hoffman's loss is $2,500; no insurance. Smith's loss is $3,000; insured for one-half of that amount.—*N. Y. World.*

Of all the lies the *World* has published concerning Plainfield in a year past those contained in the above are the biggest, boldest and most damaging. There has not been even *one* barn set on fire in this city in ten months, let alone ten days. Hoffman's barn caught fire from Smith's paint shop adjoining, and Hoffman himself only claims a loss of $250.

The fire was not of incendiary origin, either; and the only other barn burned in Plainfield in months, was one that accidentally caught fire from the lighting of some matches by boys near a gasolene barrel. There should be some way found to put a stop to the *World's* misrepresentations which are so continued and vicious as to appear intentional.

### The Champions of Connecticut to Meet the Champions of New Jersey.

The Norwich ball team that defeated the Crescents two weeks ago by a score of 7 to 0, have agreed to play a return game in this city on Thursday the 18th inst. On Monday the Norwichs by beating both the Mystics and the Hartfords, won the State championship of Connecticut.

The coming game therefore, will be to decide the Inter-State Championship of New Jersey and Connecticut. It was only after much solicitation and at much expense, that the Crescent team's managers could induce the Norwichs to come to Plainfield. The Norwichs are now in receipt of invitations from all over the country, offering big money to get a game with them. As they defeated the Crescents once, they think they can do so again.

The match will undoubtedly attract a large attendance from all over the State. In spite of the expense of getting the team here, there will probably be no increase in the price of admission.

### Doctors to Have a Bath and Banquet.

The semi-annual meeting of the New Jersey State Homœpathic Medical Society will be held Tuesday and Wednesday, September 9 and 10, in the parlors of the Hotel Windsor, Ocean end of Illinois avenue, Atlantic City, N. J. The programme which has been prepared promises a grand time. The meeting will be called to order on Tuesday morning, at 11:30 by President Long, and while a great portion of the time will be devoted to scientific work, the social features will not be neglected, a number of physicians having accepted the invitation extended to their wives in a former notice of the meeting to be present.

The programme includes a bath in the ocean Wednesday morning, for which the Secretary will be pleased to furnish tickets with his compliments. A feature of the meeting will be a banquet, which will be tendered the Society and visiting friends on Tuesday evening, by Doctors Youngman, Crosby, Fleming and Baily of Atlantic City. Train will leave Elizabeth at 6:57 A. M.

### A Superstitious Servant Sees Things.

An airily-clad woman went dashing down the stairs, through the front doorway, and out into the street, at the home of a well-known citizen last evening, screaming and shrieking in genuine feminine style, and passers-by scented a sensation. The woman had just been secured, as a servant, from an "intelligence" office in the metropolis, and after displaying a great deal of ignorance of household ways during the day, had gone to her room to sleep. When partially disrobed she imagined that the apartment was filled with ghosts, bogies and goblins, and sought out of doors relief from their presence. The head of the family relaxed from his customary dignity and carried the struggling form back into the house, where he informed her that he could not retain in his employ servants that scandalized the neighborhood. She returned to New York today.

### Tribulations of a Merry-Go-Round.

The proprietors of an itinerant merry-go-round pitched their tents on a vacant lot near one of the public schools yesterday morning, but were speedily routed by a citizen who said that his daughter was ill and must not be disturbed by unnecessary and noisy amusement-mechanisms. Seeking to establish themselves in other places they were continually moved on, and finally the disheartened "showmen" appealed to the authorities, and were given permission to encroach on the landscape beauties of the City Park.

No sooner had they taken possession of the place, however, than other irate citizens appeared and drove them away. Yesterday afternoon they were still wandering about, seeking a resting place.

### All the Schools Honored Now.

The Carpenters and Joiners Union of this city have purchased a handsome flag which they propose to present to the Bryant school as soon as the Board of Education shall meet and accept it.

### Awful.

On Thursday Friday and Saturday we will put on sale ten cases of ladies' and misses oxford ties at 50 cents that have sold for $1.00 and $1.50 all Summer. Also a broken lot of ladies' and gentlemen's shoes some as low as 75 cents a pair. Come early and get your pick for they are all to be closed out in three days. Rogers Bros., 12 West Front street.

### Then We'd be Satisfied.

Supt. Wm. Peddle came to Plainfield on the "Star," yesterday afternoon, and inspected the painting of the park railings and the station exterior. He seemed entirely satisfied with the appearance of the handsomest station on the road.

Now if he will only order the interior of the station painted, and move the freight house, the Plainfield people will be perfectly satisfied.

## NOTES ON THE NOBILITY.

EX-QUEEN ISABELLA of Spain has gone to Schlangenbad to take the waters which many women think preserves youth and beauty.

ON the occasion of her marriage with the son of King John of Abyssinia, the daughter of the King of Shoa wore the historical crown of the Queen of Sheba, which has been treasured by the Ethiopian Kings for twenty-five centuries.

THE Duchess de la Rochefoucauld-Bisaccia, who is described as one of the last of the grandes dames of France, is a woman of forty-six years, who has fine auburn hair, clear cut features, and a fund of animal spirits. She has five children.

EX-QUEEN NATALIE seems likely to disappear from public mention. She is said to have lost her ambition, her beauty and her high spirit, and is credited with an intention to devote her fortune to the establishment of a nunnery in Russia, of which she will be abbess.

THE Duchess of Connaught pleased the ladies of Japan by the admiration which she expressed of their dress, and she went so far as to purchase a "kimono," an "obi tabi," and all the other items of a Japanese lady's attire in Kioto. The Emperor of Japan conferred on the Duke the Grand Star of the Chrysanthemum and on the Duchess the Grand Star of the Crown.

THE Nizem of Hyderabad recently bought in Madras a magnificent diamond for 165,000 rupees, which is known as the Gordon Orr diamond. The stone weighed before cutting 67¼ carats and after cutting 24¾ carats. It is described as being the best, purest and most brilliant stone known to connoisseurs, and will be worn by his Highness in his puggaree or crown.

THE Czar of Russia is especially fond of his Finnish possessions, because only in Finland does he feel himself safe from assassination. At present, accompanied by the Czarina and their children, he is making his annual picnic cruise among the Finnish Islands. Sometimes the royal party lands for five o'clock tea, when the Emperor gathers sticks for the fire and the Empress boils the kettle. They travel and live like any plain bourgeois couple, the Czar in tweeds, in which he looks enormous, and the handsome Czarina in the simplest of yachting costumes.

THE Princess of Wales is responsible for the right and left positions in the saddle now obligatory to every equestrienne. Owing to a chronic lameness in her right limb she is forced to use a left-side saddle. To make the fact less conspicuous the Princesses have been trained to ride in both right and left saddle seats. A few horsewomen in New York while abroad caught the idea last summer and have since introduced the fashion of two saddles. There is in consequence great rejoicing among the saddlers and riding teachers.

### Maine's Anvil Wizard.

At Norristown, Me., W. B. Logan, a horse-shoer, made nine miniature horse-shoes from a silver ten-cent piece. Each shoe has the number of holes usually drilled in horse-shoes of the ordinary size, but strange to say, the smallest needle is too large to be used as nails for these little wonders. Logan has made affiadvit that each and every one of the miniature shoes were made with the same hammer and punch used in making the largest sized real horse-shoes.—St. Louis Republic.

### A Bad Quotation.

"I do love you, Mabel! You know it is in the spring a young man's fancy lightly turns to thoughts of love.'"

"So I thought. No, sir; no lightly spring turns for me! I want the honest affection that shows itself in the autumn when the theaters and balls commence. Good-bye, Mr. Brown."—Harper's Bazar.

"It goes right to the spot," said an old gentleman, who found great benefit in Ayer's Sarsaparilla. He was right. Derangements of the stomach, liver, and kidneys are more speedily remedied by this medicine than by any other. It reaches the trouble directly.


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### Strong Evidence Against Sawtelle.

DOVER, N. H., Sept. 4.—The new evidence before the grand jury in the Sawtelle murder hearing is said to have made a stronger case than it was at first supposed would be the result. It is understood that two indictments have been found—one for willful, premeditated murder and another as accessory before the act. The grand jury will report this afternoon. A special jury of sixty will be empanelled by the sheriff.

### Knights Templar Visit the Catskills.

RONDOUT, N. Y., Sept. 5.—About 250 Knights Templar of Boston accompanied by ladies arrived here en route to the Hotel Kaaterskill, in Catskill, where the party will spend four days. They style themselves California Pilgrims, and this is their seventh annual reunion. The party includes a number of leading citizens of Boston.

### A Day Set for McGonigal's Trial.

NEW YORK, Sept. 5.—The trial of Dr. McGonigal, charged with causing the death of Annie Goodwin, has been set down peremptorily for trial on September 18 by Judge Fitzgerald in General Sessions. It was decided to try Gus Harrison, the girl's lover, separately.


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By order,

JERRY MOORE, Pres.

### List of Advertised Letters

Remaining in the Plainfield post office for the week ending Sept. 3, 1890.

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| Grinnell, Maggie | Terrell, Robt J |
| Jones, Dea. M P | Wynkoop, Mrs R D |
| Knapp, Mrs Rachel | Winsemerd, Mrs Mary |
| Lewris, Geo E | No. 90 E Sixth street. |

Persons calling for the above, please say advertised. E. R. POPE, Postmaster.

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FOR SALE—A team of fine bay horses, 5 years old, gentle and sound; 15 hands high. W. W. Gilly, Westfield, N. J. 9 5 2

LOST—A Parasol. Finder rewarded. C. M. Henschell, Netherwood Hotel. 9 6 2

WANTED to invest, $200 in some light business, with or without my services. Address, "Business," PRESS office. 9 5 2

GIRL wanted to do general housework. References required. Apply No. 1 Myrtle avenue. 9 5 6

WANTED—Coachman and Gardener. Address P. O. Box 785.

WANTED—Second hand piano, in good order. Address Box 755. 9 2 4 5

WANTED—A competent, practical Dressmaker; steady employment. Madame Getti, Park avenue. 9 4 3

GIRL wanted to do general housework. Must be good cook: must have references. Call 10 Third place. 9 4 2

WANTED—Three competent girls: cook and laundress, chambermaid and waitress; also a nurse, (not under 20 years.) References. 130 East Front street. 9 4 3

BUTTONHOLES—Mrs. C. M. Jackson has removed to 18 East 2d street, and desires employment making first-class buttonholes on ladies' and gentlemen's garments. 9 4 w

GOOD horse for sale. Apply 330 West Front street. 9 4 3

WANTED—At South Plainfield, 10 wood choppers; wages $1 50 per day. Inquire at Geary's Hotel: Byron & Bro., Contractors. 9 3 3

FURNISHED House to Let; will board in lieu of rent; privilege of other boarders. Address W., PRESS office. 9 3 4

WANTED—A young girl as chambermaid and waitress. Apply immediately at Boston Cafe, No. 7 Somerset street. 9 3 tf

STORAGE for furniture in separate rooms. Apply to C. Frank French, 49 somerset st. 9 2 tf

A LARGE Front Room, furnished, to rent. 31 West Second street. 8 30 2w

TO LET—Part of a house. Inquire at 32 Madison avenue. 8 25 tf

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GINGHAMS—10c Ginghams for 7c., and 12c Ginghams for 9c.

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The following by Thos. A. Gere, an old Scotch Plains resident and good friend of a host of Plainfielders, we clip from the *Tribune*:

I gave a mariner reinas four,
Three times he tapped my flask,
And then I thought the time is ripe
When questions I may ask.
Said I: "Old salt, old sea-dog friend,
When thou didst roam the main,
Some thrilling times thou must have seen
Which if recalled again
Would make an interesting tale"—
I here got out my pad—
"Spin the a yarn of some—or one.
To print it I'll be glad;
Tell me," said I, to draw him out:
"Amidst old ocean's strife,
Wast ever placed in such a way
Thou hadst to swim for life?"
He took another thirsty pull,
That made my flask look weak;
He lighted up a fresh cigar,
And then began to speak;
"Aye, aye, my lad; indeed I was;
I cannot call to mind
The scores of times I've undergone
Some danger of that kind."
Now, rose up scenes of battered boats
Shattered by writhing whales;
Of decks washed bare at dead of night
In far off Indian gales.
Of foot-rope missed from lofty yard,
The sudden jibing boom;
A hopeless slip from ice-clad shroud,
So oft the sailor's doom!
I bent to catch his slightest word—
Here's all he thickly said:
"I allers had to swim fur life
If the water was over my head."

### A Warning to Look Out For Mr. McClure.

MEGANTIC CLUB,
SPIDER LAKE,
PROVINCE OF QUEBEC.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE PRESS:—I thought it best to send you a warning against one W. K. McClure, a resident of Plainfield, and member of the Megantic Club. He has been here and caught the largest black bass ever taken by a member since the club has been organized. The bass was of the small mouth variety; no other in this lake. It weighed six pound full; twenty-two inches long; girth measurement, 15 inches. On the same day he caught two weighing 4½ pounds and one that weighed 3½—total weight, four fish, 18½ pounds.

I did not see Mr. McClure as he had left when I arrived at the club, but have the assurance of a number of members, also ladies visiting the club, that the above figures are correct. I am also informed by the same authority that in their opinion said McClure was much excited, with a tendency—as the doctors would say—of mild insanity. If you should discover anything strange in his behavior, you will know the cause. I send you this information that you may act and govern yourself according.

W. H. B.

### Fun and Pretty Women Coming.

The three Levey sisters, who have created such a furore in London and who only arrived in this country last week, will make their first appearance in America on Monday evening, with Evans & Hoey's "Parlor Match" company.

Those enterprising gentlemen have added many new and good things to their amusing farce comedy. The whole company is in particularly good form. Mr. Hoey has added a topical song to his part of the doings of the clever party. He is a whole team with a brace of full-blooded dogs under the wagon. He is naturally funny, and every gesture and word is laughable. Mr. Evans is also in his best vein, and fully shares the honors with his partner. Miss Minnie French as the Innocent Kidd is very cute and attractive, and the large company show careful selection and great comedy ability. The ladies, seven in number, are all young and pretty, good singers and dancers. The costumes are changed often and are very pretty. In the last act they are rich and costly.

### Questioning the Commissioners' Authority.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE PRESS:—The Commissioners of the Borough have given notice to the owners of property on the road leading to New Market, to set their fences back 2½ feet and to put down flagging, asphalt, or broken stone, to the depth of four inches. It is not claimed that the existing fences are upon the line of the roadway, and I beg THE PRESS to give information as to the source of authority assumed by the Commissioners in assuming to take private property for public purposes.

If any such authority exists, the law would provide a way to recompense the owner for his damage, and the Commissioners would or should be required to remove and re-set these fences at the expense of the Borough after a settlement had been made for the land that they now propose to appropriate without consent and to which they have no more right or title to than

AN ENQUIRER.

### His Honest Comrades Condemn Him Too.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE PRESS:—I have read what you published concerning the delay and subsequent granting of Jacob Seader's pension, and although a Republican I heartily agree with your condemnation of the G. A. R.; member who told him he could not get a pension unless he joined the G. A. R., and voted the Republican ticket.

But the G. A. R., as a whole shculd not be blamed for the action of one man alone, and he one who only served a few weeks at the front.

OLD SOLDIER.

"Five years ago I had a constant cough, night sweats, was greatly reduced in flesh, and had been given up by my physicians. I began to take Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, and after using two bottles of this medicine, was completely cured."—Anga A. Lewis, Ricard, N. Y.

## WHEN TO HUNT AND FISH.

### A Game-Law Guide for Those Who Use the Rod and Gun.

The legal shooting season begins at about the time when the law says that game fish must not be angled for, and just now a few points on the game laws of New Jersey will be interesting, as a means of warning those who might wish to continue to fish, as well as instructing those who may desire to shoot.

The laws of New Jersey say that deer may be killed between the last day of October and December 1. Two years ago a law was passed prohibiting deer shooting for two years. The season will open again in October. Quail, ruffed grouse and rabbits may be shot between October 31 and December 16. Woodcock may be shot between September 30 and December 16, but not during August and September. Upland or grass plover may be shot between July 31 and Dec. 16. Wilson snipe, known as the *English* or gray snipe, can be shot during March and April and between September 30 and December 16. Reedbirds, railbirds and marsh hens can be shot between August 31 and December 16. It will be unlawful to shoot or capture European partridges, *grouse or* hen pheasants within three years from May 6, 1889. Gray squirrels must not be killed in Bergen, Essex, Hudson, Hunterdon, Middlesex, Morris, Passaic, Somerset, Sussex, Union and Warren counties, excepting between November 1 and December 15. In the other counties of the State the legal season for killing gray squirrels is between November 15 and December 25. Fox or black squirrels may be shot between September 1 and January 1. Wild ducks, brant or geese must not be killed in New Jersey with anything but the ordinary shotgun. Pinnated grouse may be shot between November 1 and January 1. Wild pigeons must not be disturbed when nesting, and the law says that a gun must not be discharged within a quarter of a mile of their nesting-ground. English hares must not be shot or hunted with dogs before March 23, 1891. Wood or Summer ducks may be killed between September 1 and January 1. Fines of from $5 to $50 are provided for violations of the law. Non-residents are not permitted to shoot or fish in New Jersey without complying with the by-laws of some one of the several game-protective societies of the State.

The brook-trout season in New Jersey closed July 15, and that for lake trout and bass ends on Sept. 30. Only a hook and line may be used in angling for striped bass or yellow perch in the Hackensack River and its tributaries.

### Whispers from Washingtonville.

Mr. and Mrs. Upton and Miss Hattie Upton, of Brooklyn, are visiting the Winans.

George Longstreet, of Brooklyn, is visiting his brother-in-law, E. W. Milligan, at Maplewood cottage.

That gifted young minister, Milton Craft, is expected to address the meeting in Memorial Chapel, Sunday evening.

A. C. LaBoyteaux, of North Plainfield, addressed the school last Sunday, and was complimented for his clear exposition of the principles of the lesson of the day.

Erastus Allen of Newark, brother of Gideon Allen of North Plainfield, has been visiting the home of his boyhood, as the guest of his nephew, Philip Acker.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Nolan and family, now of Yonkers, but formerly of Washingtonville, have been visiting their friends in this vicinity, and his parents in North Plainfield.

E. W. Milligan and Peter Usterman spent Saturday fishing in the waters near Communipaw. By fishing all day and getting the skin burned off the back of their necks, they were rewarded with a string of genuine beauties, but some epicure stole them out of the basket before the fishermen arrived home.

Cards are out for the approaching nuptials of Miss Fannie Breakey and George W. Winans. The wedding will take place Tuesday evening, September 9, at the home of the bride's parents, 1544 Atlantic avenue, Brooklyn. The happy couple will occupy the new home which the groom has just completed on Somerset street, in the Borough.

George Mobus has been having an unpleasant experience with his mustang. He was driving it to a sulky when it became frightened and began backing, plunging sulky and rider into the millrace. Mobus came forth spluttering, but after hanging over the clothesline half a day to dry he found himself none the worse for the sudden bath.

Augustus Brandis, of Newark, is visiting the Spencers.

### Sheriff Glasby's Last Jury.

Sheriff Glasby, of Union county, will draw his last jury next Tuesday. A special session of the Union county Court of Common Pleas will be held to select the panel for the October term. Sheriff Glasby is a Republican. His successor will probaly be a Democrat. Sheriff Glasby's term expires on election day. The Fall term of the Union county Court of Special Sessions begins on next Wednesday.

The gormandizer likes it because it is fine. The workman likes it because it quenches his thirst, enriches his blood, and strengthens his muscle. It is cheap. The mother likes it. It keeps her boys at home. The women of America like it, because it takes the place of intoxicants. This Hires' Root Beer.

## UNINVITED VISITORS.

### It Is to Be Hoped That All of Them Will Read This Article.

It seems as if measures ought to be taken to put an end to promiscuous visiting; in regard to which there is evidently no difference of opinion, writes a correspondent of the Country Gentleman. In these days of incompetent servants and anxious housekeepers, even the dearest friends can not feel quite sure of a cordial welcome. But when a horde of uninvited guests precipitate themselves with colossal effrontery upon a quiet, and perhaps frugal family, it becomes a most exasperating and intolerable nuisance. It is worse, if possible, than taking boarders, because visitors expect to be entertained—and liberally entertained—in many cases.

One of the most hospitable of hospitable Westerners said that he gave up his home and endured a boarding-house, because he was "tired of keeping a hotel." Another gentleman declared that he would put a small-pox notice on his house if it would keep away undesired visitors. And one lady wrote to some friends urging them pathetically to visit her, because now she would like to have some one in her house "whose society she could enjoy." A Western man, traveling with his wife and niece, thought it would be very fine to visit the Governor of a certain Eastern State. He never had seen any member of the family, but a niece of his had married one of his sons. He drove up to the house, and had his trunks deposited before the door. The Governor's wife, however, was a woman of dignity and determination, and the Western travelers did not see the inside of that stately mansion. They departed with trunks unpacked, and also with a good deal of wondering astonishment.

Of course, this cruelly destroys the beautiful halo surrounding the hospitable home with open doors ever ready for the entrance of "angels unawares." But when good Robert Collyer naively declares that he does not wish to "monopolize those angels," sinners surely may be pardoned if they, too, rebel.

Supposing each person should put this notice on his house—"No uninvited visitors received"—would even that be effectual?

## THE TWO YOUNGSTERS.

### A Tale Illustrating the Value of Truthfulness in the Long Run.

James and John were playmates and each twelve years old, says the Detroit Free Press. Their parents dwelt side by side, and so the two boys were much together. They "played horse" with the same hoe-handle, liked the same brand of pumpkin pie, and were pretty nearly one in all things. The one great exception was the fact that James would lie like a candidate for alderman, while John would tell the truth if it barked his shins. James often guyed him for this foolishness, but to no effect. He kept right on telling the truth and getting three lickings to any other boy's one.

One day when these two boys were going over to Mrs. Scott's to borrow her quilting frames and a drawing of tea they met a stranger, who looked at them intently, and finally asked:

"Boys, did you find a purse of gold on the road?"

"No, thir," promptly replied James the liar.

"Yith, thir," as promptly replied John the truthful, at the same time handing it out.

They had found such a purse, but, being a little absent-minded, I had forgotten to mention the fact.

"Ah, ha!" cried the stranger, "but I dropped it to test you! The proof is clear! Presto!—fizzledum!—change!"

And a great black cat leaped out of a thicket and bore the liar away for cat meat, while the stranger took from his pocket a golden rule and handed it to John with the remark:

"Now run along, sonny, and every thing you touch shall turn to gold. Remember that, while the liar may prosper and grow fat for a time, the truthful hyena will come out on top in the long run."

While this is also a true story, I have concealed the true names of the principal characters in it, but they can be had by sending your address with a stamp to pay return postage.

### The Lobster's Queer Coat.

The shell of the crab and lobster owes its bluish-gray color to the superposition of two pigments or coloring matters, which have been isolated—a red pigment and a blue one. As long as these two pigments exist simultaneously the crustaceans remain gray. But the blue pigment is fugitive, and sometimes, under the influences of a disease, it is destroyed, and crabs are found with portions of their shell more or less reddish. When the crustaceans are immersed in boiling water the blue pigment is entirely destroyed, and the red pigment, which is very stable, appears alone in all its brilliancy.

### A Monster Rose Bush.

The trunk of a rose bush which is now in full bloom in Ventura, Cal., is 3 feet in circumference at the ground; the first branch, which is thrown out at a height of about four feet from the ground, is 21 inches in circumference. Wagon-loads of vines (it is of the climbing variety) are clipped from it annually, yet it covers an area of 1,200 square feet. It was planted in 1876. Within another fourteen years, if nothing happens to it, it will have outstripped the gigantic rose tree at Cologne, which has had over three hundred years to grow in.

### He Got Things Mixed Up.

A theological student, who was accompanied by his professor to a country-place where the former was to preach, prevailed upon the professor to make the opening prayer. Arising to make the announcement, he amazed the congregation by saying: "Professor Smith will now lead us in a petition of the faculty of the H—— Seminary to the throne of grace of which I have the honor to be a student. After accompanying him, your humble servant will attempt to preach the Word whose shoes he is not worthy to unloose."

## A PUEBLO CHURCH.

### The Acomas and How They Worship the God of the Christians.

Like the people of all the other New Mexican Pueblo tribes, the Acomas have their annual festivals, the origin of which is lost in the mystery of the prehistoric ages. The Catholic priests, writes Clarence Pullen in Harper's Weekly, put all the Christian veneering possible over the essential heathenism of the ceremonials, and under their influence these celebrations occur usually on or near some saint's day. Conspicuous among these jubilations is the harvest festival, when, with games and dances, the people rejoice over the ripening of the fruits of the earth. After the performance of secret rites within the estufas, to which ceremonies no one not a member of the tribe is admitted, the maskers, musicians and others, all decorated in paint, ribbons and brass ornaments, stream forth into the open space before the village, where, with the peculiar stamping step attending all Indian performances of the kind, are continued the processions and dances, to the music of rude fifes, drums and gong-beating. In some of their dances the performers are attired in complete suits of buckskin, adorned with fringes, buttons, beads, feathers and ribbons, completely covering the face and head, surmounted with horns, and having only small slits for sight and breathing.

The Pueblos, a provident folk who believe in intrenching themselves with all the supernatural powers, do not neglect on these occasions to visit the church to pay due obeisance to the Christian God and lesser divinities. The church, a fine old structure of adobe, was rebuilt in 1702, after it had been dismantled in the Indian revolt of 1680. It is a massive edifice one hundred and fifty feet long, forty feet wide and forty feet high, with walls seven feet thick, standing, fronted by an extensive and ancient burial ground, on the southern brink of the mesa. The sand for this cemetery was brought up from the foot of the bluff and placed in a depression at this point—an operation which, according to priestly tradition, occupied forty years. The huge buttresses, one at each front corner of the church, are capped above the roof by rude belfries in which swing two bells, which Indian tradition asserts to be the gift of the Queen of Spain at some period in the eighteenth century. One of these bells bears the inscription: "San Pedro, A. D. 1710." It is a wonder how these heavy bells and the great pine beams, forty feet long and of proportionate thickness, that cross the body of the church, were ever brought to the top of the mesa.

Adjoining the church are the ruins of the old Franciscan mission of San Estevan de Acoma, established, says the eminent archæologist and historian Prof. Ad. H. Baudelier, by Fray Juan Ramirez not long after the year 1628, he naming the place after St. Sebastian on account of its rocky sides and the large number of pebbles accumulated on and about it. Fray Ramirez returned to Mexico, and died there in 1664. His successor was Fray Lucas Maldonado, from Tribujona, Mexico, also a Franciscan. In fact, up to the uprising of the Indians of New Mexico under Pope and Catite in 1680, the Franciscan order controlled all the missions among the Pueblos. On August 10, 1680, twenty-one Franciscan friars were murdered in various parts of New Mexico, and among them Fray Maldonado, of Acoma. After the reconquest of the province, twelve years later, by the Spaniards under Diego de Vargas, there were for several years occasional disturbances and bloodshed. But by the beginning of the eighteenth century the province had become tranquillized, and the Pueblo Indians and the Spaniards had adjusted their requirements so as to get along together without a great amount of friction.

It is a strange and picturesque sight when within the thick walls of the old church, dimly lighted by deep windows like port-holes, in which sheets of mica, or *yeso* (transparent gypsum) serve for glass, the Indians, in the same fashion of dress which their ancestors wore when they built fires to the sun in ancient days—some wrapped in Navajo blankets, with broad black and white stripes, and red diamond figures in the center—pass to and from the altar, with its bright but impressive decorations. The church interior is decorated with two valuable pictures, the "Virgin and Child," and the "St. Joseph," which were brought from Spain more than two hundred years ago. The ceiling is rudely frescoed in representation of the sun, moon and stars, the work, in the beginning of the present century, of an artist priest, whose name is somewhere inscribed beneath the dust that for generations has been settling upon this labor of love and devotion.

### Origin of Bird Song.

The origin of bird song is described by an English writer as follows: "Bird song originated in a cry produced by bodily contortion. This cry was developed by use in times of danger. It then became a warning-note that was elaborated into a call-note. This note was repeated by males in varied tone and pitch, and several influences tended to make it a reproduction of surrounding persistent sounds. The call-notes were repeated by the males to the females, and in this manner arbitrary phrases were constructed. Further efforts on the part of the males induced greater variety, which took the form of imitation of other sounds."

### An Obliging People.

The Heligolanders accommodate themselves to circumstances with wonderful ease. All told they number two thousand, which would give about five hundred grown-up males. During the Franco-German war they issued a manifesto declaring that they were Germans and that they wished to throw in their lot with their German fellow-countrymen. At present they tell Englishmen who visit them that their affection for England is phenomenal, and when Germans visit them they make the same declaration in regard to the fatherland. Probably they are fond of their island and all other patriotism is a question of bread and cheese.

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## THE UNCANOONUC MOUNTAINS.

They stood there in the distance, mysterious and lone,
Each with a hazy vapor above its towering dome;
They stood like barriers between the unknown and the known,
The Uncanoonuc mountains which I used to see from home.

And far beyond the mountains I was told the world was wide,
And in fancy on the thither side it was my wont to roam;
I saw the glories of the world upon the other side
Of the Uncanoonuc mountains which I used to see from home.

On this side the Uncanoonucs was an old familiar scene;
But *they* were burnished pillars on which rainbows used to rest;
On this side the Uncanoonucs all was commonplace and mean;
*They* were red with sunset splendor at the threshold of the West.

They were Mountains of Enchantment that stood guard at the frontier
Of the Borderland of Mystery, where the twilight shadows gloam,
And I longed to reach their summits, and pass on without a fear,
Through the Uncanoonuc mountains which I used to see from home.

I have passed the Uncanoonucs, and have traveled far away,
Through the Borderland of Mystery upon an endless quest;
But other Uncanoonucs, gleaming in the twilight gray,
Still lift their hazy summits at the threshold of the West.

One misty mountain overpassed upon the march of time,
Another summit breaks in view and onward still I roam—
Another mountain in the mist which beckons me to climb,
Like the Uncanoonuc mountains which I used to see from home.

Though beyond the Uncanoonucs all the glories that I seek
Fail to fashion to realities before my wistful eyes,
I still will chase the Vision—see her standing on the peak
Of that other Uncanoonuc towering in the western skies.

I grasp my mountain-climbing staff—there yet is ample time—
Then, if other Uncanoonucs in the shimmering distance gloam,
With my boyhood faith I'll climb them, as I used to long to climb
The Uncanoonuc mountains which I used to see from home.

—S. W. Foss, in Yankee Blade.

## CHINESE CUSTOMS.

### Queer Beliefs Among the People of the Celestial Empire.

There is no more interesting country in the world than China with its 400,000,000 people and its 300,000 square miles—larger than the United States, including Alaska. The Chinese call their land the Celestial Empire, believing it to be the center of the world and the especial favorite of Heaven. The earth is represented as resting on a buffalo, and earthquakes are said to be caused by his motions when he shifts his burden.

The curious customs of the Chinese begin at the beginning of life. The first ceremony is to keep the baby from being frightened by any thing. A few words are written on a piece of paper containing "two of the fruits used for soap, to ensure that baby shall be a neat and tidy person; some pith of a rush used in writing, to make him fortunate in life; one or two onions to make him intelligent; two pieces of charcoal that he may be strong; a lock of hair from a cat and another from a dog, to prevent him from being frightened by the noises of these animals." These are all wrapped in a red paper, tied with a red string and hung outside the nursery door as a charm. Upon a pair of his father's trousers hung upside down over his sleeping-place, a paper is put, on which is written a request that all evil spirits will go into the garment instead of bothering the baby.

A greater evil that threatens him is the danger of his being a thief, a meddler, or disobedient, which is worst of all. A bit of red cord with perhaps a few cash (round copper coins with a square hole) strung on it, is tied around his wrists, either separately, or connecting the two. After he is one or two weeks old these guards are taken away.

When the baby is a month old, the barber begins to shave his head. He does the same with a girl baby, though she dispenses with such service before long. On the great occasion of the first shave friends are invited, a feast is given, and the boy's first name, owned till he goes to school, is given. This is a fanciful name,—Patience, Number One, Number Two, etc. "Uncle Fish" was the childish name of one of the great men of China. After this, to begin a cue, a little fringe is allowed to form, which, as soon as possible, is gummed up, and tied into a pigtail an inch long, which sticks out most drolly.

When the baby is four months old comes the feast accompanying the ceremony of his being taught to sit in a chair. His grandmother must get the chair, a curious-looking one, painted red. Sometimes the chair is gilded, and playthings are hung up for his amusement; and he is now expected to content himself with sitting in the chair.

When he is one year old comes the next great day for him and a feast for the friends on the occasion of his unconscious decision of his occupation for his whole life. On a table is placed a large bamboo sieve, in which he is seated in perfectly new garments, his clothes always being patterned after his father's. Around him are many curious objects—"A set of money-scales, a pair of shears, a foot-measure, a brass mirror, a pencil, ink, paper, a book or two, the abacus (or counting machine, consisting of balls strung on wires in a frame), some silver or gold ornaments, fruits and other things." Whatever object he now takes up decides his fate, since it is supposed to show his natural tastes. Touching a book or a pen proves that he will be a scholar, and he is educated for that; either money-scales, silver or gold show that he is to make money; he will be greedy if he takes the fruit, vain, if the mirror.

A Chinese has a new name on every important occasion; and if he gets a public office, he takes an official name. We should say that he wrote his name backwards—Smith John. When a Chinese girl marries, she drops her own name, but keeps her family one.

All through life evil spirits are ever warded off. Fire-crackers are an especial charm, and are used to frighten off evil on every occasion. The Chinese classics are a charm when placed under the pillow, or in it; for it is a block of wood curved to fit the neck, and sometimes has a drawer. A mirror hung on the house reflects back the evil. Coins are placed under the door-sill; a porcelain cat sits on the roof; out of the window a basket is hung to catch the evil influence. Everywhere printed prayers are pasted—in the house, on farming tools, all over the boat-houses; and the people can easily buy these prayers from the priests kept busy making them. On the junks great eyes are painted to scare the ocean monsters. One house must never be set square with another, and a post must be placed opposite an alley in order to break the force of evil. It is very unlucky for a house to be surrounded by higher buildings.

While a new house is building, lanterns are hung on the frame, night after night, while gongs are beaten to attract the luck. This injures the neighbors, so they feel obliged to try and keep their luck by lifting their lanterns higher and beating louder on their gongs. One of the complaints against the English missionaries at Foochow some years ago was that they destroyed the luck of the city by building their houses with high-pitched roofs. This was said to cause the floods that had come upon the city. As *fung-swei*, the pervading breath of nature, as they call it, is affected by every thing, if a place has good luck, they fear to alter the buildings. Their many canals are crossed by many bridges, all built alike, except in size and height; for those who live near them sometimes demand that these bridges be built very low, lest luck should change because of a marked change in the country.

There are professors of *fung-swei* who are supposed to know all about this breath, and who are consulted all through life, and most especially at death. When a man is supposed to be dying he is taken into the hall of his house, washed and dressed in his best clothes. This often hastens death. When he is really dead a priest is summoned, who exhorts the spirit to leave the body. Gold or silver coins are put in the man's mouth that he may pay his way in the other world. The coffin has long been ready, as most Chinese buy them for themselves long before they die, or are presented with them by their dutiful children, children being nowhere more dutiful than in China. After the body is closely sealed in the coffin there are fifty days of mourning. On each of these days the family go into the street and wail bitterly, kneeling in front of the house. As in Corea, white is the mourning color. And mourning must be put on that the spirit, when it visits the earth, may not recognize its former friends and torment them. This is the real origin of all mourning dress. All the relatives send offerings of food and money, to be placed before the coffin, for the use of the spirit, which remains in the body. Each person is thought to have three souls, and on the twenty-first day huge paper birds are raised on long poles to carry the second of these souls to Heaven; while the third will inhabit the tablet raised to it. One of the curious features at a funeral is that the portrait of the deceased is carried in a sedan-chair.

The professor of *fung-swei* must be consulted as to the time and place of burial, and there is often a delay of many months before the body is committed to its last resting-place—which, however, may not be the last, if the professor thinks it has brought bad luck. Wherever the professor says a body must be buried, there it must go. All China is a vast burying-ground; and since disturbing a grave would bring back the spirit to trouble every one, the real reason no railroads have been allowed in China is this superstition. The burning of the Temple of Heaven at Pekin, by lightning (or by thunder as the Chinese think), was considered a most signal token, given by the gods, of their displeasure at the contemplated changes; and therefore railroads are still an impossibility.—Golden Rule.

## CHARMING MARY TURNER.

### Five Young Ministers Each Sure That God Willed He Should Marry Her.

In the early days of Maine Methodism it was the custom of young ministers to consult their presiding elders before taking a wife. Once, during a camp-meeting in Eastern Maine, a young minister approached the presiding elder and said he wished to be married.

"Whom do you propose to marry?" asked the elder.

"Well," said the young man, "the Lord has made known to me very clearly that I should marry Sister Mary Turner."

"I know her well," said the elder; "she is a fine girl. I will see you again before the meeting closes."

During the week four other young ministers consulted the presiding elder on the subject of marriage. Each of them gave the name of the young woman to whom he proposed to offer himself. They had all prayed over the matter a great deal, and each was certain that it was the Lord's desire that he should marry the person named.

Neither of the five young men knew that any one else had consulted the elder on that subject. On the last day of the camp-meeting, at noon, the elder called the five young ministers to his tent to receive his opinion. He said:

"Now, brethren, it may be the will of God for you to marry, but it is not His will that five Methodist ministers should marry little Mary Turner."

### The Esquimau Belle.

The Esquimau belle has as indolent a time of it as any of your fashionable young ladies. There are no household utensils of any kind; no brooms with which to sweep; even no water for washing. The blubber of the whale, the flesh of the polar bear and fish—their only articles of food—are eaten frozen and raw. Only the very sick, or old, or infants, ever taste heated meat. As for washing, an Esquimau does not understand the [illegible]

## A BLACK SHEEP.

### How Torn Shoes and Dress Helped Bertha Lampson.

AUNT ANN stood in the doorway looking at me doubtfully. "I don't know about letting her take it, Moses," she said. "It seems as if a girl of thirteen ought to be old enough, and if it was Milly I shouldn't think of worrying. But I never saw Bertha's beat for carelessness. As Mis' Stevens said yesterday, she's the black sheep of the family, and always will be."

I had heard this last remark often enough to grow hardened to it, and never dreamed of taking offense. But Uncle Moses, who had prophesied, years before, that I'd "make somethin' some time," and still held to that opinion, put down the dipper to say, with more than ordinary emphasis: "You let her take it, Ann. 'Tain't more'n a mile cross-lots, and the money'll get there jest as safe as if I stopped in the middle of hayin' to go."

"It's better to leave the haying over a day than to lose thirty dollars," sighed Aunt Ann, sepulchrally. "But you'll have your own way about it, whatever I do or say. Only I want you to remember if any thing happens, Moses, who it was that sent her."

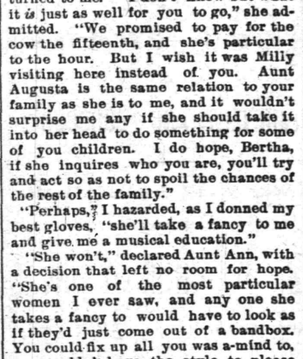
"Wa-al," hastily assented Uncle Moses, as he started for the hay-field.

Aunt Ann, deprived of one listener, turned to me. "I don't know but what it *is* just as well for you to go," she admitted. "We promised to pay for the cow the fifteenth, and she's particular to the hour. But I wish it was Milly visiting here instead of you. Aunt Augusta is the same relation to your family as she is to me, and it wouldn't surprise me any if she should take it into her head to do something for some of you children. I do hope, Bertha, if she inquires who you are, you'll try and act so as not to spoil the chances of the rest of the family."

"Perhaps," I hazarded, as I donned my best gloves, "she'll take a fancy to me and give me a musical education."

"She won't," declared Aunt Ann, with a decision that left no room for hope. "She's one of the most particular women I ever saw, and any one she takes a fancy to would have to look as if they'd just come out of a bandbox. You could fix up all you was a-mind to, you wouldn't have the style to please her. It isn't in you. Milly, now, would be a girl after her own heart. I was thinking the other day I believed I'd try to get her acquainted with Milly."

I gave a disgusted look at the reflection of my thin, brown face and lank body in the glass, and mournfully decided Aunt Ann was right. Oh, dear, dear! why was not I Milly? Or, if I must be myself, why couldn't I have been born with a taste for sewing and "fixing-up," instead of for climbing trees, and racing the old horse round the lots bareback. I puzzled over this conundrum till I was well on my way only to give it up as unanswerable. "But at any rate," I decided, philosophically, as I pulled my big shade hat farther over my eyes, "I can show her I know how to act, if I don't look as if I'd come out of a bandbox." I had always been sure I could talk better than Millicent, and over this reflection I became quite myself again, and went on picking my way through the pasture, whistling "Yankee Doodle." What if I was a black sheep? If my dresses chose to tear, and my shoes to wear out, sooner than other people's, I was sure it wasn't any fault of mine. And there couldn't be any thing wrong in climbing trees, or riding the old horse bareback. Of



I WAITED A MOMENT AND THEN SHOUTED IN RETURN.

course I shouldn't do it when I was grown up, and a great piano player, but—

"Hulloa!"

The voice seemed to come from somewhere underground. I stopped and looked around. The only living creature in sight was a brindle cow, which stood on the edge of a bank, pensively looking over. I waited a moment and then shouted in return: "Hulloa! Where are you? What do you want?"

"Down the bank. Come over here," was the answer.

My first glance down the steep ledge explained the cow's interest in the situation. There, at the bottom of the ravine in an uncomfortably cramped position, lay the smallest specimen of a brindled, bossy calf I ever saw. By the side of the calf stood a boy—very freckled, very ragged, and some two years younger than myself—staring at me with a wonderfully disgusted expression.

"Was that you a-whistlin'?"

"Yes. What do you want?"

"Don't want nothin' 'o you," he explained, in a deeply injured tone. "I thought you was a boy, an' I was goin' to have yer help git this calf out. I can't climb up with him alone; I've b'en tryin' half an hour."

"Why don't you go home and get somebody?" I demanded, approaching perilously near the edge in my eagerness to take in the situation.

"Well, that's what I've got to do; an' I don't s'pose he'll live 'til I get back.

I hesitated. Old Brindle seemed to divine the situation, and looked at me with pleading eyes. But I should be sure to get my clothes torn someway, and then Aunt Ann would talk about black sheep. "I'd help you myself, if it wasn't for my dress," I said regretfully, with a glance at the ruffles and frills.

But the red-haired boy did not seem to be impressed by my kind intentions. He looked at me and grinned. "You help," he ejaculated. "Huh! You couldn't climb down here, to say nothin' of gittin' back?"

Dress, gloves, ribbons, were of no account after that! The next moment I was scrambling down the almost perpendicular path.

I think we were an hour getting that calf up the bank; but it certainly was not my fault. I tore so many little three-cornered holes in my dress that I gave up trying to count them; clambered up the steepest places on my hands and knees, and was not a bit dis-

SHE LOOKED AT ME SURPRISED.

couraged when, like the frog in the well, we climbed up one step and slipped back two. I broke my parasol, jammed a sliver in my finger, and lost my hair ribbon, but the calf was placed on solid ground at last.

Five minutes later a servant had ushered me in to wait "til the missus came." "Some one to see Miss White on important business," I heard her explaining outside. "A beggar-girl, I guess."

"*Beggar girl*," indeed! But just then I happened to glance in the large mirror opposite, and sank back in the chair, for once actually frightened. I had known that my dress was torn, my hair frowsy and my gloves stained; but the knowledge had not troubled me much. I was not Milly, and dress wouldn't make much difference with a black sheep. What I had not known was that a smear of mud reached from my nose crossways to my ear; and, worse yet, the rent in my shoe had extended to my stocking, leaving exposed a considerable part of a very muddy foot. "What," I thought, springing to my feet—"what if I should spoil the chances of the rest of the family!" Before I could decide whether it was best to run or stay and brave it out, the door opened and Aunt Augusta came in; and then my last faint hope died away. She was so tall, so dignified, and—*so neat*. "Oh, Milly, Milly!" I balanced myself on one foot in a desperate endeavor to conceal the ragged shoe, and told my errand with a courage born of despair. "I have brought you the money for a cow—thirty dollars—from Mr. Moses Smith."

She looked at me, surprised. "Yes, thank you. I will give you a receipt. But, pardon me, I do not seem to recognize you. You are—"

"I am Mrs. Smith's niece," I stammered.

"What? Not one of George Lampson's children?" There was certainly a good deal of surprise in her voice; and I felt that now, for the credit of the family, an explanation must be given. But she should never know—

"I should not have come looking this way," I began, in my most dignified manner, winking hard to keep back the tears. "But I stopped to help a little boy get a calf up a ravine, and—" My long balance on one foot gave way. I staggered, made a wild plunge, and recovered myself only by describing a sort of half-circle with the other foot, now almost bare. That, and the tremulous smile on Aunt Augusta's lips, was too much. The next minute I was crying as if my heart would break.

"It—it isn't that I care about myself," I gasped, between my sobs. "Only you—musn't laugh—or—think any less of Sue—or—or Milly. It was my own fault, every bit of it. I looked all right when I started, and—and then I stopped to help a little boy with a calf, be—because he said I couldn't, and tore my dress and my shoe, and I know Aunt Ann will be so mad, and—oh, dear! I'm the black sheep of the family, and always will be! and I don't see how I can help it."

"Do you mean to tell me," exclaimed Aunt Ann that evening, when she heard the whole story, "that she actually wanted you to stay to dinner; and had you sit down with her, looking the way you did?"

"Yes, ma'am," I answered, meekly. "I washed my face, and her maid combed my hair; but that was all."

"Well, I can't understand it. If she takes a fancy to any one, she takes it for certain. You'll get your musical education, I guess, if you want it; and I only hope it will do you some good. But I can't see into it. *You*—and after you'd helped that little Irish boy with the calf and got to looking the way you do now. If you had got what you deserved, miss, it would be a good scolding."

"There, there, Ann, what's the use of going on so?" expostulated Uncle Moses. "She's done all right about the calf. I always said Bertha would make a smart girl."

"Smart! I never said but what she would!" exclaimed Aunt Ann. "But you know yourself, Moses Smith (this in great disgust), she's the black sheep of the family, and always will be."—Pauline Phelps, in N. Y. Independent.

## NOTHING SMALL ABOUT THESE.

GEORGIA beats the world in babies. The wife of Will Lennon, a painter in Macon, has given birth to a child weighing forty pounds.

THE Pacific coast has not a monopoly on big trees. There is a cypress tree at Enterprise, Fla., that is 10½ feet in diameter and has a trunk forty feet in length to the first limb.

PERHAPS the most wonderful currant bush ever seen is owned by R. Lonnen, of Mayville, N. J. He found the bush growing wild in the woods, brought it home and planted it by the side of the house. The bush has grown up the side of the building to a height of about twenty feet and is about seven feet wide, bearing currants as large as an ordinary cherry.

MOSES TURK, of Gainesville, Ga., cut a poplar tree that measured 4½ feet in diameter at the stump and 3 feet in diameter 60 feet from the butt. It made six stocks 15 feet long, clear of knots and windshakes. Every cut had to be split before it could be hauled except the lap cut. It made 3,670 feet of square timber, for which a firm paid $1 per 100. Counting two years for every circle in the stump the tree was 864 years old. It took two yoke of oxen to turn over one-half of the butt cut, and three yoke to pull one-third of it out.

THE boss snake of the season was a monster rattler on exhibition at J. F. Bolton's store, in Americus, Ga. His snakeship was more than 6 feet in length, and measured 20 inches in circumference in the middle, while his caudal appendage was ornamented with 14 rattles and a button. The hideous object was killed in a sedge field on the Huguenin plantation by Alfred Fields, a colored laborer, who, after a lively fight of several minutes, knocked him on the head with a fence rail. Mr. Bolton had the snake's hide stuffed and hung up in front of his store.

A WESTERN paper gives the measurements of three apple trees. One, which stands in Fairfield County, O., and bears a fruit closely resembling Maiden's Blush, is 9 feet 5 inches in circumference at three feet above the ground, with a spread of 70 feet in diameter. Another in Wayne County, O., is 10 feet 4 inches in circumference at one foot above the ground, and is known to be seventy-six years old. The third and largest is in the same State, in Washington County, and was planted in 1791 or 1792. The trunk, where it is smallest, girths 12 feet 2 inches, and the largest branch girths 7 feet. It is a seedling, which bears a large yellow apple of excellent quality for cooking.

## A STROLL IN THE ORCHARD.

REMOVE the suckers from all trees, as they rob the trees of nourishment.

IF water stands around your fruit-trees contrive some way to drain it off, if you do not wish to lose both fruit and trees.

WHEN growing fruit for market select that which sells the best, but for home use the farmer should endeavor to grow the kinds preferred by himself without regard to size or attractiveness.

WE sometimes neglect the easiest and surest methods of exterminating our insect pests. For the plum curculio the cheapest and easiest method is to jar the trees early each morning, catching the insects upon a cloth underneath. This, if begun as soon as the plum sets, and followed up as long as they are caught, will insure a good crop of plums.

THE presence of the peach-borer may be known by the appearance of gum, which should be scraped away. Clean the tree by sponging with water, first removing the dirt from around the trunk a little. The next day the work of the borer may be seen by the appearance of what seems like fine sawdust. Now run a knife-blade in after him, or a piece of sharp wire. If the borer is not watched it will soon destroy the tree.

A VERMONT correspondent writes to the Country Gentleman of an effectual method of destroying caterpillars' nests: "Take a suitable pole, say ten feet long, and attach to the end a coarse woolen cloth by winding it with a strong twine, so that will not slip either way. Take from one to three quarts of wood ashes, pour on hot water, and thus get a strong lye. Take an old pail, turn in the lye, adding one pint or more of soft soap, and stir well. It is then ready for use, and I will warrant this lye and soap to deal the death blow instantly to all caterpillars by thrusting the saturated swab straight into the nests."

## ODDITIES IN GOLD AND SILVER.

IT requires 1,400 sheafs of gold leaf to equal in thickness a sheet of writing paper and takes 280,000 of them, pile one upon the other, to equal an inch in thickness.

A WATCHMAKER in Newcastle, Eng., recently completed a set of three gold shirt studs, in one of which is a watch that keeps excellent time, the dial being only three-sixteenths of an inch in diameter. The three studs are connected by a strip of silver inside the shirt bosom, and the watch contained in the middle one is wound up by turning the stud above. The hands are set by turning the one below.

AT Norristown, Me., a horseshoer made nine miniature horseshoes from a silver ten-cent piece. Each shoe has the number of holes usually drilled in horseshoes of the ordinary size, but, strange to say, the smallest needle is too large to be used as nails for these little wonders. He has made affidavit that each and every one of the miniature shoes were made with the same hammer and punch used in making the largest-sized real horseshoes.

DARIUS L. GOFF, of Pawtucket, R. I., who has a fancy for mechanical curiosities, possesses a clock that never runs down. Through an ingenious contrivance it is kept wound by the simple opening and closing of the front door of the house. Electrical appliances, operated by the running of the clock, raise the gas jet in the hall at dusk, and lower it at bedtime; ring an early-rising bell for the servants, a later one for the family, and, an hour later, the breakfast-bell; and when the hour is struck, musical cathedral chimes respond in the chambers of the house.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| 2d trip | 8.15 A. M. | to meet | 8.32 A. M. | train. |
| 3d do | 9.15 | do | 9.32 | do |
| 4th do | 10.00 | do | 10.37 | do |
| 5th do | 11.00 | do | 11.34 | do |
| 6th do | 11.45 | do | 12.06 P.M. | do |
| 7th do | 1.35 P. M. | do | 2.15 & 2.35 P.M. | do |
| 8th do | 2.45 | do | To the Post Office. | |
| 9th do | 3.30 | do | meet 3 51 P. M. | train. |
| 10th do | 5.00 | do | do 5.20 | do |
| 11th do | 5.45 | do | do 6.07 | do |
| 12th do | 6.45 | do | do 7.03 | do |

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### Central Railroad of New Jersey.

Station in New York foot of Liberty Street. Time Table in effect, June 22, 1890.

PLAINFIELD AND NEW YORK.

Leave Plainfield 3 37, 5 24, 5 38, 6 29, 6 59, 7 28 7 30, 7 58, 8 15, 8 31, 8 37, 9 23, A. M., 12 09, 11 39, A. M., 1, 1 41, 2 07, 2 30, 3 12, 3 51, 5 08, 5 31, 6 07, 6 54, 7 03, 8 31, 9 28, 10 12, 11 28 P. M. Sunday—3 37, 5 24, 8 01, 8 52, 11 02, 13 16 A. M., 12 33, 1 33, 3 30, 5 16, 7 01, 7 10, 8 23, 9 32, 10 02 P. M.

Leave New York from foot of Liberty street, 4 30, 5 45, 7, 7 45, 8 45, 10, 11, A. M., 1, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4 4 30, 5, 5 15, 5 30, 5 45, 6, 6 15, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 8, 9 30, 9 15, 10, 11 30 P. M., 12 15, night. Sunday—4 30, 7 8 30, 9 9 30, A. M., 12 M., 1, 1 15, 4, 5 30, 6, 7, 9 00, 10 00 P. M., 12 15 night.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield 5 38, 6 29, 6 59, 7 30, 8, 8 37, 9 32, 10 05, 11 09, 11 39, A. M., 1, 2 07, 2 30, 3 12, 3 51, 5 08, 5 31, 6 07, 6 54, 7 03, 8 31, 10 12, 11 28 P. M. Sunday—8 01, 8 52, 11 02, 11 16, A. M., 12 33, 1 30, 3 30, 5 16, 7 01, 7 10, 8 23, 8 32, 10 02 P. M.

Leave Newark 7 10, 7 50, 8 55, 10 10, 11 05 A. M., 1 05, 1 35, 2 40, 3 40, 4 02, 4 37, 5 05, 5 30, 5 55, 6 25, 7 15, 7 49, 9 05, 9 35, 10 10, 11 35 P. M. Sunday—7 20, 8 40, 9 05, 9 50, A. M., 12 05, 1 10, 4 10, 5 40, 6 05, 7 05, 9 25, 10 20 P. M.

Passengers for Newark change cars at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7, 8 07, 9 42, 11, 11 58 A. M., 1 59, 2 32, 3 45, 4 34, 5 20, 5 34, 6 20, 6 38, 7 08, 7, 12 7 34 8 20, 9 45, 11 13, 12 43 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 13, 9 48, A. M., 2 03, 3 34, 6 35, 10 15, 11 14 P. M.

Leave Somerville, 6, 6 30, 7 03, 7 25, 7 35, 7 48 9 05, 9 47, 11 15 A. M., 12 35, 1 15, 1 48, 2 05, 3 2 4 40, 5 12, 5 35, 8 03, 8 50, 11 05, P. M. Sunday—8 25, 10 35 A. M., 12 08, 1 05, 1 50, 6 40, 8 03, 8 05, 9 30 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7, 8 07, 9 42, A. M., 1 59, 4 34, 5 20, 6 38, 8 20 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 13 A. M., 2 03, 6 35 P. M.

Leave Easton 6 05, 8 44, 10 A. M., 12 32, 4 09, 6 49 P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 52, A. M., 6 40, 7 30 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 7, 9 42 A. M., 1 59, 5 20 P. M. Sunday—8 13 A. M.

### WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.
LEAVE PLAINFIELD.

5 45 A. M. for Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

7 A. M. for High Bridge Branch and Easton.

8 07 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 42 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Nanticoke, Drifton, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c.

1 59 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, &c.

4 34 P. M. for D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

5 20 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Schooley's Mountain, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, &c.

6 20 P. M. for Flemington.

6 38 P. M. for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg.

8 20 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8 13 a. m. Sundays for High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, &c., 2 03 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua and Pottsville. 6 35 p. m Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading,

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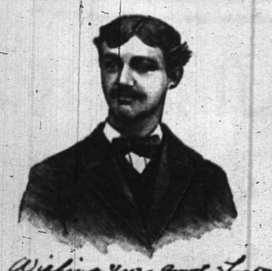

*Wishing you good health*
*Lucky Jones*
*Karl Kaerth*
*Plainfield N J*

## First Catch Your Hare

Reads an old recipe; that's well enough in Culinary matters, but it dosen't do to wait until you Cut, Scald or Burn yourself, and then run for a bottle of CARL KAERTH'S

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## MIRACULOUS ESCAPE

### Disaster on the Central Road Near Castleton.

### WRECKERS' TERRIBLE WORK.

### Many Passengers Injured, but None Fatally.

**A Rail Placed Across Both the Up and Down Tracks—The Entire Train Was Badly Demolished—The Passengers Dragged Through the Car Windows—The Fiends as Yet Unknown.**

CASTLETON, N. Y., Sept. 6.—"An outrage for which the perpetrators ought to be hanged!"

This was Superintendent Bissell's comment on the overturning of Section 2 of the Montreal express on the New York Central near this place.

Six sleepers were wrecked, but, miraculous as it may seem, no one was killed.

The injured list will foot up about seven, the most seriously injured being Mrs. Atkinson of Trenton, N. J., who was badly hurt about the back. Miss Garakan of Brooklyn, head badly cut, and Trainman Saulspaugh, back wrenched.

The others have backs and limbs wrenched but none of the cases are fatal.

A single rail placed crosswise in front of the train resulted in the disaster.

Six coaches were turned bottom-side up on the bottom of a fifteen-foot embankment and three were twisted and wrenched beyond repair. The engine remained on the track.

The officers of the road, physicians and several reporters left on a special train at 2.30 for the scene of the wreck.

Of the eight sleepers composing the train but two were left on the track. The others were either on the embankment or lying across the rails. Traffic was at a standstill for twelve hours.

The train was in charge of Conductor Hudson who was in the first sleeper when the crash came. He felt himself hurled through the air.

The car turned a complete somersault and settled in the bottom of the ditch bottom up. He and Trainman Saulspaugh crawled out the window and, after procuring a light, released Mrs. Atkinson, who was the only passenger in the car. The woman was borne to the rear and placed in a sleeping compartment in one of the end cars. All the other passengers were taken out through the windows of the partly wrecked cars and assisted to the rear where they were made comfortable.

Among the sixty passengers were a number of New Yorkers and nearly half of the total were women. Nearly all were asleep in their berths and knew nothing until they felt themselves dashed from their bunks and opened their eyes to find themselves lying across other passengers and all confusion.

Fortunately none of the cars took fire or the loss of life would have been great. Most of the passengers got off at Albany, and remained at the hotels for a while to collect their scattered senses. All were able to proceed on their journey except Mrs. Atkinson, who was taken to the City Hospital on a stretcher.

Superintendent Bissell has begun a rigorous investigation to ascertain, if possible, who are the fiends who placed the obstruction on the track.

The destruction of the train must have been decided upon in a hurry, for the wrecked train was but twenty-five minutes behind the first section and that came through all right. The loss in money to the company will foot up into the thousands.

The statement of the engineer is to the effect that he was running at high speed as he was late. The first indication he had of an obstruction on the track was the complete turning over of his engine with a terrific crash. For a while he was stunned, but he soon recovered and he and the fireman started back to warn the express, due in twelve minutes. They succeeded in signaling it and then returned to their own train.

The front of the engine and the small trucks were badly smashed.

Examination shows that not only was the obstruction placed on the up-track but the down-track was also blockaded.

Superintendent Bissell said this morning: "It is the greatest miracle of the age that everybody on the train was not killed. The work of fixing the obstructions must have been done quickly and systematically, as just twenty minutes previous the first section had gone up all right."

Another attempt was made to wreck a passenger train a few hours later. The train from the West due here at 5.10 came slowly creeping down through the gap west of West Albany when the engineer saw an obstruction on the tracks. The train was stopped, and it was found that ties had been placed on the tracks by some miscreant. They were removed and the train proceeded to this city.

### Looking Up a New Gun Metal.

OTTAWA, Ont., Sept. 6.—Herr Krupp, son of the German gun manufacturer, is here testing the quality and quantity of the ore produced by the Sudbury nickel and copper mines west of this city. He is in search of nickel to be used in the manufacture of a new gun metal, which is expected to so far surpass in strength and durability of the metal now used as steel surpasses pig iron.

### Don't Favor the Eight-Hour Day.

BILBAS, Sept. 6.—The Socialist Congress has ended with little result. The eight-hour scheme is looked upon with small favor by Spanish workmen.

### AT CRESSON.

**No Demonstration, but a Hearty Welcome Greets the President.**

CRESSON SPRINGS, Pa., Sept. 6.—President Harrison, accompanied by Mrs. Harrison and maid and Secretary Halford, arrived here last night. The party traveled as regular passengers on the famous Chicago limited express over the Pennsylvania road.

The trip was without incident until Altoona was reached, where the distinguished travelers were met by Mrs. McKee, the President's daughter; his grandchild, Benjamin Harrison McKee; Mrs. Dimick and Miss Jeannette Halford. The addition to the Presidential party filled the drawingroom they had occupied from Harrisburg. During the wait at Harrisburg, where a change of cars was necessary, the President stood on the platform with his hat in hand.

The oppressive heat of the day caused him great fatigue. The President is not feeling in the best of health, but he believes that a few hours in the invigorating air of the mountains will tone up his system to its normal condition.

The party was heartily welcomed by the guests of the Mountain House, but beyond a dignified recognition by the President and a few handshakes there was no demonstration. Immediately upon leaving the train the Presidential party, under the escort of Superintendent Dunham, was driven to the Parke cottage, where the family has been located.

### DUELS EXPECTED.

**A Noisy Boulangist Meeting Protests Against Recent Revelations.**

PARIS, Sept. 6.—A noisy Boulangist meeting was held here last night, at which resolutions were adopted protesting against the revelations concerning General Boulanger and offering their adherence to the programme of the party for the revision of the constitution. M. Caselin, one of the speakers, made a violent attack upon M. Mermeix, editor of the "Cocarde," the Boulangist organ, and the author of the revelations. The latter, upon rising to reply, was greeted with hisses and groans and was compelled to abandon the attempt. He thereupon left the meeting.

M. Soudey, an Anarchist, who was waiting in a neighboring boulevard, followed M. Mermeix, heaping abuse upon and ending his tirade by spitting in M. Mermeix's face. Several duels are expected to occur as the result of the meeting.

### THE PRESIDENT'S REGIMENT.

**He Sends a Letter Expressing Regret at His Inability to Be With Them.**

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Sept. 6.—President Harrison's regiment the Seventieth Indiana Volunteers, held its annual reunion ten miles south of the city yesterday. The following letter from the President was read:

"CAPE MAY POINT, August 26.

MY DEAR COMRADES:—That I cannot attend the reunion of the survivors of the old regiment is a source of very great regret to me and I venture to hope that the dear old friends whose happier lot it is to be present, will also feel some little disappointment. I am debtor to them for the brave and patient service they gave to our country under my command, and for a most loyal and affectionate comradeship since the fighting days were over. God bless them, every one. Most sincerely yours, BENJAMIN HARRISON.

Mr. Harrison was re-elected President of the Regimental Association and by a unanimous vote loving greetings were sent him.

### An Inhuman Officer Dismissed.

LONDON, Sept. 6.—Holler, who commanded the Bavarian infantry, which was forced to march at full speed from Wurzberg to Markbreit under a scorching sun during the recent manœuvres, has been dismissed from the service. Of the 380 men who fell by the way, many will never recover their health. Three died, and six committed suicide by throwing themselves into the river Main, having been rendered insane by their sufferings.

### Says England Stole His Kingdom.

LONDON, Sept. 6.—Frederick Nicholas Smith, a negro, claiming to have come to England from Africa by way of Boston, America, has been arrested on a charge of writing letters to the Queen of England. He claims to be the rightful King of Yoraba, in Africa, and to have been deprived of his kingdom by the British. The authorities are not satisfied as to whether his statements are true or whether he is a lunatic.

### A Negro Held Up the Mail Car.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 6.—Mail Clerk Massey reports to the Inspector at Indianapolis that as his postal car on the Big Four road was nearing Anderson, Ind., last night, it was entered by a burly negro, who compelled him to hand over all his registered letters. The negro jumped off the car at Anderson, dropping some letters, and it is though all or most of them were recovered. The negro escaped.

### Will Pay Fifty Cents on the Dollar.

ENGLEWOOD, N. J., Sept. 6.—The failure of William J. M. Byrne, the local banker and financial agent, is a complete and total one. He cannot possibly pay over 50 cents on the dollar.

### Pardoned by the President.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 6.—The President has granted a pardon in the case of Melvin C. Rust, of Massachusetts, convicted of counterfeiting, and sentenced to a year's imprisonment at hard labor

### A Criminal Lawyer Dead.

BETHLEHEM, Pa., Sept. 6.—Robert L. Cops, one of the best known criminal lawyers in the Lehigh Valley, is dead, aged 61 years.

### Shot His Little Sister.

BANGOR, Me., Sept. 6.—A six-year-old daughter of A. Darling was accidentally shot by her elder brother yesterday while playing with a revolver.

## COMING CHAMPIONS

### Great Interest Now in the Baseball Battle.

### GIANTS BACK IN THIRD PLACE.

### Ward's Wonders Win the Second Game from Ewing's Men.

**Kelly Receives a Setback—Anson's Men Defeats Cincinnati—The Players' League Clubs Will Not Accept the $20,000 Prize Money to be Divided Among the Clubs—Scores of Games.**

PITTSBURG, Pa., Sept. 6.—It has been decided by the various Players' League Clubs not to accept the $20,000 prize money that was to have been divided among the clubs at the end of the playing season, according to the standing of the clubs.

This action is taken by the Players in recognition of the loyalty of their non-professional backers during the present season.

### BASEBALL GAMES.

**National League.**

AT BROOKLYN.

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| Brooklyn | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0—1 |
| New York | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1—3 |

Batteries—Lovett and Daly; Sharott and Clarke.

AT CHICAGO.

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| Chicago | 0 | 4 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 2 | 1—12 |
| Cincinnati | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 0 | 0—8 |

Batteries—Luby and Nagle; Mullane and Harrington.

POSTPONED.

At Pittsburg—The Pittsburg and Cleveland game postponed on account of rain.

**Players' League.**

AT BROOKLYN.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Brooklyn | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 2—12 |
| New York | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0—4 |

Batteries—Sowders and Dailey; O'Day and Ewing.

AT BOSTON.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Boston | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0—4 |
| Philadelphia | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | x—5 |

Batteries—Gumbert and Murphy: Buffinton and Cross

AT BUFFALO.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Buffalo | 2 | 5 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 3—12 |
| Cleveland | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2—5 |

Batteries—Stafford and Mack; Bakely and Brennan.

POSTPONED.

At Pittsburg—The Pittsburg and Chicago game postponed on account of rain.

**American Association.**

AT SYRACUSE.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Syracuse | 7 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2—12 |
| St. Louis | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2—3 |

Batteries—Casey and Pitts; Hart and Wells.

**Atlantic Association.**

AT NEWARK.

| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Newark | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| New Haven | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 |

Batteries—Serad and Childs; Homer and Hoffard.

**Exhibition Game.**

AT READING.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Reading | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0—1 |
| Boston | 2 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 1—9 |

Batteries—Kline and Goodhardt; Faber and Hardie.

**Standing of the Clubs.**

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

| | Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'ct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Brookl'n | 77 | 37 | .675 | Chicago | 64 | 49 | .566 |
| Boston | 73 | 43 | .629 | N. York | 54 | 62 | .466 |
| Philadel | 68 | 45 | .602 | Cleve'nd | 51 | 77 | .389 |
| Cincin'ti | 55 | 43 | .561 | Pitts'rg | 50 | 93 | .177 |

PLAYERS' LEAGUE.

| | Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'ct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Boston | 70 | 42 | .625 | Philadel | 61 | 54 | .530 |
| Brookl'n | 69 | 47 | .595 | Pittsb'rg | 47 | 59 | .443 |
| N. York | 67 | 46 | .593 | Clev'l'nd | 43 | 66 | .394 |
| Chicago | 60 | 54 | .526 | Buffalo | 30 | 79 | .275 |

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

| | Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'ct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Loui'v'le | 86 | 38 | .647 | Athletic | 54 | 50 | .519 |
| St. Louis | 81 | 46 | .570 | Roch'st'r | 52 | 49 | .515 |
| Col'mb's | 56 | 49 | .538 | Syracuse | 43 | 60 | .417 |
| Toledo | 54 | 47 | .535 | Baltim'e | 28 | 78 | .264 |

ATLANTIC ASSOCIATION.

| | Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'ct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| N. Hav'n | 75 | 27 | .735 | Harrisb'g | 42 | 65 | .393 |
| Newark | 64 | 40 | .624 | Wilm'g'n | 32 | 62 | .309 |
| Lebanon | 48 | 45 | .516 | | | | |

**Attendance at League Games.**

| | Players | League |
|---|---|---|
| Brooklyn | 2,714 | 1,234 |
| Buffalo | 769 | ..... |
| Chicago | ..... | 960 |
| Boston | 2,150 | ..... |
| Totals | 5,633 | 2,194 |

**Schedule of To-Day's Games.**

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

New York vs. Brooklyn, at Brooklyn.
Boston vs. Philadelphia, at Philadelphia.
Cincinnati vs. Chicago, at Chicago.
Cleveland vs. Pittsburg, at Pittsburg.

PLAYERS' LEAGUE.

New York vs. Brooklyn, at Brooklyn.
Philadelphia vs. Boston, at Boston.
Chicago vs. Pittsburg, at Pittsburg.
Cleveland vs. Buffalo, at Buffalo.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

Louisville vs. Athletics, at Philadelphia.
St. Louis vs. Syracuse, at Syracuse.
Columbus vs. Rochester, at Rochester.
Toledo vs. Baltimore, at Baltimore.

ATLANTIC ASSOCIATION.

New Haven vs. Newark, at Newark.
Lebanon vs. Harrisburg, at Harrisburg.

### $5,000 REWARD.

**Offered By the Central Road for the Capture of the Train Wreckers.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 6.—Third Vice-President Webb, after a consultation with the officers in the Grand Central depot, regarding the wreck of the Montreal Express near Greenbush, telegraphed Superintendent Bissell offering a reward of $5,000 for the arrest and conviction of the person or persons who placed the obstructions on the track, causing the wreck.

### HUNTING A MURDERER.

**Two Negroes Fight Over a Woman and One Is Mortally Wounded.**

NEW BRUNSWICK, N. J., Sept. 6.—Chas. Anderson shot and mortally wounded John Royster at Kingston, just over the Middlesex County border, at a late hour last night.

The men, who are colored, were in the midst of a drunken orgie at the house of a negress, when Anderson became jealous of Royster. A quarrel ensued in which razors gleamed and furniture was smashed. The men rushed, fighting, to the street, where Royster fell and Anderson shot him in the side. Royster was picked up unconscious and Anderson fled.

The tragedy was enacted on the outskirts of Mercer County, and before the authorities could be notified the murderer sought the woods. A large body of farmers and their hired men started out in pursuit and kept it up all of today, but without running Anderson down. Royster is still alive, but there is little hope of his recovery.

### SHOT HIS RIVAL.

**Two Colored Porters in Love With a White Girl.**

READING, Pa., Sept. 6.—For some time past Katie Runkle, a young white girl employed as a waitress in the Central House, here, has received the attentions of John W. Brown and John Arbogast, colored, employed as porters in the same hotel.

Bad feeling has existed between the dusky rivals for several weeks and a few days ago they came to blows.

Last night Arbogast was walking with the girl when Brown came toward them. Each drew a revolver and several shots were exchanged. Brown fell with a fatal wound in the head. Arbogast and the girl were arrested. There were many people on the street and the shooting created great excitement.

### COLLISION ON THE D. & H.

**The Engineer and Firemen and a Passenger Killed.**

PLATTSBURG, N. Y., Sept. 6.—Passenger train No. 25 on the Delaware & Hudson railroad, due here at 7:05, was run into by a freight train at Howard's, between Port Henry and Westport, at 6:30 o'clock.

Both engines were badly damaged, and Engineer Murray and Fireman Starr, of the passenger train, and one passenger, Mr. G. Kniffin, were killed.

The Adirondack special was thirty minutes late and the extra freight was sent out on the passenger trains time. It is very probable that the passenger train made up some of the lost time and did not give the extra freight time to reach Howard's siding.

**The Cal Wood Murder Trial.**

GLENS FALLS, N. Y., Sept. 6.—After three days of tedious work a jury was obtained in the Cal Wood murder trial. Four witnesses were examined to-day and the story of the crime repeated. The wife of the murderer will go upon the stand and swear that her father, Leander Pasco, the murdered man, had on many occasions forcibly held incestuous relations with her. A strong attempt will be made to prove that the prisoner is insane.

**The Strike Resolves Into Politics.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 6.—It now appears to be settled that the New York Central strikers are to enter politics this fall. In accordance with resolutions adopted at the Union Square mass meeting of August 26, a committee of twenty-five has been appointed to take initiatory steps in the movement, and will issue an address next Tuesday. Among the members of the committee are Dr. McGlynn and James Redpath.

**Arrested for Conspiracy.**

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Sept. 6.—C. Von Gruttke and wife, owners of the shop where fire originated, were arrested on a charge of conspiracy. It is alleged that they arranged a scheme with Mulich to burn their shop. It is known that Von Gruttke recently tried to sell his place and that it was insured for a larger amount than the price asked.

**Forced to Pray for Prince Ferdinand.**

LONDON, Sept. 6.—M. Stambouloff, the Bulgarian Premier, says in an interview that he compelled the Exarch of the Bulgarian Church to permit the clergy to pray for Prince Ferdinand by threatening to stop the Exarch's stipend from the Treasury, and to pay the clergy of the various dioceses without his intervention. The Exarch has heretofore acted in the Russian interest.

**She Must Go to Jail.**

BUFFALO, Sept. 6.—In the Supreme Court Judge Lewis affirmed the order for the imprisonment of Emma W. Tourgee for contempt of court in failing to appear before a referee to answer to the financial relations between her and her husband. She was sentenced to pay $35 fine and spend thirty-five days in jail.

**Two Big Natural Gas Wells.**

PITTSBURG, Pa., Sept. 6.—Two of the largest natural gas wells ever developed in this district have been struck within the past twenty-four hours. Both are within piping distance of the city. The gas from the wells would be sufficient to run half the mills in the city.

**Nominated by the President.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 6.—The President sent to the Senate the nomination of John H. B. Amick, of Pennsylvania, to be Special Examiner of drugs, medicines and chemicals in the district of Philadelphia.

**Andrew Carnegie's Guests.**

LONDON, Sept. 6.—Andrew Carnegie, the American millionaire, is entertaining Sir Walter Foster and Lady Foster at Cluny Castle.

## COMBINE OF BOSSES

### Manufacturers Organize to Fight Labor Unions.

### IT IS A POWERFUL ALLIANCE.

### The Corporations Interested Employ Over Fifty Thousand Men.

**A Strike in One Place Will Close All the Factories—The Westinghouse System and the Pullman Interests in the Organization—Labor Organizations to be Fought to a Standstill.**

PITTSBURG, Pa., Sept. 6.—Manufacturers have formed a combination against strikes. A powerful alliance now exists among some of the richest corporations in the country. These institutions employ a total of 50,000 or 60,000 workers. It is claimed by these manufacturers that the action of their workers has forced the alliance. Among the corporations which are members of the alliance are the Westinghouse system, both in this city and elsewhere; the Yale Lock Company, Colt Arms Company and four or five other big factories in Connecticut, and it is said the Pullman interests.

The compact agreed to is that in case a strike occurs to enforce unreasonable demands, whether the strike be against one or all of the associated factories, all work is to cease. The strikers are to be allowed to remain idle until they see fit to return to work, and no factory is to employ any worker who may have left another factory on a strike. Neither is any associated factory to seek workers during a strike from any of the federated works.

"We are compelled to take some steps to protect ourselves against unreasonable demands and strikes," said a manufacturer interested in the compact. "We are now made so frequently as to lessen the investment of large sums in manufacturing enterprises hazardous."

### RIOTS IN IRELAND.

**One Man Severely Injured and a Young Woman Fatally Burned With Vitrol.**

LONDON, Sept. 6.—Despatches from Ireland state that there has been considerable rioting at Stewardstown, in the County of Tyrone, caused chiefly by religious differences. David Fitzgerald, a caretaker on evicted property, was attacked at night while on his way home with his wife from Newmarket Fair, Cork. He lies in an unconscious condition from a blow in the temple with a stone.

At Macroon, Cork, some young men threw vitrol in the face of a young woman named Tullman. Her nose and cheeks are eaten off, and she will die. The doctor who attended her came near dying from blood poisoning.

### DIED OF HYDROPHOBIA.

**After Several Months the Bite of a Dog Proves Fatal.**

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Sept. 6.—John St. Pierre, a Central Falls boy, died last night of hydrophobia. The lad was bitten last April by a stray cur, not supposed at the time to be rabid.

The wound was cauterized, but recently symptoms of hydrophobia developed and death afforded relief from terrible agony. Several other children were bitten by the same animal, and great alarm exists.

**A Fast Mail Train in a Wreck.**

DENVER, Col., Sept. 6.—A telegram from Ogden, Utah, says: "The fast mail train on the Union Pacific, which left Ogden at 9:55 in the morning, is reported to be a complete wreck at a point forty miles east of here. A wrecking train with three doctors and an unusual number of stretchers has just left the Union Depot for the scene of the wreck. It is thought to be a very serious affair, but the railroad officials will say nothing."

**The Last Day of the Elmira Races.**

ELMIRA, N. Y., Sept. 6.—The last day of the New York State Breeders' Association races showed a heavy track. Burrwind won the race for mares and colts that had never beaten 2:40. Consolation distanced the field in the race for foals of 1888 and got the race in 2:52. Pansy won the race for three-year-olds in 3:02. The special race was won by Sunset Patchen in 2:36¼.

**Gendarmes Interfered.**

GHENT, Sept. 6.—M. Henri Rochetort and M. Thiebaud met near Salsate, in the morning, for the purpose of fighting a duel, but gendarmes interfered and threatened to arrest them if hostilities occurred. The principals and seconds therefore returned to the city, but it is said that another meeting will be arranged.

**Burned One-Quarter of the City.**

SALONICA, Sept. 6.—The fires which raged yesterday and last night destroyed one-quarter of the city. Among the structures consumed were the British and Greek consulates, the Greek hospital and schools and the Turkish mosque. Twenty thousand persons are made homeless.

**Twelve Thousand Houses Burned.**

SALMICA, Sept. 6.—The fires which broke out almost simultaneously in four different parts of the town yesterday, and which destroyed 12,000 houses and most of the public buildings, have been extinguished.

**Struck by a Train and Killed.**

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., Sept. 6.—George Morey, a farmer of Milbrook, while walking on the Newburg, Duchess and Columbia Railroad tracks, was struck by a train and instantly killed.

### A MISMANAGED ROAD.

**Illinois Central Stockholders Up in Arms Over Their Losses.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 6.—An evening paper prints a petition which it says is being circulated among the stockholders of the Illinois Central railroad urging them to rise in rebellion against the present management of the company. The petition gives figures from the annual report of the company, and says:

"It is believed that since the report of 1888 was published the debt of the company has been increased by several millions of dolars, and that the debt and stock are approximately $38,000,000 in excess of 1888. And there are strong reasons for believing that at this time the company has a floating debt of from one to three millions of dollars.

"It must be apparent that after paying the fannual interest charges the margin for six per cent. dividends is now very narrow and that a further issue of $5,000,000 of stock, as proposed by the present management, or any considerable increase in the debt and interest account, will force a reduction of dividends and a serious decline in the market value of the shares.

"It is clear that a crisis in the affairs of the company is rapidly approaching, and that, if not promptly met, heavy losses will ensue.

"With the facts before us we must insist that the present management is not a success and that the owners should demand a change. The best interests of the stock holders, in our opinion, require that its president and vice-president should be practical railroad men who have demonstrated their ability to manage a great railroad like ours."

**Train Wreckers at Work in Mississippi.**

VICKSBURG, Miss., Sept. 6.—The Louisville, New Orleans & Texas railroad passenger train No. 2, due here at midnight, but two hours late, was derailed on an embankment five miles north of here and badly wrecked. Every car left the track but the sleepers were not overturned. All the others rolled down the embankment and the engine, tender and baggage cars were wheels upward. No loss of life occurred, though Conductor Gurley, Engineer Cook and two or three passengers are confined to their beds owing to severe bruises. The wreck was the result of deliberate malice, a rail having been loosened.

**Stoned by a Mob.**

MADRID, Sept. 6.—As the train conveying Prime Minister Canovas del Castillo from Bilbao to Madrid was leaving the station at Vitoria, the carriage containing Canovas and his wife was stoned by a mob. The windows were broken, but the occupants escaped injury. The crowd had previously hooted at the Premier and indulged in insulting remarks.

**Steamers in Collision.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 6.—The steamers C. H. Northam and Continental of the New Haven line came into collision in the East River. Four persons on the latter were injured. The Northam went on her way, but the captain had to beach her after passing Hell Gate, and her 300 passengers were transferred to the Mohawk and sent on by train.

### NEWS OF THE DAY.

France and Spain have decided upon a uniform gold coinage.

Congressman Breckenridge was unseated by a party vote in the House.

Cattle on the State farm at Manchester, N. H., are affected with tuberculosis.

The State Board of Arbitration finished its investigation into the causes of the New York Central strike.

Samuel E. Wayman has been found guilty of murder at Geneseo, N. Y. He was sentenced to be executed on October 9, 1890.

Stanley is enjoying himself in the Alps and has gained greatly in appetite and strength. He has climbed the Forne glacier.

The London "Post," in a notable leader, praises the Trades Union Congress, and declares that the proceedings of the body are marked by a good deal of good sense.

Natural gas has been found one mile north of Brooklyn, Ind. The ground is sunk to a depth of five or six feet with great crevices, from which a hissing sound is heard. The people are afraid to set the gas on fire, fearing an explosion.

**Weather Indications.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 6.—For New England: Rain; cooler; southwesterly winds.

For Eastern New York: Light rain, except fair in northern portion; cooler; southwesterly winds.

For New Jersey and Delaware: Rain; cooler; westerly winds.

For Western New York: Rain; warmer; southerly winds.

### NEW YORK MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Sept. 5.—Money on call to-day, 4 and 5 per cent.

BONDS.

| | Closing Yesterday. | Closing To-day. |
|---|---|---|
| 4½s, 1891 Reg | 104 | 104 |
| 4½s, 1891 Coup | 104 | 104 |
| 4 s, 1907 Reg | 124½ | 124½ |
| 4 s, 1907 Coup | 125½ | 125½ |

STOCK MARKET.

| | Closing Yesterday. | Closing To-day. |
|---|---|---|
| Canadian Pacific | 80¾ | ..... |
| Central Pacific | ..... | 32 |
| Chicago, Bur. & Quincy | 100¾ | 99¾ |
| Delaware & Hudson | ..... | 98 |
| Del. Lack. & Western | 144¼ | 143¾ |
| Erie | ..... | 28 |
| Erie pref | ..... | ..... |
| Lake Shore | 107¾ | 108 |
| Louis. & Nash | 80¾ | 80 |
| Michigan Central | ..... | 96 |
| Missouri Pacific | 73¾ | 73 |
| New Jersey Central | 82 | ..... |
| Northwestern | 110¾ | 109¾ |
| Oregon Navigation | ..... | ..... |
| Pacific Mail | 45 | 44¾ |
| Reading | 42¾ | 42¾ |
| Rock Island | 80¾ | 80¾ |
| St. Paul | 73¾ | 73¾ |

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## BY THE WAY.

—Good Will Lodge, K. of P., of Scotch Plains, presented Crescent Division, Uniform Rank, of this city, last evening, with a fine organ, desk and pedestal.

—Wanted, is the headline on Geo. H. Fairchild's new announcement in today's PRESS. Look for it among the advertisements. He is offering bargains.

—Howell Division, Sons of Temperance, made a fraternal visit to Summit last night, and joined with divisions from over the State in having a royal time.

—Miss Blanche Fellows, solo-soprano of Dr. Ketcham's church, will receive a limited number of pupils in voice culture and method. Her card appears elsewhere.

—Go to Harper's, No. 75 Park avenue, near Fourth street, and examine his stock of school books and school supplies. It is well assorted and for sale at lowest market prices. He has books both new and second-hand.

—The Arlingtons defeated the Cuban Giants, Jr's, yesterday by a score of 10 to 3. Hits—Giants, 8; Arlingtons, 6. Errors—Giants, 9; Arlingtons, 9. Batteries—Conway, VanLiew and Carter; Mattis and Leonard. The features were the pitching of Mattis and VanLiew, and the fine catching and throwing of Leonard.

### Want Plainfield Men to Lead Them.

Goodwill Lodge, No. 101, Knights of Pythias, made the following nominations for Grand Lodge officers last night:

For Grand Chancellor—John Ulrich, of Perseverance Lodge, No. 74, Plainfield.

For Grand Vice Chancellor—Charles W. Kilbourn, of Friendship Lodge, No. 30, New Brunswick.

For Grand Prelate—Walter F. Hayhurst, of Lone Star Lodge, No. 16.

For Grand Keeper of Records and Seals—Leslie S. Menger.

For Grand M. of E.—C. V. N. Wilson, of Ocean Lodge, No. 83.

For G. M. at A.—Peter L. Cruser, of Seaside Lodge, No. 47.

For Grand Inner Guard—Geo. H. Polhemus, of Goodwill Lodge, No. 101, Scotch Plains.

For Grand Outer Guard—Morgan Turton, of Perseverance Lodge, No. 74, Plainfield.

For Supreme Representative—James E. Moon.

### Whiskey and Water Get Us in Trouble.

*(From the Elizabeth Journal.)*

Between whiskey and water the city of Plainfield seems fated to be constantly in trouble. For the past ten or twelve years it has been in constant trouble over the whiskey and license questions, and it showed so much earnestness and determination to suppress all taverns and saloons that one would have supposed it wanted water at any price. But now its members of council, its newspapers, its public men, and its private citizens are by the ears on the subject of city water. Just when Plainfield will get out of trouble over these two antagonistic matters it would be difficult successfully to predict.

### Here's Good Advice For Plainfield Too.

*(From the Somerset Gazette.)*

A week from to-morrow the West Ends will play the Crescents of Plainfield at Somerville. The following Saturday the clubs will play at Plainfield, and there will be a toss up as to where the third game will be played. We hope there will be no bad words or feelings over the games. Let the Somerville people use the Plainfielders like gentlemen. Let it make no difference what the Plainfielders may say or do, show them that we are gentlemen. Let them have their say. It will not hurt us. The game will undoubtedly draw a large crowd.

### The Switzerland of America.

Nothing can compare with the beauty of mountain scenery at this season of the year. It is captivating to the eye and a tonic to the system. The Reform Club excursion to Mauch Chunk, the Switchback and Glen Onoco, on Wednesday next, 10th inst., will afford a splendid opportunity for such enjoyment. Procure your tickets.

### Tenth Anniversary Celebration.

The 10th anniversary of the dedication of the St. Mary's church will be celebrated to-morrow. The Rev. Father Quill, S. J., Professor St. Peter's College, Jersey City, will preach at the 10:45 mass.

## PARTICULAR MENTION.

T. E. Hazell has returned from Bailey's Island.

Miss Dedie Merlette, of Bound Brook, is visiting friends in this city.

J. D. Titsworth and family, of Madison avenue, are home from Belmar.

Dr. T. H. Tomlinson is home again from a pleasant trip to Europe.

The Rev. C. L. Goodrich returned home yesterday from a delightful sojourn at the White Mountains.

E. L. Bonny and family of Grove street, who have been summering in Pennsylvania, are at home again.

F. H. Martin and family, who have been spending the Summer at their Asbury Park cottage, return today to their home on East Fifth street.

The Rev. A. H. Tuttle, formerly pastor of the M. E. church of this city, will preach from the pulpit of the Crescent Avenue church, to-morrow morning and evening.

Caroline Delamater, widow of the late Chas. L. Delamater, and sister-in-law of Chas. P. Hazen of Broadway, died this morning. Funeral services will be held Monday.

David S. Dunavan, of West Second street, who has been confined to his home for several days with a complication of diseases, leaves for Bridgeton today for a week, to seek health and strength.

J. H. Manning, General Secretary of the Plainfield Young Men's Christian Association, made an interesting address before a large audience at the meeting of the Young People's League of the First Baptist church, last evening.

Joseph Eder, wife and family have returned home to New York after a week's visit at the Park Hotel, Dunellen. The Misses Annie and Lena Maier accompanied them back to the city for a few days' recreation in the great metropolis.

At the annual meeting of the Union County Democratic Executive Committee, held in Elizabeth, Thursday, R. M. Stover and V. L. Frazee of this city were appointed members of the finance committee, and E. P. Thorn and August Saltzman of the printing committee.

### Judge Ulrich, Able and Popular.

A Union county correspondent of a New York paper, says there is nothing definite yet about the Senatorial nominations in Union. It is a rare and peculiar fact that there should be so little of a struggle on either side for the nomination. There is plenty of material available on the Republican side. The men most spoken of are Mayor Rankin, Assemblyman Voorhees and Judge Ulrich. Mr. Rankin has only one element of weakness, and that is due to his vigorous enforcement of the Sunday laws.

There may be a division of sentiment as to the justice of condemning a man simply because he earnestly and manfully tries to do his duty as he sees it, but it were foolish to shut one's eyes to the fact that there is considerable feeling in Elizabeth against Mayor Rankin on that account. He has aroused the implacable hostility of those who hold loose and "liberal" views regarding what should be done on Sundays, irrespective of the laws, and there is no doubt that this class is strong enough to beat him. Assemblyman Voorhees is one of the most popular men in the county. The railroad corporations alone look on him with unfriendly eyes, and that is rather calculated to help him with the citizens of Union county. Judge Ulrich is also able and popular. With either of these men at the head of the ticket there should not be much doubt about the result.

### A Test at Last.

The Somerset County Board of Freeholders has refused to pay the Somerville newspapers the legal rates for publishing official reports. The papers decline to take less than the amount they claim the law allows for the advertising, and have carried the case to the courts. The situation is the same in many other New Jersey counties, and the newspapers of the State await with much interest the result of the test case. The papers have long been complaining that for publishing municipal and county reports they get far less than their space is worth, but this is the first legal test.

### Another Hack at the Lee Estate.

The Frazee Lee contested will case was recalled again at Elizabeth yesterday by a suit which was begun against John H. Jackson and Monroe B. Long, the executors. The suit is brought to recover $2,100, which Charles E. Abbott & Son, of Rahway, claim Frazee Lee owed them for services performed for him. They allege in their complaint that the old hermit, on April 2, 1888, at Rahway and Elizabeth, did confess the indebtedness and promised them that their services should be paid in full. He died not long afterwards and his executors ignored the claim. City Attorney Garret Berry, of Rahway, is counsel for the plaintiffs. The case will be tried at the January term of the Union County Court.

### North Plainfield Assessments.

The Somerset County Board of Assessors has prepared a table of ratables in which North Plainfield Township appears as follows: Acres, 7,347; real estate, $1,640,700; personal estate, $261,550; debt, $85,250; valuation taxable, $1,817,000; polls, $955; school tax, $5,733.72; county tax, $8,721.60.

—No evening service at Trinity Reformed church to-morrow evening.

## COUNCILMEN SAY SHARP THINGS.

### A Wordy War at the Borough Meeting Over the Macadamization of Craig Place.

The September meeting of the North Plainfield Borough Council, which was held last evening, was enlivened by warm personal discussion. Every time a resolution to macadamize a street is introduced those who have been fighting unsuccessfully for the benefit of other thoroughfares get angry and say sharp things, and last night was no exception. The difficulty arose over the resolution of Councilman Smalley to macadamize Craig place. Councilman Buckle promptly accused Mr. Smalley of personal motives, intimating that he was seeking only to benefit the property of Craig place relatives, and adding that Mr. Smalley had already shown too much family favoritism to the detriment of others. Councilman Smalley said he was seeking nothing but the public good.

Councilmen Emmons and Hegeman also had a wordy set-to. Mr. Hegeman made remarks which were taken as a sneer on the intelligence of Mr. Emmons, and Mr. Emmons retorted by questioning the depth of Mr. Hegeman's commonsense.

When the war of words was over, the resolution to macadamize Craig place was adopted, and Greenbrook road was also ordered macadamized.

S. B. Wheeler and Samuel Whiteley were appointed special marshals.

The Fire Committee was instructed to procure bids and specifications for the construction of an extension to the lockup in the rear of the engine-house.

The Street Committee were authorized to borrow $900 for use on the roadways.

An attempt was made to transfer from the borough fund to the street fund the $550 received this year for liquor licenses, but the effort failed.

### Plainfield's Train Service the Quickest and Finest in the World.

The Royal Blue Line, composed of the Blue Imperial trains which were first described in THE PRESS, and concerning which the New York papers have since had so much of praise to say, is now in full operation on the Jersey Central, Reading, and Baltimore and Ohio tracks by way of Philadelphia and Baltimore. The Blue Imperials are the fastest trains in the world, and the Royal Blue Line is the only line running trains from New York to Washington in five hours. An idea of the swiftness of the trains may be had on learning the fact that the Blue Imperial which stops at Plainfield at 12:55, noon, makes the run to New York in but a trifle over half an hour.

The entire equipment of the line is brand-new, and consists of the finest baggage cars, coaches, parlor and sleeping cars ever built by the Pullman Company. The exterior of royal blue and silver is more than handsome, and the interior has the most superb appointments ever seen on any railroad. The trains are vestibuled from end to end, and are protected throughout by the Pullman improved anti-telescoping device. They glide over the rails at the speed of the wind without a jar or a disagreeable rumble, and afford solid comfort as well as unexpected luxury to the traveler. All the cars in all the trains are heated by steam and lighted by Pintsch gas, under devices controlled by the Safety Car Heating and Lighting Company of New York. No extra fare is charged, and passengers occupying parlor car seats or sleeping car berths have to pay only the ordinary charges.

### Short-Hand at the Y. M. C. A.

Among the many advantages which the Young Men's Christian Association hope to offer to the young men of Plainfield in its Educational Department, and to which it would call particular attention, is the short-hand class. This was so successful last season, and so many young men took advantage of it, that the Association takes pleasure in organizing it again. It will open some time between the first and middle of October, and will be taught by J. A. Robinson. Any young men wishing to join should communicate with the General Secretary at the rooms.

### Stepping Stones for the Public Library.

The Ironolithic Stone Paving Company, on Wednesday evening last by communication to the Common Council, presented to the city two Ironolithic stepping stones for the Public Library. The one for the front of the building is four feet long, two feet wide and nine inches high, with letters cut in the top and inlaid with black—"Job Male Art Gallery." The one for the Eighth street entrance is three feet long, one foot, three wide and nine inches high. These two gifts were received with the thanks of the Council.

### Money Missing and Man Gone.

Levi Darby, who lives near Dog Tavern on the road to Rahway, reported to Justice Nash this morning that the entire savings of his "chore-boy" had been stolen from the lad's room, and that a "hired man" was missing. He therefore wanted a warrant issued for the "hired man," but the Justice told him that mere absence from a place where money was simultaneously missing was no proof of guilt, and refused to issue a warrant.

### Hoopskirts Again.

May come into style, but it is hoped not. The transformation which will bring back that style of crinolines ought to be indefinitely postponed. Transformations in the health of thousands of women throughout the country have taken place during the past few years. Pale, haggard and dispirited, they have become bright-eyed and healthy. The secret? Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, which cures all those ailments peculiar to women.

### Plainfielders Abroad.

*(From the Bound Brook Chronicle.)*

Mr. C. Jones, of Plainfield, visited friends in town Monday.

Mr. W. L. Force, of Plainfield, was in town on Sunday.

Mr. Daniel Sofield, of South Plainfield, spent Sunday with friends in town.

Mr. Wm. Snell and family, of Plainfield, visited Mr. Wm. Taylor on Tuesday.

Mr. Isaac TenEyck, of Plainfield, visited friends in town on Sunday.

Miss Lizzie McInnerney, of Plainfield, is visiting Mrs. Peter VanHouten.

Miss Josie Butcher, of Plainfield, is visiting Miss Barbara Eder.

### Plainfield Lady Riders Astonish the Country Folks.

*(From the New Brunswick News.)*

Quite a sensation was created on our streets by the appearance of a party of lady bicycle riders from Plainfield. The ladies were Mrs. Green and daughter, Miss Maltby and Miss Fritts, daughter of Dr. Fritts, of that place. The ladies rode over by way of Metuchen in two hours, making some short stops, and returned home by way of Bound Brook. They were entertained during their stay in this city by the Misses Cheeseman, of Bayard street. They all rode what is known as the Safety bicycle.

### Awful.

On Thursday Friday and Saturday we will put on sale ten cases of ladies' and misses oxford ties at 50 cents that have sold for $1.00 and $1.50 all Summer. Also a broken lot of ladies' and gentlemen's shoes some as low as 75 cents a pair. Come early and get your pick for they are all to be closed out in three days. Rogers Bros., 12 West Front street.

### Consul General Guenther Ill.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 6.—Richard Guenther, Consul-General to Mexico, is ill at his home in Oshkosh, Wis. He has been spending a few weeks' vacation there and intended to start for Mexico yesterday. Mr. Guenther has been suffering from rheumatism, but is now prostrated by an attack of stomach trouble. His condition is serious.

### Floods in South Germany.

BERLIN, Sept. 6.—The floods in South Germany have ruined the crops in the affected district. Lake Constance is at the highest level known for a century. Navigation has been suspended. A landslide has blocked the Tamina defile and stopped the Nagatz Springs railway. The Oriental express train is blocked.

### Mystic Park Trotting Purses.

BOSTON, Sept. 6.—There will be no trotting meeting for $1,000 purses and a $5,000 special event at Mystic Park this month as the list did not fill. Purses of $500 will be substituted.


BOOTS AND SHOES
LOW PRICES.
At C. W. FORCE'S.
SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS.
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Of all kinds. New and Second Hand Books. Old Books taken in Exchange.
Pencil Box or Pocket Slate Eraser given with each purchase of One Dollar or more.
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Parlor, Dining-room and Bedroom
FURNITURE,
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For young, old, weak or strong. Marion Harland calls it: "Delicate and Delicious."
At leading grocers. Wholesale by H. W. FRENCH.

EXCURSION
OF THE
PLAINFIELD REFORM CLUB
TO
MAUCH CHUNK,
Glen Onoko and the Switch Back, by special train, on
Wednesday, September 10, '90.
Arriving at Mauch Chunk in time for dinner, and giving excursionists an opportunity to visit Glen Onoko and to ride over the Switch Back Railroad. Leave Plainfield, 9:25 A. M. Returning, leave Glen Onoko, 5; Mauch Chunk, 5:10; arriving home about 8 P. M.
Fare to Mauch Chunk and Glen Onoko, $1 75. The Switch Back, 50c extra. Tickets to be had from A. Vanderbeek, J. Voehl, H. H. Spencer and W. C. Smith, Executive Com., and J. W. A. Bauersachs, Financial Secretary. 9 6 3

WANTED!
To buy some of the bargains advertised. Parlor suites for $45, worth $85; and Bedroom suites for $50, worth $95. Also, wanted to sell, Parlor, Dining, Bedroom, Library and Office Furniture, &c., at a small margin.
Having received our New Fall Styles of Furniture, are prepared to offer them at prices reasonably low.
Some odd pieces less than cost.
Call and secure some of the low prices that are being offered by
GEO. H. FAIRCHILD,
21 and 23 E. Front Street.
Repairing and Upholstering done at short notice. 9 6 tf


### List of Advertised Letters

Remaining in the Plainfield post office for the week ending Sept. 3, 1890.

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| Apgar, H B | Palmer, Miss Grace |
| Belfanz, Miss Franzis | Pegley, Miss Carrie |
| Burk, Katie | Scovel, Mrs L |
| Grinnell, Maggie | Terrell, Robt J |
| Jones, Dea. M F | Wynkoop, Mrs R D |
| Knapp, Mrs Rachel | Winsemerd, Mrs Mary |
| Lewis, Geo E | No. 90 E Sixth street. |

Persons calling for the above, please say advertised. E. R. POPE, Postmaster.

### Arrival and Departure of Mails.

*NEW YORK MAILS.*
*Arrive*—7:20, 8 40, A. M., 12:15, 2:30, 5:30 P. M.
*Close*—7:30 and 9:30 A. M., 1:45, 5:30 and 8 P. M.
*SOMERVILLE AND EASTON MAILS.*
*Arrive*—8:40 A. M., 2:40, 6:30 P. M.
*Close*—7:30 A. M., 4:30 P. M.

Direct mail to Trenton and Philadelphia at 4:30 P. M.

*SUNDAY MAILS.*
Office open from 9:30 to 10:30 A. M.
Mail closes at 6:30 P. M.
E. R. POPE, P. M.

### DEATHS.

DELAMATER—In this city, Sept. 6, 1890, Caroline Delamater, widow of the late Chas. L. Delamater.
Funeral services at the residence of her brother-in-law, Chas. P. Hazen, 121 Broadway, Monday, Sept. 8, at 2:45 P. M.

### WANTS AND OFFERS.

*Advertisements under this heading, one cent for each word each insertion.*

A WOMAN wants work by the day; good washer and ironer. Apply 56 Warren street.

HOLLYGROVE Gold Medal Prize Butter, in 1 pound rolls, 40c; cream, 40c; pure Jersey milk, 8c; buttermilk 6c per quart, in sealed glass jars. Geo. A. Moore's, 14 North avenue, or Holly Grove Dairy, Plainfield. 9 6 2

FOR SALE—A Restaurant, doing a good paying business. Reason for selling, illness of proprietress. Inquire at Boston Cafe, No. 7 Somerset street. 9 6 tf

WANTED—By a young lady, a position as cashier, copyist, saleslady, or will sew for a dressmaker. Address 61 Park ave., city. 9 6 2

WANTED—An experienced book keeper, at once. State age and salary expected. Males only need apply. Address "Experience," P. O. Box 684. 9 6 2

WANTED—A white girl for general housework; small family; best wages. 33 Carlton avenue.

CHICKERING Piano for sale. Apply No. 2 Willow avenue, North Plainfield. 9 5 3

FOR SALE—A team of fine bay horses, 5 years old, gentle and sound; 15 hands high. W. W. Gilly, Westfield, N. J. 9 5 2

LOST—A Parasol. Finder rewarded. C. M. Henschell, Netherwood Hotel. 9 5 2

WANTED to invest, $200 in some light business, with or without my services. Address, "Business," PRESS office. 9 5 2

GIRL wanted to do general housework. References required. Apply No. 1 Myrtle avenue. 9 5 6

WANTED—A competent, practical Dressmaker; steady employment. Madame Getti, Park avenue. 9 4 3

WANTED—Three competent girls: cook and laundress, chambermaid and waitress; also a nurse, (not under 20 years.) References. 130 East Front street. 9 4 3

BUTTONHOLES—Mrs. C. M. Jackson has removed to 18 East 2d street, and desires employment making first-class buttonholes on ladies' and gentlemen's garments. 9 4 w

GOOD horse for sale. Apply 330 West Front street. 9 4 3

FURNISHED House to Let; will board in lieu of rent; privilege of other boarders. Address W., PRESS office. 9 3 6

STORAGE for furniture in separate rooms. Apply to C. Frank French, 69 somerset st. 9 2 tf

A LARGE Front Room, furnished, to rent. 21 West Second street. 8 30 2w

TO LET—Part of a house. Inquire at 52 Madison avenue. 8 25 tf

WANTED—Jobbing at painting, glazing kalsomining and roof painting. Address Isaac Kennedy, 49 Chatham street, North Plainfield. tf

WANTED—Work cleaning Vaults and Cesspools. Satisfaction guaranteed. City Odorless Excavating Works, 206 Broadway. Mrs. David Jones, Proprietor. No connection with JONES & CO. 6-11-tf

MOY.
8-11-tf

HOAGLAND'S
EXPRESS.
OFFICE—39 North Avenue,
Opposite Railroad Station.
8-15 tf

LAUNDRY.
Having purchased of Henry C. Drake the business known as the
AMERICAN STEAM LAUNDRY,
14 East Front St., I desire to inform the public that I will endeavor to serve them in the best possible manner, and respectfully solicit their patronage. Goods promptly called for and delivered, upon notice by postal.
C. A. BROWN, Prop'r. 8-8-y

J. T. VAIL,
REAL ESTATE,
AND INSURANCE, 49 NORTH AVE.
DEALER IN
BLUE STONE FLAGGING, &c. 8-6-tf

LYMAN & ANTHONY,
REAL ESTATE
AND INSURANCE AGENTS,
61 NORTH AVE., opposite Depot. 8 28-y

M. M. DUNHAM,
Real Estate and Insurance,
7 EAST FRONT STEEET. 8-13-y

HOUSE AND FRESCO
PAINTING,
Nos. 10 and 10 1-2 PARK AVENUE.
MARSH & AYERS.
Jobbing promptly attended to First-class work guaranteed. Prices reasonable. Estimates promptly furnished.
CALL AND SEE US. 5-26-y

ARNOLD,
THE GROCER!
92 Somerset St., opp. Emily,
ORTH PLAINFIELD. 4-15-tf

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FIRE INSURANCE.
OFFICE—30 DUER STREET,
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BROWN & HILL,
Shaving and Hair Cutting Parlors,
[FORCE'S HOTEL,] No. 5 North Avenue.
Special attention paid to
Children's Hair Cutting. 2-25-tf

J. B. KLINE & CO.,
DEALERS IN
Coal, Wood, Hay, Feed,
Straw and Grain.
TELEPHONE CALL, 36.
Yards—Corner of Front St. & Grant Ave
BRANCH OFFICE—North Ave., opposite Station
The BEST GRADES OF EVERYTHING at the MOST LIBERAL PRICES. 9-6-1

PECK'S CORNER.
Those Who Study Economy
WILL FIND THAT
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Has a Claim on Their Attention.

FRUIT JARS.
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FINE LAMPS AND GAS FIXTURES.
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BARGAINS!
To make room for Fall goods, we will sell the balance of our Summer stock, CHEAP!
Will mention a few of the SPECIAL BARGAINS:
GENTS' FLANNEL SHIRTS—50c shirt for 39c; 75c shirt for 55c; $1 00 shirt for 75c; $1 40 shirt for $1 15; $1 75 shirt for $1 40; $2 25 shirt for $1 85.
GENTS' HALF-HOSE—13c half-hose for 10c; 20c half-hose for 15c; 25c half-hose for 19c; 30 and 35c half-hose for 25c.
CHILDREN'S SHIRT WAISTS—25c waist for 21c; 40c waist for 32c; 50c waist for 40c; 85c waist for 69c.
GINGHAMS—10c Ginghams for 7c., and 12c Ginghams for 9c.
TOWELS—12c towels for 9c; 25c towels for 19c; 30c towels for 22c; 35c towels for 25c.
FANCY PARASOLS marked down very low. Other bargains too numerous to mention.
EDSALL'S, No. 20 West Front St. EDSALL'S.

GARRET Q. PACKER,
Nos. 23, 25, 27, and 29 PARK AVE.
SELLING OUT CHEAP!
Baby Carriages and Summer Furniture!
Get A Bargain While Assortment is Large.
FURNITURE, BEDDING, UPHOLSTERY. 1-8-tf

ROGERS' MARKET OF SEA FOOD!
42 WEST SECOND STREET.
Blue Fish, Halibut,
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Porgies, Salmon,
Weak Fish, Lobsters,
Sea Bass, Soft Crabs,
Butter Fish, Little Neck Clams,
ARE IN SEASON. 3-13-tf

DON'T
Get OVERHEATED!
DON'T Buy POOR Goods,
You can always find Good ones at
H. A. POPE'S,
Corner FRONT and SOMERSET STS.
The old reliable Dry Goods, Carpet, and Notion House. 11,13-y

First Annual Clearing Out Sale of WALL PAPER!
The purpose of which is to dispose of our entire stock and renew it exclusively with the new patterns of the coming season. Points worth considering:
FIRST—Our stock is very large, carefully selected, and all this season's goods.
SECOND—The first customers will have a larger stock to select from, and will get the choicest bargains.
THIRD—Prices will be the lowest ever offered—bargains being offered daily below cost. Sale closes September 1.
A. D. VAN SCIVER, 47 NORTH AVE.,
Opposite Depot. — (Chotola Building), —Plainfield, N. J.
N. B.—ALL BRANCHES OF PAINTING A SPECIALTY. 1-10-f

E. P. THORN,
No. 17 Park Avenue, PLAINFIELD, N. J.
ALES, WINES, LIQUORS, SEGARS, Etc.,
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The Comedians,
EVANS and HOEY,
In their Evergreen Success,
-A PARLOR MATCH,-
*Editon De Luxe;* Hoyt's best play, embellished with a whole lot of good things.
First appearance of the LEVEY SISTERS in America.
Prices—35c., 50c., 75c., and $1. Seats on sale Friday. 9 2 td

CLAIRVOYANT
Mrs. DR. EDWARDS,
By request of her many former patrons, has returned again to Plainfield; can only remain a few weeks, from
August 26 to September 10.
Call at once, as this is positively your last chance.
Office hours from 9 A. M. to 9 P. M. Ladies 50c to $1. Gentlemen, $1.
Can be consulted at the City Hotel,] Room 4, (one flight up) Plainfield, N. J. 8 27 tf

## WORK ON THE NEW HIGHWAYS.

**Mr. Dunham Reports the Progress on County Roads.**

The Board of Chosen Freeholders met Wednesday afternoon. All the members except Mr. Briant, of Summit, were present. The opening session was brief, and routine business transacted.

The session opened with the report of Engineer F. A. Dunham, of this city, showing in detail the progress made in the work on the county roads. On Morris avenue, in Union township, the macadamizing is nearly done, and from Springfield to the Easterly end of the Hammock, the roadway is in good condition, needing only a little watering and rolling. From that point to Elizabeth, and especially in the vicinity of the Lehigh Valley crossing, he stated, he shall require much work to be done before accepting the road. At many places an additional layer of small stone will be necessary, and much watering and rolling. He again called attention to the need for the protection of the embankment at the Hammock, as the road is being undermined.

On Morris and Springfield avenues, in Springfield township, since his last report the remainder of the telford foundation and the first course of macadam has been delayed. The road was unnecessarily delayed and he has notified the contractor to complete it at once. The road in Summit township has but just fairly been begun, and the outlook is favorable. A like situation was reported in reference to Springfield avenue in New Providence; the work is not being pushed as rapidly as it should be, but the pavement is being well laid.

North avenue, in Cranford township, from the Westfield line to Miller street has suffered from delay, and at the other end, 1,000 feet of the telford has been laid. The contractor has had difficulty in getting stone, and was also delayed by some labor trouble. The avenue in Union township is well under way, and fair though not rapid progress is being made. The Westfield avenue improvement in Elizabeth has not been started. The stone is not on the ground and the engineer recommended that some steps be taken at once to ensure the immediate commencement of the work.

On West Jersey street, in Elizabeth, the stone for the foundation was reported on the line of the street, and the contractor expected to begin yesterday.

Central avenue, in Westfield township, was reported to be in progress to the satisfaction of the engineer. Owing to a delay in getting material on the ground, Westfield road and Brandt's lane, in Clark township, have practically just started, but are now going on satisfactorily.

On Westfield avenue, in Rahway, the macadam has been spread the entire length, and there is no reason why the road should not be completed this month.

Mountain avenue, in Fanwood township, has been delayed by want of material, but is arranged for and will be finished in a satisfactory manner.

The work on the Springfield road, in Westfield township, will be begun at once, according to the agreement of the contractor.

The same road in Springfield township, the engineer stated, is being both well done and rapidly prosecuted.

### Third Anniversary.

The third anniversary of Franklin Council, 41, Junior Order of United American Mechanics, will occur on October 6, at which time a musical and literary entertainment and a lunch box sociable will be held in honor of the event at Central Hall, corner of Park and North avenues, to which all the friends of Franklin Council will be invited.

The entertainment will be in charge of the Good and Welfare Committee, which consits of the following members: J. V. Beekman, C. S. Greer, C. F. Stephens, E. R. Pope, Jr., and G. S. Martin.

### It's a Brave Lawyer Who Fights a Railroad.

Charles A. Reed is busily engaged looking up evidence in the case of Miss Van Doren against the Philadelphia & Reading Railroad Company as first told of exclusively in THE PRESS, and which will probably be tried this month before the U. S. Circuit Court at Trenton. About a year ago Miss VanDoren was injured by a runaway horse which was frightened by a locomotive standing near the Middlebrook crossing.

### Property Still Moving.

The following were among the transfers of real estate recorded in the County Clerk's office, yesterday:

Randolph M. Stelle to Henry B. Newhall, both of this city, lot on Stelle avenue, South side, this city, 97½x200..... $1

Central New Jersey Land Improvement Co., to William J. Pearson and Henry E. Gale of North Plainfield, lot on Northwest side of Third street, this city, 60 feet Northeast from Prescott place, 45x120..... $360

### It's So.

"I'm all broke up," said Openface in accent quite despairing,
"To Collier's go," said Hunting Case,
"He does the best repairing."

### To Make New Blood for Old People.

Old and infirm persons need some mild tonic or gentle stimulant, especially in warm weather. The wine made in New Jersey by Mr. Speer, called Speer's Port Wine, makes new healthy blood by reason of the iron in the soil. It is used by the most eminent physicians and in hospitals as the best tonic wine known. Speer's Claret is also regarded as the purest.

### The Crescents Have Not An Earthly Show.

*(From the Westfield Standard.)*

By the way—this coming Crescent-Westfield game is creating an immense amount of talk and interest in all the towns along the road. Somerville will have a strong representation here to yell for Westfield; the Alert crowd will be up strong from Elizabeth; Plainfield promises to be represented by a holiday crowd, which ought to be offset by Roselle, Cranford and Fanwood. Let us compare the men in their positions in the two teams, —McManus is as good a catcher, base-runner and hitter as Jones. O'Neill is as good a pitcher as Gregg and a much harder hitter. Partridge is as good as Wiegand at first and a harder hitter. We would not think of swapping DeWitt at second for Lufberry in either department. Mullen, at third, will hold his own with Lee. McLaughlin is as good as McIndoe; Johnson will do as well as Gillis' in-fielding and is a shade harder hitter; and Warner is the equal of Hatfield, either as fielder, hitter or catcher. Now, there you are, gentlemen; the Crescents may shade us a trifle in fielding-team-work, but we can out-bat them.

As there has been so much trouble and talk about unfair umpiring all around, the directors have decided to get John Kelly, brother of the famous catcher—Mike Kelly, to umpire the game. This will do away with any unfair and partial umpiring. John Kelley has been a League umpire for years, and his decisions will be beyond dispute. If we can win fairly from Plainfield, all right; otherwise we don't want the game.

## SUNDAY SERVICES.

Brief notices will be inserted under this head free of expense, but must be delivered at this office not later than eleven o'clock on Saturday morning to insure publication.

S. A. Haines will speak in the W. C. T. U., rooms to-morrow at 4 P. M.

In Hope chapel to-morrow: Sunday school at 3 o'clock. Evening service at 8 o'clock.

Friends' First-day School re-opens to-morrow, after the Summer recess, at 10 o'clock A. M.

To-morrow's services in Bethel chapel will be: Morning service, 11 o'clock. Sunday school, 3 o'clock. Evening service, 8 o'clock.

The masses in St. Mary's church to-morrow will be at 8:30, 9:45 and 10:45 A. M. Vespers will be held at four o'clock in the afternoon.

Services in the First Presbyterian church to-morrow morning and evening, will be conducted by the pastor the Rev. K. P. Ketcham.

The Rev. J. L. Hurlbut, D. D., of this city, will occupy the pulpit of Trinity Reformed church to-morrow morning. No service in the evening.

First Unitarian Society, Second place. The Rev. Hobart Clark, pastor, will preach at 10:30 A. M. Evening service will be resumed at 7:30 P. M.

A course of lectures designed to assist young Christians in the intelligent study of the Apocalypse at 6 East Front street Sunday evening at 7:45 promptly. Bring Bible.

The Church of the Holy Cross, the Rev. T. Logan Murphy, rector. Sunday school at 9:45 A. M. Morning prayer and Holy Communion at 11 A. M. Vesper service at 5 P. M.

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be administered at the Congregational church at 10:30 A. M., to-morrow. The pastor, the Rev. C. L. Goodrich, will be present.

The regular services of the Crescent Avenue church to-morrow, will be: Sunday school, 9:30. Morning service, 10:30. Evening service, 8. The Rev. A. H. Tuttle will preach.

The Rev. Dr. Taylor will resume his duties at the Church of the Heavenly Rest, to-morrow. Sunday school at ten o'clock. Morning prayer, sermon and Holy Communion at eleven o'clock.

Grace church to-morrow: early celebration at 7:30 A. M.; morning prayer, sermon and Holy Communion at 10:30 A. M.; even song and instruction for children at 4 P. M. The Rector will officiate.

Mr. Charles P. Gelharr will conduct the young men's meeting at the Y. M. C. A., to-morrow from 4:15 to 5 P. M. It is hoped that President Murray will return from Europe in time to be present at the service.

Service in the German Reformed church on Craig place, North Plainfield, will be held to-morrow at 10:30 A. M. No service in the evening. Sunday school at 2:30 P. M. Weekly service at 8 o'clock Friday evening.

The First Church of Christ in Plainfield, Amphion Hall. To-morrow Mr. Cleaver will (D. V.) speak morning and evening. Morning theme, (by request) Rom. VI: 5. Evening, "Faithful in Little, Crowned in Much." Those who are not Christians are welcomed.

Methodist Episcopal church, the Rev. Chas. B. Mitchell, pastor. Sunday school at 10 A. M. Reception of members, baptism for infants and adults, and Sacrament of the Lord's Supper at 11 A. M. Epworth League at 7:15 P. M. Evening sermon by the pastor at 8 P. M. Subject: "Are all sinners equally guilty?"

Meetings in Reform Hall to-morrow at the usual hours of 9:15 A. M., in the basement parlor, and at 4 and 7:45 P. M., in the main auditorium. In the evening an address of great interest may be expected from Samuel A. Haines, Esq., of Netherwood, just home from European travel. All are cordially invited to hear him.

Warren Mission Sunday school to-morrow at 2.30 P. M. Regular Supday evening service will be resumed at 7:30 by praise service led by M. M. Dunham. E. C. Pease the Superintendent of the school will preside. Subject, A practical talk as to our future work in our Mission. Young People's meeting Tuesday evening at eight o'clock. Invitation is cordially extended to all our services.

—Residents of Elizabeth and Trenton, even, are patrons of the Dime Savings Institution of this city and make frequent deposits there.

The gormandizer likes it because it is fine. The workman likes it because it quenches his thirst, enriches his blood, and strengthens his muscle. It is cheap. The mother likes it. It keeps her boys at home. The women of America like it, because it takes the place of intoxicants. This Hires' Root Beer.

## A DOMESTIC DISTILLATION.

TO KILL blue grass growing between bricks around the lawn, wash the bricks with salt water or strong solution of soda.

A GLUE for attaching leather to iron may be made by adding about five per cent. of glycerine to good glue, and just before using add five per cent. extract of oak bark or tannic acid. Use thick and hot.

ALL preparations for waxing floors are heated by setting the kettle containing the mixture into another containing boiling water. By this means the beeswax becomes incorporated with the turpentine and other ingredients. No floor will be "sticky" if the wax is properly rubbed in. The best article for rubbing in oil or wax is a parquet brush, such as are sold by manufacturers of parquet floors, and at large house-furnishing stores.

IN an intelligent treatment of different fabrics a large part of the art of washing consists. Fine laces, for example, must be treated by themselves. Very fine lace may be cleansed and whitened by folding it smoothly, and sewing it into a clean linen bag. It is then immersed for twelve hours in pure olive oil. A little fine soap is shaven into water, and the lace put into this and boiled for fifteen minutes. It must be well rinsed, dipped into starch water, and then taken from the bag and stretched and pinned to dry.

A GREAT many women are annoyed by the rapidity with which braid wears off their dress skirts. The best qualities of skirt braid are finer, and often do not wear as long as the cheaper, coarse ones. The very best material for binding a dress skirt is a bias band of good velvet put on as a roll. It will outlast three pieces of worsted braid, and, moreover, will save more than its cost in saving fine walking shoes from the wear on the instep caused by the friction of braid. This often causes the shoe to be shabby here before any other part of it is perceptibly worn.

WAX disappears if, after saturating with benzine or turpentine, it is covered with folded blotting paper, and a hot flat-iron put upon it. Paraffine is removed by boiling water or hot spirits. Ink spot or rust yields to oxalic acid, in combination with hot water; chloride of gold or silver spots to a weak solution of corrosive sublimate or cyanide of potassium, but all of these agents are deadly poisons. Sealing wax is dissolved by hot spirits and then rubbed off with ossia sepia; india ink is slightly brushed over with oil, and, after twelve hours, with saponified salmiac; any particles of color still remaining must be removed with rubber.

## DROPS OF WISDOM.

BECAUSE a friend is polite, do not think his time is valueless.

THERE is one thing that money can not do—it can not impart to its possessor that real refinement which marks the true lady or gentleman.

THE golden moments in the stream of life rush past us, and we see nothing but sand; the angels come to visit us, and we only know them when they are gone. —George Eliot.

HE is the true hero and she is the true woman with whom the impulses of kindness are most powerful and by whom the call for help is not unheeded; and they are best fitted for usefulness who do not waste their sympathy in the fruitless pursuit of useless excitement.—N. Y. Ledger.

DO GOOD to all men as you have the opportunity. Deal out kindness and favors with an unsparing hand. The cause you understand not search out. If you can not find happiness by direct search try another plan. Make others happy and see if that does not make you truly blessed.

THE man who can learn, reason and execute with equal facility possesses the elements of success, even though his qualities be of but an inferior order; while one who has any of these faculties abnormally developed at the expense of the other, will always be crippled by the absence of the essential features of a successful life.

THE impediment is in thyself; thy condition is the stuff thou art to shape that same ideal out of; what matters whether such stuff be of this sort or that, so the form thou give it be heroic, be poetic? O, thou that pinest in the imprisonment of the actual, and criest bitterly to the gods for a kingdom wherein to rule and create, know this of a truth: the thing thou seekest is already with thee, here or nowhere, couldst thou only see. —Carlyle.

## PAINTERS AND PAINTINGS.

THE Queen has invited Herr Swoboda, the Austrian artist, and his sister, who is also an artist, to visit Windsor Castle for the purpose of painting portraits for the members of the royal family.

JOHN SARGENT, the American portrait painter, who lives most of the time in London, has picked up as high as $80,000 in four months at his profession. He is the only American artist who can command $5,000 for a portrait.

THE principal picture galleries of Europe are ranked according to the number of pictures they contain: 1, Versailles; 2, Dresden; 3, Madrid; 4, Louvre; 5, London; 6, St. Petersburg; 7, Berlin; 8, Vienna; 9, Munich; 10, Florence; 11, Naples; 12, Venice; 13, Antwerp; 14, Turin.

BY way of London we learn that a society of American picture collectors has been formed with a view to holding loan exhibitions at stated intervals, and also to found an art library. The organization is modelled on the Burlington Fine Arts Club, of London.

AT Pompeii some mural paintings of more than ordinary interest have recently been disclosed, and the remarkable discovery has been made of a house five stories high. The upper floor is profusely decorated, and the principal hall displays on one wall the myth of Bellerophon, a nude figure, who, holding with one hand the bridle of his horse, is in the act of receiving the letter and orders of King Proetus, who is seated on a throne before him. The lower part of the house was used as a bathing establishment.

## PHYSICAL CULTURE.

**One of the Most Efficient Aids to Beauty and Grace.**

England undoubtedly pays more attention to physical culture than any other civilized country. English ladies in all ranks think nothing of a walk of ten miles, and besides they ride on horseback and use safety bicycles a great deal. But American women have an idea that it is positively dangerous for them to walk after they are twenty five or thirty years old, and they walk very little before that period. They may walk about the house and sometimes venture to push a carpet sweeper, but to walk for pleasure or exercise is something they rarely think of doing.

One reason women walk so little is because they do not know how to walk. Some authority says that not one woman in a hundred knows how to walk gracefully. Certainly there can rarely be found one willing, if necessity required, to walk the length of a drawing room alone, knowing that she was the center of all eyes. Ungracefulness is due to lack of symmetrical development. A savage is graceful, and little boys and girls are nearly always graceful, unless their inheritance is very bad and the examples they see are worse. Nature is always graceful. The lines and curves of flowers and trees are those of beauty, while the movements of bees and birds and animated nature generally are lines of grace and symmetry. The laws which govern these lines and curves apply to human beings; men and women, highest in the scale of life, ought to be the most graceful of all, but as a matter of fact it is not so. By the time they are twenty-five or thirty years old their natural grace has fallen into decay from neglect of physical culture, and they are awkward and ungainly. A well-cared for and not over-worked horse is as graceful as a colt, but human beings who are graceful at maturity are very scarce. The most of them are more like old stage horses in which some muscles are over-developed while others are wasted away. Their vocations lead them to strengthen some muscles abnormally while others are almost entirely disused. This one-sided development is often so marked that an observant person can tell a man's business by the way he carries himself. There are very few people who do not have slightly curved spines from neglect of the exercise necessary to keep the body evenly developed. To this uneven development is chargeable the want of grace so much to be deplored.

It is certainly a cause of much rejoicing that women are awakening to their needs of symmetrical development, and that out-of-door sports and exercises are getting to be fashionable. England is sweeping us still further into the background by an increase of physical culture societies all over the country. At one gymnasium I visited in Birmingham more than three thousand children are taken in every week for exercise. The girls are put through the same drill as the boys. The entire body is developed and grace of movement comes as a natural consequence.

In this country the Delsarte system of esthetic gymnastics is becoming quite fashionable. It differs somewhat from ordinary gymnastics in that its movements are graceful and beautiful as well as healthful. By persistent practice on the part of its students, most of the effects of early neglect can be done away with. The first thing it undertakes to do is to break up the frigidity and stiffness which is characteristic of the average American woman after the age of youth is passed, if not before. She is muscle-bound; some muscles are too long and some are too short, while others are small and relaxed or else over-grown and stiffened. The "setting-up drill" to which the young recruit is subjected answers the same purpose as the Delsarte system, only it is not so graceful nor so thorough.

That exercise may be beneficial and that graceful movements may be possible, the dress must be light and loose, the shoes with broad soles and low heels. A famous actress is reported as saying that she has not worn a corset for many years and that she found as soon as she took off the fetters she was able to appear to better advantage every way. Ladies are rightly interested in being beautiful, but they should know that grace, beauty and health always go together and that nature has thus allied them. They can not be beautiful without being healthy, and they cannot be graceful without physical development and freedom of motion and plenty of room to breathe. So, then, to neglect physical culture is to neglect one of the most efficient aids to beauty and grace.—From a Lecture by J. H. Kellogg, M. D., Battle Creek Sanitarium.

### A Spanish Submarine Boat.

Spain would appear to treat her inventors better than most nations. A naval Lieutenant, Isaac Peral, has constructed a submarine boat moved by electricity, which, according to the Spanish press, is the greatest invention of the age, an opinion apparently shared by the Government, as Monday night's council, on the proposal of the minister of marine, conferred a title of nobility upon Lieutenant Peral and presented him with $100,000 (£20,000) for services to his country and as a testimony of his countrymen's gratitude. It is not stated whether this sum represents the monetary value of the patent. But without wishing for a moment to detract from the merit of Lieutenant Peral, whose boat may be the most perfect of its kind, it may be pointed out that similar vessels have existed for many years past in other countries, a fact which the Spanish newspapers seem to forget; or at least to ignore, while heaping almost fulsome eulogy on Lieutenant Peral as the inventor of inventors.—London Times.

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# RELIGIOUS MATTERS.

## AFTER MANY DAYS.

Cast thy bread upon the waters!
Hungering heart, in prayer and praise—
Cloud with silvery light behind it!
Thus thy yearning soul shall find it
After many days!

Satisfied through hours of longing,
Struggling past the waves of sin—
Grasp the sheaf of wheat and bind it
That the triumph you may win
After many days!

Sow it! reap it! mold, but taste not;
Cast it as thy loving gift
O'er life's waves! Repinings waste not—
It will come back through the rift—
After many days!

Though life's wave in wild commotion
Toss thy venture near the main,
Onward press in calm devotion,
It will float to thee again!
After many days!

Give not sighs in place of laughter—
Yield not once to dark regret!
Thy reward is coming after
All these doubtings bravely met.
After many days!

Close to shore, and standing near thee,
Lo! a smiling angel band!
Sent from Heaven to bless and cheer thee
Watch thy burden safely land
After many days!

Praying, watching, waiting, yearning,
All thy soul with joy uplift!
To thy feet the waves returning
Bring the Heavenly manna-drift!
After many days!
—Christian at Work.

## MISGUIDED GIANTS.

**Who Do the Real Damage to the Cause of Religious Truth.**

It is not the small, weak men of the day who do the damage. These small men who go swearing and loafing about your stores and shops and banking-houses, assailing Christ and the Bible and the Church—they do not do the damage. They have no influence. They are vermin that you crush with your foot. But it is the giants of the day; the misguided giants, giants in physical power, or giants in mental acumen, or giants in social position, or giants in wealth, who do the damage. The men with sharp pens that stab religion and throw their poison all through our literature; the men who use the power of wealth to sanction iniquity, and bribe justice, and make truth and honor bow to their golden scepter. Misguided giants, look out for them. In the middle and the latter part of the last century no doubt there were thousands of men in Paris and Edinburgh and London who hated God and blasphemed the name of the Almighty; but they did but little mischief, they were small men, insignificant men. Yet there were giants in those days. Who can calculate the soul-havoc of a Rousseau, going on with a very enthusiasm of iniquity, with fiery imagination seizing upon the impulsive natures of his day? or David Hume, who employed his life as a spider employs its summer, in spinning out silken webs to trap the unwary? or Gibbon, who showed an uncontrolable grudge against religion in his history of one of the most fascinating periods of the world's existence, the Decline and Fall of the Roman Empire, a book in which, with all the splendors of his genius, he magnified the errors of Christian disciples, while, with a sparseness of notice that never can be forgiven, he treated of the Christian heroes of whom the world was not worthy? Oh, men of stout physical health, men of great mental statue, men of high social position, men of great power of any sort, understand your power, and know that that power devoted to God will be a crown on earth to you typical of a crown in Heaven; but misguided, bedraggled in sin, administrative of evil, God will thunder against you with His condemnation in the day when wealth and poverty, master and slave, King and subject, shall stand side by side in the judgment, and money-bags, and judicial ermine, and royal robe shall be riven with the lightnings.—Talmage, in N. Y. Observer.

## THE USEFUL AND THE USELESS.

**Read and Study the Bible in Preference to the Newspaper and Novel.**

The attention of most men are directed to the process of accumulation. Few give sufficient attention to the art of dispossession. To know what to discard is quite as important as to know what to keep. Beside the railroad track one frequently sees piles of worn-out sleepers burning. After awhile it gets to be quite as important a matter to get rid of old sleepers as to hew out new ones. Many a man's mind is like a garret, packed and littered with rubbish which he has not been wise enough to throw away. Few, like Macaulay, have room both for rubbish and for good furnishing as well; the rubbish will usually crowd out the valuable articles. He who knows what to forget is a wise man.

There are some things that it is a positive duty to rid the mind of, if possible. Of this class is all that verges on profanity, irreverence and vulgarity—every story involving a *double entente*, and every bit of scandal and slander against one's neighbor. These things not only litter up the mind with worse than useless rubbish, but, like some foul and decomposing carcass, they poison the mind and render it positively noxious to others. But there is another class of mental furnishing that is simply lumber, neither bad nor good in itself, but simply evil because it takes the place of that which is good. Of this character is much of the so-called news of the day. If we must read it, let us forget it as soon as possible. Of this class are ninety-nine out of every one hundred novels published. If they serve a purpose in relieving mental tension and resting an overworked mind, their mission is not a lasting one, and he who is foolish enough to read should at least be wise enough to forget them. Of this same kind of mental lumber is much school-book literature. It serves its purpose, but, as the cradle is useless and is relegated to the attic when the babies grow up, so the school-book has its place, but not a permanent place, among the mind's furniture. There is one Book that we can commit to heart without fear of littering the mind with rubbish. No one ever knew too much of the Bible; no one ever had it too readily at command. To replace his mental lumber with the pearls and gems of God's Word may well be the worthy ambition of every young person.—Golden Rule.

## HAVING FUN.

**Fallacy of the Idea That There is No Pleasure Outside of Sin.**

Some one said to me: "Would you shut us young folks out from all fun?" Oh, no. I like fun. I believe in fun. I have had lots of it in my time. But I have not had to go into paths of sin to find it. No credit to me, but because of an extraordinary parental example and influence I was kept from outward transgressions, though my heart was bad enough, and desperately wicked. I have had fun illimitable, though I never swore one oath, and never gambled for so much as the value of a pin, and never saw the inside of a haunt of sin save, as when ten years ago, with commissioner of police and a detective and two elders of my church, I explored these cities by midnight, not out of curiosity, but that I might, in pulpit discourse, set before the people the poverty and the horrors of underground city life. Yet I have had so much fun that I do not believe there is a man on the planet in the present time who has had more fun, and on the side of right. Sin may seem attractive, but it is deathful and like the manchineel, a tree whose dews are poisonous. The only genuine happiness is in an honest Christian life. There is no fun in shipwrecking your character; no fun in disgracing your father's name. There is no fun in breaking your mother's heart. There is no fun in the physical pangs of the dissolute. There is no fun in the profligate's death-bed. There is no fun in an undone eternity. Paracelsus, out of the ashes of a burnt rose, said he could recreate the rose, but he failed in the alchemic undertaking, and roseate life once burned down in sin can never again be made to blossom.—Talmage, in N. Y. Observer.

## SOMETHING WRONG.

**A Few Indications of Positive or Negative Faults.**

There is something wrong if the members of your family have to hear you talk in class meeting to find out that you are a Christian.

There is something wrong if the people in your employ speak of you as an old skinflint.

There is something wrong if you never go to church except when you feel like it.

There is something wrong if you don't know to-day whether you would go to Heaven or not in case of death.

There is something wrong if you don't pay your debts, if you are able to.

There is something wrong if you are always splitting hairs with the Lord in money matters.

There is something wrong if you never mention the name of Jesus outside of prayer-meeting.

There is something wrong if you never pray except when you have to.

There is something wrong if you never go to church in bad weather.

There is something wrong if you haven't got any more religion to-day than you had ten years ago.

There is something wrong if you feel spiteful whenever you see another woman wearing a better hat than you do.

There is something wrong if you never tell your husband you are sorry you blowed him up for coming into the house with muddy boots on.

There is something wrong if you are not a good deal more anxious about getting other people to Heaven than you are to get there yourself.—Ram's Horn.

**How to Succeed.**

A good way to be happy is to try to be useful and helpful.

A good way to succeed is to be always trying to do your very best.

A good way to please God is to try to do the things you know Christ would do.

A good way to come out all right is to be sure to start right.

A good way to accomplish great things is never to slight little ones.

A good way to make sure of Heaven is to determine at once to go there.

A good way to get more talents is to use those you already possess.

A good way to resist temptation is to be always guarding against it.

A good way to be a growing Christian is to be a working one.

A good way to become a soul winner is to become a sin hater.—Ram's Horn.

## CHOICE EXTRACTS.

—Nature never pretends.

—The course of nature is the act of God.—Young.

—Religion is an ornament in prosperity and a refuge in adversity.—Aristotle.

—To argue with unbelievers is to crack the whip after a runaway team.—Dr. Lyman Beecher.

—Sins are like circles in the water when a stone is thrown into it—one produces another.—Matthew Henry.

—It is with human character, very often, as it is with a torch; the more it is shaken the more it shines.—W. W. Newton.

—Do not expect commercial payment for the real benefits you may render mankind. Doing good is the great way of enriching character.—Dr. S. J. McPherson.

—Piety and true morality are but the same spirit differently manifested. Piety is religion with its face toward God; morality is religion with its face toward the world.—Tryon Edwards.

—Our Lord has a keen eye for all that is good. When He searches our hearts He never passes by the faintest longing, or desire, or faith, or love of any of His people. He says to each and all: "I know thy works."—C. H. Spurgeon.

—Some people are thinking and judging of themselves by what they are doing; but God looks at the heart, and God knows that a good tree can not bring forth evil fruit, neither can a corrupt tree bring forth good fruit, so God wants man to get a new nature.—Sheet

# A SUPERIOR MIND.

**Mrs. Simpson Used Hers to Rule Her Husband.**

LITTLE old man, with a kindly face and faded, watery blue eyes, and thin sandy hair, pasted down in front of either ear, sat on the top row of seats at the circus. He had on a pair of newly-ironed plaid gingham "pants" of the "barn-door" cut, so long obsolete in fashionable circles. He wore, also, an old blue coat, with brass buttons, a "flowered" black satin vest, and a revolutionary stick, while he held between his shaky knees the stove-pipe hat that had added to the dignity of his appearance on his wedding day, forty years ago.

By his side sat the woman who had promised to love, honor and obey him on that memorable day. She didn't look as though she had grown very weary in the obeying business. She was a commanding looking female, grim of visage, huge in form, and had a nose and an eye suggestive of pleasing firmness of character, which was further indicated by the way in which she waved the turkey-tail fan held in her ungloved hand. A vaunting red feather, waving over the top of her blue and green and yellow bonnet, gave her a military appearance, and she seemed as one born to command.

"Hit's a right good show, hain't it, Tildy?" said the little old man, as Mary Jane Jones, alias Mamselle Mariana M. de Monteville, vaulted arily through three paper hoops, turned a double somersault, and landed gracefully on all fours on the back of her "fiery, untamed Arabian steed," bought at an auction sale out in Kansas.

"She done that purty slick, didn't she, mother?" said the little old man.

"Slick enough," was the grim and dispiriting reply; "but I should think she'd be 'shamed of herself, to come out in sich duds as them."

"I think she looks real purty."

"Ye do, hey? How'd ye like to see me dressed so?"

"You? Good land, mother; you'd never—"

"Money couldn't hire me to—not even if I wasn't a Cumberland Presbyterian."

"Of co'se not, Tildy. It wouldn't be becomin' to you, for you weigh two hundred and forty, you know, and—"

"Shet up, Sile Simpson," she said, icily. "I don't weigh but two hundred

"I NEVER SEE YOUR BEAT, SILE SIMPSON."

and thirty-nine, and you needn't tell the whole circus that I weigh even that. There's a woman bein' histed up into that trapeze. That's another thing all the gold and diamonds on earth couldn't hire me to do."

Then the little old man put a red cotton handkerchief up to his face and giggled until Tildy said, acridly:

"If ye don't shet up it'll be the last circus I'll ever fetch ye too."

That sobered him; and when the lemonade man came around he said, gently:

"That lem'nade looks mighty good, Tildy."

"Plain water's good enough for me."

"Ye can't git no water in here."

"Well, I guess you won't quite warp if you wait until we git outside."

"Hit's only five cents a glass, he says."

"Yes, an' twenty five centses make a dollar."

"There's two slices of lemon in each glass, and they'd be good dried and put in dried-apple sass."

"A sprinklin' of cinnamon is jist as good."

"I'm turrible hot and dry, and he says it's ice cold."

"Yes; and I read of a man that died after drinkin' ice water when he was hot."

"I'd risk dyin'."

"Ye allus wuz fool-hardy."

"Well, what do ye say to gittin' a bag o' peanuts, then?"

"I ain't goin' to, that's all."

"Why, Tildy?"

"Peanuts ain't fit to put into nobody's stummick."

"I've read they're healthy."

"Healthy? Nasty little hard lumps, like peanuts, healthy?"

"I et some, eight or nine years ago, and I'm here yit."

"Your stummick was stronger then, nor what it is now."

"Shucks! I could eat a quart of 'em."

"Well, you ain't going too. The money is tied up in a corner o' my hank'cher, an' it's goin' to stay there."

"What do you say to a couple o' bananers? He's sellin' 'em two fur a nickel."

"They're rank pizen in some stummicks."

"I'd risk 'em in our'n."

"I never see your beat, Sile Simpson. Ev'ry time we come to town, you think you've got to go and gawm down a lot o' stuff that costs money. It hain't been six months sence you spent five cents for a lot o' prunes, an' et 'em all down in one day."

"I b'leeve in enjiying' life a little."

"Yes; an' in the most expensive way. It ain't been three months sence you squandered five cents fer cheese an' sweet crackers, an' I ketched you gawming 'em down out in the barn; and now ye wanter spend more money fer sech stuff. Ye shan't do it!"

"Ev'rybody buys a little something at a circus."

"Ev'rybody don't. I don't."

"I've knowed some folks to buy a whole cokernut when they come to a circus; and Hi Jinkins allus gits himself a seegar."

"Ye might jist as well shet right up first as last, Sile," she said, with tightly compressed lips and an unrelenting look in her cold gray eyes. "I carry the money, and there ain't going to be none of it wasted; and that I let ye know once fer all."

And then, the circus being over, they climbed down from their lofty perch and she led the way out, with Sile walking meekly behind, a dejected and disappointed, but submissive victim to a superior mind.—Light.

**TOOK IT FOR A SCALP MARKET.**

Crazy Bull (after thoughtful examination of wig display in window of Standing Rock's new hair-dressing establishment)—Say, tink mebby Injun dig up hatchet 'n go on war path nex' week. How much you pay fur good white scalp now?—Texas Siftings.

**The Correction Was Made.**

"I hear you have said that I was sent to the penitentiary for forgery. Now I want you to correct that."

"Yes; I said it. And I'll make a correction when you prove I was wrong."

"I can prove it, sir."

"Then I shall be happy to remedy the error and apologize as well. Bring forward your proof."

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**Didn't Seem to Do Him Any Good.**

A.—You should marry. Woman exerts a refining influence on man. What you need is a wife.

B.—Are you married?

"O, yes; I've been married twenty years."

"Why haven't you and your wife been living together all these years?"—Texas Siftings.

**Cutting it Fine.**

Owner of race horse (looking closely at scales)—Williams, you are a trifle over weight. Can't you lighten yourself a little?

Williams (the jockey)—Got on my lightest suit, sir. Ain't ett a bite to-day, and 'ave just trimmed my finger nails.

Owner—Well, go and get shaved.—The Jury.

**Absent-Minded.**

Mrs. Gilbooly—How is your daughter coming on?

Mrs. Peterby—She is too absent-minded, poor thing. Just think of it; she went out walking yesterday afternoon with her intended, and came home at eleven o'clock with a gentleman who was a perfect stranger.—Texas Siftings.

**On an Outing.**

Spectacled Schoolma'am (to farmer)—Do you think that bull over there will run after me?

Farmer—Well, if he does, miss, just let him get a good square look at you—he'll be satisfied to go away then.—Munsey's Weekly.

**WHAT HE WAS IN FOR.**

Prison Missionary—My poor fellow, what are you in here for?

Prisoner—For not havin' enough political influence to git me out.—Life.

**On the Coney Island Boat.**

Porpus—Hello, Nettles, what 're ye wearing ear-muffs for this weather?

Nettles—Hey?

Porpus—I say—what's the matter with your ears?

Nettles—Well, I'm takin' these trips to quiet my nerves—and—er—ah—I am fond of—er—music!—Drake's Magazine.

**A Dire Extremity.**

Countryman—You got lost, you say! How long have you been without any thin' to eat?

Dude (feebly)—I've had enough to eat all along, but I've been without cigarettes for three days.—Munsey's Weekly.

**A Poor Man.**

"What does your husband do now?" inquired the parson.

"Well," answered the heart-broken wife, "he buys half a dozen different papers and tries to make money in their guessing contests."—Judge.

# THE BRISK FAMILY.

**How Mr. Brisk Took Advantage of the Railroad War.**

The Bobbletown train had reached St. Louis. Passengers were looking expectant and gathering up their valuables ready for the coming exodus. The door of the car was flung open, a wild-eyed man shouted something in Volapuk, and the crowd of travelers climbed over itself and tumbled into the Union depot. Mr. Brisk was in his element. He was always happiest in a crowd, and the clang and clamor of metropolitan life were music in his ears. He walked along with head erect, stepped on a baby or two, and a small dog, that mothers or nurses had dropped unnoticed in the excitement of traveling. He only came back to a realization of material things when his mother-in-law grabbed him by the ear and remarked, with a yell that would have frightened a street-car horse into a trot: "Jared, Jared! Martha's lost her new umb'rill!"

"Just like a woman," growled he, turning to his wife. "Where did you lose it?"

"Well, now, Jared, it's likely if I knew just where I lost it that I'd go right straight and get it. I suppose it's under the car seat, for I dropped my gum and tried to poke it out with the umbrella handle, and I remember perfectly well getting the gum, but I don't recollect picking up the umbrella."

"That's just the way," retorted he, "that half the money I earn is thrown away, literally thrown away. It will be a long time before I buy another umbrella, and if you don't stop that detestable practice of chewing gum, I shall have to give up my tobacco, and you know, Mrs. Brisk, that would practically end my life."

"Only five minutes till our train goes to Kansas City," said he, hurriedly, "and I wouldn't miss it for a thousand dollars. You see," added he, in a moralizing way, "we didn't need to take this trip; we didn't want to go; we didn't have time to go; but look at the cheapness of it! Only one dollar! Jemima! Any man is a fool who wouldn't take advantage of the cut rates of this railroad war, and if his family were unwilling to go, force them to see what cheap traveling means."

"Yo' can't get in dis cah, sah," said the porter, who had just locked the door of the reclining chair car. "Ebery seat

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is full, and we cain't go contrary to de rules, sah."

"Confound the rules!" panted Mr. Brisk, breathless from the task of getting the old lady thus far; "my wife is in that car, and I'll go in, or bust," and he made frantic but vain dives at the door.

"'Scuse me, sah, but I'se feared de gemman'll hab to bust; dat door cain't come open."

"You black, low-down, ornery nigger!"—but the porter had dodged just in time to let Mr. Brisk's fist come in contact with the corner of the car.

"My colored friend and brother, please open the door; I'll give you a dime, a quarter, a dollar!"

"Gemman'll be obleeged to wait for anudder car," blandly persisted the porter.

Just then Mrs. Brisk raised a window, sobbing: "Oh, Jared! oh, mother! come here, quick."

When they reached the window, she screamed: "Jared, for pity's sake, give mother a boost, and get her in this window!"

She reached down and Mr. Brisk reached up. For an instant the two hundred pounds of mother-in-law were suspended between heaven and earth; another instant, she was wedged in the window and couldn't move either way; then there was a shriek, a sudden flop, a number ten shoe fell at Mr. Brisk's feet and the old lady fell inside the window. He threw the shoe after her "for good luck," but it proved the reverse, as it hit the cheek of a drummer and was mashed into pulp. The by-standers, with a loud cheer, lifted Mr. Brisk to the car window. He was for the moment speechless, but waved his hand majestically, with the air of one who has surmounted obstacles and come out victorious.

The colored porter, who had fainted when the old lady lost her shoe, regained consciousness as the engine puffed and snorted. Mrs. Brisk held her husband's hand tightly in her own, and was still sobbing over her narrow escape, while her mother was shaking herself together, trying to find out which part of her crushed bonnet was the outside, and wondering if she would have to go back to Bobbletown to get a shoe small enough to fit her. The bell rang, the whistle sounded, the train moved and Mr. Brisk hugged himself with satisfaction that his dear family were once more together, en route for Kansas City, and it was only to cost them one dollar apiece. Oh! the cheapness of it! —Mary A. Benson, in Texas Siftings.

**And Not a Rifle.**

Bank President—Well, our affable and gentlemanly cashier has rifled the safe and left.

Vice-President—Well, I am not surprised. I always regarded him as a smooth bore.—West Shore.


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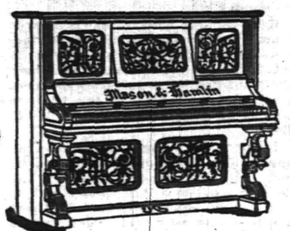


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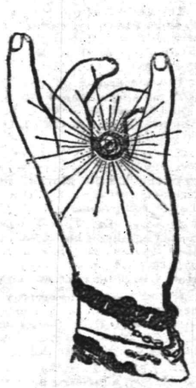

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Passengers for Newark change cars at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

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PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7, 8 07, 9 42, A. M., 1 59, 4 34, 5 20, 6 38, 8 20 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 13 A. M., 2 03, 6 35 P. M.

Leave Easton 6 05, 8 44, 10 A. M., 12 22, 4 09, 6 49 P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 52, A. M., 6 40, 7 30 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 7, 9 42 A. M., 1 59, 5 20 P. M. Sunday—8 13 A. M.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

LEAVE PLAINFIELD.

5 45 A. M. for Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

7 A. M. for High Bridge Branch and Easton.

8 07 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 42 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Manticoke, Drifton, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c.

1 59 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, &c.

4 34 P. M. for D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

5 20 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Schooley's Mountain, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, &c.

6 20 P. M. for Flemington.

6 38 P. M. for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg.

8 20 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8 13 A. M. Sundays for High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, &c., 2 03 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua and Pottsville. 6 35 p. m Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

For Atlantic City, 8 37 a. m. 1 p. m.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c.

Leave Plainfield 3 37, 8, 8 37, 10 05, 11 09, a. m., 1, (2 07, through coach,) 3 51, 5 31, p. m. Sundays—(except Ocean Grove) 3 37, 8 52, a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 38, 8, 10 05, 11 09 a. m., 1, 2 07, 3 51, 5 31, 7 03 p. m. Sunday—3 37, 8 52 a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8, 11 09 a. m., 1, 3 51, 5 31 7 03 p. m.

BOUND BROOK ROUTE.

Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia, 1 17, 5 45, 8 29, 9 48, 11 58* a. m., 1 59*, 2 22*, 4 08, 5 34*, 6 28*, 8 20 p. m. Sundays—1 17, 9 48, A. m., 2 22* p. m. Sundays—1 17, 9 48 a. m., 2 22* 4 08, 6 55* p. m.

For Baltimore and Washington at 1 17, 9 48, 11 58* a. m., 2 45, 4 08, 5 34* p. m. Sundays—1 17, 9 48 a. m., 2 47, 4 08, 5 34* p. m.

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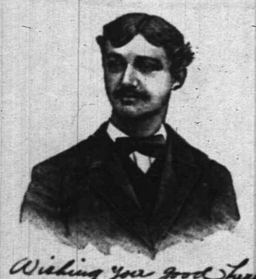

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## TWO MEN ARRESTED

### Alleged Wreckers Caught by Central Detectives.

**BOTH SAID TO BE STRIKERS.**

**Great Excitement at Albany Over a Rumored Confession.**

**The Railroad Officials Refuse to Give Any Facts—Captain Pinkerton Says He is in the Dark—Master Workman Lee Denies That One of the Men is a Striker.**

ALBANY, Sept. 8.—John J. Reed, a brakeman residing at East Albany, was arrested at Hudson charged with wrecking the train near Castleton, Thursday night. It is said that he has confessed his crime and has given the names of four companions, all of whom, it is said, are strikers.

The greatest excitement prevails here and the strikers themselves make threats against Reed. He was brought to this city very quietly.

**How the Arrest Was Made.**

The facts are difficult to obtain, but it seems as soon as the detectives went to work they found traces of Reed, who is a well-known railroad man, his whole family being in the business. He was tracked to Schodiack and then to Hudson and during the night one of the detectives found him at a house of prostitution. The chief detective clapped him on the back and said: "Reed we want you at Albany." The man turned pale and said, "What for, that job at Castleton. Who squealed?"

**Another Arrest.**

Information obtained later is to the effect that Reed was arrested by Detective Bryant and a patrolman of the Hudson force in the room of a girl he habitually visited at Hudson. He was brought to this city and has been kept concealed for the purpose of securing a confession from him. The officers seem to have been successful in this, for "Lon" Miller, who lives on the New Road, East Greenbush, a short distance from the scene of the wreck, was arrested. Reed is commonly called "York" Reed. He is 33 years old and boarded at Thomas Dumas's on Broadway, Greenbush, up to the day of the wreck, since which time he has not been seen about the village. He is, notwithstanding the assertions of the K. of L. leaders to the contrary, a Knight of Labor, and was one who went out on the strike.

**What Officials and Knights Say.**

District Master Workman Lee declared that if Reed was a K. of L. he was not a striker, and his absence from work was probably due to his taking a few days' vacation.

Superintendent Bissell when asked if he could give some facts concerning the arrest, replied that while he knew of it he would refuse positively to say anything about it.

Captain Bob Pinkerton smiled when he was interrogated, and plaintively remarked, "I did not arrest him." Then he continued: "He was not arrested by my men, and if I know all about it I cannot say a word concerning it."

It is understood that the reticence of the railroad officials is due to the fact that several men here and in East Albany are being shadowed, and it is not deemed best to alarm them.

**The Central Strike Investigation.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 8.—It is believed in organized labor circles that nothing can be done about the Central strike investigation until the next meeting of the Legislature in January. If the State Board of Arbitration, after a thorough investigation, concludes that there is sufficient ground for a report by them, they will formally present the evidence along with their deductions to the Legislature for action.

### SULLIVAN'S FATHER DEAD.

**The Pugilist-Actor Reaches the Bedside Too Late.**

BOSTON, Sept. 8.—Michael Sullivan, father of John L. Sullivan, the pugilist, died here early in the morning of typhoid pneumonia. He was born in Ireland 65 years ago and came to Boston 40 years ago.

His wife died a year ago. He leaves two sons and one daughter. The funeral will be on Wednesday, from the Church of the Immaculate Conception.

John L. Sullivan was telegraphed for to New York, but did not reach this city until 7 a. m.

During the old gentleman's sickness he repeatedly asked for John, and when he was informed that he must soon die he asked that John be summoned that he might see him and grasp his big muscular hand once more. It was a sad greeting that the champion got at the little home of his father on his arrival there. He had hoped to see his poor old father before death overtook him. A tear trickled down his cheek as he bent over the body of his parent and imprinted a fervent kiss on his cold cheek. "My God!" said he. "'Tis too bad! And only one year ago to-day poor mother died."

It was at first thought that John's visit to Boston would necessitate the temporary suspension of "Honest Hearts and Willing Hands," in which he is playing, but he will be off the stage only one night as matters are now arranged, and that will be Wednesday, the day of the funeral.

**College Chapel Dedication.**

GETTYSBURG, Pa., Sept. 8.—Rev. Dr. Hay, of the Lutheran Theological Seminary, and Rev. Dr. Butler, of Washington, officiated at the dedication of the Pennsylvania College Chapel, erected by the late Col. V. P. Bruce, of Philadelphia.

### FIRED BY A CIGARETTE.

**A Young Woman Falls Asleep While Smoking and is Horribly Burned.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 8.—Early last evening a young woman who is known at her boarding house, 54 Lexington avenue, as Ethel Curtis, was reclining on a sofa in her room reading a novel and smoking a cigarette.

She fell asleep, and the cigarette, falling from her fingers, set her clothing on fire. She awoke and rushed to the window, where she was seen by two young men across the street, who ran to her rescue. When they reached the room the girl's clothing was burned from her body and her flesh almost roasted. She was taken to Bellevue Hospital, where her injuries were pronounced fatal. She died two hours after the doctors' examination.

Though she was known as Ethel Curtis, her real name is Lizzie Brown, of Providence, R. I., where her stepfather, John Wilson, resides at 146 Deane street. She has been employed as a typewriter and stenographer.

### SIXTEEN KILLED.

**Additional Names of the Victims of the Spokane Falls Explosion.**

SPOKANE FALLS, Wash., Sept. 8.—It is now certain that sixteen men were killed and seven severely injured by the premature explosion of dynamite while blasting rock in the Northern Pacific freight yards here.

The dead are: Joseph McPherson, foreman; B. Viltzr, James Talbo, powdermen; A. Puelonelis, J. A. Holm, Joseph Ray, John Cartlino, rockmen; Henry Jacobini, Henry Apted, Ray Pinkney, drillers; six drillers, names not known.

The injured are: John Rhine, head badly cut; John Reeth, shoulder blade and arms dislocated and arm broken; Mat Eulolo, compound fracture of both bones of the right leg and severe scalp wounds; Jacob Mackie, injured internally; H. U. Hayes, whole upper jaw blown away, nose and right ear gone and both legs broken; John O. Blaine, injured internally; Joseph Bannie, injured internally.

### HORRIBLE SUICIDE.

**A Farmer Pulls Out His Bowels and Afterwards Cut His Throat.**

HONEOYE FALLS, N. Y., Sept. 8.—Artemia Bennett, a farmer, living eight miles south of this village, committed suicide in a horrible manner.

Bennett cut his bowels open and stamped them on the ground and afterwards cut his throat.

Being in the best of financial circumstances and having happy relations with his family, his act is thought to have been the result of temporary insanity.

**Two Legs and an Arm Amputated.**

BUFFALO, N. Y., Sept. 8.—Three weeks ago James Walsh, while intoxicated, was run over by a train on the New York Central. The great quantity of liquor he had consumed previously served as a stimulant for the amputation of both legs and his entire left arm. His collar bone was also badly fractured. He is rapidly recovering, and will be sent to his home in Marquette, Mich., in a few days. The doctors regard the operation as a triumph of surgery, and say the whisky probably saved his life.

**Independent Order of Conductors.**

NEW HAVEN, Sept. 8.—A meeting of the Executive Committee of the Independent Order of Railway Conductors was held here yesterday. The resignation of president Calvin S. Wheatson was accepted and E. D. Nash, of St. Albans, Vt., was elected to fill the vacancy. W. W. Pardee, conductor on the New York & New Haven road, was elected a vice-president. A committee of five was appointed to prepare and issue a circular setting forth the principles and aims of the order.

**What Vessel is This?**

BOSTON, Mass., Sept. 8.—The steamer Rialto, Captain Akester, arrived in this port to-day from Antwerp, and reports that on August 46, in latitude 49.42 degrees north, longitude 17.40 degrees west, she passed an abandoned and waterlogged vessel, apparently an American of about one thousand tons burden. Her decks were swept and masts gone by the board. She had a white painted figurehead.

**Says Her Husband Is Cruel.**

ASBURY PARK, N. J., Sept. 8.—Mrs. Ella Kipp of Point Pleasant has instituted suit against her husband, Charles E. Kipp, for absolute divorce, on the ground of desertion and cruelty. The husband is connected with the Asbury Park police force, and was recently appointed a special constable for the Law and Order League.

**A Society Surprise.**

BALTIMORE, Md., Sept. 8.—William O'Sullivan Dempfelt, the former husband of Minnie mills, the society actress, has married Mrs. Marie P. Hollyday, a dashing widow of Hartford County. Mr. and Mrs. Dempfelt had been separated for some time, but until the publication of the marriage notice the divorce had been a secret.

**Took the Dare.**

NEW YORK, Sept 8.—Lillie Young, a chorus girl, while returning from Coney Island on a steamer, was challenged by her escort to leap into the bay. She sprang from the rail in an instant into the water and might have been drowned had not a tug rescued her in the nick of time.

**Died Suddenly of Apoplexy.**

CONCORD, N. H., Sept. 8.—Hon. Henry H. Huse, State Insurance Commissioner, died suddenly last night of apoplexy. He was 51 years of age and has held several important positions.

## ALL EYES ON MAINE

### Great Interest Taken in To-Day's Election.

**MUCH APPARENT INDIFFERENCE**

**It is Thought the Vote Will be Lighter Than Usual in Off Years.**

**Gov. Burleigh Satisfied With the Management of the Campaign—Speculating on the Result in Speaker Reed's District—Chairman Manley Gives His Views on the Result of To-Day's Ballot.**

PORTLAND, Me., Sept. 8.—Interest in the State election in progress to-day centers in the First Congressional District, where Speaker Reed is a candidate for re-election.

Mr. Reed's friends say they will be satisfied with 1,500 plurality, but some of the more sanguine really expect considerably more. There is much apparent indifference, and it is thought the vote will be lighter than usual even in off years. This situation is an anomaly in this State, as the fever of politics usually runs high here.

**Gov. Burleigh Satisfied.**

AUGUSTA, Me., Sept. 8.—Gov. Burleigh is entirely satisfied with the general management of the campaign, and is in excellent spirits. He has received stacks of encouraging letters from representative men of his party in all parts of the State. Chairman Manley has gone over the final canvas, and while he admits that there will be a heavy falling off of the total vote in the State, he is very confident that the Republicans will poll more than their usual off-year majority. He feels assured that the Republicans will carry every county save Lincoln, Knox and Waldo, and he believes that in those three counties the chances are in favor of the Republicans. Mr. Manley says:

"The plurality in off years since 1866 has never exceeded 11,000, save in 1869, when it was 12,281; in 1873, when it was 12,320, and in 1886, when it was 13,500. But Governor Burleigh's plurality will be fully 13,000, and Congressman Reed will be returned by the largest plurality he has received save in 1888."

Mr. Manley realizes that the fight has been in the First District, and that the Republicans throughout the State are as anxious for Speaker Reed's election as though they were his immediate constituents. He places Reed's plurality at 2,000.

In the Second District Congressman Dingley will be re-elected as usual, and Milliken in the Third and Boutelle in the Fourth are pretty sure of another term.

### TOOK HIS SCALP.

**Two Drunken Indians Attack a Railroad Section Foreman.**

SPOKANE FALLS, Wash., Sept. 8.—While John Wolverline, a section foreman on the Northern Pacific Railroad, was walking on the track near Hope Station last evening he met two Indians who appeared to be intoxicated and turned aside to allow them to pass.

The Indians stopped him and demanded liquor. Wolverline said he had none and was about to proceed, when one of the Indians named John Deere struck him on the head with a club, knocking him senseless.

Some time later Wolverline recovered consciousness to find that he had been scalped. He crawled to a saloon some distance away, where he was cared for. The Indians escaped.

**Killed at the Same Place.**

BUFFALO, N. Y., Sept. 8.—A man named Cox was found dying in the street about two weeks ago. His skull was fractured and he soon expired. A stevedore named Charles Kelly told the police that he saw one Robert Geary strike the blow which killed Cox. Geary proved an alibi and was released. Kelly was found with his skull crushed early in the morning near the same spot where Cox was killed. He died in a few hours. Six men who slept in the room with Kelly Saturday night are under arrest.

**The Dog Was Mad.**

LOWELL, Sept. 8.—A report has been published that the physicians of the Pasteur Institute in New York have determined that a dog which bit several persons here about two months ago was suffering from rabies. The head of the dog was sent to the institute for experiment. Among those bitten was Mrs. Arthur Whitney, wife of the well-known ball player. She and another person who was bitten by the dog have for some time been under treatment at the institute.

**An Ill-Fated Train.**

NORWALK, Conn., Sept. 8.—It appears that the railroad accident at South Norwalk Saturday night was the third that occurred to the express on the same run. It was an hour late at South Norwalk because of two accidents. Just below Hartford a woman who was crossing the track was struck and killed, and just below Meriden two men who were walking on the track were struck and both fatally injured. All three accidents occurred when the trains were running at a reduced rate of speed.

**Paris Green to End His Spree.**

NEW HAVEN, Sept. 8.—John Bogart, 60 years old, a gunmaker employed at the Winchester Armory, went on a spree on Saturday night, and ended it and his life yesterday morning by taking a dose of Paris green.

**Flood Damages.**

LONDON, Sept. 8.—It is estimated that the damage done by the floods in Central Europe amounts to $20,000,000.

### WON THE $1,000 PRIZE.

**Over 3,000 Competitors for the Novel Offer Made by Harvard College.**

BOSTON, Sept. 8.—Some three years ago Dr. D. A. Sargent, director of the Hemennay Gymnasium at Harvard College, offered $1,000 in two prizes to persons, male and female, whose physical proportions should most nearly approach perfect symmetry as indicated by his anthropometric chart.

The object of both chart and prizes is to stimulate the youth of both sexes with a laudable incentive to systematic and judicious physical training with a view of reaching as nearly as possible the normal standard. The time allowed for the competition was three years, and there have been about 3,000 competitors.

The prizes have been awarded as follows: Prize for the most perfect male development, Henry Chaster Jackson, Wiscasset, Maine, senior in Bowdoin College and prominent as an oarsman since entering college. Prize for most perfect female development, Margaret Blanche Best, Meadville, Pa., member of the summer school of physical training at Hemennay Gymnasium and instructor of physical training at Allegheny College.

Mr. Jackson's nearest competitor was William Fay Garcelon, graduate of Bates College and director of the Forsyth School Gymnasium, Philadelphia. Miss Best's closest rivals were two members of the Hemennay Summer School, a saleswoman in a Boston store, a teacher at Wellesley Highlands, a pupil of Lasell Seminary, Auburndale, and two members of the Berkeley Ladies' Athletic Club of New York, both daughters of prominent lawyers in that city. It is understood that similar prizes are to be offered the coming year.

### SWEPT BY A CYCLONE.

**Several People Injured and Cattle Crushed to Death.**

PARKERSBURG, W. Va., Sept. 8.—A report of a terrible cyclone reached here last night from Roan and Jackson Counties.

The storm passed near Le Roy and Meadowville, in Jackson County, going in a northeasterly direction. It struck the earth near the farm of W. H. Davis, near Le Roy, and swept away everything in its path. Hay stacks, fences, crops and timber were flattened out or destroyed. A number of cattle were picked up and carried several hundred yards and or ushed to death.

On the Adams place barns, cattle, hay and out-buildings were crushed and carried away. At George Boggs' farm sheep barns, with a large flock of sheep and his granaries, were carried away. Not a living thing was left in the path of the storm. From the Boggs place the cyclone dropped again and carried away the dwelling of Farmer Kebauch, leaving not a stick of timber. There were nine people in the house: Kebauch, his wife, two children and five others, all of whom were terribly injured, four reported fatally. The cyclone and cloud burst was the most destructive and fatal that has struck this section for many years.

### DE LEUVILLE'S LATEST.

**The Marquis's Explanation as to the Delayed Duel.**

LONDON, Sept. 8.—The Marquis de Leuville has not as yet made much capital by his latest advertising scheme of the duel.

At present he is carrying on a lively bombardment of the newspapers and his friends, taking Boulogne as his base of operations, and firing from that city a hail of paper pellets by telegraph, purporting to give the reasons for the delay in the deadly combat. The latest excuse is that the doughty Marquis's adversary is so disabled by the blow dealt him by De Leuville in their London quarrel, that he has begged for a truce in order to repair damages and get into fighting trim.

**Found a Bag of Bones.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 8.—Three boys were amusing themselves in front of 1,347 Broadway at 10 o'clock in the morning by kicking about the street a potato sack which had something in that rattled. They saw Policeman Herrlich coming and ran away, leaving the bag. When the policeman got to the bag he opened it, and found all the bones of a woman's skeleton in it. Each bone had a little hole in it, showing that the skeleton had either been mounted or had been prepared for mounting.

**His First Man.**

PARIS, Sept. 8.—M. Mermeix, who was recently assaulted by friends of General Boulanger because he published alleged revelations concerning the General, has fought one of the seven duels which he has on his hands. The meeting took place yesterday. M. Labruyere, who was M. Mermeix's adversary, was slightly wounded.

**Two Arrests for an Old Murder.**

TROY, N. Y., Sept. 8.—On June 23, 1887, John Walker, a canal boat captain, was robbed and murdered near Waterford. James Miller, long suspected of the deed, was arrested at Whitehall yesterday. He said he saw John Connors commit the murder, and the latter has just been captured.

**Col. Stone Defeats George Shiras.**

PITTSBURG, Pa., Sept. 8.—At the primaries in the Twenty-third Congressional district, Col. Stone defeated George Shiras by a popular vote of about 5,000. Stone ran in Congressman Bayne's district and will be his successor.

**Arrested for Grand Larceny.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 8.—Adolph Plas a, a salesman, was arrested last night on a telegram from the chief of police of St. Louis and held on a charge of grand larceny to await requisition papers.

## IN CONGRESS TO-DAY

### Senators Continue the Debate on the Sugar Schedule.

**A DECIDING VOTE TO-MORROW.**

**The Division on the Final Ballot Will be on Strict Party Lines.**

**A New Order of Business to be Arranged Before the End of the Week The Virginia Contested Election Case to be Called Up for Action in the House To-morrow.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 8.—The Senate will dispose of the Tariff bill this week. To-day was devoted to debate on the sugar schedule and the reciprocity proposition under the 30 minute rule, the agreement being that a final vote of the bill be taken to-morrow. The chances are that a vote will not be had before Wednesday or Thursday, and it may be that some further time will be allowed for general debate.

There is no doubt that the bill will pass, the expectation being that the division on the final vote will be on strict party lines.

Mr. Frye will probably ask the Senate to agree to the conference report on the River and Harbor bill to-morrow morning. If there is any disposition to debate the report, it will go over until the Tariff bill has been disposed of.

Mr. Plumb has given notice that he will call up the conference report on the Land Grant Forfeiture bill when the Tariff bill is out of the way, and Mr. Sawyer has announced his intention to ask immediate consideration for the anti-Lottery bill. It is probable that before the end of the week the "Steering Committee" will arrange a new order of business.

To-morrow the contested election case of Langston against Venable, from the Fourth District of Virginia, will be called up in the House, and it will be immediately followed by the case of Miller against Elliott, from the Seventh District of South Carolina. The Republican members of the Committee on Elections have declared in favor of Messrs. Langston and Miller, both negroes, and it is safe to say that they will be seated, although General Mahone, it is understood, is opposed to the seating of Langston, and some breaks among the Republicans may occur in the vote on this case. In every contested election case that has been before the House this session the House has sustained the majority of the Elections Committee.

The conference report on the General Deficiency bill is expected before the end of the week, and it is possible that the Tariff bill will come from the Senate. There is but little disposition on the part of the Democrats to delay the bill, and it will probably be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means under the rules, reported back with a general disagreement, debated briefly and sent to conference.

### NEWS FROM THE PRESIDENT.

**He Strolls Through the Woods and Receives a Call from Mr. Pullman.**

CRESSON SPRINGS, Pa., Sept. 8.—The storm which begun on Saturday gave way to bright sunshine in the morning, and it has been an ideal summer day. Mr. Russell Harrison spent Sunday with his family and went East last night. Mrs. Russell Harrison is contemplating going West to-morrow.

The President, accompanied by Mrs. McKee, Mrs. Dimmick, and Secretary Halford, attended divine worship in the large parlor of the Mountain House at 11 o'clock yesterday morning. The services were conducted by Rev. George Rodgers, an Episcopal clergyman from Verona, Pa. Miss Jeannette Halford assisted in leading the singing. The young lady also sang with good effect a solo entitled "Angel of Charities."

In the afternoon the President and Mrs. Dimmick indulged in another stroll through the woods. Last night Mr. George M. Pullman, of Parlor Car fame, arrived on the Chicago Limited express, stopping off here to pay his respects to the President.

**A Pugilistic Mayor.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 8.—Mayor Gleason of Long Island City committed an unprovoked and brutal assault upon Geo. A. Crowley, the Long Island representative of the Associated Press, last night. Mr. Crowley stood talking with a number of prominent gentlemen in Miller's Long Island City Hotel when the Mayor entered, and seeing Crowley, exclaimed: "You are a loafer and a thief!" Mr. Crowley resented the accusation, whereupon Gleason knocked him down. The Mayor was finally induced to desist, and Mr. Crowley went out in search of a warrant for Gleason's arrest, but could find no magistrate at home. The Grand Jury will convene to-morrow, and Mr. Crowley intends to take steps to have the Mayor indicted for assault.

**Rhodes Acquitted of Murder.**

CHAMBERSBURG, Pa., Sept. 8.—John Rhodes was acquitted of the murder of his nephew, William Rhodes, by shooting him on April 19 last. The men had been visiting Hagerstown, Md., during the day, and while there had quarreled. On their return to their home in this county the quarrel was resumed, when William drawing a revolver, was killed by John. The jury based its verdict on the theory of self-defense.

**A Fight in Armenia.**

CONSTANTINOPLE, Sept. 8.—News has been received of a fight between Armenians and gendarmes at Baghtchedik, near Ismid. Five gendarmes were killed. Troops have been sent to assist the gendarmes.

### THE BASEBALL STRUGGLE.

**Both Leagues Now Making a Hard Fight for the Finish.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 8.—In the National League race for the baseball pennant Brooklyn has a commanding lead over the Bostons, their leading competitors, but as the Grooms are now on a more even footing with the Bostons this advantage will be reduced. The Brooklyns have no more games to play at home, while the Bostons have at least six. This is favorable to the last named club. Unless Byrnes' men can continue to hold their present lead while in the East their chances of becoming champions are not over bright. In the West the Bostons have had the best record all around. They have won more games and have not had a single one transferred, as was the case with the Brooklyns and the Philadelphias in the Pittsburg series. If the Bostons succeed in holding their present standing and play as well in the West as on former trips there is reason for the Grooms to feel uneasy.

The general standing of the Players' teams in the championship race is exactly the same as in the League. If anything the closeness of the five leaders to each other has added more interest to the battle of the Players than their rivals. Boston has a lead of only a few games over the New Yorks and Brooklyns and both of these teams are nip and tuck for second place, with the chances at present in favor of the Giants, who won Saturday's game. Captain Kelly's men stand a good chance of carrying off the championship, but it is not yet an assured fact. Their record in the West and before their start may alter their standing enough to give the Giants or Brooklyns a possible lead by October 4. It is not likely that either of the teams mentioned will push Boston hard enough to make them exert themselves. The players are all in good fix with the exception of Pitcher Kilroy. Radbourne never did better work, and can be depended on this year to take the boys down the homestretch with flying colors, and the other pitchers will help him along. It will pay the Boston boys to keep a sharp lookout for Ewing's crowd, who have figured right along on a Garrison finish. The Chicago and Philadelphia clubs are not out of the race. To win the flag, however, with only four more weeks, would indeed be phenomenal playing.

### BASEBALL GAMES.

**American Association.**

AT PHILADELPHIA.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Athletic | 3 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 6 |
| Toledo | 4 | 1 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 9 |

Batteries—McMahon and Riddle; Cushman and Sage.

**Standing of the Clubs.**

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

| | Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'ct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Brookl'n | 77 | 38 | .670 | Chicago | 65 | 48 | .575 |
| Boston | 73 | 43 | .629 | N. York | 55 | 62 | .470 |
| Philadel. | 68 | 46 | .596 | Clev'l'nd | 31 | 77 | .287 |
| Cincin'ti | 65 | 46 | .586 | Pittsb'rg | 29 | 93 | .177 |

PLAYERS' LEAGUE.

| | Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'ct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Boston | 70 | 42 | .625 | Philadel. | 61 | 54 | .530 |
| N. York | 68 | 46 | .596 | Pittsb'rg | 48 | 60 | .444 |
| Brookl'n | 60 | 48 | .500 | Clev'l'nd | 44 | 66 | .400 |
| Chicago | 61 | 55 | .526 | Buffalo | 30 | 80 | .273 |

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

| | Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'ct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Loui'v'le | 67 | 36 | .650 | Roch'st'r | 53 | 51 | .510 |
| St. Louis | 61 | 46 | .570 | Athletic | 53 | 52 | .505 |
| Col'mb's | 58 | 49 | .542 | Syracuse | 44 | 60 | .423 |
| Toledo | 56 | 47 | .539 | Baltim'e | 28 | 78 | .264 |

ATLANTIC ASSOCIATION.

| | Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'ct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| N. Hav'n | 76 | 27 | .738 | Harrisb'g | 42 | 46 | .389 |
| Lebanon | 49 | 45 | .521 | Wilm't'n | 33 | 63 | .309 |
| Newark | 54 | 50 | .519 | | | | |

**Schedule of To-Day's Games.**

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Boston vs. New York, at New York.
Brooklyn vs. Philadelphia, at Philadelphia.
Cleveland vs. Cincinnati, at Cincinnati.
Pittsburg vs. Chicago, at Chicago.

PLAYERS' LEAGUE.

New York vs. Boston, at Boston.
Philadelphia vs. Brooklyn, at Brooklyn.
Cleveland vs. Pittsburg, at Pittsburg.
Chicago vs. Buffalo, at Buffalo.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

Toledo vs. Athletics, at Philadelphia.
Louisville vs. Baltimore, at Baltimore.
Columbus vs. Syracuse, at Syracuse.
St. Louis vs. Rochester, at Rochester.

ATLANTIC ASSOCIATION.

Lebanon vs. New Haven, at New Haven.
Newark vs. Harrisburg, at Harrisburg.

### NEWS OF THE DAY.

Fire caused by lightning destroyed the warehouse of George H. Hall and four other buildings, at Milford, Del.

The Griggs foundry and machine shop at Hightstown, N. J., were totally destroyed by fire at 1 a. m. The loss is $10,000.

The Washington weather crop bulletin says that the conditions are favorable for maturing crops in New York, New Jersey and Pennsylvania.

Nine breweries in Boston and vicinity have been discovered by a Government measurer sent there from Washington to be using over-sized packages.

The Labor party of Belgium has resolved to declare a general strike on the occasion of the meeting of the *Labor Congress on the 14th instant.*

Arrangements have been concluded between Hanlan and Teemer for a single scull race to take place on Thursday, October 5. The course has not yet been situated.

Sumner Howard, one of the best known politicians in Michigan, died yesterday from grief at the loss of his only child, Mrs. May Howard Foote. Mr. Howard was 55 years old.

John Chapman, 50 years old, hung himself in his saloon on Straight street, Paterson, N. J. He had been drinking heavily for some time and acted so strangely that it is believed he was insane.

William C. Hennessy, of the wholesale drug firm of Carpenter, Hennessy & Co., of Philadelphia, died last evening of heart disease. He was 76 years old. He was treasurer and a leading member of the Academy of Natural Sciences.

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## BY THE WAY.

—The afternoon services at Holy Cross church were resumed yesterday for the Winter.

—S. O. Staats will be pleased to see his friends at James M. Dunn's grocery, where he has accepted a clerkship.

—An adjourned regular meeting of Gazelle Engine Company, No. 1, will be held in their parlors, Wednesday evening, at eight o'clock. A full attendance of the members is requested.

—As previously stated in THE PRESS, the Home Oil Co., as reorganized, are again supplying their customers. Their advertisement in another column will describe their mode of doing business.

—Diagram may be seen and reserved seats secured for the Crescent-Westfield ball game at the drug stores of H. P. Reynolds and L. W. Randolph. Of the 300 seats on the grand stand over one-half are already taken.

—Pupils of Miss Julia Jermain Ketcham will be pleased to learn that she will resume her lessons in voice culture after September 15. Those desiring to enter her classes may procure circulars by applying to her address, 51 East Fifth street.

—Donald Downie, B. C. L., will lecture before the guests of Hotel Netherwood to-morrow evening on "Napoleon Bonaparte." He will illustrate his talk with one hundred magnificent views, including reproductions from the Fine Art Court of the Paris Exposition.

—Miss Scribner and Miss Newton's well-established kindergarten and school for girls will re-open Wednesday, Sept. 17, at LaGrande avenue and Washington street. The regular course for this year is very comprehensive, and includes modeling, drawing and sewing.

—An excursion to Black River Falls Park, Pottersville, on the new Rockaway Valley Railroad, will be given by the Jersey Central Railroad company, Wednesday, September 17, when the Pottersville Reformed church will begin a two days' festival. A tremendous gathering is expected at the Park, and several bands of music have been engaged.

—The twelfth anniversary of the Women's Christian Temperance Union will be celebrated in the Congregational church this evening at 7:45 o'clock, and the annual meeting of the Union will be held in the rooms, 73 West Front street, to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock. Interesting reports of the earnest work of the year will be given, and all are cordially invited to attend.

—L. G. Leypoldt, of New York city, will speak at the opening meeting of the Young Men's Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. to be held at the Association rooms to-morrow evening at 8 o'clock. Mr. Leypoldt has had a large experience in boys' work, in connection with the New York City Association, and the Plainfielders who have been in attendance at the annual Y. M. C. A. Boys' Camp have met him frequently and are pleased to count him among their friends. Members of the society are urged to attend.

—The recent shooting accident at Fanwood, which resulted in the death of little Freddie Kissam at the hands of his fourteen-year-old brother, prompts the editor of *The Somerset Democrat* to moralize concerning the careless use of firearms. "There ought," he says, "to be other amusements found for small boys than carrying a gun, with which occasionally they may kill a robin, or other tame bird, but which are a constant terror to every other child or grown person in the neighborhood. The muzzle of a gun pointed straight at the body of a person walking along the highway may have no really dangerous quality, but it certainly inspires reasonable fear, especially when in the hands of small boys."

### Dedication Anniversary.

The anniversary of the dedication of St. Mary's church, of this city, was held yesterday. The Rev. Father Quill, Professor in St. Peter's College, Jersey City, preached the sermon. The musical portion of the services was rendered by the regular choir of the church in an acceptable manner.

### Score: Love—15.

He raised his tennis racket,
Brought it forward with a sweep;
And then he "cut" the ball, he said,—
He must have cut it deep.
Away it soared—a master serve,
According to his story;
But it busted forty panes of glass
In my conservatory.

G. T.

## PARTICULAR MENTION.

Dr. E. W. Hedges has returned from the Adirondacks.

Mayor Male has returned home after an absence of several weeks.

Miss Lilly M. Lang, of New street, is visiting relatives in Newark.

Wm. J. Stephenson, the popular caterer, is at Seaside Park for an Autumn outing.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. E. Cadmus, of Duer street, returned today from an outing at Mt. Tabor.

A. C. LaBoyteaux, who is now at Asbury Park, will spend the early Autumn in the Catskills.

Miss Alice Sutphen, of North Plainfield, is visiting friends in Hunterdon county, for several days.

Chester B. Dennis, of Washington street, is visiting friends at Flemington, and vicinity, for a week.

The family of E. J. Waring, of Washington Park, returned Saturday from an extended Summer tour.

Mrs. L. Adams, of West Front street, returned yesterday from a five weeks' tour of her native State, Ohio.

Letter carrier Ed. Hann is enjoying his fifteen days' vacation. Carrier John Neighbor is filling his place.

John Honeyman, of Knoxville, Tenn., who has been visiting his brother-in-law, Carmon Parse, will return home to-morrow.

Miss Bella Brown and Miss Mary Fox, of New York, are visiting at the home of Miss Brown's mother on Plainfield avenue, for a few days.

F. A. Pope, Assistant Postmaster, is the happy father of an eleven-pound boy. Master Frank became a member of the household Friday night.

"Are All Sinners Equally Guilty?" was the subject of an earnest, practical discourse by the Rev. C. B. Mitchell, at the M. E. church, last evening.

Dr. D. C. Adams and Capt. Benj. Doane left town this afternoon for the Adirondacks. They will camp out three weeks, and their especial object is deer.

Wm. B. VanNest, formerly of Martinville, but latterly of Illinois, died September 4. He was a brother of Mrs. Wm. Colthar, of Duer street, North Plainfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Robertson, of National City, California, have been visiting their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Doane, of East Fourth street.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. C. Herman and daughter, of Minneapolis, Minn., accompanied by Mrs. Herman's mother, Mrs. J. M. Wyckoff, of Leroy, N. Y., are visiting Dr. and Mrs. D. C. Adams, of Grove street.

A party of eighteen gay Plainfielders, with Mrs. T. Logan Murphy as chaperon, drove to Hotel Netherwood, Saturday evening, had a banquet and a merry social time, and returned home sufficiently early to escape intruding on the Sunday morning hour.

The Germania Insurance Company, of which Borough Clerk Brokaw is agent, today settled in full with F. O. Smith for the amount of insurance on his stock and shop that was burned on West Front street last Monday evening. The company paid in cash $990.

Funeral services over the remains of Caroline Delamater, widow of the late Charles L. Delamater, were held at the residence of her brother-in-law, Chas. P. Hazen, 121 Broadway, this afternoon. The body will be taken to Woodlawn Cemetery, Newburg, N. Y., to-morrow morning, for interment.

The many friends of Kittie Drayton, wife of John U. Fraley, Jr., formerly of Park avenue, will be grieved to learn of her death, which occurred at Pompton, of consumption, Saturday. The remains have been brought to this city, and funeral services will be held at the residence of Mrs. Fraley's mother, Mrs. Adelaide D. Drayton, 16 Crescent avenue, to-morrow afternoon.

The Trinity Reformed church pulpit was occupied yesterday morning by the Rev. Dr. Hurlbut, one of Plainfield's most gifted divines. The Doctor has many earnest admirers among the Trinity people, and a good-sized congregation, for this season of the year, turned out to hear him and be spiritually fed. They were not disappointed, as he delivered a very able discourse on the "Perfect Christian Man." His text was Hosea 14; verses 5, 6 and 7.

### Racing at the Driving Park.

The following interesting events occurred at the Gentlemen's Driving Park, Saturday:

First race—Charles Brower's Aala and John Hayes's Andy. Aala won the first heat in 2:45½, and Andy the second in 2:43¾. The concluding heat was postponed until next Saturday.

Second race—Woodbrook Farm Colonel and John Chandler's John C. John C. won the first heat and Colonel the next two. Time 2:49¼, 2:53 and 2:48.

Third race—Nate Robbins's Doctor and Andrew Lutkins's sorrel mare. Doctor won in 3:02 and 3:00.

O. T. Waring drove Copeland a mile to road cart in 2:43½.

Compton C. Vail drove his sorrel gelding, Frank S., to road wagon in 2:46½ and 2:45¾.

As the warm weather continues the natural cravings of humanity call for something cooling to drink. Hires' Root Beer is sparkling, and a most delicious article. Every family should have it in their house. A 25 cent package will enable any one to make five gallons. Ask your druggist or storekeeper for it.

## THE TRENTONS DIDN'T COME.

### They Said the Weather Was Bad, But Others Said 'Twasn't.

The game of base-ball scheduled for Saturday between the Trentons and the Crescent League didn't occur. The Trentons staid away from Plainfield, evidently afraid to come. They had defeated the Crescents, earlier in the season, in a game the Crescents ought to have won, and were well aware that they had no chance of winning the second game.

The weather in Plainfield Saturday morning was inclined to be showery, but the weather-wise base-ball management had sufficient gift of prophecy to know that there wasn't going to be rain enough to affect having a game, so they wired to the Trentons to come rain or shine. The Trentons twice sent word that they would surely be on hand for a game, and at about noon the Crescents received a message that the Trentons would reach here on the 3:12 train.

The train came, but the Trentons didn't, and in the evening they telegraphed that the rain had poured such torrents in Trenton that they couldn't get away. The manager of the Crescents promptly telephoned to other Trenton parties, and received the information that no rain whatever had fallen in Trenton during the day.

As soon as it was evident that the Trentons had failed to keep their promise the Crescent management announced the fact to the expectant spectators, and stated that although a "scrub" game would be given all who desired could get their admission fee returned by applying at the box office. Owing to the fact that the cashier had but a limited supply of small change, and as few could change his bills, a number had to be given tickets instead of money. These tickets for this one game may be redeemed for cash at Laing's Hall, Tuesday evening at eight o'clock.

### Westfield, 17; Elizabeth, 3.

A large crowd of people were gathered together at Drake Park, Westfield, on Saturday, to see the Westfields play the Alerts. In this game there was double interest, first, because wretched umpiring gave the Alerts a game at Elizabeth on August 23, when the Westfields, far and away, outbatted and outfielded the Alerts; and second, because everyone wanted to see what kind of a showing Westfield would make in comparison with the late Crescent-Alert game. The gathering was highly pleased in both respects, for the Westfields showed themselves head and shoulders above the Alerts in all points of the game; gave the Alerts a sound thrashing and made a favorable comparative showing with the Crescents.

The Westfields could have had thirty runs had not the men received orders to strike out quickly in the latter part of the game; and in this game the Westfields had not DeWitt, Partridge or Warner, three of their heavy men. The score was:

WESTFIELD ATHLETIC CLUB.

| | R | BH | PO | A | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| McManus, c | 2 | 3 | 14 | 5 | 1 |
| Murray, ss | 2 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 0 |
| O'Neill, p | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Johnston, cf | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| McLaughlin, lf | 1 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| Walker, rf | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Mullen, 2b | 2 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 0 |
| Tilson, 3b | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 2 |
| Sansom, 1b | 2 | 1 | 7 | 0 | 0 |
| | 17 | 20 | 27 | 11 | 5 |

ALERT ATHLETIC CLUB.

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| W. Cook, cf | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 1 |
| Carter, c | 1 | 3 | 7 | 2 | 0 |
| Mills, p | 1 | 1 | 1 | 5 | 0 |
| Beebe, 3b | 1 | 2 | 4 | 1 | 1 |
| VanNest, ss | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| Towse, 2b | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Tilou, 1b | 0 | 1 | 9 | 1 | 1 |
| Crawford, lf | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Chandler, rf | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| | 3 | 7 | 27 | 12 | 3 |

SCORE BY INNINGS.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Westfield | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 6 | 3 | 3 | 0—17 |
| Alerts | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0— 3 |

Earned runs—Westfield, 10; Alerts, 2. Sacrifice hits—O'Neill. Stolen bases—McManus, 2, O'Neill, Johnston, Walker, 2. Struck out—By O'Neill, 12; by Mills, 7. Home run—Beebe. Two base hits—McManus, Murray, Mullen, 2, Mills. Passed balls—Carter, 1. Hit by pitcher—McManus. Base on balls—On Mills, 7; on O'Neill, 2. Double play—Mullen and Sansom. Flies caught—By Westfield, 3; by Alerts, 6. Time of game—2 hours. Umpire—Mr. McQuoid.

### A Friendly Contest.

The Trentons being too frightened at the Crescents' uninterupted succession of victories to dare play them again, the managers of the home team could only get up a scrub match for the interest and amusement of those in attendance at the ball grounds, Saturday evening. The score was:

FIRST TEAM.

| | R | BH | SB | PO | A | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Hatfield, c | 0 | 1 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 |
| Martin, p | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 6 | 1 |
| Lufbery, 2b | 2 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 2 |
| Wiegand, 1b | 2 | 3 | 0 | 15 | 0 | 0 |
| Lever, ss | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 4 | 0 |
| McIndoe, lf | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Gregg, cf | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Ayers, rf | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Lee, 3b | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| | 6 | 10 | 2 | 27 | 14 | 3 |

SECOND TEAM.

| | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Jones, c | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 4 | 0 |
| Shaw, p | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Cornwall, ss | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 |
| Winn, 3b | 1 | 1 | 0 | 5 | 5 | 0 |
| Keller, 1b | 0 | 1 | 1 | 15 | 0 | 2 |
| Murray, rf | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 1 |
| Chamberlain, 3b | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 2 |
| Runyon, lf | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Demarest, cf | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| | 5 | 5 | 1 | 26 | 19 | 6 |

SCORE BY INNINGS.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| First Team | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2—6 |
| Second Team | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0—5 |

—A new Steinway upright piano is offered for sale at 64 Madison avenue.

## SCHOLARS RESUME THEIR STUDIES.

### Miss Bulkley Tells Them They Have the Best Advantages in the World.

The Plainfield public schools re-opened today with increased attendances. The day was occupied with arranging the classes and announcing the schedules of studies.

Interesting opening exercises were held at the Stillman High School. Besides the address of welcome by the Principal, Miss Julia E. Bulkley, who has just returned from a trip of more than a year abroad, speeches were made by Dr. J. B. Probasco, of the Board of Education, Wm. J. Leonard, and Franklin B. Wiley of the High School Class of '79. Miss Bulkley compared our public school system with that of other countries, and stated that our pupils were afforded the best advantages in the world. While in England she was allowed free access to the public schools in London, through the introduction of Dr. Fitch, Her Majesty's Inspector of Schools; and through the intercession of Minister Phelps was favored by Herr Von Gossler, the Minister of Public Instruction in Germany, with an insight into the workings of the German school system, a privilege accorded to few. As a result of her examination of the various systems she unhesitatingly pronounced ours the most thorough and satisfactory.

The corps of teachers in the public schools for the coming year has had but few changes. E. H. Hunt, an Amherst graduate, will succeed Lincoln B. Goodrich as assistant principal, taking charge of the senior class work in the languages and mathematics. Miss Stout's faithful services at the Franklin school during last year, when she filled Miss Bullock's position while Miss Bullock was absent, have been rewarded by appointment as principal of the Bryant school. Miss Stowell, of the Bryant school, has gone to the far west, and Miss Owen has been removed from the Irving building to fill her place.

### Mr. and Mrs. Sandford Thrown Out of Their Carriage.

Just before noon today, the horse that Frederick Sandford was driving before the phaeton in which was seated himself and wife, was suddenly startled by something, and in turning from Somerset street into Craig place cramped the carriage so short as to wreck both wheels on one side. Mr. and Mrs. Sandford were thrown completely out. The former escaped all danger except to his clothes, but Mrs. Sandford was considerably bruised. She was taken to her home on Washington avenue, where she was treated by Dr. Long. No serious results are feared. The horse, which ran away with the broken carriage, was subsequently caught.

### They Will Sing October Songs.

The Westfield Musical Society has over one hundred and fifty members enrolled. The first general rehearsal will be held October 4. The following officers have been elected:

President—James O. Clark: First Vice President—Joseph Sherman; Second Vice President—Robert Luckey: Secretary—W. B. Dudley; Assistant Secretary—J. W. Sansom, Jr.; Financial Secretary—Charles H. Day; Treasurer—J. W. Beebe; Librarian—L. A. Lightfoot; Assistant Librarian—R. P. Grant.

### His Arm Mending.

Little George Bremer, Jr., eight years of age, who fell in the North Plainfield gymnasium, last Friday, and sustained a fracture of his fore-arm, has entirely recovered from the shock and is otherwise doing well under the care of Dr. Long.

### Good 'Possum Hunting in Plainfield.

Private watchman Moran killed two opossums on East Front street, before daylight this morning. One was near ex-Councilman Beguelin's home, and the other nearer the city just in front of the Myers residence.

### Connecticut Elks.

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., Sept. 8.—The first annual reunion of the lodges of Elks in Connecticut will be held in this city to-morrow. There are lodges in Hartford, Danbury, Meriden and New Haven, each of which will be represented. These, with other visiting Elks, will make a company of nearly 300.

### Fell From the Fifth Story Window.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Sept. 8.—E. E. Smith of Binghamton, a guest at the Breezel Hotel, fell from the fifth story window of the hotel to the pavement about 1 a. m. and was instantly killed.

### Fifteen New Cases of Cholera.

MADRID, Sept. 8.—Fifteen new cases of cholera and eleven deaths occurred yesterday in the city of Valencia. The disease is decreasing in the province of Valencia and elsewhere in Spain.

### Inventions of the 19th Century.

The steamboat, the reaper, the sewing machine,
Cars running by night and by day,
Houses lighted by gas and heated by steam,
And bright electricity's ray.

The telegraph's click speeds like lightning released,
Then the telephone comes to excel it;
And, to put on the finish, the last, but not least,
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*THE INDEPENDENT*

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8 PARK AVENUE.

Persons wishing to become members, will call at the earliest opportunity.

Mrs. W. L. FORCE.
5-26-w

**EXCURSION**

OF THE

**PLAINFIELD REFORM CLUB**

TO

**MAUCH CHUNK,**

Glen Onoko and the Switch Back, by special train, on

**Wednesday, September 10, '90.**

Arriving at Mauch Chunk in time for dinner, and giving excursionists an opportunity to visit Glen Onoko and to ride over the Switch Back Railroad. Leave Plainfield, 9:25 A. M. Returning, leave Glen Onoko, 5; Mauch Chunk, 5:10; arriving home about 9 P. M.

Fare to Mauch Chunk and Glen Onoko, $1 75. The Switch Back, 50c extra. Tickets to be had from A. Vanderbeek, J. Voehl, H. N. Spencer and W. C. Smith, Executive Com., and J. W. A. Bauerschs, Financial Secretary. 9 6 3

**WANTED!**

To buy some of the bargains advertised. Parlor suites for $45, worth $65; and Bedroom suites for $20, worth $35. Also, wanted to sell, Parlor, Dining, Bedroom, Library and Office Furniture, &c., at a small margin.

Having received our New Fall Styles of Furniture, are prepared to offer them at prices reasonably low.

Some odd pieces less than cost.

Call and secure some of the low prices that are being offered by

GEO. H. FAIRCHILD,
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Repairing and Upholstering done at short notice. 9 6 tf

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## DEATHS.

FRALEY—At Pompton, N. J., Saturday, Sept. 6, Kittie Drayton, wife of J. U. Fraley, Jr. Funeral from the residence of her mother, Mrs. Adelaide D. Drayton, 16 Crescent avenue, Plainfield, N. J., Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

## WANTS AND OFFERS.

*Advertisements under this heading, one cent for each word each insertion.*

CLERK desires situation; has some knowledge of drug business, and best of reference. Address Clerk, PRESS office.

SITUATION wanted by a young woman to do general housework. Apply 19 Liberty street, corner second.

WANTED—Members of Carpenters' and Joiners' Union No. 155, to attend the regular meeting Tuesday evening, Sept. 9, at 8 o'clock. Business of importance. By order of the F. S. 9 8 2

WANTED—A girl for general housework, at 43 East 5th street. 9 8 2

WANTED—By a respectable woman, a place as cook and laundress; can be seen at 34 Park avenue.

A NEW Steinway upright piano for sale. Call 64 Madison avenue. 9 8 10

TYPEWRITING—For business men, lawyers, ministers, authors, editors, lodges and societies, done carefully. Inquire at Estil's book store, or Miss A. M. Thompson, 114 Richmond st.

A DRESSMAKER wishes work by the day or week; one who understands her business. Address Dressmaker, postoffice. 9 8 w

MAN wants a situation to take care horses and work on gentleman's place. Call at PRESS office.

JOSEPH M. HARPER, of 75 Park avenue, is giving a present to every purchaser of $1 00 and upwards of school supplies at one time. Give him a call; he has a large assortment, and his prices will be found satisfactory. He has a full line of new and second hand school books.

GIRL wanted for general housework, family of two. 5 First place. 9 8 2

WANTED, to Rent—Unfurnished house, for year, $400; must be in good neighborhood. Address J. H. VanDeventer, 170 Broadway, New York. 9 8 2

WANTED—Girl for general housework. 27 Bay street.

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FOR RENT—An elegant single Flat of seven rooms; every convenience; moderate rent. Apply at PRESS office. 9 8 2

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HOLLY GROVE Gold Medal Prize Butter, in pound rolls, 40c; cream, 40c; pure Jersey milk, 8c; buttermilk 6c per quart, in sealed glass jars. Geo. A. Moore's, 14 North avenue, or Holly Grove Dairy, Plainfield. 9 6 2

FOR SALE—A Restaurant, doing a good paying business. Reason for selling, illness of proprietress. Inquire at Boston Cafe, No. 7 Somerset street. 9 6 tf

WANTED—By a young lady, a position as cashier, copyist, saleslady, or will sew for a dressmaker. Address 61 Park ave., city. 9 6 2

WANTED—An experienced bookkeeper, at once. State age and salary expected. Males only need apply. Address "Experience," P. O. Box 684. 9 6 2

CHICKERING Piano for sale. Apply No. 2 Willow avenue, North Plainfield. 9 5 3

GIRL wanted to do general housework. References required. Apply No. 1 Myrtle avenue. 9 5 6

BUTTONHOLES—Mrs. C. M. Jackson has removed to 18 East 2d street, and desires employment making first-class buttonholes on ladies' and gentlemen's garments. 9 4 w

STORAGE for furniture in separate rooms. Apply to C. Frank French, 69 somerset st. 9 2 tf

A LARGE Front Room, furnished, to rent. 21 West Second street. 8 30 2w

TO LET—Part of a house. Inquire at 82 Madison avenue. 8 25 tf

WANTED—Jobbing at painting, glazing, kalsomining and roof painting. Address Isaac Kennedy, 49 Chatham street, North Plainfield. tf

WANTED—Work cleaning Vaults and Cesspools. Satisfaction guaranteed. City Odorless Excavating Works, 206 Broadway. Nip. David Jones, Proprietor. No connection with JONES & Co. 6-11-tf

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The choicest Creamery Butter that can be produced
Apollinaris Water; pints, $1.50, quarts, $2 dozen; Belfast Ginger Ale, $1.40 dozen.
Excelsior Sugar Cured Hams are the best—15c.
The finest Java and Mocha coffee in town, and the prices are right. Won't be undersold for same quality of goods. P. M. DEMAREST.
25 PARK AVENUE. 8-6-t

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**Music Hall. TO-NIGHT**

The Comedians,

**EVANS and HOEY,**

In their Evergreen Success,

**-A PARLOR MATCH,-**

*Edison De Luxe:* Hoyt's best play, embellished with a whole lot of good things.
First appearance of the LEVEY SISTERS in America.
Prices—35c., 50c., 75c., and $1. Seats on sale Friday. 9 2 1d

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Mrs. DR. EDWARDS,

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Call at once, as this is positively your last chance.
Office hours from 9 A. M. to 9 P. M. Ladies 50c to $1. Gentlemen, $1.
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**MOY.**

8-11-tf

**HOAGLAND'S**

**EXPRESS.**

OFFICE—39 North Avenue,

Opposite Railroad Station.
8-15 tf

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Having purchased of Henry C. Drake the business known as the

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**REAL ESTATE**

AND INSURANCE AGENTS,

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3-13-y

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Nos. 10 and 10 1-2 PARK AVENUE.

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Jobbing promptly attended to First-class work guaranteed. Prices reasonable. Estimates promptly furnished.

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Special attention paid to

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To make room for Fall goods, we will sell the balance of our Summer stock, CHEAP!

Will mention a few of the SPECIAL BARGAINS:

GENTS' FLANNEL SHIRTS—50c shirt for 39c; 75c shirt for 55c; $1 00 shirt for 75c; $1 40 shirt for $1 15; $1 75 shirt for $1 40; $2 25 shirt for $1 85.

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CHILDREN'S SHIRT WAISTS—25c waist for 23c; 40c waist for 32c; 50c waist for 40c; 85c waist for 69c.

GINGHAMS—10c Ginghams for 7c., and 12c Ginghams for 9c.

TOWELS—12c towels for 9c; 25c towels for 19c; 30c towels for 22c; 35c towels for 25c.

FANCY PARASOLS marked down very low. Other bargains too numerous to mention.

**EDSALL'S,** No. 20 West Front St. **EDSALL'S.**

GARRET Q. PACKER,

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—SELLING OUT CHEAP!—

Baby Carriages and Summer Furniture!

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**FURNITURE, BEDDING, UPHOLSTERY.**

1-9-tf

**ROGERS' MARKET OF SEA FOOD!**

42 WEST SECOND STREET.

Blue Fish, Halibut,
Mackeral, Cod,
Porgies, Salmon,
Weak Fish, Lobsters.
Sea Bass, Soft Crabs,
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*ARE IN SEASON.*

3-12-tf

**DON'T**

Get OVERHEATED!

DON'T Buy POOR Goods,

You can always find Good ones at

**H. A. POPE'S,**

Corner FRONT and SOMERSET STS.

The old reliable Dry Goods, Carpet, and Notion House. 11-13-y

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The purpose of which is to dispose of our entire stock and renew it exclusively with the new patterns of the coming season. 25 Points worth considering:

FIRST—Our stock is very large, carefully selected, and all this season's goods.

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THIRD—Prices will be the lowest ever offered—bargains being offered daily below cost. Sale closes September 1.

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**PURE WINES AND LIQUORS**

FOR

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**COAL LUMBER**

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49 B'DWAY

## OFFERED TO BURN DOWN THE HOUSE.

**And Punctuated His Generous Speech With Pistol Bullets.**

When the inhabitants of the Borough heard pistol shots, Saturday night, resounding along the atmosphere over the territory where Stony brook runs across lots from Somerset street to Grove, they knew that the old feud between Louis Sprigg and Louis Wyckoff had broken out into bloody hostilities.

Mr. Wyckoff and Mr. Sprigg both live on Howard street, in houses opposite one another. If the Wyckoffs once loved the Spriggs, and the Spriggs the Wyckoffs, that love vanished long ago, for the enmity between the two households is firmly established. Ever since the youthful scion of the house of Spriggs first uttered that charming refrain—

Wyckoff, Wyckoff,
I'll knock your head off!

in the ears of one of the younger Wyckoff children, and the insulted child responded with—

Sprigg, Sprigg, you think you're big;
Go wash your face, you dirty pig!

there has been bitter feeling between the two families.

Beyond the throwing of stones at the dogs of the enemy, however, and the casting of hot and unclean dishwater at the spies from the enemy's camp, and the hurling of cabbage-stalks against the enemy's front doors, no serious attempts to strew the sod with gore have been made, until Saturday.

Saturday night Louis Wyckoff was enjoying the pleasures of the family circle when he heard some one thumping against his side fence. In the code of punishments of the Wyckoff-Sprigg feud to thump against the side fence is a gross insult, and Mr. Wyckoff at once suspected that the thumper was the senior Sprigg.

As soon as Mr. Wyckoff showed himself Sprigg jeered and laughed, and seemed greatly tickled with the idea that he had disturbed the equanimity of the Wyckoffs. Then he produced a revolver, and fired bullets into the fence, and pranced around in the vacant lots, and fired more bullets, some at the fence, some at the wood shed, and some at the house. At this Wild West exhibition Mr. Wyckoff went in and got a gun, and told Mr. Sprigg to vanish. Mr. Sprigg was bold and defiant, and told Mr. Wyckoff to go back and get a kerosene can, so that he, Mr. Sprigg, could set fire to the Wyckoff house. Mr. Wyckoff raised his gun to his shoulder, and Mr. Sprigg, seeing that the gun meant business, retired to a respectful distance.

The result of the rencounter was the arrest of Mr. Sprigg, and when the case had been thoroughly ventilated before Justice Hardy yesterday the prisoner was adjudged guilty and fined $10 and costs.

## REFORM HALL.

**A Splendid Address by Mr. Haines.**

A hearty welcome greeted Samuel A. Haines in Reform Hall last evening, a pleasing feature of the occasion being a large and beautiful floral display contributed by a prominent citizen of Union county in honor of the distinguished speaker.

Mr. Haines, after narrating numerous interesting incidents connected with the growth of temperance sentiment across the Atlantic, went on and delivered an address of great eloquence and power against the awful effects of intoxicating liquor. He pled earnestly for an awakened conscience among the Christian people of our country on behalf of God, Home and Native Land, and the coming of that glorious day when prohibition ballots shall fall like snowflakes in the air, all legal authority be withdrawn from the devastating liquor traffic, and home happiness reign supreme. Profound attention followed his remarks from beginning to end.

President Harper presided, the Rev. Mr. Honeyman read the scripture lesson and offered a fervent prayer, and a full choir, led by Mr. Vanderbeek, conducted the musical exercises.

The President made the following announcements:

An invitation from the Woman's Christian Temperance Union to attend their anniversary meeting in the Congregational church, this evening.

The excursion of the Reform Club to Mauch Chunk and the Switchback on Wednesday, the 10th inst.

And also, that Mr. Haines would again occupy the platform of Reform Hall at an early date.

Doctor Honeyman pronounced the benediction and the assemblage dispersed.

**The Bovine Concerts Must Go.**

Complaints are again loud in the Borough that stray cows are impounded in the yard at the rear of the lock-up, to the great annoyance of the neighbors. THE PRESS has had occasion to call attention to this nuisance before, and for a time it was lessened, but of late, it is said, it has been especially obnoxious. The Borough has elected several pound-keepers, but there is great difficulty in getting them to serve, and the duties of pound-keeper have devolved considerably on Marshal Rutledge. The complaints sent to THE PRESS have been presented before Mayor Place, who professed ignorance of the state of affairs and heartily promised that he would see to it that in the future animals in pound shall be kept in a place where their all-night concerts won't be a disturbance to the people.

—Wm. Goeller went on a clam-bake yesterday, and when he returned in the evening he injured his foot severely by leaping from a wagon.

## TURNED OUT THE PUBLIC.

**Alleged Union County Road Frauds Secretly Discussed.**

*(From the New York World.)*

The Republican majority in the Union County Board of Freeholders at their recent meeting did not openly discuss the serious charges made against the county road jobbery by Franklin L. Pope, of Elmora. They chose to debate the matter with doors closed to the press and the public. When the Board had been assembled a short time Freeholder West moved that it go into executive session on the county road matter, and the reporters and a number of prominent citizens, including the last Director of the Board, ex-Freeholder C. W. L. Martine, were forced to retire.

Ex-Freeholder Martine was fairly boiling over with indignation, and denounced the action of the Board as an insult to the taxpayers of the county, who had a perfect right to know what their representatives were deliberating about. "Such a thing," remarked Mr. Martine, "as going into secret session when public matters were to be discussed was unheard of in all my experience of several years as an officer and member of the Board. Matters must be coming to a pretty pass when Freeholders are afraid to have their opinions on important county matters published. When I was Director of the Board, if any criticisms were made by the Elizabeth Board of Trade or any individual against the acts of the Freeholders we always courteously invited the faultfinders to attend our meetings, witness the way our committees transacted business, and if there was any grievance to complain of to make it known then and there, and it would be fairly and freely considered, open and above board, and not with closed doors and the press and public barred out.

"I unhesitatingly repeat that the action of the Board in preventing the assembled citizens from hearing what the Freeholders had to say in reply to Mr. Pope's attack was an outrage. Nearly all those who attended the meeting went there expressly to hear what the Board had to offer in defense of its action on the county road question."

The charges of fraud and collusion made by Mr. Pope were pointed, and were done in a public manner over his own signature. It is the general verdict that they should have been as openly met by the Board and refuted, if possible, or satisfactorily explained. The failure to do this publicly, it is held, does not argue well for the position of the Freeholders. The county road transactions are under the especial supervision of the Freeholders, and if Mr. Pope's allegations are true they are strongly tinctured with fraud and imperfect work.

## UNION COUNTY'S GROWTH.

**Its Population Only 128 Less Than That of Mercer.**

According to the census just taken the counties of Mercer and Union are running a neck-and-neck race in the competition for population, Mercer leading Union with only 128 more inhabitants. The population of Mercer county is 80,075, and Union's population is 79,947. At the wonderful rate of increase in Union Township during the past five years, the prediction is freely wagered that when the census of the year 1900 is taken Union will be found to be leading Mercer by a good round margin.

The growth of the small towns along the line of the New Jersey Central Railroad in Union county has been phenomenal during the past two years, and the time is not far distant when a continuous city will extend from Newark Bay to the county-line of Plainfield, as the county road system, when finished, will connect the various towns, cities and villages of the county, and the land along these fine roads will be all covered with handsome dwellings.

Even now the rapid increase of the real estate transactions in the county betokens what is coming, and every available tract of land bordering on the county roads is being largely sought for building purposes. What a few years ago was acres of farm land or grazing fields for cattle is now being fast converted into building lots, which will not have to remain long in the market waiting for purchasers.

All the signs point to a great future in store for Union county, whose close proximity to New York renders property within its limits doubly desirable to people doing business in that city but who nevertheless prefer fresh, wholesome and pure air for their families. The excellent railroad facilities in the county, through which two big trunk lines, the Central and Pennsylvania, now run, and to which will soon be added the Lehigh Valley, is another powerful inducement to outsiders to make their homes in Union county.

**The Chuckle Will Change at Easter Time.**

The vacation-loving young people of the Borough are chuckling today because their public school does not re-open until next week Monday, while the Plainfield schools opened this morning. The difference is accounted for by the fact that the city schools close for one week at Easter time, while the North Plainfield schools do not, the Borough Trustees preferring to add the week to the Summer holidays.

—A. B. Carney, of North Plainfield, has been nominated for Coroner by the Somerset County Prohibitionists.

## SECRET SOCIETIES.

**Masonic.**

The assembly of the Scottish Rite bodies of the northern jurisdiction to be held at Cleveland next month, will be a memorable gathering in the history of the Rite. Oriental Consistory, of Chicago, in full uniform, will act as escort to Henry L. Palmer, Sovereign Grand Commander, and Cleveland Consistory will give an elaborate reception in honor of the visiting princes and their ladies. Generous hospitality and fraternal greetings will rule the occasion, and the interest of the meeting will be enhanced by the public appearance of this exclusive branch of Masonry doing escort duty in their gorgeous uniforms. The Masonic gates of the Forest City will be open to the Sublime Princes from near and far.

Knights Templar encampments in Illinois have proved so successful this year that they may be regarded as an established feature of Templarism in the Prairie State. The record of the Rockford camp is a catalogue of festivities, pleasant reunions, courteous hospitality and general enjoyment. At Havana the camp was beautifully situated, the hospitality extended by the citizens and fraters was generous in the extreme, the attendance was larger than anticipated—twenty-seven commanderies being represented—and several pleasant days were spent on the tented field. Grand Commander George M. Moulton was in attendance during the last two days of the camp.

Within the next six months the fraternity of Chicago will be able to point to a handsome Masonic Temple, completed and ready for occupancy. The foundations of the new structure are being built, and the corner stone will be laid with imposing ceremonies and a great public parade early in October. The structure will be six stories high surmounted by a dome of magnificent proportions. It will contain one of the largest and best appointed lodge halls for lodge, chapter and commandery purposes in the country.

An effort is being made by the Virginia Masons to build a memorial temple at Fredericksburg, in memory of the Masonic life and services of Washington. The Grand Lodge of Massachusetts has already contributed $1,000 to the enterprise.

**Knights of Pythias.**

The lodges of Indianapolis have united for the purpose of giving an exemplification of the amplified third rank on a grand scale next October. Invitations have been sent out to prominent members of the order and lodges in every part of the country, and the gathering will be a large and interesting one, the work will be illustrated most elaborately, and the costuming will be something of a novelty.

The Milwaukee conclave seems to have a stimulating effect on the Uniform Rank. In most of the States new divisions are being constantly organized and the membership in the old divisions is rapidly increasing everywhere. In Chicago a new division is about being instituted, where the initiation fee will be seventy-five dollars, which will include a standard uniform. This is to be the most exclusive body of the rank in the world.

**Odd-Fellows.**

The action of the Grand Lodge of Missouri at its last annual session, in excluding from membership in the order all liquor dealers, is making considerable of a row in that State. Many of the brewers are shining lights in the order and the saloon-keeping members are numerous. The brewers now declare they will, by every means in their power, resist any attempt to enforce the resolutions of the Grand Lodge on the liquor question. It seems likely that the brewers will succeed, as this class legislation meets with little favor among the conservative members of the order. In any event there is a bitter fight on hand.

The next session of the Sovereign Grand Lodge, to be held at Topeka, Kan., next month, will be a lively one. The Chicago cantonment has stirred up a feeling of discontent among the order in various parts of the country, which will find expression at the meeting of the Grand Lodge. Then there will be a struggle for the office of Deputy Grand Sire, and there are several prominent candidates in the field for the office of Commander of the Patriarchs Militant. The opposition to John C. Underwood is constantly spreading, and if he is re-elected there will be a serious breach in the ranks of this branch of the order. Deputy Grand Sire Busbee will be re-elected to the office of Grand Sire without opposition.

**Royal Arcanum.**

The Grand Regent of Illinois has established a system of official and fraternal visitations among the councils of State that have been attended with excellent results so far. The membership is increasing, and, what is of most importance, the attendance at council meetings is improving. In other jurisdictions a similar plan is to be adopted for awakening interest in the order.

W. H. MCDOUGALL.

**Paresis Perhaps.**

Inquiring Guest—Waiter!

Waiter—Yes, sah.

Inquiring Guest—What is that you have let fall on my bread?

Waiter—Dat, sah, is calf's brains on toast, sah.

Inquiring Guest (after long and careful observation)—What a deuced idiot that calf must have been!—Puck.

## RAISING A FAMILY.

**In Some Parts of New England It Is Not an Expensive Undertaking.**

The cost of bringing up a family of five or six children comfortably in the town of Mount Desert does not exceed $250 a year if the house, a garden patch and a cow pasture be already provided from savings of the husband and wife before marriage, and if the family, as a whole, have normal health and strength. Very few heads of families earn more than that sum in a year; for, although a day's wages in summer is commonly $1.75, work is scarce, the winter is long, and few men can get more than five months' employment at these wages in a year. The man and boys of a family can, however, do much for the common support, even when there is no work at wages to be had. They can catch and cure fish, dig clams, trap lobsters, pick the abundant blueberries on the rocky hills in August, and shoot ducks at the seasons of migration. Wild nature still yields to the skillful seeker a considerable quantity of food without price. Dwellers in the city may wonder how it is possible for a family to live so cheaply, but there is no mystery about it. There is no rent to pay; the schools are free; water costs nothing; the garden-patch yields potatoes and other vegetables, and the pasture milk and butter; two kerosene lamps and a lantern supply all the artificial light needed, at a cost not exceeding two dollars a year; the family do all their own work without waste; there is but one fire, except on rare occasions, and that single fire is in a stove which delivers all its heat into the house; the wife and daughters knit the family stockings, mittens and mufflers, mend all the clothes, and for the most part make all their own. The ready-made clothing which the men buy at the stores is very cheap ($10 to $15 a suit), being made of cotton with but a small admixture of wool. The cloth is strong and warm, and looks fairly well when new, but soon fades and wears shabby. For children the old clothes of their elders are cut down, the wear thus being brought on new places. The Hessian country girl wears proudly her grandmother's woolen petticoats, as well she may, for they are just as good and handsome as they were sixty years ago. A Scotch shepherd's all-wool plaid withstands the wind and the rain for a lifetime. The old Swiss porter, who is carrying the mounted traveler's valise over the Gemmi, puts on a thick woolen jacket of a rich brown color when the shower begins, with the remark: "The rain won't wet me, sir; this coat has kept me dry for twenty-five years." The American farmer and laborer use no such good materials as these, and therefore they and their children look shabby most of the time; but their clothes are very cheap in first cost, and, like the cotton clothes of the Chinese, they answer the main purposes of all clothing. In a city the best clothes of the family must be often put on, in the country but seldom. Shoes and boots must be bought for the whole household, but these articles are also very cheap in New England, and the coarser sorts are durable in proportion to their price. For protection from rain the Mount Desert man who is obliged to be out-of-doors in bad weather uses, in sailor fashion, not rubber clothing, but suits of oiled cotton cloth, which keep out not only water but wind, last long and cost little ($2 to $3 a suit). However hard it may be for city people to understand it, the fact remains that $250 a year is a sum adequate to the comfortable and wholesome support of a family of seven or eight persons in the town of Mount Desert, provided that a house, a garden and a pasture are secured to them.—President Charles W. Eliot, in Century.

**Electric Visual Police Signals.**

The new electric visual police signal system has been thoroughly tested at New Haven, and the results are so satisfactory that a number of the signal boxes have been ordered for the use of the London (Eng.) police. The difficulty in police signal systems has hitherto been that while the officer on patrol could immediately communicate with headquarters, the latter was never sure of being able to attract the attention of the officer on patrol, especially at night. In the new system the telegraph and the telephone are united, and the officer at the desk can attract the attention of and communicate with any policeman in any part of the city, and no matter how far away he may be. By the touch of an electric button at headquarters a red globe is made to rise from inside the alarm box. At night this change of color can of course be seen on the street for a long distance, and during the day a colored signal will be equally conspicuous. The patrolman on his beat is thus notified that communication with headquarters is desired, and he promptly responds through the telephone. The patrolman on his beat can also summon assistance from any adjoining beat by opening the iron signaling box and releasing the armature which controls the movements of the colored glass.—N. Y. Sun.

**New Style of Door Lock.**

The latest invention in door locks is one which can not be opened from the outside by a pliers or skeleton key if it is locked on the inside, and for this reason is especially valuable for hotel rooms and inside doors of buildings generally. It has double bolts, one above the other. The lower one is used to lock the door from the outside. Its keyhole does not go clear through the lock, neither does the keyhole of the bolt that locks the door from the inside. When the door is locked on the inside there is no means of reaching the key or the keyhole of the inner bolt from the outside of the door. This lock is being extensively used on the Pacific coast in all new hotels.—Detroit Free Press.

**Johnny's Surprised.**

Johnny (with inflated paper bag)—Sh-h! See me bust this bag by grandma's ear.

Grandma (after the burst, placidly looking towards the door)—Come in!—Chatter.

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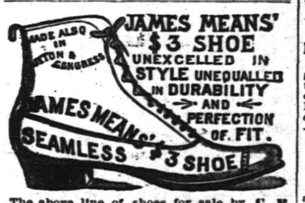

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## POETICAL GEMS.

### The Fighting Editor.

Into the sanctum door-way stalked,
A black-browed, wrathful man,
Armed with a deadly weapon, and
To roar he thus began:
"Show me the man that writ this 'ere,
I 'm allin' for a scrap!
Jest trot the lyin' beggar out,
An' let me dror his sap!"

And with a wild and fiendish yell,
This villain, bold and bad,
Descended on the writing force,
Who fled away like mad—
Save one, a weazened little chap,
No bigger than a sprat,
Who snatched a printer's mallet up,
And knocked the villain flat.

Thereon within the sanctum's walls
Ensued a great uproar,
In which the villain played the part
Of mop-rag, on the floor.
The little man who held him down,
And mauled him o'er and o'er,
Was known throughout the office as
"Ye Scrapping Editor."
—Frank B. Welch, in Light.

### The Two Coffins.

In yonder old cathedral
Two lonely coffins lie;
In one the head of the State lies dead,
And a singer sleeps hard by.

Once had that King great power,
And proudly he ruled the land—
His crown o'er us now is on his brow
And his sword is in his hand!

How sweetly sleeps the singer
With calmly folded eyes,
And on the breast of the bard at rest
The harp that he sounded lies.

The castle walls are falling
And war distracts the land,
But the sword leaps not from that mildewed spot—
There in that dead King's hand!

But with every grace of nature
There seems to float along—
To cheer again the hearts of men—
The singer's deathless song!
—From the German, by Eugene Field.

### Git in an' Dig.

The 'ristocratic folks git up a high-toned "twi-light ball,"
An' dress themselves in silks an' lace an' costly fol-da-rol;
An' them po'r starched-up creatures thinks they're havin' stacks o' fun;
But gosh! we folks o' Frogtown, we beat 'em two to one.
When we gits up a rale hoe-down, it makes a feller rather
Smile to see the young folks jump an' crack their heels together,
An' hear the caller,
Red-faced, long-legged, big
Jim Johnson, holler:
"Git in an' dig!"

First thing Old Tom Hardscrabble, he grabs his fiddle bow,
An' scrapes them there old fiddle strings—the young folks in a row
Stands waitin' till he strikes a tune, a shottish or cowtillion,
An' then away they goes. By gosh! ef I was wuth a million,
I'd rather dance that old hoe-down one night in fifty years,
Than 'tend a hundred "twilight balls" in comp'ny with my peers.
I'd a durn sight ruther
Hear that red-faced, big
Jim Johnson holler:
"Git in an' dig!"

Fact is, them high-toned city folks so cultured in an' vain,
So used to easy livin', an' so filled with proud disdain
Fer country folks' old-fashioned ways, their hard work an' their small
Pretensions in the way of wealth, an' wit, an' all
Them qualities that makes one man surpass an' spurn his brother—
Them city folks, they would, I say, a durn sight ther
Not hear the caller,
Relentless, whirligig
Destiny, holler
"Git-in an' dig!"
—Allison French, in West Shore.

### A Happy Marriage.

I.

He loved a maid,
But, half afraid,
He never told his passion.
Of course, she knew,
But, bashful, too,
She waited, woman fashion.

II.

At last one day,
The gossips say,
While they were idly chatting,
A mouse petite
Ran by their feet
And shot across the matting.

III.

He was so near
That, wild with fear,
She threw her arms about him.
He clasped her tight
And soothed her fright—
How could she ever doubt him?

IV.

His courage rose,
You may suppose,
After that fearful danger.
This week the same
Pair chose a name
To give a little stranger.
—Somerville Journal.

### Sunset Calm.

The dying sunbeams softly play
On fields of tawny grain;
The rabbit's housed beneath the hay
That skirts the scented lane.

No breeze the leaf to music wakes
In bowers green and cool;
No swallow's wing in circles breaks
The mirror of the pool.

No sheep-bell tinkles from the fold;
And in the lilac glow
That steals o'er nature's cloth of gold
The shadows longer grow,

And melt into the silence deep,
Unbroken as a dream,
That settles like a wreath of sleep
On crimsoned mead and stream.
—R. K. Munkittrick, in Harper's Weekly.

### In Love and Out.

I loved her and she seemed to me
As fair as summer skies;
Her gentle sunny face to see
Was gladness to my eyes.
Her hand was soft, her foot was small,
Her cheek was like the rose,
But I admired most of all
The freckles on her nose.

She jilted me and then I learned
That love indeed is blind;
Her many charms I once discerned
Have faded from my mind.
She isn't near so pretty as
The lily or the rose.
I'll never wed a girl who has
Such freckles on her nose.
—Chicago Post

### Her Reason.

Only a kiss did I beg of her,
One little kiss of love;
Something to help me bear the pain
Of parting never to meet again,
While down o'er the waving fields of grain
Soft shone the stars above.

Faintly tremble the beautiful lids—
"Quick! for I must away!"
"I can not!" the answer came with a moan,
"For I love you, darling, the truth must be known,
My tiny kisses are all full grown;
And a *little* kiss don't ask, I pray,
For it happens my mouth isn't built that way!"
—Gold Dust, in Judge.

## MR. HOOFNACKLE.

### A Friend Plays Him a Shabby Trick.

**Mrs. H. Discovers that Her Name Is Not in the Elite Directory—She Blames Her Husband for It.**

[Written for the St. Louis (German) Saterne, by Louis Willich; translated for this paper by Alex E. Sweet.]

TO THE EDITOR OF THE SATERNE—*Dear Sir:* My friend Gould, the directory man, has played me a shabby trick. I wouldn't have believed it of him. That unreliable party has published a blue book, or an elite directory, or whatever you may be pleased to call it, which purports to give a list of the high society people, and the name of Jackson P. Hoofnackle does not appear in it. I would not have believed this possible if I had not examined the book carefully, and satisfied myself beyond a doubt that my name has been omitted, and very likely it was done intentionally.

If my wife Sarah had her way I would have brought a $25,000 suit for damages against Gould, but I am afraid if I were to file any such suit the consumptive lawyer Gould employs by the year would make a motion for me to give a ten-dollar bond for security for costs, and I am not quite prepared for a financial crisis of those dimensions, so I have thus far managed to restrain myself.

This is a nice state of things, truly. The idea of a St. Louis elite directory and no Jackson P. Hoofnackle in it. To tell the truth, if it were not for my wife, Sarah, I wouldn't care a snap of my finger whether my name was in or not, but the left-handed compliments Sarah has been bestowing on me, because the Hoofnackles have been snubbed, are enough to exasperate a saint.

Looking through a copy of the directory she remarked in a cynical tone of voice: "I suppose I joined the Ladies' Geranium Club, and paid three dollars a month for nothing at all just to be snubbed this way. It's all your fault, Jackson. You never do attend to any thing as you should. You gab and gas, and frequent saloons from one year's end to the other, but when there is a chance to do something for the family you are not there. O, you are a nice one to rely on, you are. You have got no spunk. That's what's the matter with you."

Turning over another leaf, she said, with increased bitterness: "Just look at this! Here are Mr. and Mrs. McFlymsy. Fifteen years ago, when you were already a judge on the bench of the county court, he was a porter in a wholesale liquor store and she was chief engineer in a hash factory. Now they are society people."

"And just look at this," she continued: "Here is the name of Casper Knippleman: if he wants to write his name he has to rest his tongue on the table, and then make a misspell of it,

"IT'S ALL YOUR FAULT."

while you write for the leading papers, and enjoy a great literary reputation; but he belongs to *haute role*, and we are nothing but common trash, and don't amount to a row of pins. And who is to blame but you? Whenever I pick up a newspaper I read some complimentary notice about somebody we know, but I never read any thing about you that's worth repeating.

"And so, help Heaven, here is the name of Jerry L. Dusenbury. Well, now that is rich. Ten years ago he had a little bit of a shanty of a store, where he kept on tap perfumed soap, rusty revolvers, old pocket-books, small-tooth combs, rubber sandwiches, brass jewelry and other rubbish, and it was such a miserable ramshackle shanty of a store that if his big fat wife had sneezed in it, she would have blown the sides out of it—and now he is Hon. Jeremiah Dusenbury, who comes from a very old family. I suppose his grandmother didn't die until she was two or three hundred years old. Oh, yes, they come of a very old family, and I expect they have been on a visit to Paris—Kentucky. That's what this directory does for that scum, while we have to be satisfied to be allowed to take back seats and be nobody. Jackson, that's going to be the death of me. I expect to see Hon. Mrs. Dusenbury's portrait as a society queen in one of the big dailies, and a few years ago the only use she had for newspapers was to look through the "want column," to see if anybody advertised for a cook or a chambermaid, etc."

I don't know what I am going to do about it, but if Sarah keeps up this talk about the elite directory I'll do something rash.

Your old friend,
JACKSON P. HOOFNACKLE.

### His Intention.

Young Lady—And do you come down the same way you go up, Mr. Sandbag?

Balloonist—No, miss; I try to come down feet first.—Judge.

## OUR YOUNG FOLKS.

### DRESSING DOLLS.

**All Little Girls Who Have Dolls Will Be Interested in This Article.**

Herodotus, Josephus, and others who wrote ancient history, have very considerately given some information about the games and sports indulged in by boys and young men. But they have not told us what pastimes were provided for little girls.

Perhaps you think there were no dolls then. If you do, what I have to tell you will make those classic days seem very near and real, because you can see that a doll was as precious to a girl then as yours is to you now.

Last May, near the Hadrian's villa, in Rome, were found, at a depth of thirty feet below the surface, two stone burial caskets. In one of them was the perfect skeleton of a little girl wrapped in linen which, upon exposure to the air, fell rapidly to dust. Upon her head were fragments of a myrtle crown—the Roman symbol of youth—and on her fingers were four rings, one of them with her name, "Filetus," engraved upon it. There were also in the narrow sarcophagus—as the ancients called their stone coffins—many other articles of more or less value. Among them an exquisite amethyst breastpin, cut like a cameo, and set in Etruscan gold filagree work; pearl ear-rings, carved amber pins for the hair, and a gold necklace with little white pendants of elegant workmanship. But the most interesting thing of all the treasures which loving hands had laid away with little "Filetus" centuries ago was a doll, most perfectly made of oak wood. The face and hair were carved in the most minute and careful way, the latter waving low on the forehead, and bound with a fillet. The joints were articulated so that the legs, arms and wrists move in sockets,

ANCIENT ROMAN DOLL.

and the hands and feet were cut with extreme delicacy, with small and delicate nails.

The dress, if there was any originally, must have moldered away, for the letter which gave this account did not speak of any.

It is thought that this little Roman girl, with her ornaments and the playthings which were probably dearest to her, must have been laid away to her rest before the Christian era, and, taking a long backward look through the centuries, it is touching to realize that the same things that were pleasing then are still the delight of young people.

The doll whose picture appears in this article has a variety of dresses, but with nony of them is her owner better pleased than this, a perfect fac simile of the German costume worn by certain natives of the Black Forest.

The coloring of the dress is certainly not a delight to the eye that loves harmony, but it is an exact copy in every particular of a costume worn by a little girl called Rikele, which you must pronounce in three syllables. It is the diminutive of Frederike, and a favorite name in Suabia, as Southern Germany is called. In the Suabian dialect the termination *le* takes the place of the *chen* of Northern Germany, in proper names.

The skirt of the dress is straight, having no gores. It is thirty-two inches wide by ten long; a hem an inch and a half wide is turned up on the bottom, the top is gathered all around.

The material of the dress is a stiff-feeling woolen, someting like thick

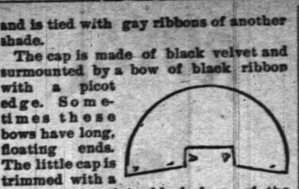
alpaca. The sleeves are slightly wadded, which makes them look stiff and clumsy. They are cut in one piece and gathered into the arm-hole. The waist is half low-necked, and is trimmed around the neck, with a strip of the material plaited down on both edges. The waist is made straight, and with no darts. There are seams under the arms and buttons at the back. The little slashes on the pattern are to give room for the swell of the hips below the waist line. The skirt, which is sewed to a band, is separate, and fastens on over the waist. The cuts show front and back of waist.

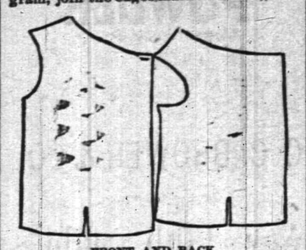
A wide white lace ruffle is sewed to a muslin band, which buttons around the throat. A broad ribbon wound over it several times conceals the muslin band. The large bow with which it is tied at the back is quite an important addition to the costume. In front, hangs a narrow ribbon with a little silver coin or medal upon it. With the grown-up peasants the medal is generally symbolic of their trade or occupation.

The apron is a straight strip of material of some light, bright color, and is tied with gay ribbons of another shade.

The cap is made of black velvet and surmounted by a bow of black ribbon with a picot edge. Sometimes these bows have long, floating ends. The little cap is trimmed with a broad fall of plain black lace, of the kind sometimes used here for vails. In Switzerland the same kind of caps are worn, but figured lace is used. On the edge of Rikele's cap is a hem run with thick, black floss silk.

After cutting the cap from the diagram, join the edges marked x x together; then the seam made by A A is sewed on the wrong side and the cap turned. The bow hides the top. The cap should only be large enough to cover the top knot of hair dressed high on the head. The lace is fulled upon the edge of the cap. A walking rainbow would hardly be gayer than this German doll. Her dress is a dark blue, her apron light green, with bright purple ribbons. The ribbon around her neck, with the big bow at the back, is a bright yellow. Some of the skirts in Southern Germany are accordeon plaited, so a doll who wishes to go to a fancy party in the costume of that country would be justified in making herself more dressy by wearing a plaited skirt instead of the plain, if she preferred.





FRONT AND BACK.

In the district where dresses of this kind are worn, the costumes of Protestants and Catholics are quite distinctly different. Rikele was a Catholic, and in copying the distinctive dress of her sect the artist has put a little rosary in the doll's hand.

In the old countries, where people seldom seem to be in such a hurry as the Americans, they do not seem to be so saving of button-holes as we are. In a German child's winter costume, including the underclothes, there are sometimes thirty-five button-holes, so I have been told. The Italians are not sparing of button-holes, either, although their wardrobes are less profuse in them than Germans. The French and Russian peasants save them when they can, and the Bretons, who use buttons in great abundance, simply for ornament, manage to use strings and loops very extensively for fastenings.

A girl who likes to make dolls' clothes will be much more independent if she knows how to make the button-holes herself. Perhaps by looking closely at this striking portrait of a partly-worked button-hole a young worker will be able to copy it. First, a straight cut is made, then as this is for a cloth garment, the little, round hole at one end is made so it will fit nicely around the shank of the button. To me, cutting that smooth, round place at the end has always seemed a very formidable bit of surgery, but lately, by watching a dress-maker, I found out that it is easy enough.

Her way was to stick a pin through the cloth at the upper end of the cut, only taking up one or two threads, and then to cut the pin out. As I am not by your side to show you what I mean, won't you take a piece of waste cloth and experiment with a pin and sharp scissors until you see how it is done. For wash goods and thin materials it is not necessary to do more than make a plain, straight cut of a proper length for the button, but the stitch is the same, and that I think you can learn by looking at the picture. The under thread, which is to be worked over, should be linen or double silk; it is carried around the button-hole and held while working by being twisted around the needle it is threaded into. You must remember always to put the thread you are working with around and over the point of the needle before you pull it through. This is to make a strong, durable edge. In the button-hole stitch used for scallops and other embroidery, the thread is not put over in this way, but held below the needle while it is drawn through.—Mary C. Hungerford, in Christian Union.

### Photographs in Natural Colors.

At a recent meeting of the Berlin Physical Society Prof. Vogel spoke on photography in natural colors as attempted at first by Seebeck, then in succession by Becquerel, Niepce, St. Victor, Poitevin, Zenker, and most recently by a Hungarian named Verres. He exhibited a series of photographs in colors obtained by Verres, which however showed conclusively that he has not solved the problem, since, although the reds appear as red in the photographs, so also do the yellows and greens appear as red and the blues as an undeterminate color. These photographs, on the other hand, mark a distinct advance in color photography, since they are fixed, while those of Zenker, although more strikingly colored, were not fixed. The speaker criticised Zenker's views on the mode of formation of a colored photograph, and expressed his disbelief in the possibility of any one substance being so changed by rays of different wave length as to emit from various parts of itself rays of exactly corresponding wave length.—Scientific American.

THERE is no use of arguing against obstinacy. If you squeeze a burr it will prick you.—Puck.

## SANITARY SELECTIONS.

SPRAINED ankle has been cured in an hour by showering with hot water poured from a height of a few feet.

DO YOU use the whole of your lungs? Of course, you reply that you do; but the chances are that you don't. For physicians say that not one man in a hundred uses all his lungs.

A SIMPLE cough remedy is made of an ounce of flaxseed boiled in a pint of water, a little honey added, an ounce of rock candy and the juice of three lemons, the whole mixed and boiled well.

A WARM salt water bath is said to be very refreshing to one suffering from bodily fatigue. If away from the seashore a cup of rock salt dissolved in warm water and added to the bath produces the same result.

THOSE who find it difficult to sleep on account of the heat can readily circumvent old Sol by taking a bath. If it is only a hasty sponge bath it will do wonders in cooling the body, softening and freshening the skin, and preparing the system for the ready enjoyment of "nature's sweet restorer."

MANY people are troubled with itching eyes and try all sorts of washes. The eye is one of the most valuable organs of the body. Unfortunately for careless humanity, it is also one of the most delicate. It does not pay to trifle with it. The best way to treat itching is to use a cool, weak salt water wash every few hours. If it does no good, go to a physician who makes a specialty of eye diseases.

THE worst effect of constant cigarette smoking is the gradual unsteadying of the nerves. The cigarette is really a dram, and when that dram is repeated twenty or thirty times a day evil will assuredly follow. One has only to look at the meagre, weak-eyed, pasty-faced youths who are to be seen in thousands to perceive at once the melancholy results of the cigarette. If would be better to smoke cigars as black as one's hat and as long as a barber's pole.

DR. NEBO in Journal de la Sante says that an excessive palpitation of the heart can always be arrested by bending double, with the head downward and the hands pendant, so as to produce a temporary congestion of the upper part of the body. In almost all cases of nervous or anæmic palpitation the heart immediately resumes its natural function. If the respiratory movements be suspended during this action the effect is only the more rapid.

IT is a mistake to suppose that cold drinks are necessary to relieve thirst. Very cold drinks, as a rule, increase the feverish condition of the mouth and stomach and so create thirst. Experience shows it to be a fact that hot drinks relieve the thirst and "cool off" the body when it is in an abnormally heated condition better than ice-cold drinks. It is far better and safer to avoid the free use of drinks below sixty degrees; in fact, a higher temperature is to be preferred; and those who are much troubled with thirst will do well to try the advantages to be derived from hot drinks, instead of cold fluids to which they have been accustomed. Hot drinks also have the advantage of aiding digestion, instead of causing debility of the stomach and bowels.

## AMUSING SHORT STORIES.

THE knack of looking at the bright side of things was never developed to such perfection as in the case of a Southerner, who, after a railroad accident, telegraphed to his friend's wife: "Your husband killed in railroad accident; head, both arms and both legs cut off." But later this correction was received: "First report exaggerated; your husband killed; head and legs cut off, but only one arm."

A BERLIN merchant was a daily customer in a noted restaurant, and always honored the waiter generously, as he liked him for his attentiveness. One day another waiter served him. He was much surprised. "Where is Fritz?" "He is here," said the new waiter, "but he can't serve you. You see," he continued, "we played poker the other evening, and after Fritz had lost all his money he put up his customers, and I had the good fortune to win you. Another beer?"

A COBBLER at Forfar, Scotland, who was an old offender, was sentenced to a fine or imprisonment. To be imprisoned he had to be carried to the jail at Perth. As he had business at Perth he expressed no unwillingness to go. When arrived and about to be locked up he offered to pay the fine, which the Governor was obliged to take. Then he demanded also his fare back to Forfar, which the Governor, after hesitating and looking at the law, found that he was obliged to pay. The fare alone amounted to five cents more than the fine imposed.

THE Boston girl is equal to any thing, as the following anecdote shows: A Boston girl whose verses were always "declined with thanks" hit upon a unique scheme for having them published. She would send a line or a verse from one of her poems to the query column of some paper and ask from what poem such a line came, the name of the poem and that of the author. A friend, also a rhymster, would send the querist's own poem to the paper with the desired information, and of course it would appear in print. The querist would do the same for her "friend," and so on, until between them they had most of their effusions printed.

SOMETHING decidedly original in the mortuary line is put on record by a Boston paper. After a long absence a man returned from the West, and decided to visit his mother's grave in a cemetery near the metropolis of Massachusetts. "I couldn't find the lot," he said, in telling the story; "and when I got home I asked my sister about it, and who it was that put up a big monument there, with the name 'Theodosia' on it. 'Why, that was the place,' said my sister. 'But who is Theodosia?' I asked. 'That is mother,' she said; 'I know it wasn't her name, but it is a pretty one, and I thought she would like it. And, John, as I thought mother looked lonesome in that big lot, I had a baby head-stone set up near the corner with 'Jennie' cut on it. You don't mind, do you?'"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Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7, 8 07, 9 42, A. M., 1 59, 4 34, 5 20, 6 38, 8 20 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 13 A. M., 2 03, 6 35 P. M.

Leave Easton 6 56, 8 44, 10 A. M., 12 32, 4 09, 6 49 P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 52, A. M., 6 40, 7 30 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 7, 9 42 A. M., 1 59, 5 20 P. M. Sunday—8 13 A. M.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

LEAVE PLAINFIELD.

5 45 A. M. for Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

7 A. M. for High Bridge Branch and Easton.

8 07 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 42 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Nanticoke, Drifton, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c.

1 59 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, &c.

4 34 P. M. for D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

5 20 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Schooley's Mountain, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, &c.

6 20 P. M. for Flemington.

6 38 P. M. for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg.

8 20 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8 13 a. m. Sundays for High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, &c., 2 03 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua and Pottsville. 6 35 p. m Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m. 1 p. m.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c.

Leave Plainfield 3 37, 8, 8 37, 10 05, 11 09, a. m., 1, 2 07, (through coach,) 3 51, 5 31, p. m. Sundays—(except Ocean Grove) 3 37, 8 52, 9, a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 38, 8, 10 05, 11 09 a. m., 1, 2 07, 3 51, 7 08 p. m. Sunday—3 37, 8 52 a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8, 11 09 a. m., 1, 3 51, 6 31 7 09 p. m.

ROUND BROOK ROUTE.

Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia, 1 17, 5 45, 8 29, 9 48, 11 58* a. m., 1*29, 2 29*, 4 08, 5 34*, 6 29*, 9 29 p. m. Sundays—1 17, 9 48, a. m., 2 29* 4 08, 5 34*, 6 55 p. m.

For Baltimore and Washington at 1 17, 9 48, 11 58* a. m., 2 45, 4 08, 5 34* p. m. Sundays—1 17, 9 48 a. m., 2 47, 4 08, 5 14* p. m.

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## THE MAINE ELECTION

### The Republican State Ticket Elected by About 15,000.

**REED'S PLURALITY OVER 4,000.**

**Congressmen Dingley, Boutelle and Milliken Returned by Fair Majorities.**

**The Election Was Quiet and Orderly. Speaker Reed Said He Was Overwhelmed With Surprise—Chairman Manley's Congratulatory Dispatch to President Harrison.**

AUGUSTA, Me., Sept. 9.—From the election returns, which are still incomplete, the Republican managers here estimate that Burleigh (Rep.) will receive a plurality of 19,000.

PORTLAND, Me., Sept. 9.—Two hundred and ten towns give Burleigh 40,385, Thompson 27,427, Clark 861, scattering 958. The same towns in 1888 gave a Republican vote of 50,351, Democratic 37,244, Prohibition 1,276, scattering 1,089. Republican plurality 13,508, against 13,007, Republican gain of 501.

If the towns to here from fall off in the same proportion the final vote should stand: Republican, about 64,500; Democratic, 45,000; scattering, 3,000. Total, 113,000.

In 1886, the last off year, the vote stood: Republican, 68,991; Democratic, 55,289; Prohibition, 3,868; scattering 23; Republican plurality 13,702. This year the plurality will be about 19,000, a gain of 5,300 and 1,000 ahead of the Presidential year. The Prohibition vote comes united with the scattering, or omitted, so it is classed as scattering and may be considerably larger.

The members of Congress are all re-elected by large majorities. Mr. Reed's being doubled. The county officers are mostly Republican. The Senators are probably all Republican as in the last Legislature, and the Representatives must stand fully as strongly Republican, namely 125 Republicans to 26 Democrats.

The total vote of Portland is: For Governor—Burleigh, 3,570; Thompson, 2,127; Clark, 142. For Congressman—Reed, 3,648; Frank, 2,169; Hussey (Prohibition), 77. Four Republican Legislators are elected and one Democrat, the latter on account of local dissatisfaction.

The latest estimate places Burleigh's plurality at 19,000.

**Speaker Reed's Big Vote.**

PORTLAND, Me., Sept. 9.—Speaker Reed is re-elected by the largest plurality ever given to a candidate in the district. Complete returns from all but five towns give Reed 16,097 and Frank 11,339. Mr. Reed has received fewer votes than in 1888, but the great falling off of the Democratic vote has given him a great majority. The towns yet to hear from are mostly Democratic and will reduce his plurality somewhat, but not very much. The indications now are that Reed's plurality will be between 4,000 and 4,700.

### SPEAKER REED'S VIEWS.

**He Says He Felt a Deep Solicitude About the Result.**

PORTLAND, Me., Sept. 9.—It is difficult to describe the enthusiasm that has prevailed here since last night. Nothing like it has been seen in this city since the war.

In an interview with Speaker Reed he said: "I confess to have felt a deep solicitude as to the result in this district. So great a plurality was given at the last election, owing to local causes which our own people will well comprehed, that almost any reasonable result was liable to lead to a misunderstanding.

"In an off year men do not come out on the majority side, and the short, very short campaign we have had could not have reached them in the regular way. To have received in such a year so large a plurality is something which has more than a personal significance. There have been cast for me many Democratic votes. I do not in the least flatter myself that they were cast for me personally. They were put in the ballot-box to show the world that some men outside my party applaud the idea that the House of Representatives ought to be a business body, carrying out the wishes of the American people.

"When you consider how hard a thing it is for a man who still means to stay by his party to vote against it, you will see the significance of the result. I could even bring into stronger relief this result by stating other facts, but the case does not need it."

Speaker Reed will leave here to-day for Washington.

**Manley's Dispatch to the President.**

AUGUSTA, Me., Sept. 9.—Chairman Manley of the Republican State Committee sent the following dispatch to President Harrison: "Maine gives the largest Republican majority thrown in an off year since 1866, and a larger majority than given in a Presidential contest since 1868, with the single exceptions of 1884 and 1888. Governor Burleigh is re-elected by a majority exceeding 15,000. Speaker Reed is re-elected by the largest majority he ever received, exceeding 4,500. Representatives Dingley, Boutelle and Milliken are re-elected by a majority ranging from 3 to 5,000. The Pine Tree State endorse your administration and remains firm in its advocacy of protection to American industries and American labor."

**Ex-Gov. Dingley's Majority Over 4,000.**

LEWISTON, Me., Sept. 9.—Almost complete returns from the cities and towns in the Second district show that ex-Gov. Dingley is re-elected to Congress by nearly 4,000 over Allen, Dem.

### COUNTERFEITERS CAUGHT.

**They Were About to Start a Swindling Scheme on a New Method.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 9.—Two notorious counterfeiters, Charles Murrell, alias Salvese, and Charles Harris, alias Cereghino, who came from San Francisco two months ago to fleece Eastern merchants, were arrested here and locked up at police headquarters. Murrell was born in Italy, of Swedish parents, and Harris was born in Spain.

They had a swindling scheme based on the claim that they could make $10 gold pieces out of baser metals by a method known only to themselves. Inspector Byrnes heard of them soon after their arrival and had them shadowed up to the time of their arrest. About ten days ago the swindlers tried their art on a rich miner from New Mexico, but Byrnes sent for the miner and put him on his guard.

The Inspector then had the miner introduce Detective Conway as a promising victim, with the result that Conway was shown the modus operandi of the counterfeiters, and with the assistance of the two "shadows" nabbed them both.

### STRUCK BY LIGHTNING.

**The Pennsylvania Company's Offices at Altoona Set on Fire.**

ALTOONA, Pa., Sept. 9.—Lightning struck the offices of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company at noon and in a few minutes the building was ablaze.

The building was badly gutted before the fire could be extinguished. Great damage was also done by water, and it is feared that valuable records and memoranda are ruined. The loss, which cannot be estimated at present, will be heavy.

There was great excitement for a time among the hundreds of clerks employed in the building, but all escaped though there was several who were suffocated. All railroad business is temporarily suspended.

The lightning entered the telegraph room in which are stored tons of paper and the fire communicating with these gained great headway.

### FEMALE PRIZE FIGHTERS.

**They Fight Thirty-eight Rounds and Are Severely Punished.**

NEWARK, N. J., Sept. 9.—Mary Herbert and Mabel Brown, daughters of prominent residents of Pleasantville, N. J., fought a prize fight in a sixteen-foot ring, pitched in an old barn on the outskirts of that village at 3 a. m. The cause of the fight was rivalry for the attentions of a young man named George Woodward.

Thirty-eight rounds were fought, in which both girls were severely punished, but neither had the advantage and the contest was declared a draw.

The combatants were stripped to the waist, and every part of their bodies exposed to view bore traces of punishment. The referee, seconds and spectators were all females, friends of the principals.

Woodward has since declared that he will have nothing to do with either of the girls.

**The Resolution Will Pass the House.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 9.—In a canvass of the House just made by Representative O'Neill of Pennsylvania he says he found that but little more than one-tenth of the members are opposed to the Senate resolution for the removal of the remains of Gen. Grant from New York to Arlington. Of the thirty-six members who are opposed to the resolution only three are from States other than New York. Mr. O'Neill says that next Monday he will move to suspend the rules and pass the resolution.

**Connecticut's Governorship.**

NORWALK, Conn., Sept. 9.—Ex-United States Treasurer James W. Hyatt has consented to become a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Governor. There are rumors that Col. W. H. Stevenson, of Bridgeport, who has hitherto been the leading candidate, will now withdraw in favor of Hon. Thomas M. Waller, but this is denied by Col. Stevenson's friends. Mr. Hyatt's entrance into the field will make the contest a hot and interesting one.

**Found His Body in a Creek.**

RONDOUT, N. Y., Sept. 9.—The body of Orlando Hayes was found in Rondout Creek last evening. He had been missing from home since Friday last. It is supposed that he committed suicide while laboring under temporary insanity, caused by ill health. He is a brother of Republican State Committeeman Hayes of this district, and has been engaged in business here and at Poughkeepsie for many years.

**Rhode Island's Congressional Convention.**

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Sept. 9.—The State Committee decided to hold the Republican Congressional Convention at Providence on October 7. It is understood that ex-Governor Herbert Ladd will be the candidate for the First District, now represented by Hon. Henry J. Spooner, and that the present incumbent, Hon. W. O. Arnold, will be nominated as his own successor.

**A Wife Murderer Sentenced.**

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Sept. 9.—A motion was made for a new trial in the case of George W. Moss, who on Oct. 10, 1889, killed his wife by firing four bullets into her body, while her three children looked on in horror. Judge Rice denied the motion, and on Saturday will sentence him to be hanged.

**A Forger Arrested in Philadelphia.**

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 9.—John Markell, an employe of the Billinger & Small Car Works was arrested at the instance of the sheriff of Page County, Iowa, on the charge of forging a number of notes in Iowa six years ago. He was taken back to Iowa.

## BASEBALL BATTLES

### The Giants Badly Defeated by the Boston Team.

**WARD NOW HAS SECOND PLACE.**

**New York and Boston National League Clubs in a Royal Battle.**

**A Tie After Eleven Innings—Philadelphia Turns Apparent Defeat Into Victory—Louisville Leads the Association Clubs—Athletic Players Sue the Manager for Salaries—How the Clubs Stand.**

BROOKLYN, Sept. 9.—Manager Ward really believes that his Brooklyn team will win the Players' League pennant. He said to-day that his team would be in first place at the close of the week. "I honestly believe," said he, "that we will sweep the deck this week, and I look for the Bostons and Philadelphias to down the New Yorks."

BOSTON, Sept. 9.—Ewing's Giants were given an unmerciful walloping by King Kelly's team before a large crowd of delighted Boston enthusiasts. Keefe started in to pitch, but had enough of it after the first inning, and Thunderbolt Crane was put in. Crane's curves were also batted all over the field. Ewing retired and Brown went in to catch in the third inning.

### BASEBALL GAMES.

**National League.**

AT PHILADELPHIA.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Philadelphia | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0— | 3 |
| Brooklyn | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0— | 3 |

Batteries—Vickery and Clements; Lovett and Daly.

AT NEW YORK.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| New York | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0— 6 |
| Boston | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0— 6 |

Batteries—Sharott and Clarke; Nichols and Hardie.

Game called on account of darkness.

AT CHICAGO.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Chicago | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0— | 7 |
| Pittsburg | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0— | 3 |

Batteries—Luby and Kittridge; Anderson and Decker.

POSTPONED.

At Cincinnati—Rain prevented the Cincinnati and Cleveland teams from playing here.

**Players' League.**

AT BROOKLYN.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Brooklyn | 2 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0— | 7 |
| Philadelphia | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 1— | 5 |

Batteries—Sowders and Dalley; Husted and Cross.

AT BOSTON.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Boston | 5 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 5 | 1 | 0 | 1— | 18 |
| New York | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 2 | 1— | 6 |

Batteries—Keefe, Crane and Ewing; Radbourne and Kelly.

AT PITTSBURG.

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| Pittsburg | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1— | 8 |
| Cleveland | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0— | 4 |

Batteries—Morris and Quinn; Gruber and Stein.

AT BUFFALO.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Buffalo | 1 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0— | 5 |
| Chicago | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 5 | 2 | 0 | 0— | 9 |

Batteries—Cunningham and Mack; Baldwin and Darling.

**American Association.**

AT PHILADELPHIA.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Athletic | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0— | 2 |
| Toledo | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0— | 5 |

Batteries—Green and Baldwin; Healy and Walsh.

AT SYRACUSE.

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|---|---|---|---|---|
| Syracuse | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0— |
| Columbus | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0— |

Batteries—Casey and Pitts; Knauss and Doyle.

Game called on account of rain.

AT BALTIMORE.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Baltimore | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | x— | 3 |
| Louisville | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0— | 1 |

Batteries—Morrison and Townsend; Stratton and Bligh.

AT ROCHESTER.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Rochester | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0— | 1 |
| St. Louis | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0— | 3 |

Batteries—Callahan and Grimm; Stivetts and Munyan.

**Atlantic Association.**

AT HARRISBURG.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Harrisburg | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 4— | 9 |
| Newark | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 5 | 3 | x— | 10 |

Batteries—Eagan and Jennings; Serad and Murphy.

AT NEW HAVEN.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| New Haven | 0 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1— | 9 |
| Lebanon | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0— | 1 |

Batteries—Gilliland and Hofford; Smith, Swift and McCaffrey.

**Attendance at League Games.**

| | Players | League |
|---|---|---|
| New York | ..... | 1,063 |
| Brooklyn | 1,100 | ..... |
| Chicago | ..... | 953 |
| Pittsburg | 982 | ..... |
| Boston | 5,877 | ..... |
| Philadelphia | ..... | 2,389 |
| Buffalo | 1,517 | ..... |
| Totals | 9,476 | 4,405 |

**Standing of the Clubs.**

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

| Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'ct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Brookl'n .77 | 39 | .664 | Chicago | 67 | 48 | .583 |
| Boston | 72 | 43 | .626 | N. York | 55 | 62 | .470 |
| Philadel. | 69 | 47 | .595 | Clev'l'nd | 31 | 77 | .287 |
| Cincin'ti | 65 | 46 | .586 | Pitts'b'rg | 30 | 84 | .278 |

PLAYERS' LEAGUE.

| Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'ct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Boston | 71 | 42 | .628 | Philadel. | 61 | 55 | .526 |
| N. York | 68 | 47 | .591 | Pitts'b'rg | 49 | 60 | .450 |
| Brookl'n | 70 | 48 | .593 | Clev'l'nd | 44 | 67 | .396 |
| Chicago | 62 | 55 | .530 | Buffalo | 30 | 81 | .270 |

**Senator Farwell Very Low.**

WAUKESHA, Wis., Sept. 9.—Senator Farwell of Illinois is dangerously ill at the Fountain House. The physician in charge, as well as the family and most intimate friends, despair of his ultimate recovery.

**Senator Frye's Amendment Rejected.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 9.—Mr. Frye's amendment, giving a bounty on all sugar made from molasses, was rejected without a division.

### THE PRESIDENT AT CRESSON.

**He Enjoys a Quiet Drive and Afterwards Receives the Returns from Maine.**

CRESSON SPRINGS, Pa., Sept. 9.—President Harrison, accompanied by ex-Congressman and Mrs. Ward of Chester, enjoyed a pleasant drive to Loretto.

During the stay at Loretto the President was taken in charge by Father Ryan and shown about the premises. He was invited to go through the convent, but not desiring to delay, deferred that pleasure until a later visit. On the return trip Mr. Ward drove through Gallitzen, where a crowd of urchins recognized the President and greeted him with, "Ah, there, Harrison!" The President acknowledged the salute by raising his hat. The urchins followed the carriage, hurrahing for President Harrison and the Republican party.

Early last evening a very elaborate and costly tea was given in honor of the President and his family by Hon. B. F. Jones. The Harrisons and Halfords attended en masse and had a royal good time. It is the first reunion since the arrival of the President in which gentlemen have participated. The decorations were very elaborate.

Last night President Harrison received the election returns from Maine, arrangements having been made during the day with the special representatives of the United and Associated press to have their bulletin services extended to this point.

Both President Harrison and Secretary Halford express themselves as feeling much improved since their arrival here and both show that the pure bracing air has begun to have its effect upon them. The latter part of this week will be given up to short excursions to points of interest in this section. Mr. George E. Boyd has made arrangements to show the Executive all there is to be seen here and it is likely that Johnstown and Rhododendron Parks will be among the places visited.

### LEAF TOBACCO MEN MEET.

**Importers Opposed to the McKinley Bill and a Protest Made.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 9.—Pursuant to a call issued by the Leaf Tobacco Board of Trade several days ago for a meeting of leaf tobacco importers to take action on the McKinley bill, a meeting was held.

There was a very large attendance, including representatives of all the leading houses in the trade. The chairman, Garson Mayer, president of the board, explained that if the McKinley bill was passed in the present shape it would result in disaster to the trade, force the withdrawal from circulation of many millions of dollars and possibly cause a panic in financial circles. It would be impossible to get the merchandise out of bond within the time proposed by the bill.

A resolution protesting against the passage of the bill in its present form was unanimously passed.

### A TEST STRUGGLE.

**A Strike at Southampton that Is Leading to Disorderly Acts.**

LONDON, Sept. 9.—The strike of dock laborers, coal handlers and sailors at Southampton is likely to develop into a test struggle between the unions and the employers.

Business at the docks is wholly suspended, the company having been unable as yet to bring a working force of non-union men through the very effective lines of pickets which the union men are maintaining.

A number of non-union men who came in on railway trains during the day were assaulted by the strikers after the peaceable methods of persuasion had failed to turn them back. These disorderly acts grew so frequent that the authorities sent to London for assistance, and a detachment of Metropolitan police were sent on by train to assist in preserving the peace and protecting such non-union men as could be induced to go to work.

**High Jumping Record Beaten.**

ELMIRA, N. Y., Sept. 9.—The record for high jump was beaten by the horse Roseberry, owned by Morehouse and Pepper, of Toronto, Canada. The record was broken at the Interstate fair. The jump, which was carefully judged, was 7 feet and ¼ of an inch. Consolation won the 2-year-old race in straight heats. Best time, 2:35¼. The 2:30 stake race, purse $3,000, was won by Ripple. Best time, 2:25. Robinson D. won in the three-minute class. Best time, 2:29.

**Looking for Foreign Trade.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 9.—A meeting of members of the Produce Exchange was held to express the views of the Exchange on the question of reciprocity. A resolution was adopted to the effect that "the New York Produce Exchange as a body solicit Congress to take such steps of legislation or diplomatic negotiation as will insure the enlargement of foreign markets to American products." The resolution was telegraphed to Senators Evarts and Hiscock.

**Athletic Players Sue for Salaries.**

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 9.—Seward, Robinson and Shafer of the Athletic Baseball Club instituted legal proceedings against the management looking to the recovery of salaries for the month of August. It is said that none of the players have received any salary for the month of August and that the club is behind to some of them on account of June salaries. The other players will probably bring suit later in the week.

**The Late John Boyle O'Reilly's Will.**

BOSTON, Sept. 9.—The will of the late John Boyle O'Reilly was admitted to probate, and Mr. James S. Murphy, brother of the widow, has been empowered by the court to act as guardian of the children and will also be deputied by the widow to attend to the details which pertain to her in her capacity of sole executrix.

## SECRET PRISONERS

### Four Strikers Under Arrest for the Central Wreck.

**THE KNIGHTS TO TAKE ACTION.**

**They Claim that Pinkerton is Trying to Force a Confession.**

**They Will Ask the Courts to Give the Men a Chance to be Heard—Another Attempt to Wreck a Passenger Train. The Man Who Gave Warning Fired Upon.**

ALBANY, N. Y., Sept. 9.—With four suspects in custody, the Central Hudson road and its agents are straining every nerve to ferret out the wreckers of the Montreal express, which was hurled down an embankment near Castleton last Thursday night. The second pair arrested are John Kiernan, a freight brakeman, living at No. 396 Second street in this city, and John Cordial, a freight conductor, living at No. 58 5 Livingstone avenue. Kiernan is now confined in the Rensselaer County Jail at Troy, and Cordial has gone to join Reed and Miller in some mysterious hiding place of the company, supposed to be Superintendent Bissell's office.

The fact that the four men are Knights of Labor and former employes, who went out when the strike was ordered, has caused considerable excitement. The strikers appreciate this fact and that it will have a tendency to injure them in the public mind. They complain bitterly that if individual strikers are guilty the great majority should not be held to blame.

District Master Workman Lee said he did not believe that John Kiernan was implicated in the wreck. Mr. Lee told him of it about 11 o'clock Thursday night. Kiernan and his wife passed on their way home, stopping for a moment to chat with Mrs. Lee. This may prove an alibi for Kiernan.

The Knights of Labor propose, through counsel, to exert the power of habeas corpus on the Central Railroad authorities in favor of giving the four men a chance to be heard. It is thought that some means will be adopted to force a confession out of the men, or some of them, and that Pinkerton is working on them secretly for that end.

### WRECKERS FOILED.

**Another Attempt to Ditch a New York Central Train.**

ALBANY, N. Y., Sept. 9.—The 6 o'clock train out of New York, due here at 9:50 last night was thirty minutes late, and as this train is usually on time it looked suspicious. It is intimated that a blockade intended to wreck the train was discovered by a track walker at New Hamburg, and the train was flagged just in time to prevent a serious accident.

A railroad employe who was on the train, says that two men out rowing on the river near that point saw some men busy on the tracks and waiting until they disappeared they crawled quietly up. They found a steel rail wedged in the cattle guard in the same way as at Albany and braced up in the same way by pieces of flange iron. With all their strength they could not move it and started down the track to warn the Chicago Limited express.

They found a trackman, and he, swinging his red lantern, started to stop the train. In an instant several shots rang out and one took effect in the trackman's shoulder. However, the train was stopped about 100 yards south of the obstruction. According to the description of the barricade, it was of the same build as the one near Albany on Thursday night.

### WRECKS ON THE RAIL.

**A Bad Collision at Lockport, N. Y., and a Crash on the Baltimore & Ohio.**

LOCKPORT, N. Y., Sept. 9.—Passenger trains 19 and 20 on the Central road collided near this city at 4:10 a. m. Baggageman Fiddler of New York was killed. Engineer Bradley and Fireman Houston, both of Syracuse, were badly hurt, Bradley's leg being broken. No passengers were hurt.

TROY, N. Y., Sept. 9.—A green switchman, who took the place of a striker at the State street crossing of the Central road, threw a switch before the rear truck of an Albany local had passed. The end of the car was carried over against a locomotive standing on the other track and was partially turned over against the stone wall at the north end of the Congress street tunnel. Of the 12 passengers in the car at the time all escaped but one, E. J. Bliss of Boston, who was cut on the face and head by broken glass, and his elbow and hand gashed. His injuries are only slight.

WHEELING, W. Va., Sept. 9.—Two fast freights collided at the entrance to Tree Tunnel on the Baltimore & Ohio railroad early in the morning and ten cars were wrecked and burned up. It is known that engineers Charles Lickberry and Dominick Kelley, together with both firemen, whose names are not known, were killed. The body of an unknown man has also been found in the wreck. Several other trainmen received serious but not fatal injuries.

**A Boy Fatally Hurt.**

SOUTH BETHLEHEM, Pa., Sept. 9.—Edward Spillar, 14 years old, of Newark, N. J., was found lying on the Lehigh Valley Railroad three miles from here last night. One leg was cut off. He said he fell when trying to get on a coal train. He is at the hospital and will die. Other boys were with him, but ran away.

### HONORS TO A PATRIOT.

**Governor Hill Presides at the John Boyle O'Reilly Memorial Meeting.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 9.—The immense auditorium of the Metropolitan Opera House was crowded last night on the occasion of the memorial meeting of the citizens of New York in honor of John Boyle O'Reilly, the poet, soldier and patriot. There were 4,500 persons present, including a large number of New York's best citizens.

On the right of the chairman's desk stood a life-size marble bust of the dead patriot hung with wreaths of ivy. Cappa's Seventh Regiment band furnished the music.

The exercises began with an overture by the band, followed by the air "The Exile of Erin." A few minutes later the strains of "The Harp that Once Through Tara's Halls" were heard outside the building and in an instant afterward 300 members of the 69th Regiment, led by Col. Cavanagh, marched in escorting Governor Hill. The band played "Hail to the Chief" as the Governor and his escort took seats on the stage.

After the guests were seated Judge Browne called the meeting to order, stated its object and introduced as chairman Governor David B. Hill.

The Governor in a brief speech laid beautiful garland after beautiful garland upon the tomb of one who is mourned. Then Edward O'Mahony sang that grand song by Professor Ingram of Trinity College, Dublin, "The Memory of the Dead."

Cappa's Band played "The Wearing of the Green" in a weird way that made a pin fall heard, and then Judge James Fitzgerald delivered the panegyric, a magnificent oratorical effort. Gov. Abbett of New Jersey was equally powerful and pathetic over the dead hero, but no more graceful, no grander tribute was paid to the memory of John Boyle O'Reilly than the poem by Joseph I. C. Clarke, who read it to a thrilled audience.

When the band had played "The Lost Chord," the secretary, James J. Clancy, read letters of apology from the President, who expressed his sincere regret that extreme pressure of business alone kept him from being present to do honor to the memory of the Irish patriot; from the Secretary of War, from the Secretary of the Navy, and from Senators Everett, Hiscock, Fassett and others.

### NEWS OF THE DAY.

Several hundred dockmen at the South Docks, Liverpool, have gone on strike.

Isaac P. Christiancy, the ex-Minister to Peru, died last night at Lansing, Mich.

Josiah Perry has been appointed an Assistant District Attorney at New York.

Edgar Allen of Virginia was appointed special agent of the Department of Justice.

The leading merchants of Dublin are considering the formation of a union against striking employes.

Judge Larremore of the Court of Common Pleas, New York, has resigned on account of ill health.

The Fifteenth Democratic Congressional District convention of New York State is called for October 2 at Middletown.

Democratic Senators united with Republicans in voting to admit duty free only the unrefinable sugars and increasing the duty above those grades.

Charles Rockwell, general freight agent of the Consolidated Railroad, died at Southport, Conn., of a complication of diseases. He was 70 years old.

The New York city Customs officials have made a seizure of diamond jewelry from W. H. Medhurst, a young Englishman. The diamonds aggregate nearly $10,000 in value.

Joseph Welch of Quincy, Mass., the foreman of the Old Colony road, will be tried at the December term of the criminal court. The charge is that he did feloniously kill and slay Mary E. Fenley at Quincy on Tuesday, August 19, 1890. His bail has been increased to $3,000.

Cardinal Manning of London has written a letter to the Social Science Congress now being held at Liege, Belgium, urging the necessity of eight hours as a working day for miners; that no women be employed in mines; that the observance be enforced and also advocating a sliding scale of wages.

**Weather Indications.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 9.—For New England: Light rain, preceded by fair weather; slightly cooler; variable winds, becoming northwesterly.

For Eastern New York, Eastern Pennsylvania, New Jersey and Delaware: Showers, preceded by fair in southern portion of New York and New Jersey, cooler; variable winds, becoming northwesterly.

For Western New York and Western Pennsylvania: Rain; cooler, followed by rising temperature in extreme western portions; warmer to-morrow; northerly winds, becoming variable.

### NEW YORK MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Sept. 8.—Money on call to-day, 5 and 9 per cent.

BONDS.

| | Closing Saturday. | Closing To-day. |
|---|---|---|
| 4½s, 1891 Reg | 104¼ | 104¼ |
| 4½s, 1891 Coup | 104¼ | 104¼ |
| 4 s, 1907 Reg | 125½ | 125½ |
| 4 s, 1907 Coup | 125½ | 125½ |

STOCK MARKET.

| | Closing Saturday. | Closing To-day. |
|---|---|---|
| Canadian Pacific | — | 82½ |
| Central Pacific | 32 | — |
| Chicago, Bur. & Quincy | 99¾ | 99¾ |
| Delaware & Hudson | 134 | 135½ |
| Del. Lack. & Western | 143¼ | 144 |
| Erie | 20 | 20¾ |
| Erie pref | — | 61 |
| Lake Shore | 108 | 107¾ |
| Louis. & Nash | 88 | 87 |
| Michigan Central | 90 | 85 |
| Missouri Pacific | 71 | 69¾ |
| New Jersey Central | — | 120¼ |
| Northwestern | 109¾ | 109¾ |
| Oregon Navigation | — | — |
| Pacific Mail | 44¾ | 44¾ |
| Reading | 46¾ | 47 |
| Rock Island | 84¾ | 83 |
| St. Paul | 71¼ | 70 |

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## BY THE WAY.

—The fourth conference of christian young men will be held at the Y. M. C. A. rooms this evening at 8 o'clock. All are invited.

—It is rumored in Fanwood that the much desired post office will be established at Baker & Mead's new store, with Mr. Mead as Postmaster.

—THE PRESS homing pigeon service will bring reports of each inning of to-morrow's game, to this office where a bulletin will be displayed.

—A party of delegates from Washingtonville and North Plainfield left town today to attend the Somerset County Sunday School Convention at Somerville.

—Full reports for which there is no space today, will appear in to-morrow's issue, concerning the W. C. T. U., which held its annual meeting last evening, and its yearly election of officers this afternoon.

—Knowing by experience that generous advertising brings generous returns, and appreciating the value of THE PRESS as an advertising medium, the United Tea and Coffee Growers' Association today increase the size of their space in these columns and publish a large and interesting announcement.

—Gershom Frazee stuck his hand out of the smoking-car window of the 4:30 express from New York, yesterday, to brush the ashes off his cigar against the telegraph poles that were flying by. The experiment was an entire success; although not only the ashes, but the cigar and almost his whole hand were knocked off.

—The Board of School Trustees held a regular meeting last evening, for the transaction of general business and the payment of bills. There were present: Messrs Kirkner, Murray, Probasco and Hurlbut, Principal Bulkley and the new senior class teacher, Mr. Hunt. An agreeable showing for Irving school was reported, inasmuch as it had opened with an attendance of 184 which is an increase of last year's roll.

—The Pond Machine Tool Co's employes have been notified that their hours of labor will be 60 hours per week on and after September 29. The nooning will be 45 minutes, and the works will close on Saturdays at 4:30 P. M. The majority of the workmen are dissatisfied at this new arrangement, and a petition is being numerously signed that the present half-holiday on Saturdays be continued, and the present arrangement of working hours remain as it is.

—The "Parlor Match" as presented for the first time this year in Music Hall, last evening, is as funny as ever, which is saying much for it; but besides that the singing is better, and that is saying even more. A more pleasing chorus is not to be found with any skit company on the boards today. The Levey sisters, however, were very disappointing. Their popularity abroad must have been gained outside of the many communities who see better in their cheaper concert halls. They can't dance a bit, and they can sing but little.

### He Lost a Little Piece, While His Father Lost It All.

Dewitt Frazee got the fingers of his left hand in the cog-wheels of the reel on the hose carriage when the hose was being laid for last night's fire. The result was that the end of one finger had to be amputated, but the other fingers although much mashed, may be saved.

His father, Gus Frazee, many years ago, lost a whole finger of his right hand upon a like occasion. He was running to a fire when he stumbled and fell just under Tier's dam. His entire weight came on one finger which was rigid, and pointed towards the ground. The bones were so crushed that the finger had to be cut off.

### A Gala Night for the Crescent Knights.

At a regular drill of Crescent Division, Uniform Rank, Knights of Pythias, held in their armory last evening, Lieut., Col. George H. Polhemus presented to the Division a handsome gavel. Captain John H. Carney, in a few well chosen remarks, received the gift in behalf of the Division. Col. Polhemus for Goodwill Lodge of Scotch Plains, presented an organ, an altar and a desk. The Captain also received these gifts in his eloquent way. It was a gala night for the Crescent Knights. Lieut. Flannery entertained those present by singing some of his latest selections.

## PILLAGED HIS TENANT'S HOUSE.

### A Grass Widower Landlord Abuses His Wife and Insults Her Friends.

Isaac Jones, a colored coachman, carried his silk hat into the City Court room, this morning, swore out a complaint against his landlord, James O'Neill, also colored, and asked for his immediate arrest. Isaac said—and a "ladifren" corroborated him—that O'Neill had been "raisin' a muss" ever since last Friday. O'Neill and his wife had apartments in the house Jones rented of him. Last week Mr. and Mrs. O'Neill had a quarrel, and Mrs. O'Neill moved her dishes and clothing and other "things" into the rooms of the sympathetic Joneses, till she could find a new home for herself apart from her husband. Every day since the rumpus with his wife O'Neill has raised a row with the Joneses, and this morning he went into the room where "Lucretia," Mrs. Jones, lay ill, bellowed abusive names at her, hurled forth anathemas at every female in the house, and proceeded to smash such of his wife's belongings as he could find. When Isaac went to seek Judge Codington, O'Neill was still talking "wretched" to Lucretia and the rest of the women folks, heaping insult after insult upon them, and the work of pillaging his wife's goods was in full blast. He will have a hearing at an early date.

## GREEN HAY BURNS A BARN.

### Another Midnight Blaze Due to Spontaneous Combustion.

The barn used by Austin Sturtevant and Charles A. Sturtevant, situated on Orchard place, near Liberty street, was burned at about one o'clock this morning. The fire was said to have been incendiary, but it transpires that the mow was packed with green hay which was moist enough to heat itself into a blaze, and the cause of the fire is therefore attributed to spontaneous combustion. The entire upper part of the barn was a blaze, and the flames were bursting through the slate roof, before the horses could be rescued from the stables below, and the wagons and harnesses saved. The fire department did good work, but nothing but the charred shell of the structure remains. Austin Sturtevant's house was somewhat blistered, in spite of liberal applications of water. The Sturtevants lose about $500, partially insured.

## PARTICULAR MENTION.

Mrs. L. Prescott, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Mary L. Force, are visiting friends at Greenpoint, L. I.

Miss May Sheppard of Manning avenue, has returned from a visit among friends in Hunterdon and Morris counties.

James C. Pope, who has been confined to his bed with severe illness for some days past, is not getting better yet.

THE PRESS is indebted to Congressman J. A. Geissenhainer for a copy of the report of the Secretary of Agriculture for the year 1889.

Mr. and Mrs. Edsall, and their son, J. Linn Edsall, started this morning for a two weeks' carriage-drive through Northern New Jersey.

Howard Fleming was seized with a severe chill, today, on the train coming from New York. Kind friends assisted him to a carriage in which he was taken to his home on Park avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Taylor, of Rock View avenue, Washington Park, are enjoying a visit from Mr. Taylor's brother, Laurie, of Mt. Vernon, Ohio, and Mrs. Granville Brown, a sister of Mr. Taylor, from Marion, Ill.

A letter to Senator McPherson from the pension commissioner at Washington, says that another of the claims the Senator has called up—that of Wm. Addis of this city—has been allowed. Senator McPherson knows no politics when the rights and rewards of old soldiers are in question.

### Swore to Tell the Truth, and Then "Forgot" It.

Mrs. Eppinger, who sells candy and cigars on Cottage place, had Harry Gardner arrested last night and charged him with calling her improper names and striking her with his fists because she ordered him out of her place. This morning she "had forgotten" everything that occurred, and to all Judge Codington's questions responded that she "didn't know," though she had told Captain Grant the whole story only an hour before. Gardner, however, had already admitted that he had been intoxicated and had misbehaved, and after censuring Mrs. Eppinger for her sudden loss of memory the Court fined the young man $10, which was promptly paid by a friend.

### A Quarter-Century of Wedded Bliss.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Martin, of Warrenville, celebrated their silver wedding Thursday, and entertained a large number of friends at an evening reception. Among the guests from a distance were Mr. and Mrs. John Bacon and Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Bacon of Westfield, and Miss Emma Hopper of Long Island City. The merriment was sustained till four o'clock in the morning. Many handsome gifts were presented.

### Plainfielders on the Petit Jury List.

The Plainfielders drawn by Sheriff Glasby this morning on the panel of petit jurors were Abram Angleman, John C. Meeker, Lewis C. Dunn, Orlando E. Chamberlin and Eugene M. Laine. Jail Warden Charles W. Dodd also was drawn, but the Court excused him from serving.

## THE "WHITE CAP" MAN IN JAIL.

### A Long Suffering But Still Loving Wife Tells a Painful Story.

Edward C. Wilson, who received, last month, a warning, from the "White Caps," was a prisoner in the City Court this morning, accused by his wife of neglecting and abusing her. Mrs. Wilson said she didn't want to have any harm done her husband; she merely desired that he be compelled to keep sober and cease maltreating her. She would like very much to have him go back to his work in Connecticut, but still if he wouldn't work he was welcome to stay in her home so long as he behaved himself. She didn't ask him to support her, she had hands and worked herself, and had a son to help her.

Edward had been all right, she continued, for a whole year, during which he hadn't drunk a drop, but a year ago he was led astray, and another had been his ruin. During the past week he had abused her continually, both by outrageous insults of tongue, and by blows and kicks. Last night he had again applied the vilest of epithets to her, and would have beaten her, but she escaped.

Mrs. Wilson was reticent about testifying, and wanted her husband released on the promise that he would reform, but Wilson in open court applied such an insulting and cowardly insinuation against his wife that Judge Codington felt no disposition to be merciful to him.

When the option of a $10 fine or ten days' imprisonment was announced Mrs. Wilson illustrated anew the story of woman's ready forgiveness for long suffering, and offered to scrimp and save each week one dollar of her own hard earnings, till she was able to pay the fine and let her husband go unpunished. The Court, however, protested against her suffering farther for the man's misdeeds, and she sighed while Edward was led away.

The letter which Wilson received, in August, signed "White Caps, No. 9, first warning," accused him of scandalous neglect of his wife and threatened him with bodily injury.

### He Likes to Laze Around and Watch the Beggars Work.

A clerk in a down-town broker's office in New York, well known among Plainfield commuters, is enjoying a unique vacation. It is the first one he has had for about twelve years. He says he is having enough fun now to last him twelve years more. Before his vacation began his friends in the office asked him where he was going. He declined to answer. When he was free he didn't hurry away to Saratoga or to Long Branch or to the mountains. He staid at his home one day. The next morning he went to the city and sauntered to his office. He sat down in an easy chair, pushed his hat back on his head, and placed his feet on a desk. There he sat for several hours. He refused to explain his conduct until just before he left. Then he said to the clerks:

"I suppose you think I'm an idiot? I'm not. For twelve long years I've been looking forward to this. I like to sit here and watch you beggars work. I'm gloating over you. It does me more good than a trip on a steam yacht." Every day since then, except Sunday, he has done the same thing. Sometimes he slumbers. He says he dreams that he is at work. The joy, he declares, of waking up and finding that he isn't is unequaled. He revels in a gigantic jag of joy.

### Have Beaten Every Club They Have Played Against.

Below is the result of games won and lost by the Crescent League's team this season. Out of 25 games played the home team lost but 4, of which 2 were in April before the present nine was organized. Since then the Crescents have defeated the same teams with ease:

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| April 12 | —Star Athletics, of Newark | 3—4 |
| " 19 | —Acmes, of New York | 2—7 |
| " 30 | —Columbia College, of New York | 13—1 |
| May 3 | —Silentias, of New York | 18—0 |
| " 10 | —Rutgers College, of New Bru'w'k | 7—3 |
| " 17 | —Lees, of Brooklyn | 12—3 |
| " 24 | —Vernons, " | 10—1 |
| " 30 | —Flushings, of Long Island | 4—2 |
| " 30 | —Monroes, of New York | 14—3 |
| " 31 | —Unions, of New Brunswick | 9—0 |
| June 7 | —Acmes, of New York | 3—0 |
| " 14 | —Hackett-Carharts, of New York | 2—1 |
| " 28 | —Trentons, of Trenton | 6—7 |
| July 4 | —Flushings, of Long Island | 10—2 |
| " 4 | —Greenpoints, of Long Island | 4—3 |
| " 5 | —Hackett-Carharts, of New York | 9—0 |
| " 12 | —Acmes, of New York | 10—9 |
| " 19 | —Allertons, of New York | 12—3 |
| Aug. 2 | —Ridgewoods, of Brooklyn | 3—8 |
| " 9 | —Gothams, of New York | 8—3 |
| " 16 | —Star Athletics, of Newark | 2—0 |
| " 23 | —Metropolitians | 6—4 |
| " 30 | —Cuban Giants | 2—0 |
| Sep. 1 | —Alerts, of Elizabeth | 14—2 |
| " 1 | —Ridgewoods | 4—3 |
| Total runs | | 188—69 |

### Arranging for the Bi. Club Tournament.

The Plainfield Bicycle Club at last night's meeting appointed a committee to arrange for their annual Fall tournament in The Crescent. The committee consists of E. L. Walz, Jr., A. L. C. Marsh, D. H. Lenox, R. F. Murray and F. L. C. Martin. Capt. Martin is chairman.

—In drawing jurors at Elizabeth, this morning, the following were chosen: Fanwood—Hezekiah Hand and Orman Noble. Westfield—James Holmes and Wm. Schoonover. The city of Elizabeth furnishes one-half of the panel.

As the warm weather continues the natural cravings of humanity call for something cooling to drink. Hires' Root Beer is sparkling, and a most delicious article. Every family should have it in their house. A 25 cent package will enable any one to make five gallons. Ask your druggist or storekeeper for it.

## ROAD CROSSING ACCIDENT.

### A Driver Severely Hurt and One of His Horses Killed.

Joseph Holland, a teamster, formerly employed in the mills of Wm. Bloodgood, of this city, met with a serious accident on Saturday afternoon about four o'clock while crossing the Lehigh Valley tracks near the residence of Albert Winans, at Cranford. Holland was driving a team of horses, and did not notice the approach of a freight train until he was upon the crossing. The locomotive hit his team. One horse was instantly killed, and the other very badly injured. The crash threw Holland out of his wagon, and he was severely hurt. Medical aid was summoned and the unfortunate man was conveyed to his home.

### New Market Y. P. S. C. E. Anniversary.

The anniversary of the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor, was held in the New Market Baptist church, last evening. There was a large attendance present including a delegation from Warren Mission of North Plainfield. The following programme was thoroughly enjoyed by all:

Organ Voluntary.
Scripture reading.....Rev. H. R. Goodchild, of Roselle.
Invocation.....Rev. L. O. Grenelle, of Elizabeth
Anthem.....Choir
Address of welcome..Rev. J. A. Cubberley, pastor
Secretary's report.
Singing.....Y. P. S. C. E.
Address.....Rev. J. K. Folwell, of Westfield
Address.....Rev. H. R. Goodchild
Reading—The Leper.....Mrs. E. H. Graves
Anthem.....Choir
Remarks..Rev. L. E. Livermore, of New Market
Remarks.....Rev. L. O. Grenelle
Parting Hymn—"God be with you till we meet again"

### The Crescents Can't Compare With Them.

Westfield circulars in advertising tomorrow's game, say: "By way of comparison:—The Crescents beat the Acmes 10 to 9; the Westfields beat the Acmes 13 to 6; the Crescents beat the Alerts 14 to 2; the Westfields beat the Alerts 17 to 3. In the latter games the Crescents hit Mills for 13 hits; the Westfields hit Mills for 20 hits. Both Crescents and Westfields played close games, (2 to 0), with the Star-Athletics of Newark. Both teams will be represented by the strongest players and the game will be a close, hard fight."

### A Lark That May Mean Horse Thief Imprisonment.

Wm. C. Kelly, of Oak Tree, drove to South Plainfield, yesterday, to order his Winter supply of fuel. While he was dickering with the village coal baron two skylarking young men, boisterously intoxicated, took possession of his horse and buggy and drove to Plainfield. After a spin through Front street they tied the horse to a tree on Leland avenue, where the animal was found this morning. The two young men have vanished. They are known to the police only as "Thomson and pal."

### Another Fake.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE PRESS:—I wish to contradict the article published in the *news* of last evening relating to the accident at the clam-bake on the 7th inst. The boat in which we were rowing was not capsized, but was so old that it filled with water, going down with all on board. I being able to swim reached the shore without assistance and did not call for help as stated.

CHAS. SCHANZ.

### The Fire Fiend in Bound Brook.

A barn belonging to the Ball estate on Malden lane was burned at Bound Brook last night. Two horses belonging to Dr. Davis lost their lives. The origin of the fire is unknown, but is attributed to incendiaries.

### Inventions of the 19th Century.

The steamboat, the reaper, the sewing machine,
Cars running by night and by day,
Houses lighted by gas and heated by steam,
And bright electricity's ray.
The telegraph's click speeds like lightning released.
Then the telephone comes to excel it;
And, to put on the finish, the last, but not least,
Is the famed little Purgative Pellet.
Last, but not least, is Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Purgative Pellet, because it relieves human suffering, adds to the sum of human comfort, and enables the relieved sufferer to enjoy all the blessings and luxuries of the age we live in.


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WINCHENDON, MASS., Feb. 19, 1890.
*F. E. C. Medicine Co.:*
I had been afflicted for a long time with a severe kidney trouble. I was so bad I was unable to work more than three months in the year. Had used a good

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many medicines but failed to get any relief. At last, about two years ago, I commenced using the F. E. C. Kidney, Blood and Liver Remedy. From the first

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it commenced to help me, and with the use of three bottles I *was cured* and am now well and able to do the heaviest kind of work. My business is moving pianos

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and heavy boxes. To any one suffering with Kidney trouble, I say, by all means try the F.E.C. Remedy. LORING GALE.

The F. E. C. Remedy is taking the lead of all others, wherever introduced. It is the only remedy for *Sour Blood*. Send for circulars. All druggists; $1 per bottle; six for $5.

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Dr. Comfort's little "Compills" are a sure preventative. Do you have dizzy spells or a feeling of numbness, or want of circulation? Do not delay; get "Compills." They are made from roots and herbs. If not kept by your druggist, send 25 cents to the F. E. C. Medicine Co., Rochester, N. Y., and the "Compills" will be sent by mail.

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YARD—Madison Avenue, opp. Electric Light Station. 19-



EXCURSION
OF THE
PLAINFIELD REFORM CLUB
TO
MAUCH CHUNK,
Glen Onoko and the Switch Back, by special train, on
Wednesday, September 10, '90.
Arriving at Mauch Chunk in time for dinner, and giving excursionists an opportunity to visit Glen Onoko and to ride over the Switch Back Railroad. Leave Plainfield, 6:25 A. M. Returning, leave Glen Onoko, 5; Mauch Chunk, 5:10; arriving home about 8 P. M.
Fare to Mauch Chunk and Glen Onoko, $1 75. The Switch Back, 50c extra. Tickets to be had from A. Vanderbeek, J. Voehl, H. M. Spencer and W. C. Smith, Executive Com., and J. W. A. Bauerschs, Financial Secretary. 9 6 3


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## WANTS AND OFFERS.

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WANTED—A very good cook and laundress. Apply at 16 Franklin place. 9 9 2

WANTED—Light business wagon in exchange for a Heavy one. Theodore Gray, 31 Webster place.

WANTED—First class Cook; (Swede preferred) immediately. Reference required. Jno. F. Wilson, Green Brook road. 9 9 3

ADVERTISEMENT EXTRA—For Sale, the control of one or more counties for the most rapid selling patent ever placed on the market, and where an investment of $100 to $300 will more than realize the above. Best of reference given and required. C. P. Titsworth, 28 North avenue. On exhibition at the Somerville Fair this week. 9 9 3

RYE GROUND, on shares, 5 to 50 acres. Wallace Vail, 39 North avenue. 9 9 2

TO LET—Store, 12x26, 4th and Washington streets, suitable for meat, grocery, laundry. E. C. Mulford.

FOR SALE—Fine red roan Horse, 7 years old, gentle and sound; 16 hands high. 27 East 9th street. 9 9 3

FURNISHED Room to Let; first class neighborhood. 101 Park avenue. 9 9 4

WANTED—Members of Carpenters' and Joiners' Union No. 155, to attend the regular meeting Tuesday evening, Sept. 9, at 8 o'clock. Business of importance. By order of the F. S. 9 8 3

WANTED—A girl for general housework, at 49 East 5th street. 9 8 2

A NEW Steinway upright piano for sale. Call 64 Madison avenue. 9 8 10-

A DRESSMAKER wishes work by the day or week; one who understands her business. Address Dressmaker, postoffice. 9 8 w

GIRL wanted for general housework, family of two. 5 First place. 9 8 2

WANTED, to Rent—Unfurnished house, for year, $400; must be in good neighborhood. Address J. H. VanDeventer, 170 Broadway, New York. 9 8 2

WANTED to supply a responsible party with Milk, wholesale, delivered. Address J., PRESS office. 9 8 2

FOR RENT—An elegant single Flat of seven rooms; every convenience; moderate rent. Apply at PRESS office. 9 8 2

FOR SALE—A Restaurant, doing a good paying business. Reason for selling, illness of proprietress. Inquire at Boston Cafe, No. 7 Somerset street. 9 6 tf

GIRL wanted to do general housework. References required. Apply No. 1 Myrtle avenue. 9 6 6

BUTTONHOLES—Mrs. C. M. Jackson has removed to 18 East 2d street, and desires employment making first-class buttonholes on ladies' and gentlemen's garments. 9 4 w

STORAGE for furniture in separate rooms. Apply to C. Frank French, 69 somerset st. 9 2 tf

A LARGE Front Room, furnished, to rent. 21 West Second street. 8 30 2w

TO LET—Part of a house. Inquire at 29 Madison avenue. 8 25 tf

WANTED—Jobbing at painting, glazing kalsomining and roof painting. Address Isaac Kennedy, 49 Chatham street, North Plainfield. tf

WANTED—Work cleaning Vaults and Cesspools. Satisfaction guaranteed. City Odor less Excavating Works, 263 Broadway. Mrs. David Jones, Proprietor. No connection with JONES & CO. 6-11-tf

OUR MOTTO—LOWEST PRICES CONSISTENT WITH GOOD QUALITY AND HONEST QUANTITY

The choicest Creamery Butter that can be produced
Apollinaris Water; pints, $1.50, quarts, $2 dozen; Belfast Ginger Ale, $1.40 dozen.
Excelsior Sugar Cured Hams are the best—15c.
The finest Java and Mocha coffee in town, and the prices are right. Won't be undersold for same quality of goods. F. M. DEWAREST.
25 PARK AVENUE.
3-6-t



WANTED!

To buy some of the bargains advertised. Parlor suites for $45, worth $85; and Bedroom suites for $60, worth $95. Also, wanted to sell, Parlor, Dining, Bedroom, Library and Office Furniture, &c., at a small margin.
Having received our New Fall Styles of Furniture, are prepared to offer them at prices reasonably low.
Some odd pieces less than cost.
Call and secure some of the low prices that are being offered by
GEO. H. FAIRCHILD.
21 and 23 E. Front Street.
Repairing and Upholstering done at short notice. 9 6 tf



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Mrs. DR. EDWARDS,

By request of her many former patrons, has returned again to Plainfield; can only remain a few weeks, from
August 26 to September 10.
Call at once, as this is positively your last chance.
Office hours from 9 A. M. to 9 P. M. Ladies 50c to $1. Gentlemen, $1.
Can be consulted at the City Hotel, Room 4, (one flight up) Plainfield, N. J. 8 27 tf



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8-11-tf



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OFFICE—39 North Avenue,
Opposite Railroad Station.
8-15 tf



LAUNDRY.

Having purchased of Henry C. Drake the business known as the
AMERICAN STEAM LAUNDRY,
24 East Front St., I desire to inform the public that I will endeavor to serve them in the best possible manner, and respectfully solicit their patronage. Goods promptly called for and delivered, upon notice by postal.
C. A. BROWN, Prop'r.
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REAL ESTATE,
AND INSURANCE, 49 NORTH AVE.
DEALER IN
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LYMAN & ANTHONY,
REAL ESTATE
AND INSURANCE AGENTS,
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3-25-y



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Real Estate and Insurance,
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3-13-y



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PAINTING,
Nos. 10 and 10 1-2 PARK AVENUE.
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Jobbing promptly attended to First-class work guaranteed. Prices reasonable. Estimates promptly furnished.
CALL AND SEE US. 5-26-y



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OFFICE—30 DUER STREET,
NORTH PLAINFIELD, N. J.
2-4-tf



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REAL ESTATE, INSURANCE. 1-2-y



BROWN & HILL,
Shaving and Hair Cutting Parlors,
[FOSTER'S HOTEL,] No. 5 North Avenue.
Special attention paid to
Children's Hair Cutting.
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J. B. KLINE & CO.,
DEALERS IN
Coal, Wood, Hay, Feed,
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TELEPHONE CALL, 38.
Yards—Corner of Front St. & Grant Ave
BRANCH OFFICE—North Ave., opposite Station.
The *BEST GRADES OF EVERYTHING* at the *MOST LIBERAL PRICES.* 9-6-t



PECK'S CORNER.
Those Who Study Economy
WILL FIND THAT
Peck's Stock
Has a Claim on Their Attention.



FRUIT JARS.
JELLY JARS.
CROCKERY, CHINA, GLASSWARE.
FINE LAMPS AND GAS FIXTURES.
GAVETT'S, 15 E. FRONT ST.
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BARGAINS!

To make room for Fall goods, we will sell the balance of our Summer stock, CHEAP!
Will mention a few of the SPECIAL BARGAINS:
GENTS' FLANNEL SHIRTS—50c shirt for 39c; 75c shirt for 55c; $1 00 shirt for 75c; $1 40 shirt for $1 15; $1 75 shirt for $1 40; $2 25 shirt for $1 85.
GENTS' HALF-HOSE—13c half-hose for 10c; 20c half-hose for 15c; 25c half-hose for 19c; 30 and 35c half-hose for 25c.
CHILDREN'S SHIRT WAISTS—25c waist for 21c; 40c waist for 32c; 50c waist for 40c; 85c waist for 69c.
GINGHAMS—10c Ginghams for 7c., and 12c Ginghams for 9c.
TOWELS—12c towels for 9c; 25c towels for 19c; 30c towels for 22c; 35c towels for 25c.
FANCY PARASOLS marked down very low. Other bargains too numerous to mention.
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GARRET Q. PACKER,
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—SELLING OUT CHEAP!—
Baby Carriages and Summer Furniture!
—Get A Bargain While Assortment is Large.—
FURNITURE, BEDDING, UPHOLSTERY.
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ROGERS' MARKET OF SEA FOOD!
42 WEST SECOND STREET.
Blue Fish, Mackeral, Porgies, Weak Fish, Sea Bass, Butter Fish, Halibut, Cod, Salmon, Lobsters, Soft Crabs, Little Neck Clams,
*ARE IN SEASON.*
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Get OVERHEATED!
DON'T Buy POOR Goods,
You can always find Good ones at
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The old reliable Dry Goods, Carpet, and Notion House. 11-13-y



First Annual Clearing Out Sale of WALL PAPER!

The purpose of which is to dispose of our entire stock and renew it exclusively with the new patterns of the coming season. 25 Points worth considering:
FIRST—Our stock is very large, carefully selected, and all this season's goods.
SECOND—The first customers will have a larger stock to select from, and will get the choicest bargains.
THIRD—Prices will be the lowest ever offered—bargains being offered daily below cost. Sale closes September 1.
A. D. VAN SCIVER, 47 NORTH AVE.,
Opposite Depot. — (Chotola Building), —Plainfield, N. J.
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E. P. THORN,
No. 17 Park Avenue, PLAINFIELD, N. J.
ALES, WINES, LIQUORS, SEGARS, Etc.,
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.
PURE WINES AND LIQUORS
FOR
FAMILY & MEDICINAL USE,
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COAL LUMBER
And
Builders Supplies
LOOMIS & RICE
49 B'DWAY

## NEWS FROM OUR NEIGHBORS.

**St. Joseph's New Church—Insults From Firemen—Bad Roads and Wheelmen—Village Improvements—The Hero of a Snake Fight in Search of a Wife.**

*(Special to THE PRESS.)*

BOUND BROOK, Sept. 9—The walls of the new St. Joseph's Roman Catholic church are completed, and the handsome new front is finished. At the top a stone cross, five feet tall, has been placed, giving a frontage height of eighty-four feet The roof-beams are being placed in position, and the work is being rapidly pushed. It has not yet been decided whether to have a bell or a statue in the belfry window, but it is probable that a statue of St Joseph will be chosen. A satisfactory bell cannot be bought for less than five hundred dollars, while a statue can be procured for about one fourth as much. A great many of the Catholics prefer the bell, and it may be that some generous-hearted citizen will present one to the church.

The towns-people are indulging in considerable talk concerning the proposed nomination of Col. C. W. Thomae on the Democratic ticket for Assemblyman. In an interview with a PRESS correspondent Col. Thomae said that some of the North Plainfield politicians had been speaking to him about the nomination, and he had told them that he would gladly accept the nomination if it were regularly made. Col. Thomae has many warm friends in Somerset county, and he would be well supported if nominated.

A number of Bound Brook people are anxious to have a fire-engine bought for the department, but it is claimed that such a purchase would be a useless expense, as the fire-hydrants give a bountiful stream under pressure enough to reach the roof of any building in town. The citizens who might afford to subscribe towards an engine will not do so, and in one way they cannot be blamed, as the firemen are constantly, it is alleged, making insulting remarks to property-holders. Only a few days ago one of our best citizens was passing through town when one of the firemen shouted at him: "You cussed old duffer, if your house ever gets a-fire we will let you and the house burn!" In consequence of such behavior the firemen are getting an unsavory reputation.

The Star Dramatic Club will produce two dramatic selections, "Border Land" and "Dutch Justice," for the benefit of the new St. Joseph's church, Tuesday evening, September 16. Manager Wicks conducted a rehearsal Saturday evening. The drama is very good, but the best part of the entertainment is the farce, in which Messrs Elder and Lair have especially funny parts.

The boys and young men who indulge in bicycle-riding on the sidewalks have been notified that hereafter they must use the streets instead of the walks. The wheelmen say the streets are not fit for bicycling, and have appealed to the Commissioners to have the ordinance changed, but to no avail. The next bicyclist caught riding on the sidewalk will have a chance to contribute ten dollars to the town treasury.

Hiram Giddis, overseer of the Windsor estate, is a hero in town because of his fight with a nest of black snakes. He had a sharp battle, and killed three dozen of the creatures, which ranged in length from six to ten feet. Hiram says his last girl jilted him because she thought him a coward, but he thinks he can get a wife now, since establishing his prowess.

Father O'Connell fired his first cannon at the liquor saloons and gambling dens Sunday, when he delivered an interesting temperance lecture.

Improvements in town are increasing: B. Billian has given his barber shop a new coat of paint, Isaac McCord is building a new house on High street, and R. F. Fennessey is the happy papa of a baby girl. R. H. McCullough, of North Plainfield has the contract for furnishing the pews in the new St. Joseph's church. A large number of bass and other fish are now caught daily along the Raritan. This is the best time of the year for fishing in these parts.

ETHEL RED JONES.

### A Republican View of It.

*(From the N. Y. Tribune.)*

The threatened war between the Democratic bosses in Union county for leadership promises to break out shortly. There was a call issued yesterday by the Democrats in Elizabethport for a meeting on Wednesday night at Kennig's Hall, to indorse the candidacy of Wm. Hicks for Sheriff. This can only be regarded as a direct slap at the aspirations of Assemblyman Fred Marsh, who wants to be a Senator, as both he and Hicks hail from Elizabeth, and Elizabeth cannot expect to monopolize the two offices and leave the rest of the county out in the cold. The supporters of Hicks say they will bolt the ticket if he is not nominated.

### Following in Plainfield's Footsteps.

The Westfield Athletic Company has filed articles of incorporation with the County Clerk of Union. The capital of the Company is $2,000. The incorporators are Albert A. Drake, George Peck and Harris W. Greene. The object of the Association is the promotion of baseball, football, lawn tennis, cricket and all other legitimate games and athletic sports. The company intends to have inclosed grounds and erect a club house.

—The first regular communication of Anchor Lodge since the beginning of Summer, will be held this evening.

## TIGHT COLLARS AND COCKTAILS.

**A Warning That Plainfield Dudes Should Take to Heart.**

An oculist in Breslau, Germany, says the Troy *Times*, has traced several cases of defective eyesight to the habit of wearing tight collars. For some time he could find no reason for the impaired vision of his patients, but at length stumbled upon the collar theory, and upon ordering larger collars for the neck found the sight restored. The explanation is simple, and the wonder is that it was not thought of before. The pressure of the tight collars prevents a proper flow of blood to and from the head and, consequently, the eyes are improperly nourished and impaired sight follows. The discovery is a valuable one for many reasons, and not the least of these is the light which it sheds upon other unexplained facts.

The impeded circulation in the head doubtless leads to the impairment of other organs than the eyes, especially the brain. If this is true the origin of the dude is no longer a mystery. The youth, ambitious to shine as the wearer of pronounced clothing, dons the highest and tightest collar obtainable. Nature has not too generously supplied him brains to begin with, and the tight-fitting collar soon causes the little he has to shrink. As the parts most in use secure the larger share of nourishment, the youth has in time only a mind for the follies and fashionable frivolities of life. In other words, he has become a genuine dude. From this it appears that nature has been bearing a burden of blame which properly should rest upon the tight collar. Give her half a chance and she will keep the feeblest brain in a fair state of preservation, but block her efforts at brain nourishment and a dude with a single eyeglass and with a cane in his mouth is the almost inevitable result.

It may be too late to remedy the condition of the confirmed dude, but something can be done for those who are in the incipient stages of dudeism. Let them be forbidden the use of tight collars, cut off their supply of absinthe cocktails and champagne suppers, give them plain, life-giving food, and set them at honest labor of some sort, and in a generation the dude will have ceased to be. Such a result is worth all the trouble it will cost. A white collar is an indispensable portion of the dress of gentlemen, and all wear them when not indulging in warm weather *neglige*. But there are collars and collars, and the man who persists in wearing one two or three sizes too small for him, runs a great risk of degenerating into a half blind dude.

### Not a Blunder in the Ballots, but the Law.

*(From the Elizabeth Journal.)*

It was declared by a Cape May paper last week that the ballots for the constitutional amendment election were all wrong, and would have to be recalled by the secretary of state. It has since been discovered that the ballots are in accordance with the law, but there is a blunder in the law. The error is so serious that it is just possible that there may be no special election after all on Sept. 30, though it is probable that the lawyers will find a way out of the tangle. One thing is at least certain, all of the 850,000 ballots prepared by the secretary of state and distributed broadcast throughout New Jersey will have to be destroyed.

County Clerk Crowell has the supply of ballots for this county, but he will not distribute them pending Attorney-General Stockton's opinion, which will be immediately given.

The second proposed amendment is all right. The error was made in preparing the first amendment, that which provides for special legislation. In drawing the law providing for the submission of the amendment to the people, the legislature mistook the clause to be amended, and the law and the ballots prepared by the secretary of state apply to the wrong clause of the constitution.

### The Poor Umpire's Fault Again.

*(From the Elizabeth Herald.)*

The Alerts, with as goodly number of friends, visited Westfield Saturday afternoon, with a determination to again give the Westfields another "licking"—but they didn't!

Why?

Well, the boys insist that the umpire was "rank;" so much so, that they are compelled to admit their demoralization. Mills was undoubtedly sadly "out of order"—and he admits it.

Many "queer" decisions were given, meriting and receiving the hoots of the large crowd in attendance.

"Our boys" must stand a little criticism for allowing themselves to be so "broken up" by the bad decisions of an umpire, however, for a good ball player will only play the harder to win under such circumstances; and, again, it is not treating their friends justly to put up a bad game just for spite. You can and should have done better!

### Nothing to Drink in Westfield, Sundays.

John Kelly was arrested at the union depot Sunday, says the Elizabeth *Journal*, by Officer Eckert. Kelly was drunk and acting in a disorderly manner. The officer alleged that it was not the prisoner's first offence, but that he makes a practice on Sundays of coming from Westfield, getting drunk and loafing about the depot. The justice imposed a fine of $2 and costs, or ten days. There are two or three other Westfielders charged with the same conduct on Sundays.

## WOULD THEY BE WORN?

**An Attempt to Prove That Artificial Gems Would Always Be Popular.**

The question is a curious one, for it involves a good deal of human nature. It is the value of a precious stone wholly dependent upon its rarity and the consequent proof it affords that its owner is possessed of wealth, or at all events, of wealth which he can afford to waste? That is a nearly universal assumption, especially with those to whom wealth is itself an offense, and it has this support at least, that many a woman who would despise pretense thinks, if she actually has the diamonds at her bankers' she may wear their copies in paste. We venture, nevertheless, to question its entire correctness.

The enormous market price of precious stones, as compared to their beauty and utility, is no doubt due to their rarity and the consequent gratification to vanity which their possession affords, but their whole value does not consist in that. The desire for them is provoked also by their inherent beauty, as of flowers gifted with an attribute of permanence and possibly also by the instinctive taste for shining things which has made dewdrops strike all races as exquisitely beautiful—colors ever paid for a dewdrop—and which so many doctors know, rises in some men and women to a well marked kind of insanity. Many kleptomaniacs can control themselves against their temptation so long as the coveted article does not glitter. No possible case of manufacture can make an eternal dewdrop other than beautiful or take away the ruby's gift of setting off flesh or dim the strange flash of the opal, so utterly unlike any thing else that nature has produced. (By the way, the reference to the opal may be a mistake, for the beauty of that jewel, being the result of nature's failure and not of her success, for she can hardly have intended those hiatuses which yield the iridescence—may lie wholly beyond even the ablest chemist's art).

The taste for jewels would be universal if only the people ever thought of them as possibly procurable, and if they sank heavily in price they would be universally worn, as, indeed, the cheaper jewels and the imitations are already. What would happen, we believe therefore, if jewels became cheap is that the rich would abandon them in their present form, which tends more and more to a costly simplicity—the stones being, as it were, bared of all other ornaments—and that whole populations would take them up, thus constituting them once more a great article of commerce. Every woman above the poorest would use the stones for ornament. It is Birmingham jewelry that would die, not the real article. The rich, moreover, would defend themselves by calling art to their aid, and we should see not only a wonderful improvement in goldsmiths' work, now often devoid of even a pretense of art feeling, but a sudden and splendid revival of the art of the gem engraver, now so nearly dead. The ruby collar of the Marchioness would be almost as costly as ever, as a triumph of design and workmanship—even socialists could hardly make the first designer in Europe use his gift with a willing heart for a pound a week—while diamonds would become with the women of the people what pearls used to be in some parts of Italy, ornaments with which it was almost indecorous, certainly quite bad form, on high occasions, to dispense.—Spectator.

## FREAKS OF KLEPTOMANIA.

**Queer Cases That Have Come Under the Observation of Specialists.**

A lady who lived in a fashionable suburb of London confined her attention strictly to keys, which she used to bury in her garden. No door or cupboard in her house was fitted with a key, and when she went out shopping she would always endeavor to edge near the door and abstract the key. She was not attracted in the least by keys unless they were in use. Her relatives used to buy up old keys, and leave them about the house, in the hope that she would satiate her passion for this curious form of the collecting mania, but they were quite unheeded. A key might lie on the drawing-room table for months without her evincing the slightest desire to bury it, but if it were brought into use, it was sure to be lying beneath a foot of mold before many hours were over. In the same way, a well-known doctor displayed an uncontrollable penchant for towels. He would as often as possible make an excuse for requiring a towel in the course of his professional duties, and would usually stuff it into the capacious tail pocket of his coat if he thought that he was unobserved. Curiously enough, this man was quite an authority upon the question of kleptomania, and used to deliver most learned discourses on the subject. Perhaps the most remarkable case of kleptomania was that of a man who refused to eat any food unless he had stolen it. This queer idea of his several times caused him to endure such protracted fasts that he was with difficulty brought round by the forcible administration of nourishment. His servants were obliged to continually watch him, with a view to keeping themselves informed regarding the amount of food that he ate. Finally, they hit upon a method of making him relieve them of their anxiety. They concealed foods of various descriptions, with the result that their master used to hunt about for it, and had no difficulty in finding sufficient to keep him in good condition.—Cassell's Saturday Journal.

—Actress—"Good heavens! I am ruined. Burglars broke into my dressing room and stole every bit of my jewelry." Manager—"Don't be alarmed. The thieves have been caught and the property recovered—nearly $20 worth of Rhine-stones." Actress—"Pshaw! Well, send someone round to the newspapers to stop the articles that were going in to-morrow. I fixed the loss at $40,000, including the bracelet given me by the Czar."—America.

—The gravedigger doesn't have to wait for the berries to get ripe. He can go burying most any time.—Boston Herald.

## ENGLAND AND HER ENVIRONS.

THE Paris dinner hour is now at eight o'clock.

The milk bill of London exceeds £50,000 daily.

FRANCE claims to have seventy-six millionaires.

THE population of Ireland decreases by over 60,000 a year.

NO FEWER than 600,000 children are insured in Great Britain every year.

HELIGOLAND has a National debt of £10. The revenue is between £8,000 and £9,000.

THE famous Physick Garden in Chelsea, England, whose preservation is now a matter of discussion, has 20,000 different herbs and plants.

THE result of a large number of observations made in England tends to show that fair hair is rapidly disappearing in the British Isles, and that this darkening of hair is more marked in males than in females.

MARSEILLES, in France, is headquarters for the sale of false hair. Twenty bales of Chinese human hair recently arrived there and Yum Yum's and Fou Fou's headgear will be manufactured into curls, frizzes and crimps for American ladies.

GERMANY has adopted a uniform standard of time for the whole Empire. The fiftieth degree of longitude east of Greenwich is near the center of the Empire, and when the sun is immediately over this meridian it is declared to be noon for the whole country.

THE accounts of a pill-maker who has just died in England show that he has been spending $200,000 a year for advertising. His heirs, however, are finding no particular fault with this extravagance, as he leaves an estate valued at $25,000,000—all due to pills and advertising.

SUPPOSING that you wished to walk through all the streets and lanes and alleys of London, and were able to arrange your trip so that you never traversed the same one twice, you would have to take ten miles every day for nine years before your journey would be completed.

THE largest saw-mill in the world is at Christiana, in Norway, and is owned by one man. It runs thirty-six gang saws. From forty to fifty ships load at one time at its docks. The same man owns two large flour mills. The lumber yard of this mill extends more than a mile.

SEVENTY-NINE persons in Great Britain pay tax on incomes exceeding £50,000 per annum. The total aggregate amount of incomes thus assessed exceeds £8,000,000 sterling. In Ireland there is only one taxpayer whose income exceeds £50,000. He is returned at the rate of £76,349, and he last year contributed to the Imperial revenues the sum of £1,908.

ENGLISH gentlemen are said to dress 50 per cent. better than they used to. Time-honored traditions of patronizing one's grandfather's tailor, or leaving one's measure with the standing order to send home so many suits and so many pairs of trousers each quarter, have given place to common sense. Young dandies who once felt obliged to get their clothes at old and aristocratic establishments now go to cheaper and more wide-awake tailors.

**FALLING SICKNESS AND ST. VITUS' DANCE.**

**Epileptic and Other Fits Cured.**

For years a cure for Epilepsy and other Fits caused by disease of the nerves has been sought. It is now conceded by physicians, druggists and the people that the long-needed remedy has been found in Dr. Greene's Nervura, which has, by curing thousands of cases, proved that it is an absolute specific for these terrible nervous complaints. It is a harmless vegetable remedy, and a sure and positive cure for all nervous diseases. All druggists keep it at $1 00 per bottle.

My son had been troubled with epilepsy, loss of appetite, and had no ambition to do anything. After trying several remedies he took Dr. Greene's Nervura, and I can truly say that *it made him a new boy.* The fits have left him, *his whole system is built up anew, and he is enjoying perfect health.* It is the best medicine I ever used, and after trying others I find it has no equal.

MR. W. SCHUM,
70 West Forty-third st., New York city.

**"Considers Dr. Greene's Nervura the Most Wonderful Remedy Ever Discovered."**

My wife, Sarah R. Dill, was paralyzed three years ago, and was in a very low condition. She had convulsions coming on at the same time every month, which were so severe that we expected that she would never come out of some of them. Since that time she was under the treatment for 18 months of a first-class physician, who became discouraged, and finally allowed her to use Dr. Greene's Nervura, which she has been taking ever since. *She has never had a convulsion or any symptoms of one since she began using this medicine;* she is gaining rapidly in health and strength, and is able to be about the house and yard and do some light work. I consider Dr. Greene's Nervura the most wonderful remedy that was ever discovered.

JOHN C. DILL,
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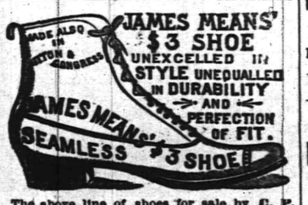

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Our thought of thee is glad with hope,
Dear country of our love and prayers;
Thy way is down no fatal slope.
But up to freer sun and airs.

Tried as by furnace fires, and yet
By God's grace only stronger made;
In future tasks before thee set
Thou shalt not lack the old-time aid.

The fathers sleep, but men remain
As true and wise and brave as they;
Why count the loss without the gain?
The best is that we have to-day.

No lack was in thy primal stock,
No weakling founders builded here;
There were the men of Plymouth Rock,
The Puritan and Cavalier;

And they whose firm endurance gained
The freedom of the souls of men,
Whose hands unstained in peace maintained
The swordless commonwealth of Penn.

And time shall be the power of all
To do the work that duty bids;
And make the people's Council Hall
As lasting as the Pyramids.

Thy lesson all the world shall learn,
The nations at thy feet shall sit;
Earth's furthest mountain tops shall burn
With watch-fires from thine own uplit.

Great, without seeking to be great
By fraud or conquest—rich in gold,
But richer in the large estate
Of virtue which thy children hold.

With peace that comes of purity,
And strength to simple justice due,
So owns our loyal dream of thee,
God of our fathers! make it true.

Oh, land of lands! to thee we give
Our love, our trust, our service free;
For thee thy sons shall nobly live,
And at thy need shall die for thee.

## TWOMBLEY'S FOLLY.

### A Turning Point in the Life of His Cousin Samanthy.

WIDOW APPLEBY, called Aunt Samanthy by her neighbors, was tidying up a room which had been furnished for a sleeping-room, and had in it also a desk, a book-case and a little row of drawers, in which fragments precious to a geologist had been carefully stored. The desk and book-case Aunt Samanthy regarded with reverence. The case she did not understand. Bits of stone, bits of ore; she emptied them all into her apron, and dumped them with other odds and ends out of the window upon a flower-bed that had not been dug up that year. Aunt Samanthy had no heart for gardening. Things had gone very wrong with her, and the death of her old boarder, a returned California miner, who had made and lost several fortunes, had put the finishing touch to her woes. His room it was that she was now putting to rights; knowing that she should never see the old white head and kindly smile again.

"I felt it more than any thing else, after losing poor Peter," she sighed, as a tear rolled down her cheek. "He was always so kind to me."

As she spoke, there came a heavy step on the porch, and, looking out of the window, she saw her cousin, Jedediah Twombley, standing there. Jedediah was a rich man, lately made richer by an inheritance from his grandfather, who had lived to be one hundred and five years old, and died leaving all to his wealthy grandson and nothing to his extremely poor granddaughter. It was natural that the thought should sting the widow as she looked at him.

"Morning!" said Jedediah. "Morning, Cousin Samanthy. I stepped up to get the shade. I feel the sun considerably, and my horse has lost a shoe, and I've sent Simon to get it fixed; thought I'd light here and see how you got on."

"I don't get on at all, Jedediah," said Samanthy. "Not as I should if Grandpa Twombley had left me suthin',

"I DON'T GET ON AT ALL, JEDEDIAH."

as I always reckoned he would; and now my poor old boarder has gone, I've got to that pass I've had to sell the cow."

"Too bad!" said Jedediah. "Well, come and get a pan of milk any time."

"Two miles there and back; thank ye!" said the widow. "Do you know if I was you, Jedediah, what I'd do? I'd say, 'Cousin Samanthy, I'm rich and you are poor. I'll give you a little slice of the big un grandpa left me.' That's your Christian duty, seein' grandpa was a hundred and five, and weak-minded when he died. He'd hev done it himself ten years ago, and you know it."

"Pshaw!" laughed Jedediah. "But you're a woman; that's your excuse for talkin' idiotic. I'm not a mean man. I'll give you five dollars down, Samanthy, and property is property; and wills is wills, and not to be broken."

"Well, I don't set up for proud, and I'm so poor that this is a good deal to me," said Samanthy, taking the money. "I reckon grandpa's spirit is around somewhere, prompting you to do right, seeing you influenced him to do wrong."

"Now, Samanthy, grandfather wasn't influenced by me! That I can tell you!" said Cousin Jedediah. "He always felt you made a mistake in stepping off with Peter. Peter was one of them folks that never prospers. 'What's the use,' grandfather used to say to me, 'of helping Samanthy, when Peter—'"

"Poor Peter is gone," said the widow, taking her handkerchief from her apron pocket. "Don't talk against him. He was jest as kind as kind could be to me."

"No doubt," said Jedediah, hurriedly, "no doubt. I didn't mean any offense. I always thought Peter quite—quite—but what was you a-doin' when I came in? house-cleanin'?"

"I was cleanin' out the spare room," said the widow. "It's been shut up quite a spell—since the Californy gentleman died. I thought I'd let it, if I could. I might take a few boarders this summer, if they'd come."

"I'll pay for an advertisement," said Jedediah, who was worth a million and a half, "and I'd let you have lots of cucumbers off our place. You could grow things here now, if you was to seed this bed up instead of pitchin' rubbish on it; you could grow radishes right under your window. Summer boarders generally thinks radishes hulsome."

"I jest emptied the bureau drawers out onto that bed. There was a lot of rubbish in 'em, and I meant to dig it over, only I ain't very strong."

"I'll let Simon dig it," said Jedediah, "and you seed it, and it will be a comfort to you."

By this time Simon, who had been slowly driving up hill, stopped at the gate, and Jedediah called to him sharply:

"Simon, you jest take the spade and dig over Mrs. Appleby's garden. I'll drive home myself. Good-bye, Samanthy. I thipk that idee about the summer boarders is a good one;" and jumping into his wagon he drove up the road, glad to be rid of his poor cousin.

Simon looked after his master with a very peculiar expression.

"'Some folks is born for luck and some for children,'" he said, sententiously. "I've got four."

"And I've got three," said the widow, "Now, Simon, don't you do that unless you feel like it. I know you have plenty to do."

"I'd jest as lief," said Simon. "What you been throwin' out here, Mrs. Appleby?"

"Rubbish out of my Californy boarder's bureau-drawers," said Mrs. Appleby. "What he kept it there for I dunno."

Simon laughed, and, stooping, picked up one or two bits of something, and put them in his pocket.

The bed was nicely spaded when Mrs. Appleby looked out again, and Simon was gone.

As Mr. Jedediah Twombley sat on his porch that night, counting up the profits of his hay-crop, a voice behind him cried:

"Mr. Twombley, I've got suthin' I want to show you!"

He turned. It was Simon who had spoken, and he held in his hand a fragment of something that looked dark and heavy.

"See here," he said, in a whisper; "I've been to the gold mines in my time, and if this ain't gold I'll give up and say I'm lacking."

"Why, to be sure! To be sure!" said old Jedediah, clutching the little chunk of ore in his hand "To be sure. Where did you find it?"

"Why, in the Widder Appleby's garden. Dug it up out'n the flower-bed you told me to spade up for her," said Simon.

"Then there's gold on the place," said Jedediah. "I've always thought there was gold here. I've always said so."

"Yes, *I've* heerd you," said Simon, with a twinkle in his eye. "Now, what a thing that'll be for the widder. A gold mine on her place."

"Hush!" whispered Jedediah, with his eyes gleaming greenly in the twilight. "Hush, Simon; promise me you won't tell her or anybody. I'll make it all right with you. You're kinder uncomfortable where you be, with your small family. I'll allow you to hev the frame house on the hill at the same rent. Don't mention any thing about it. I'll make it right with Mrs. Appleby. Though, after all, this mayn't be gold."

"P'raps not; but old miners, like me, rather calculates to know," said Simon. "If you don't mind, I'll move up to the frame house to-morrow. Wait a bit. Let's go over to the widder's. I'll pretend it's to sow the radish seed, if you'll give me some; and we'll see if there's any more there."

"Good!" said Jedediah Twombley. "A bright idea."

Accordingly, to the widow's surprise, Simon took the seed over; and, the sowing done, brought back to his master, waiting in the wagon under the trees, three or four more specimens of the same ore, which Jedediah took at once to a celebrated mineralogist of the nearest town, who declared that where these came from there was assuredly a gold mine. And trembling with delight, Jedediah went back to walk around the widow's house in the moonlight, where she, seeing him through the curtains, took him for a tramp and was frightened almost out of her senses.

Several things happened to startle her that day. The first was the appearance of Simon at her door in the early dawn as she was boiling her solitary cup of coffee over some splinters of wood.

"Widder," Simon whispered, solemnly. "'Tend to what I say, and don't forget it. Mr. Twombley is goin' to make you an offer for your place. Don't let him have it cheap. Rise on him as bold as brass. Don't chin about any thing. Don't tell him nothin'. Jest say: 'I won't sell for that' until you get what'll keep you comfortable. Mind, do as I say; don't ask questions; don't chin; you'll give yourself away."

"I don't half understand you," said the widow; "you hev such curious expressions kinder, but if Cousin Jedediah offers much for two acres of stones and a house like this he's goin' crazy."

"Mebbe he's seen a ghost," said Simon, "but you mind me."

He was off. Not too soon, for the wheels of Jedediah Twombley's wagon rattled down the road the next moment and Jedediah stood at the door in the place of his servant.

"What you said kind o' teched me yesterday, Samanthy," he said, "and I've been thinking. What *you* want is rest. Sell your place and go board in the village. I'll buy it. It ain't worth much, but what'll you take?"

The widow looked at him. It was not benevolence that shone in his eyes, but greed.

"Well," she said, cautiously; some of the same blood ran in her veins, and she could bargain also. "Well, what'll you give?"

"Five hundred dollars!" said the rich man. "Eh?"

Samanthy shook her head.

"Eight!"

"Lor' no," said Samanthy.

"A thousand!"

Samanthy turned pale, but shook her head.

"Two thousand!" said Jedediah.

"I reckon you're calculating I'm half-witted," said Samanthy.

"She knows about the gold," said Jed-

SIMON AT HER DOOR AT EARLY DAWN.

diah to himself; "or—yes, some one else knows and has made an offer."

The miser and the gambler sometimes mingle in one man. They had in Jedediah Twombley.

"Fifteen thousand dollars!" he cried, hurriedly. "You can live comfortably on that, eh?"

"Grandfather's ghost has appeared," thought Samanthy.

"Well," she said, "if you'll drive over to the lawyer's, and pay me now, I'll do it."

Ten minutes after this the two were seated side by side in the wagon. Two hours more Samanthy was, in her own opinion, a rich woman, with no fear of suffering before her, and no more need to toil for her bread. She was to leave the cottage that day, and bewildered by her sudden prosperity, she was packing her few poor possessions, when again, as in the dawn, Simon stood at her door.

"Sold it?" he asked.

"Yes," said the widow, breathlessly; "for fifteen thousand dollars. I reckon grandpa appeared to him."

Simon put his hand in his pocket and drew out a bunch of something.

"What's that?" he asked.

The widow looked at what he held toward her.

"It's a bit of rubbish I threw out of that case there," she said.

"It's gold ore," said Simon. "Your Californy boarder had a lot of specimens of it in that case; he often showed 'em to me. I was a miner once. I took an interest in 'em. You throwed 'em into the radish bed; I dug 'em up out of it. I jest showed them to Mr. Twombley. His idee has always been that there's gold in these mountings. He thinks there's gold on your place."

"And he *wanted* to give me five hundred dollars!" said the widow.

"It's all right for you, and I didn't tell no lies," said Simon. "I did dig up them specimens in the radish bed."

The widow lives at ease in the village now, and keeps her own counsel; and there's a big hole with a windlass near it, where her home once stood. People call it "Twombley's Folly;" but Jedediah Twombley intended it for a gold-mine, and spent a little fortune also in working it several years.—Asa T. Ferry, in N. Y. Ledger.

## INCREDIBLE MEANNESS.

### The Drummer Who Bought a Kiss and Didn't Pay for It.

The medal for the meanest man no longer belongs to the individual who turned the brick in his sidewalk to save buying new ones. At one of the Kansas City hotels the other day, says the Star of that city, a pretty little flaxen-haired, blue-eyed baby girl was playing with a big Newfoundland dog about the office, when she was induced to quit her romping and sit on the lap of a fat commercial traveler. The traveler amused the baby for awhile by showing her his watch, keyring and various trinkets, then seeing that the little one was restless and wanted to "det down," he promised to let her go if she kissed him first. His was not an attractive mouth, and the child strongly objected. As a final inducement, after much coaxing, the drummer went down in his pocket and pulled out a big, shining silver dollar and held it before baby with the remark: "If you give me a kiss you may have this." Such a glittering offer as this proved too much, so up went the little mouth, with lips puckered as though about to receive a dose of medicine, and "smack!" and all was over.

"Now 'oo div me the money," said the baby, holding out both of her chubby little hands to receive it. The man put the dollar back in his pocket, and instead fished out a copper cent and gave it to the child with the remark: "Now go and play with dogey."

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## SOME CURIOUS FACTS.

### The Origin of Amber, Crystal and Pearls Explained by an Expert.

"Amber is curious stuff," said a collector of curios to a Washington Star reporter the other day. "It is only comparatively recently that its nature has been known, and even at this day very few people seem to have any notion as to what it is in reality. The ancients regarded it as altogether mysterious and even magical. They found that it was rendered electrical by friction so as to attract light substances, and our word 'electricity' comes from the Greek name for amber, which was 'electron.' A favorite puzzle with them was how the insects so frequently found in amber came to be so situated. Not as a modern poet has phrased it:

—that the thing was either rich or rare,
But how the devil did it get there?

"I have myself seen a chunk of very transparent amber in which a small lizard with five legs was encased, looking as if it might have been alive yesterday, though, doubtless, it had been dead for thousands of years. The mystery regarding this sort of phenomenon is easily enough explained when it is understood that amber is actually the fossil gum of an extinct kind of cone-bearing tree. In the process of hardening it imprisoned the flies and other creatures preserved in the chunks of it that are found to-day. It is discovered plentifully by digging in certain parts of the great plains of North Germany, where the strange tree once flourished. It is also found in considerable quantities along the shores of the Baltic, in the yellow sandstone. At Palmicken, in East Prussia, it is dug in regular mines; elsewhere it is picked from cliffs, and a good deal of it is gathered in the shape of nodules cast up by the waves. The finest specimen of amber in Europe is a cup made of that material, now at the Brighton Museum, England. It was found at Hove some years ago, together with weapons and utensils of stone and bronze, so it is evidently very ancient indeed. In the fourteenth century, and before amber was made into knives and forks with one prong, which were used by princes and church dignitaries, it was more valuable than gold then. Now it is worth from $3 to $50 a pound, according to its quality. The most important use made of it is for meerschaum and other pipes. Meerschaum, by the way, is a material dug out of the earth in Turkey; it comes in boxes holding fifty pounds, and valued at from $20 to $300. The dust and chips obtained from it in the process of manufacture are worked into pipes, this material being called 'imitation meerschaum.' Amber dust is melted, and the product is what is sold as 'amberine.'"

"What a very beautiful sphere of crystal this is!" said the newspaper man, taking in his hand a cool globe that looked like a huge dewdrop, which the collector handed him for examination.

"Yes, that is a pretty specimen. I suppose you are aware of the theory entertained by the ancients regarding such rock crystal. They thought it was actually ice frozen to great density by duration of time, congealed beyond liquidation. 'Krystallos' in Greek means 'ice.' The famous writer on natural philosophy, Pliny, who wrote more facts that were not true than ever any man collected together before or since, says the crystal is undoubtedly water frozen by cold so intense that nothing can melt it again. Roman ladies of that time were accustomed to carry such spheres as this one in their hands during hot weather for coolness. It was the thing also to have the material worked into wine jugs and other vessels. Nero had two drinking cups of crystal worth $3,000 each, and a crystal ladle also; but when he learned that he had lost his kingdom he broke them, lest they fall into the hands of any one else. A crystal lens was employed in Rome to kindle the sacred vestal fire. Great care was taken not to put the crystal ware in a warm place for fear that it would melt. The most remarkable discovery of crystal on record was made in 1867 above the Tiefen glacier by a party of tourists, a single cave in the granite yielding 1,000 crystals of from 50 to 100 pounds weight."

"And what is this?"

"That," replied the collector, "is a diminutive Chinese god, covered with a coat of pearl by a real pearl oyster. On such parts of the coast of the Flowery Kingdom as produce pearl oysters a regular business is often made of manufacturing pearls artificially by introducing into the shells of the live oysters foreign objects of various kinds. You doubtless know that the pearl is a morbid symptom in the bivalve. A grain of sand or some such substance getting into the oyster produces irritation and the animal protects itself by covering the objectionable particle with coating after coating of its own pearly secretion. The interruption of light by the successive coats of which the pearl is formed in this way gives it its beautiful luster. Taking advantage of this habit of the pearl oyster the ingenious Chinaman pries it gently open and puts in whatever he likes, may be a little figure of a god like this. The oyster goes to work and covers it with pearl, until after a few months the idol is a pearl idol."

### England's Prize Twins.

At Bristol, Eng., are two young artisans who are the prize twins of the world. They are of the same height and weight; have eyes, hair and complexion of the same color; walk, speak, laugh and sing exactly alike; follow the same occupation, have the same religious persuasions and likes and dislikes; are both married, and have the same number of children, who are of the same sexes—three boys and three girls each.

### Waiting Maids in Livery.

English ladies are adopting the fashion of putting their maids who wait at table in livery. The skirts of these livery gowns are plain and of the heraldic color of the house. All the plaits are thrown behind. Then the waistcoat and jacket are trimmed with livery bands, buttons and crests or monograms in metal. A high stiff white collar, white cuffs and a tiny cap like a top-knot complete this livery.

## CARE OF THE HANDS.

### Little Things That Will Keep Them in Good Condition.

Probably there is no one thing that makes girls shrink from house-work more than the effect it has on the hands, especially in cold weather, says Health. It is a real trial to sit down to the piano and spread a stained, rough hand on the ivory keys; or to take one's pen in an unsightly hand to answer a letter; or to pick up a bit of embroidery, if it is only that on perforated hose, and use the needle when every thing that touches the hands sticks to them because of their roughness. Sewing on woolen or silk is at such times a severe penance. There are methods of preserving the hands measurably against the destructive effect of dish-washing, scrubbing and the like. They should be kept as much out of the water as possible, and when the work is done they should be washed clean and rubbed dry. Borax water is good for washing the hands. Coarsely ground oat-meal is a fair substitute for soap in washing the hands. White unscented soaps are the best, as the highly scented soaps are usually made of rancid fats. A solution of oxalic acid will remove fruit stains from the hands, but it must not touch an abraded surface. After washing and drying the hands thoroughly, glycerine and spirits of camphor in equal parts mixed together is good to rub over them. Cocoanut oil is a pleasant application. Wearing kid gloves two sizes too large is helpful in preserving the hands. One should have an old pair of gloves to take up ashes in, to sweep in and to wear in all dirty work that permits the wearing of gloves. If gloves are dipped in not very hot linseed oil they become waterproof, and may be worn while washing dishes. A pair of canton flannel mittens is pleasant to wear when hanging out the clothes on a cold morning. Frequent rubbing of the hands will promote circulation and keep the skin in good condition. To take the best care of the nails, soak the ends of the fingers in hot water for some time, until the skin is softened, then dry, and with a pair of nail scissors thin off all the dead skin about the nails and trim the nails neatly.

## WOMAN'S HAPPIEST HOUR.

### Love Has More to Do with It Than Any Thing Else.

I have had it suggested to me by a friend staying in the house at this time, writes "The Duchess" in the Ladies' Home Journal, that the happiest moment in a woman's life is when, having brought the man of her heart to the point of proposing, she makes him wait a minute or two for her answer. To know and feel his anxiety—to understand that the anxiety is all caused through love of her—this would constitute a bliss not to be rivaled, a bliss the sweeter for being so short-lived, and because of the fact that it can never occur again. But this strikes me as being a little feline in its nature, just a trifle cruel.

For myself, I should think there would be keener joy in that moment when a woman is able to say "Yes" to the most important question of her life, and to give herself freely and gladly to the one she loves.

I think, however, the question a difficult one to answer. There are so many different natures, that what would be extreme happiness to one woman might be only mild delight to another.

Some women, for example, have the maternal instinct more strongly developed than others, and for them the vocal cry of their first-born must cause an uplifting of the heart that no other feeling on earth could outdo. All in that supreme moment is forgotten!

The ambitious woman must find her best hour when she has attained the summit of her hopes, and victory crowns her with its laurel wreath.

To the woman standing over the sick bed that contains the one being dearest to her on earth, can there be an hour more rife with thankful happiness than when the doctor declares that there is hope? O, magic word! Hope that the adored one will be given back to her from the very jaws of death!

And yet, after all, I think Love, "that great master" as he has been justly called, nas more to do with a woman's sweetest hour than any thing else on earth. To love, and to feel one's self beloved—that is, indeed, to know the best of life.

## FROM STANLEY'S MAIL.

### Curious Requests, Only a Very Few of Which Were Honored.

Edward Marston in his article in Scribner's gives the following selections from Mr. Stanley's mail: An enthusiast hailing from America asks for Mr. Stanley's old cap:

Right glad am I that you are once more in a civilized country. I have carefully watched your proceedings from the time you discovered Livingstone. You are a brick! Now, if you are inclined to sell the cap you wore through Africa I am prepared to give you a fancy price for it to add to my collection of curiosities; it shall be preserved in a glass case with your name on same.

A firm of tobacconists makes the following cool request:

Will you kindly accord us your gracious permission to append your noble name, and your photograph (might we ask for your autograph?) to a first-class quality of cigar and cigarette, made by ourselves from the best and finest tobacco, etc.?

A photographer writes:

SIR: Pray excuse the liberty taken by a stranger in approaching you at a time when your hands and mind must be so full, but since, to satisfy the demands of an admiring public, some one must claim the proud position of performing the task I covet, that of executing a portrait, etc.

A poetical soldier in Cairo says:

I humbly beg you will kindly accept the inclosed few simple lines from a soldier. I am no poet, but have expressed myself as well as possible, etc.

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The following letter is from an old acquaintance of the Pocock days:

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Leave New York from foot of Liberty street, 4 30, 5 45, 7, 7 45, 8 45, 10, 11, A. M., 1, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4, 4 30, 5, 5 15, 5 30, 5 45, 6, 6 15, 6 30, 7 7 30, 8, 8 30, 9 15, 10, 10, 11 30 P. M., 12 15, night. Sunday—4 30, 7, 8 30, 9, 9 30, A. M., 12 M., 1, 1 15, 4, 5 30, 6, 7, 9 00, 10 00 P. M., 12 15 night.

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Leave Newark 7 10, 7 50, 8 55, 10 10, 11 05 A. M., 1 05, 1 35, 2 40, 3 40, 4 02, 4 37, 5 05, 5 30, 5 58, 6 25, 7 15, 7 35, 9 20, 9 35, 10 10, 11 25 P. M. Sunday—7 20, 9 40, 10 55, 1 05, A. M., 12 05, 1 10, 4 10, 5 40, 6 05, 7 05, 9 25, 10 20 P. M.

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Leave Plainfield 6 45, 7, 8 07, 9 42, 11, A. M., 1 59, 4 34, 5 20, 6 38, 8 20 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 13 A. M., 2 03, 6 38 P. M.

Leave Easton 6 05, 8 44, 10 A. M., 12 22, 4 09, 6 49 P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 02, A. M., 6 40, 7 30 P. M.

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7 A. M. for High Bridge Branch and Easton.

8 07 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 42 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Nanticoke, Drifton, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c.

1 59 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, &c.

4 34 P. M. for D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

5 20 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Schooley's Mountain, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, &c.

6 38 P. M. for Flemington.

8 20 P. M. for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg.

9 20 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

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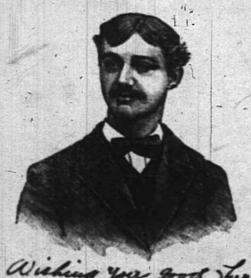

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## RAILROAD SUSPECTS

### The Train-Wrecking Story Losing Its Solidity.

### VERY LITTLE EVIDENCE SO FAR.

### One of the Men to Have an Examination in Troy To-Day.

**Knights to Have Counsel Present—Mr. Webb Believes that Flagman Dunwoody Placed Obstructions on the Track Monday Night—Powderly Speaks at an Enthusiastic Mass Meeting.**

ALBANY, N. Y., Sept. 10.—The story current as the facts in the case of the wreckers of the Montreal express is losing its announced solidity based on *facts*.

The Central road has no definite knowledge of how many men wrecked the train. Of the three men under arrest the only one against whom there is any evidence is Kiernan. The road *claims to have confessions from Reed* and from Cordial, but the claim is made in the hope of getting Kiernan to squeal in return.

The habeas corpus proceedings of the Knights have come to grief. Counsellor McDonough was absent from the city yesterday and Mr. Nevitt, who had charge, got out the writs. Reed being voluntarily a prisoner no writ could be issued in his case, and the papers read for Kiernan and Cordial.

"Why were they not served?" was asked Master Workman Lee, last night. "Well, we found that they had taken Cordial to Troy, and so we thought we would wait until the examination today," he answered.

At the examination before a Troy judge there will be present Master Workman Lee, Master Workman Dulin, Counsellor McDonough and, perhaps, Roger A. Pryor for the prisoners. The railroad officials and Mr. Robert Pinkerton will also be there.

### DUNWOODY'S TRICK.

**Mr. Webb Says There Was No Intention to Wreck the St. Louis Express.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 10.—"I honestly don't believe that the attempt to wreck the St. Louis express was any more than a mere hoax gotten up by Flagman Tim Dunwoody," said Vice President Webb.

"It has always been the rule of the company," he continued, "to reward heroic work done by the men with liberal sums of money. This fellow, Tim Dunwoody, I have no doubt, thought he would be presented with $400 or $500, besides gaining unlimited newspaper notoriety.

"The circumstances of the affair dovetailed altogether too nicely to be true. Besides, when any one attempts to wreck a train, unless it is done to rob the passengers, they don't hang around the place where they built the obstruction.

"What will be done with Tim? Well, that will remain to be seen. We are watching him very carefully, and when the investigation is all over then it will be time enough to decide upon that.

"But I think if the affair was a hoax, the perpetrators of it should be punished severely, as it not only endangered the lives of several hundred people, but would have done the Knights of Labor a great injury in the eyes of the public."

### POWDERLY WELL RECEIVED.

**He Addresses an Immense Mass Meeting in Oswego, N. Y.**

OSWEGO, N. Y., Sept. 10.—General Master Workman Powderly addressed an immense mass meeting here last night. He was received with a great blaze of red fire. Hundreds of people were turned away from the hall.

Mr. Powderly reviewed and expounded the principles of the Knights. He referred to the Central strike, condemning the corporation for its course, and asked suspension of judgment regarding the men arrested for wrecking trains until they could be heard and tried.

He declared that a law should be enacted that would prevent a corporation from doing anything to precipitate a strike, or laborers from striking, until both sides could be heard and passed upon by a board of arbitration authorized to act.

Mr. Powderly declared that the telegraphic report that 10,000 glass blowers would leave the order was false, and that there was absolutely no foundation for the story. He expressed friendship for the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, and said the day was coming when the Brotherhood of Engineers, the Brotherhood of Firemen, the K. of L. and all others would clasp hands in their own defense and in behalf of their homes and their families.

**Ex-President White to Wed To-Day.**

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 10.—Ex-President Andrew D. White of Cornell University and Miss Helen McGill, eldest daughter of ex-President Magill of Swarthmore College, will be married at 4 o'clock this afternoon by the Friends' ceremony. A number of distinguished persons will be present.

**Latest from Maine.**

LEWISTON, Me., Sept. 10.—Returns from 338 towns are: Burleigh, 51,594; Thompson, 39,368; Clark, Pro., 2,092. Republican plurality, 18226. The same towns in 1886 gave 13,915 Republican plurality.

**Knights of Honor in Session.**

SARATOGA, N. Y., Sept. 10.—The Grand Lodge of the State of New York Knights of Honor is in session in Congress Hall behind closed doors. About 300 members, representing every section of the State, are present.

### THE PRESIDENT VERY BUSY.

**Bills Ready for His Approval Sent by Special Messenger to Cresson.**

CRESSON, Pa., Sept. 10.—The President has been busy most of the day in his library. He has directed that the bills ready for his approval be sent here by special messenger.

Among the measures which will occupy the attention of the President during the week will probably be the River and Harbor bill. Some very prominent Republicans predict that this measure, which appropriates nearly $25,000,000, will not receive the President's approval. It may be that while the bill will not be approved, the President will recommend that adequate provisions be made for carrying on, under the direction of the Secretary of War, all work which has been begun.

President Harrison received a call from a class of young ladies who are being educated at the Loretto Convent. The President was glad to see them, and expressed much interest in their temporary home and its surroundings.

Private Secretary Halford is getting more work on hand than he can well handle alone, and it is quite likely that he will order assistance from the White House.

Mrs. Russell Harrison and her daughter left here last night for Omaha, Neb., where she will visit her mother.

### WHOLESALE EVICTIONS.

**Many Deaths are Reported from Exposure in the Irwin Mining District.**

BRADDOCK, Pa., Sept. 10.—The situation in the case of the five thousand striking miners in the Irwin district, which has been in progress since May last, is not improved. Much excitement exists on account of the evictions of the Penn Gas and Coal Company. Out of 218 families receiving eviction notices, all but twenty-one families have left. Many deaths are reported from exposure. Many of the families are being cared for by the well-to-do people of the town, and much indignation is felt against the company.

A number of men were brought from New York to take the places of the strikers, but refused to go to work when they learned the true condition of affairs. They now declare they will sue the company for false representations. As fast as new men are brought in they are influenced by the strikers not to go to work. The company are determined not to be thwarted and will bring over 300 men to-morrow. A number of deputies are guarding the company's property. The feeling against them is strong, but the strikers will refrain from using any force.

### MRS. M'GINTY GUILTY.

**She Was Accused of Trying to Hire a Man to Kill a Bank President.**

NEWCASTLE, Pa., Sept. 10.—The jury in the case of Mrs. Sarah Randolph, alias "Mrs. McGinty," charged with soliciting the murder of W. S. Foltz, president of the First National Bank of Newcastle, returned a verdict of guilty. She was remanded for sentence.

Within fifteen minutes of the time she received her sentence her only son, William, a married man, aged 40, while waving to some friends a snapping turtle he had just caught, fell under a passing train. He will die.

**New Hampshire Prohibitionists.**

CONCORD, N. H., Sept. 10.—Josiah M. Fletcher, of Nashua, was nominated unanimously for Governor by the Prohibition Convention. A State Committee of two from each county and five at large was elected. Congressional nominations were then made as follows: First District, Rev. Frank K. Chase, Dover; Second District, Charles H. Thorndike, of Concord.

**Police Prevented a Bolt.**

PITTSBURG, Pa., Sept. 10.—At the Republican Delegate Convention of the Twenty-third Congressional District, Col. Wm. A. Stone was nominated over George Shiras for Congress. Stone's majority on the popular vote was 3,033. The Shiras delegates made an attempt to bolt the convention, but were prevented from doing so by the police officers.

**First Trial of the Secret Ballot.**

FAR ROCKAWAY, N. Y., Sept. 10.—The new secret ballot law underwent its first test in this State at the village election here. The voting passed off smoothly except in a few cases where men had to be shown how to fold their ballots properly. Three men were debarred from voting because of their inability to read or write, though they had voted in the township for years.

**The Monument to Gen. Grant.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 10.—The Grant Monument Fund Executive Committee met and selected a design for the monument. The character of the design will be given out to-morrow, when a meeting of the entire association will be held.

**A Street Car Strike Settled.**

WHEELING, W. Va., Sept. 10.—The street car strike was settled at 1 a. m. on a basis of 9½ hours work for $1.75, the men to do no extra work except when paid at the rate of 18½ cents per hour. The cars have resumed running.

**Work of Tramps.**

LYNN, Mass., Sept. 10.—Last night's work in putting a rail across the Boston & Maine tracks is now believed to have been done by tramps in revenge for the arrest of 14 of them for pilfering from the company's freight cars.

**Stockholders Order an Assignment.**

BOSTON, Sept. 10.—The stockholders of the Eureka Silk Manufacturing Company at a meeting decided that an assignment should be made. The treasurer of the company will execute the assignment immediately.

## FINE BALL PLAYING

### Close Game Between New York and Boston Nationals.

### THE WINNING RUN IN THE 9TH.

### Brilliant Contest Between the Brooklyn and Philadelphia Brotherhood Teams.

**The New York Giants Again Defeated by the Boston Club—The Clevelands and Cincinnatis Struggle for Fourteen Innings—The Brotherhood Game at Buffalo Postponed—Standing of the Clubs.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 10.—The National League teams of New York and Boston had another battle royal at the Polo Grounds. New York won the game, but only after one of the prettiest contests on record.

The playing was sharp and of the the kind which excites the onlookers to the highest pitch of enthusiasm.

Rusie sent terrific curves over the plate, and Boston's batting average was materially reduced. Getzein's pretzel curves were not so effective.

The fielding play was remarkable, a running catch by Brodie in the sixth inning receiving an ovation.

The winning run was made in the ninth inning. Bassett made a hit and he ran to second on Hornung's out at first. Clarke's timely hit to center field brought Bassett home.

### BASEBALL GAMES.

**National League.**

AT PHILADELPHIA.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Philadelphia | 3 | 2 | 0 | 4 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 1 | x | —13 |
| Brooklyn | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | — 6 |

Batteries—Gleason and Clements; Terry and Clark.

AT NEW YORK.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| New York | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | — 2 |
| Boston | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | — 2 |

Batteries—Rusie and Buckley; Getzein and Hardie.

AT CHICAGO.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Chicago | 2 | 0 | 7 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | —12 |
| Pittsburg | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | — 4 |

Batteries—Hutchinson and Kittridge; Day and Decker.

AT CINCINNATI.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Cleve'and | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | — 3 |
| Cincinnati | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | — 4 |

Batteries—Beatin and Dowes; Mullane and Harrington.

**Players' League.**

AT BROOKLYN.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Brooklyn | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | — 0 |
| Philadelphia | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | — 1 |

Batteries—Hemming and Cook; Sanders and Milligan.

AT BOSTON.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Boston | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | — 6 |
| New York | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | — 4 |

Batteries—O'Day and Ewing; Radbourne and Kelly.

AT PITTSBURG.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Pittsburg | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | — 4 |
| Cleveland | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | — 2 |

Batteries—Maul and Quinn; Fakely and Stein.

AT BUFFALO.

Chicago and Buffalo game postponed on account of wet grounds

**American Association.**

AT SYRACUSE.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Syracuse | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | — 3 |
| Columbus | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | — 4 |

Batteries—Casey and Pitts; Knauss and O'Connor.

AT BALTIMORE.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Baltimore | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | — 4 |
| Louisville | 0 | 4 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | — 9 |

Batteries—German and Townsend; Daily and Ryan.

AT ROCHESTER.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| St. Louis | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | — 2 |
| Rochester | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 1 | x | — 4 |

Batteries—Miller and McKeough; Hart and Munyan.

**Atlantic Association.**

AT HARRISBURG.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Harrisburg | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | w | 1 | — 1 |
| Newark | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | x | — 2 |

Batteries—Cox and Jennings; Fitzgerald and Murphy.

AT NEW HAVEN.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| New Haven | 0 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | — 6 |
| Lebanon | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 2 | — 8 |

Batteries—Doran and Cahill; Winkleman and Koons.

**Attendance at League Games.**

| | Players | League |
|---|---|---|
| New York | ..... | 816 |
| Brooklyn | 600 | ..... |
| Chicago | ..... | 913 |
| Pittsburg | 521 | ..... |
| Boston | 2,573 | ..... |
| Philadelphia | ..... | 2,625 |
| Cincinnati | ..... | 1,078 |
| Totals | 3,694 | 6,032 |

**Standing of the Clubs.**

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

| | Won | Lost | P't | | Won | Lost | P't |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Brookl'n | 77 | 43 | .558 | Chicago | 68 | 48 | .586 |
| Boston | 73 | 44 | .621 | N. York | 56 | 62 | .475 |
| Philadel | 70 | 47 | .598 | Clev'nd | 32 | 77 | .294 |
| Cincin'ti | 65 | 47 | .583 | Pitts'rg | 50 | 95 | .174 |

PLAYERS' LEAGUE.

| | Won | Lost | P't | | Won | Lost | P't |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Boston | 72 | 42 | .632 | Philadel | 62 | 55 | .530 |
| N. York | 68 | 48 | .586 | Pitts'rg | 50 | 60 | .455 |
| Brookl'n | 70 | 49 | .588 | Clev'l'nd | 44 | 66 | .396 |
| Chicago | 62 | 55 | .530 | Buffalo | 30 | 81 | .270 |

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

| | Won | Lost | P't | | Won | Lost | P't |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Loui'r'lle | 68 | 37 | .648 | Roch'st'r | 56 | 49 | .533 |
| St. Louis | 62 | 48 | .569 | Athletic | 52 | 56 | .481 |
| Col'mb's | 58 | 49 | .542 | Syracuse | 45 | 61 | .419 |
| Toledo | 58 | 47 | .544 | Ba'tim're | 29 | 79 | .269 |

ATLANTIC ASSOCIATION.

| | Won | Lost | P't | | Won | Lost | P't |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| N. Hav'n | 76 | 27 | .738 | Harrisb'g | 43 | 68 | .387 |
| Lebanon | 47 | 46 | .505 | Wilm'n'n | 32 | 62 | .300 |
| Newark | 56 | 50 | .528 | | | | |

**Schedule of To-Day's Games.**

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Boston vs. New York, at New York.
Brooklyn vs. Philadelphia, at Philadelphia.
Cleveland vs. Cincinnati, at Cincinnati.
Pittsburg vs. Chicago, at Chicago.

PLAYERS' LEAGUE.

New York vs. Boston, at Boston.
Philadelphia vs. Brooklyn, at Brooklyn.
Cleveland vs. Pittsburg, at Pittsburg.
Chicago vs. Buffalo, at Buffalo.

### THE BOULANGER STORIES.

**The Comte de Paris to Publish a Letter on the Subject.**

PARIS, Sept. 10.—It is reported that the Comte de Paris intends to publish a letter soon, in which he will deny many of the statements which have been advanced by M. de Mercier with regard to his transactions with the Boulangists during the political influence of the latter.

M. Drumont now declares that the Comte de Paris has in his possession a letter from General Boulanger in which the latter while Minister of War offered to restore the monarchy on the condition that he be promoted to the rank of Marshal and be created a Duke, with an allowance of 200,000 francs yearly. M. Drumont also states that Baron Hirsch provided 200,000 francs for election expenses in Gen. Boulanger's contest in the Department of the North.

### SELECTED A SITE.

**The Vexed Question at Last Settled by the World's Fair Committee.**

CHICAGO, Sept. 10.—The directors of the World's Fair at a special meeting selected the dual site of the Lake Front and Jackson Park as the place for locating the exposition. The final and decisive ballot resulted: Lake Front and Jackson Park 23, North Side 4, West Side 8. The choice was then made unanimous.

It is the design to place the grand entrance to the exposition, and the buildings for fine arts and kindred displays, on the Lake Front, and the agricultural, live stock and other exhibits at Jackson Park.

### $5,500 FOR DEMPSEY.

**The Puritan Athletic Club Makes the Highest Bid Yet.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 10.—The largest and in all probability the surest purse that has been offered so far for Jack Dempsey and Fitzsimmons is the one which is hung out by the Puritan Athletic Club.

The directors of this organization held a meeting last night at which it was agreed, by unanimous vote, to offer Jack Dempsey and Bob Fitzsimmons a purse of $5,500. This is the largest sum ever offered any two middleweights in this country by any athletic club.

**Deserting the Knights.**

PITTSBURG, Sept. 10.—The German printers' assembly here has surrendered its K. of L. charter. A rumor prevails here among labor men that in the event of the re-election of Grand Master Workman Powderly, Local Assembly 300, Window Glass Workers, will leave the Knights of Labor. The principal causes of dissatisfaction are said to be the mismanagement of the Central railroad difficulty, and too lavish expenditure of money by the general officers of the order—especially in the matter of salaries.

**Grand Lodge of Red Men.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 10.—The United States Grand Lodge of the Independent Order of Red Men is holding its annual meeting at the hall of the New York Mannerchor, about two hundred delegates being present. The first day's session was occupied in receiving the credentials of the delegates and hearing the reports of the various officers, which showed the order to be in a remarkably good and sound condition.

**Keystone Knights of the Mystic Chair.**

READING, Pa., Sept. 10.—The annual State Convention of the Ancient Order of the Knights of the Mystic Chair of Pennsylvania is now in session here. Reports show that the order has a membership of 15,000 in the State, and is established in nineteen States. A street parade took place in the afternoon, several Philadelphia lodges participating.

**A Defaulting Treasurer Arrested.**

NORRISTOWN, Pa., Sept. 10.—William F. Slingluff was arrested here on a warrant sworn out by Joseph M. Cranston, representing the Pennsylvania Rolled Steel Car Wheel Company. He was arraigned before a magistrate and held in bail for further hearing on Saturday. Slingluff was treasurer of the company and defaulted to the amount of from $15,000 to $19,000.

**An Unfortunate Engineer.**

ELMIRA, N. Y., Sept. 10.—William Avery, a farmer, was struck and killed near the city limits by a Lehigh express train. James Stewart was the engineer. He is very unfortunate in regard to killing people, although he is a good engineer. It is said that he has struck and killed upwards of 30 during his life on the road.

**Engineer Scarles to Blame.**

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Sept. 10.—The investigation of the railroad accident at South Norwalk last Saturday, in which a Consolidated express train crashed into a Danbury & Norwalk train, has been finished. Engineer Stephen T. Searles, of the Consolidated road, is held responsible, and will be discharged from the company's employ.

**Stone Masons Forming a National Union.**

BALTIMORE, Sept. 10.—The National Convention of Stone Masons, called with the object of forming a Stone Mason's National Union of America, is in session in this city. The delegates present come from Pennsylvania, New York, Ohio, Colorado and Maryland, representing 3,000 stone masons.

**Cut His Body in Two.**

HORNELLSVILLE, N. Y., Sept. 10—John Carpenter, a switchmen in the Erie yard here, in attempting to ascend a car, slipped and fell upon the track, four cars passing over him, severing his body in twain. Carpenter was 24 years old, and leaves a young widow.

## STRIKERS IN A RIOT

### The Southampton Dockers Attack the Military.

### SEVERAL PERSONS WOUNDED.

### The Troops Charged With Bayonets and Dispersed the Mob.

**The Town Greatly Excited and Further Trouble Expected—Object of the Irish Leaders' Coming Visit to America—The Steamer Baltimore Arrives at Sweden With Ericsson's Remains.**

LONDON, Sept. 10.—The striking dockers, coal porters, sailors and firemen at Southampton are acting in a disorderly manner. They prevented several trains from being run, and obstructed the dock gates so that the officials could not enter.

Two companies of infantry arrived last night and cleared the railway tracks. The strikers attempted to break through the line of soldiers by driving cab-horses into them, but the troops charged with bayonets and dispersed the mischief makers.

A little later the crowd of strikers and idlers, having largely increased in numbers, attacked the military with stones. Several of the soldiers were injured, two quite badly, and a lieutenant had the bridge of his nose broken.

The Mayor appeared on the scene and read the riot act, whereupon a section of the rioters proceeded to the Mayor's place of business and attacked the building, breaking the windows with stones and doing other damage.

Meanwhile full ammunition of twenty rounds was served out to the soldiers, and the crowd having ignored a final order to disperse, the commander ordered a charge with fixed bayonets.

Many of the rioters were wounded by the bayonets, and a number of the soldiers were badly hurt by the stones and other missiles flung by the crowd before the street was cleared.

The town is greatly excited, and further trouble is expected.

### OPPOSED TO DYNAMITE.

**Object of the Irish Leaders' Coming Visit to America.**

LONDON, Sept. 10.—Mr. William O'Brien and his party will sail for the United States on October 1. Their tour will constitute the most important American campaign undertaken in the cause of Irish patriotism since the visit of Mr. Parnell. The present trip will have a new, definite object in view, which cannot but have a tendency in the direction of putting the Irish cause in America on a better footing than it has ever heretofore enjoyed in the estimation of the American people, and in carrying out more completely than has been possible on former occasions the ideas of Mr. Parnell and his associate leaders of the Irish party.

The chief aim of Mr. O'Brien and his companions will be to accomplish the formation of a moderate Irish party in the United States, quite distinct from the socialistic set which has generally gotten the upper hand in Irish matters. They have received strict instructions to have no dealings whatever with the physical force party, and to ignore or repudiate at all times and on all occasions the violent and aggressive spirits who have disgraced Irish patriotism by their preaching of dynamite and murder. The delegates will appoint agents of the Land League in all the important cities and industrial and commercial centers of America, and will collect donations to the patriotic fund and send them direct to Dublin, instead of permitting them to go through Chicago as a center, as has been done hitherto.

Mr. Parnell and his friends have finally succeeded in acquiring sufficient strength and influence to insist upon their purposes and views being accepted as the controling influence in the Land League, and after years of politic forbearance and diplomatic effort have brought, apparently, the great mass of the Irish people, and all men of thought and sense, into a frame of mind compatible with proper political agitation in behalf of Ireland, as distinguished from the wrong-headed and criminal methods, which it was impossible to overcome and change to good by any other behavior than that which has marked Mr. Parnell's course and that of his most able compatriots.

This tour of Mr. O'Brien and his comrades, with its specific object as stated, is a practical demonstration to Americans of the honesty and rightness of the Irish leaders, and is not without its influence on public opinion in England.

**The Australian Strike.**

LONDON, Sept. 10.—Cables from Australia indicate that the great strike, which has paralyzed many trades and nearly brought business to a standstill, shows signs of collapsing. The inconvenience and even actual suffering caused throughout the country is so great that the strikers are deprived of public sympathy and support, and it is considered impossible for the present deadlock to continue much longer.

**The Population of Ireland.**

LONDON, Sept. 10.—The Irish Registrar's annual report estimates the population of Ireland at 4,730,566. The number of persons emigrating to other countries during the year was 70,477. The death rate compared favorably with other years, and an increase in the number of marriages are recorded.

**The Baltimore Arrives at Sweden.**

LONDON, Sept. 10.—The United States steamer Baltimore, with the remains of Captain Ericsson on board, has arrived at Gothenburg, Sweden.

### MRS. YOUNG DEAD.

**The Jealous Husband Will Now be Tried for Murder.**

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Sept. 10.—Mrs. Joseph Young, who was shot by her jealous husband at the Hotel Minnequa in this city last Thursday, is dead. Mrs. Driscoll and the dead woman's five-year-old daughter were with her when she died. Their grief, particularly that of the little girl, was heartrending.

The unfortunate woman was shot twice. The bullet that caused her death entered her right nostril and lodged at the base of the brain. The other wound was in the throat.

Death was caused by the pressure of the bullet on the brain. Her condition was such that the physicians did not dare probe for it.

Young, the husband who did the shooting, has fully recovered from the slight wound he inflicted on himself. When the news was brought to his cell at the county jail at May's Landing that his wife was dead he turned pale, then reeled and fell on his cot.

"Oh, God! this is terrible!" he groaned. Then he added: "Why did not I die as well? God knows I did not know what I was doing when I shot her. I was crazy jealous."

Prosecutor of the Pleas Joseph Thompson has gone to May's Landing to state the case to the September Grand Jury now in session. Young will be arraigned on a charge of murder in the first degree, but his case cannot come to trial for a month at least.

The greatest indignation is felt here against William Ogden, the cause of Young's jealousy. Immediately after the shooting, Ogden left for his home at Morton, Pa., with his wife, and since then, it is alleged, has not troubled himself even to inquire what Mrs. Young's condition was.

**The Lone Highwayman Again.**

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 10.—A special from Auburn, Cal., says the Georgetown stage was stopped yesterday near Greenwood while on its way to Auburn by a masked highwayman and robbed. He secured the Wells Fargo express box, but it is not known how much the box contained. One of the passengers named Thomas Stevens borrowed a gun and started after the robber, but with what result is not yet known.

**A Boston Dry Goods Firm Assign.**

BOSTON, Sept. 10.—Silas S. Drew & Co. retail dry goods dealers at 15 Fremont row and 62 Hanover street this city have made an assignment for the benefit of their creditors. The liabilities are estimated at $35,000 and the assets about $20,000.

### NEWS OF THE DAY.

Speaker Reed arrived in Washington to-day.

The Auburn, N. Y., Morning Dispatch has suspended again.

Explorer Stanley is to receive $3,500 for his lecture to be delivered in Brooklyn, N. Y.

It is rumored that Mrs. Cardova, nee Mary Anderson, will return to the stage for a brief season.

The Rev. Henry Parry Liddon, D. D. and D. C. L., canon of St. Paul's Cathedral, London, died suddenly at Westonsuper-Mare.

The London Times officially denies that the Queen intends to publish the correspondence of the late Prince Consort with the German Empress William I. and Frederick.

At Ogdensburg the elevator owned by the Ogdensburg & Lake Champlain railroad was entirely destroyed by fire. The loss on the elevator and the grain stored in it will reach $250,000.

Joseph Welch, the section foreman, who was arrested last week in connection with the Old Colony disaster, and whose case was continued until yesterday, failed to appear in court and his bond was forfeited.

Mrs. Mahala K. Paul, of Boston, a widow, aged 37 years, and quite deaf, was killed while attempting to cross the railroad track at Sharon, Mass. She was thrown in the air, and her clothing caught on the flagstaff on the front of the engine, where she hung, her head and feet dragging, until the train was stopped. Her left leg was cut off, her arms broken and her ribs crushed. She lived about two hours.

**Weather Indications.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 10.—For New England: Fair, except local rains on the coast; cooler; northerly winds.

For Eastern York and New Jersey: Fair; cooler; northerly winds.

For Western New York: Fair; stationary temperature; northwesterly winds.

### NEW YORK MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Sept. 9.—Money on call to-day, 6 and 7 per cent.

BONDS.

| | Closing Yesterday | Closing To-day |
|---|---|---|
| 4½s, 1891 Reg | 104¼ | 104 |
| 4½s, 1891 Coup | 104¼ | 104 |
| 4 s, 1907 Reg | 124½ | 124½ |
| 4 s, 1907 Coup | 125½ | 125½ |

STOCK MARKET.

| | Closing Yesterday | Closing To-day |
|---|---|---|
| Canadian Pacific | 82¾ | 82 |
| Central Pacific | ... | ... |
| Chicago, Bur. & Quincy | 98¾ | 97¼ |
| Delaware & Hudson | 130¾ | ... |
| Del. Lack. & Western | 144¾ | 145 |
| Erie | 25¾ | ... |
| Erie pref | 64 | ... |
| Lake Shore | 107¾ | 107¾ |
| Louis. & Nash | 87 | 87¼ |
| Michigan Central | 95 | ... |
| Missouri Pacific | 69¾ | 70¾ |
| New Jersey Central | 120¾ | ... |
| Northwestern | 108½ | 109 |
| Oregon Navigation | ... | ... |
| Pacific Mail | 44¼ | 46 |
| Reading | 42 | 42¾ |
| Rock Island | 83 | 84¼ |
| St. Paul | 70 | 70¾ |
| Union Pacific | 59¾ | 60¼ |
| Western Union | 83¾ | 83¾ |

PRODUCE MARKET.

| | Sept. | Oct. | Nov. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Wheat | ... | 83¾ | 82¾ |
| Corn | ... | 53¾ | 52¾ |
| Oats | 40¾ | 40¾ | ... |

MERCANTILE EXCHANGE.

Butter—Market firm. Creamery—Eastern 24c.@26c.; western, 23c.@24; Elgin, 17½c.@18c.; imitation, 14c.@17. Dairy—Eastern, half firkin tubs, 22c.@26c.; eastern Welsh tubs, c.; western, 20c.@21. Factory—Fancy

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## BY THE WAY.

—An important special meeting of Plainfield Engine Co., No. 2, will be held Sept. 16.

—Harry Couch, of North Plainfield, received severe injuries in a runaway accident yesterday.

—The Plainfield Woman's Christian Temperance Union will conduct a grand bazaar Nov. 25, 26 and 27.

—A baker at Voehl's cut several fingers to the bone this morning. The wound was dressed at Randolph's City Pharmacy.

—The Athletics will play a picked nine from the Pond Tool Works on the Crescents' grounds on Friday commencing at 3:45 P. M.

—Frederick F. Glasby, Sheriff, has sold to Sarah H. Saums, of this city, land on Clinton avenue, 200 feet southeast from Dunellen avenue, Plainfield, 50x170, for $1,000.

—An adjourned regular and important meeting of Gazelle Engine Company, No. 1, will be held in their parlors, this evening, at eight o'clock. A full attendance of the members is requested.

—Subscription books rarely receive the welcome predicted for Talmage's great work "From Manger to Throne." It is a marvel of originality, generously illustrated and handsomely bound, and, moreover, is remarkably moderate in price.

—A larger assortment than usual of new goods at unusually low prices, is offered by Packer, the furniture dealer, at Park avenue and Second street. Handsomer goods were never shown in Plainfield. Manufacturing, repairing and upholstering to order, are specialties at Packer's.

—Miss Maude Agnes Bowers is forming classes, for adults, in elocution and the Delsarte system of physical culture. She is a graduate of the Boston School of Oratory, besides being particularly well-endowed with natural gifts of grace, presence and eloquence. For terms, she may be addressed at 148 West Front street.

—The Cuban Giants, Jr., easily defeated the Young Arlingtons, yesterday. VanLiew's pitching, Carter's catching and M. Sutphen's first base play, were the features. Score—Giants, 12; Arlingtons, 9. Hits—Arlingtons, 4: Cuban Giants, 8. Errors—Arlingtons, 6; Giants, 5. Stolen bases—Arlingtons, 4; Giants, 13. Umpire—Mr. Littell.

## PARTICULAR MENTION.

Mrs. N. W. Pike leaves today for the Mohunk Mountains.

Among the recent arrivals at Hotel Netherwood are Controller Myers, Mrs. Myers and family of New York.

Dr. J. H. Carman and family are to leave town to-morrow for a two weeks' visit to the Shawangunk Mountains.

The New Jersey State Homœopathic Medical Society yesterday elected Dr. T. S. Davis, Second Vice President, and placed Dr. Edward Rushmore on the Committee on Practice.

R. V. Lindabury, one of New Jersey's best-known lawyers, returned from Europe on the steamship Etruria Sunday, and is spending the late Summer and early Autumn in Plainfield.

### Another Brooklyn Belle Becomes a Plainfield Wife.

The marriage of George Winans, of Washingtonville, to Miss Minnie Breakey, of Brooklyn, took place at the home of the bride's parents last evening. The Rev. K. P. Ketcham, of this city, performed the ceremony in the presence of about seventy-five friends and relatives of the bride and groom. The happy couple took their departure for their new home in North Plainfield, amid a shower of rice, and with the best wishes of the assembled guests for their future happiness. Among those who were present from Washingtonville were Mrs. Sarah Winans, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Winans, Miss Hattie Milligan, Miss Lizzie Milligan, Silas Winans, Isaac Winans, John Bicknell, W. H. Rogers, J. H. Manning and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Titus. Many beautiful gifts were received by the bride from her host of friends.


As the warm weather continues the natural cravings of humanity call for something cooling to drink. Hires' Root Beer is sparkling, and a most delicious article. Every family should have it in their house. A 25 cent package will enable any one to make five gallons. Ask your druggist or storekeeper for it.


## A MAD DOG'S REIGN OF TERROR.

### Dogs, Horses and a Woman Bitten—A Baby's Narrow Escape.

A mad dog held a reign of terror in the Netherwood suburbs this morning. It dashed down East Front street from the direction of Scotch Plains and entered the yard of J. K. VanNest, near the Terrill road. Mr. VanNest's housekeeper, Maggie Quenzer, was standing on the lawn as the animal came running up. She failed to notice that it was frothing at the mouth and was snapping its jaws viciously, and held out her hand, in playful manner, towards it. The dog made a sudden spring, caught her hand in its teeth, and sank its poisoned fangs into her flesh. She screamed with terror, and the dog left her and ran across the lawn. As soon as possible she was taken by carriage to Plainfield, where Dr. Long cauterized the wounds. The woman was greatly frightened, and expressed much fear that hydrophobia would develop; but the physician assured her that symptoms of madness are exhibited by only one patient out of twenty bitten by a dog actually mad.

After biting Miss Quenzer the dog bit several dogs owned by Mr. VanNest, including a valuble mastiff, and attempted to bite a hunting dog owned by William Allen. Mr. Allen himself was on his lawn when the mad dog visited his premises, and to ward off an attack struck the animal with a club. Before he could follow up the blow to advantage, however, the dog had run away and was causing a panic among the horses in the stables of the neighborhood, snapping at their heels, and inflicting slight wounds. It finally ran into the cellar of Mr. Field's house, where Chas. Field shot it.

The baby of the Allen family narrowly escaped being bitten. The dog was running directly towards her when Mrs. Allen ran forward, snatched the child from the grasp of its foaming jaws, caught the little one to her breast, and carried her into the house.

That the dog was really mad is firmly believed by all who saw it, and Dr. Long decided from Miss Quenzer's description of its actions that there was no doubt of its being in the advanced stages of hydrophobia.

### Peculiar Accident to a Train.

The passengers occuying seats on one side of a car in a fast Lehigh Valley train had a narrow escape from serious injury Saturday night, between Bound Brook and New Market. The train was running at a good speed and was rounding a curve when the door of a freight car standing on an opposite track fell partly outward and against one of the passenger cars.

Five panes of glass were shattered and the fragments scattered over the passengers who occupied the seats next these windows. Three passengers were cut about the head and face by the glass, but were able to continue their journey. All the upright strips on that side of the car were reduced to kindling wood. The company has begun an investigation as to the cause of the accident.

### Planning to Double Their Membership.

A novel idea instituted by Miss Frances Willard is to be carried out by every Woman's Christian Temperance Union in the country Sept. 27, which will be known from ocean to ocean as "Crusade Day." Each of the 100,000 members of the various Unions scattered throughout the land will strive during that day to secure a new member. An attempt will be made in Plainfield in this way to double the membership of the local Union, which would then reach more than 500, giving the Union a representation and voice in the proceedings of the National Convention.

### A New Representative from Plainfield.

The following is the official list of officers of the New Jersey Division, League of American Wheelmen, just elected: Chief Consul—G. Carleton Brown, Elizabeth Wheelmen; Vice Consul—H. A. Benedict, Hudson County Wheelmen; Secretary-Treasurer—George C. Pennell, Elizabeth Wheelmen; Representatives—Amzi T. Dodd, Newark; Gardner H. Cain, Trenton; B. O. Miller, Camden; George C. Thomier, Jersey City; W. E. Shuit, Passaic; W. H. Stauffer, Asbury Park; Townsend Rushmore, Plainfield; H. S. Fulper, Flemington. All but the last five were re-elected.

### Want to Astonish the Natives.

Plainfield Engine Company, No. 2, accompanied by the Plainfield Cornet Band, will go to Perth Amboy, October 15, to participate, as the guests of Lincoln Hose Company, in a firemen's parade. If the Common Council will permit the Company's steamer to leave the city it will be drawn in state by four horses.

### Terrible if True.

Between the hours of two and six o'clock on Thursday and Friday afternoons and all day Saturday, Rogers Bros. will sell all of their $2 50 shoes for $2; all $3 shoes for $2.50; all $3.50 shoes for $3. They have a few more men's lace shoes that they are closing out at 50 cents. Be sure and be there at two o'clock when the sale begins. They warrant every pair.

### The Shackleton Car Works Sold.

The entire plant of the Shackleton Car Heating and Ventilating Company in East Bound Brook was sold yesterday at receiver's sale to C. C. Jordan, President of the New York Iron Car Company, for about $15,000.

### An Offensive Breath

is most distressing, not only to the person afflicted if he has any pride, but to those with whom he comes in contact. It is a delicate matter to speak of, but it has parted not only friends but lovers. Bad breath and catarrh are inseperable. Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy cures the worst cases as thousands can testify.

## HOUSEHOLD BREVITIES.

—Damp salt will remove the discoloration of cups and saucers caused by tea and careless washing.

Ginger Snaps.—One quart of molasses, one pound of brown sugar, three-fourths pound of lard and butter mixed, and one teaspoonful of salt, two tablespoonfuls of ground cinnamon, the same of ginger, flour sufficient to make rather a stiff dough; roll very thin.—Boston Budget.

—Cream Cake.—Three eggs, one and a half cups sugar, one-half cup butter, one-half cup milk milk, one teaspoon baking powder, flour to make of usual consistency. For the cream: One cup sugar, one cup milk, one egg, two spoonfuls corn starch, two spoonfuls vanilla.—Housekeeper.

—Cream Omelet.—Three eggs, slightly beaten, three tablespoonfuls of milk or cream; salt and pepper to taste. Heat and butter a pan, and when almost brown pour in the eggs; lift from the center occasianally until the whole is soft and creamy. Brown slightly and serve hot.—Indianapolis Sentinel.

—Potato Fritters.—Two cupfuls mashed potatoes, three eggs, two tablespoonfuls flour, a pinch of salt. Beat the whites of the eggs to a stiff froth and add them the last thing. The batter should be quite stiff, but if too stiff may be thinned with milk. It must be dropped from a spoon into boiling lard, and skimmed out as soon as the cakes are fried to a nice brown.—Old Homestead.

—Marrow Balls for Soup.—Mix four ounces of marrow, six tablespoonfuls of cracker crumbs, one-half teaspoonful of salt, a very little cayenne and the white of one egg; form them into tiny balls and place them on a floured plate in the refrigerator over night; after these are cooked in the soup they should be lifted carefully into the soup tureen, as the slightest pressure will break them in pieces.—Boston Herald.

—Extreme cleanliness is indispensable to good cooking. A good cook can not be too particular as to the cleanliness of her kitchen and every thing in it. She should keep it in such a condition as never to give herself cause to regret an unexpected visit on the part of her friends. Every article and every corner should be able to stand the closest scrutiny and inspection. The only way to arrive at this state of perfection is to do it not only decently, but thoroughly well.—Household Monthly.

—Peach Ice.—Put in a vessel a half pound of powdered sugar, with six egg yelks, then mix well with a spatula for ten minutes; add a pint of boiling milk, stir for two minutes longer and pour the the whole into a copper basin. Place it on the hot stove and heat it thoroughly, stirring it continually, but not letting it boil. Remove, lay it on the table and mix in immediately one pint of sweet cream, then leave it to cool for thirty minutes. Have six ripe, fine, sound peaches, wipe them nicely, cut them in two, remove the stones, then mash into the cream, mixing thoroughly for three minutes. Strain through a fine sieve into a freezer, pressing the peaches through with a wooden spoon, then proceed to freeze.—Boston Globe.

## WORN-OUT MOTHERS.

### How Many Women Fail and Grow Old Long Before Their Time.

There are a great many people who break down in health and spirits and fall into actual disease when a little good sense would save them. As a rule, American women are apt to err on the side of unselfishness. They are over-conscientious and are apt to underestimate the value of their own health to their families, or the tax which they are making upon it to contribute to the trivial pleasures of others. Justice to herself is often the last thing the American mother considers, although that justice to herself, in the matter of maintaining her own health and mental caliber, is of the utmost importance to her family. No intelligent mother can under-estimate the importance of her own presence and work in her household, but it is almost a universal rule among even the most intelligent and conscientious to take upon themselves burdens they are unfitted to bear and to neglect in their own persons those precautions and safeguards of health which they so anxiously provide for all others in the family, but which in their own persons are of a greater necessity than in that of any other member of the family, not even excepting the bread-winner himself. It is a wonder that women with families so well maintain such health as they have, in view of their persistent omission of these precautions, and it is slight wonder indeed that the average of three wives are worn out in an average life of one farmer.

A woman of fifty, like a man of fifty, should be in her prime of life. She should take a keen interest in the world around her and live in the present, not in the past, as too many worn-out women do. When her daughters have arrived at an age when they can take the burden of her cares off her shoulders, she may yet reign as the queen of her household, and should have more time for intellectual pursuits than she has ever had before. A great many women fail and grow old and reminiscent because they make themselves drudges and perform duties which it would be far better for the children to do themselves. From the excess of work which so many mothers take upon themselves their appetites become jaded, their complexions pallid, their nerves unstrung, and in what should be the prime of life they are old women, unfitted physically and mentally for even the ordinary work of their positions.—N. Y. Tribune.

—Nephew (from the West, meets his uncle on the street)—"Hello, uncle, I've been in town a week trying to find you. Why don't you have your name in the directory?" Uncle—"Can't be done; they're too slow. Only publish 'em once a year. I move about every month—my credit seldom lasts longer than that."

—Rhubarb Sherbet.—Boil six or eight sticks of clean rhubarb ten minutes; strain, add the peel of a lemon, two tablespoonsfuls of clarified sugar. Let it stand five hours.—Good Housekeeping.

## CO-OPERATIVE WRITING.

### Walter Besant's Scheme to Outwit Grasping Publishers.

Co-operative enterprises have not in this country been successful. Their stockholders have not been able to hold them to close, economical and pushing management. Conflicts of interests and insufficiency of rewards have spoiled the theoretical beauties of the schemes and driven high-class talent away. In one branch of industry, however, co-operation should reach a high plane of satisfaction. The profession of authorship has been grumbling from the earliest days of literature over the troubles of publication. Most toilers in the business of rejected manuscript have a pet plant which they tenderly cherish in their souls—the suspicion that there is a combine of "ins" against them. It frequently does happen that literary work of high merit is rejected by publishers and editors. Sometimes, after repeated rejections, it finds its way to brilliant success.

If instances of such fortune were not frequent, literature and publishing would be superhuman trades. Most great new productions, discoveries and inventions in art, commerce and industry have been rejected at first by the experts. Experts must be guided by well-established rules. They must, in the course of their avocation, reject thousands of crude and worthless innovations and must hold back their patronage from ideas which have already been better carried out by men with standard reputations. As much genius is required to analyze, weigh and make a place for a new work of any kind as to construct it. Genius is as rare among expert judges as among virtuosi. Besides, there is a heavy risk in exploiting a new inventor or author. It is an undertaking which involves not only money, but the reputation of the man who assumes the responsibility.

Money and reputation are precious to publishers as to all other respectable men. Mr. Walter Besant, the English novelist and editor, has organized the Incorporated Society of Authors. For the purpose of fulfilling the desires and ambitions of the members, the society will publish a magazine. Mr. Besant expects that the co-operative magazine will outwit the inimical publisher, and present to the public the works of authors at small cost. In the commercial parlance of the day, the society of literary producers will deal directly with their customers, and eliminate the middleman. The vast and increasing numbers of American writers—too vast and too rapidly increasing for the capacities of the present publishing and reading machinery of the Nation—might take up Mr. Besant's co-operative scheme, and get at the public by a short cut. In this, as in all co-operative experiments, human selfishness and vanity would militate against success.

The able writers would expect more recognition and perhaps more pay than an equal division of honors and profits would admit. The inferior ones would grumble at any thing but an equal division. Civilization has not leveled the natural and artificial inequalities of men and women, and a co-operative society of authors would grind against that deep-founded truth. Still, the authors might take some chances upon that weakness of the co-operative theory. They would not be risking a great deal, and in sight of all would be the prospect of getting before the public, whose admiration and money are the dear prizes of endeavor.—Kansas City Times.

## HIDDEN TREASURES.

### How the Sea Is Obliged to Give Up Her Spoils to Seekers.

Not long since the Spanish steamship Alfonso XII. foundered in deep water near the Canary islands. Part of the cargo consisted of ten boxes of gold, each containing £10,000. After some delay divers were sent out with the latest appliances, and nine out of the ten boxes of specie were brought up. Every attempt to localize the tenth was utterly futile, so that a fortune seems irrecoverably lost. A Dutch bark, the Maria Theresa, sank fifty-five years ago in Goree Gatway, near Helvoetsluis, on the coast of Holland. Her hull has recently been found and some boatloads of her cargo of tin have been brought up by divers. The schooner yacht, Star of the Sea, belonging to Sir A. H. Dendy, of Torquay, was sunk on the Banjaard bank, Zeeland coast, on July 5, 1870. After an immersion of nineteen years, an iron safe containing £50 and a gold watch chain has been recovered from the wreck, together with two small guns and twenty-two pigs of lead ballast. A diving company has just succeeded in gaining some relics of the French frigate Danae, of fifty-six guns, which was destroyed near Trieste seventy-eight years since by an explosion in her powder magazine, when her crew of 600 men were hurled headlong into eternity. This find will throw some light on the construction and armament of the war ships of a century ago.

Some Danish speculators are reaping a rich harvest of golden grain from the depths of the sea which washes the coasts of Jutland. Some years previously the British steamship Helen, laden with copper, had foundered. All her cargo has been recovered, and it is probable that her machinery will follow, as the accumulation of sand in which the hull was imbedded has now disappeared. A Russian frigate, the Alexander Nevsky, which was lost in 1868, has yielded 20,000 pounds of brass. The sand which covered her has been scoured away and an attempt will be made to get out her engines. The British steamer Westdale, laden with 2,000 tons of iron, went down off the Danish coast in December, 1888. Nearly the whole cargo, her machinery and the greater part of her fittings have been saved by these Jutland speculators.—Chambers' Journal.

### The World Against Him.

"You look sad and dejected. Is anything the matter?

"Yes; the discouragements of my profession are sometimes more than I can bear. Look at that sign—'Beware of pickpockets!'"

"But what has that to do with you?"

"Well, I'm a pickpocket."—Judge.

### Closing Debate on the Tariff Bill.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 10.—The Tariff bill virtually has passed the Senate. The vote on the third reading and engrossment cut off further amendment. The programme of the Senate for today is a debate of six hours in which Senators Vance, Vest and Turpie will appear for the Democrats, and Hiscock and Jones of Nevada for the Republicans. A final vote on the bill to be taken between 5 and 5:30 o'clock.

### The Late Mrs. Brownell's Bequests.

HARTFORD, Conn., Sept. 10.—The will of the late Mrs. Frances Brownell, of this city, has been probated. It gives $50,000 to found three scholarships at Trinity College, $100,000 to the Cathedral Church of St. John the Divine, at New York, and $10,000 to the Missionary Society of the Episcopal Church in Connecticut.

### Ross Sentenced to be Hanged.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Sept. 10.—George W. Ross was sentenced by Judge Rice to be hanged for the murder of his wife. The date of his execution will be fixed by the Governor. To the Court Ross said: "I am convinced that the Lord does not hold me responsible for the death of my wife, and I do not hold myself responsible."

### Reed Congratulated By the President.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 10.—The following telegram has been received here:

CRESSON, Pa., Sept. 9.

Hon. T. B. REED, Speaker House of Representatives, Washington, D. C.:

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GIRL wanted for general housework. No. 7 West Second street. 9 10 3

WANTED—A position as Nursery Governess or assistant teacher in a school. Reference. Mrs. Dexter Tiffany, 11 Crescent avenue. 9 10 3

LOST—Maltese kitten. Please return to 77 West 2d street.

FARM to let. Inquire J. A. Smith, grocer, 13 West Front street. 9 10 w

YOUNG lady desires a situation as clerk in a store. Address Clerk, PRESS office.

FOR SALE, Cheap—House, 50 Pearl street; 7 rooms. Apply J. Leonard, 11 W. 6th st. 9 10 3

WANTED—A very good cook and laundress. Apply at 16 Franklin place. 9 5 2

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ADVERTISEMENT EXTRA—For Sale, the control of one or more counties for the most rapid selling patent ever placed on the market, and where an investment of $100 to $300 will more than realize the above. Best of reference given and required. C. P. Titsworth, 28 North avenue. On exhibition at the Somerville Fair this week. 9 9 3

RYE GROUND, on shares, 5 to 50 acres. Wallace Vail, 39 North avenue. 9 9 2

FOR SALE—Fine red roan Horse, 7 years old, gentle and sound; 16 hands high. 27 East 9th street. 9 9 3

FURNISHED Room to Let; first class neighborhood. 101 Park avenue. 9 9 4

A NEW Steinway upright piano for sale. Call 64 Madison avenue. 9 8 10

A DRESSMAKER wishes work by the day or week; one who understands her business. Address Dressmaker, postoffice. 9 5 w

FOR SALE—A Restaurant, doing a good paying business. Reason for selling, illness of proprietress. Inquire at Boston Cafe, No. 7 Somerset street. 9 6 tf

GIRL wanted to do general housework. References required. Apply No. 1 Myrtle avenue. 9 5 6

BUTTONHOLES—Mrs. C. M. Jackson has removed to 18 East 2d street, and desires employment making first-class buttonholes on ladies' and gentlemen's garments. 9 4 w

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WANTED—Work cleaning Vaults and Cesspools. Satisfaction guaranteed. City Odorless Excavating Works, 256 Broadway. Mrs. David Jones, Proprietor. No connection with JONES & CO. 6-11-tf

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**True and Marvelous Tales Suggested by the Mute Voice of a Bit of Wood Whose Home Was the Holy Land.—The Gift of Miss Yates to the Woman's Christian Temperance Union.—Work of the Union in the Past.—Its Attitude on Plainfield's License Question.—Work Mapped Out for the Coming Year, and Officers to Execute It.**

A group of women clustering eagerly about a neatly-fashioned mallet whose only adornment was a bit of snow-white ribbon, but whose history aroused sweet memories in tender hearts, formed an animated picture in the parlors of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union yesterday. The mallet, which had just been presented to the Union by the returned tourist, Miss Clementine Yates, for use as a gavel by the President of the society, was wrought of the wood of an olive tree from the forest which shaded Jesus when, at sight of the multitude, he went up into the Mount and taught his disciples the wonderful sermon which today bears so prominent a part in sacred history. When Miss Yates was sojourning in Palestine, during her recent twelvemonth's journey, she procured, direct from the Mount of Olives, the material for the gavel, and yesterday brought forth, beaming looks of appreciation by presenting it—mechanically perfected, and tied with the Union's badge, emblem of purity—to the organization in whose cause she is herself so earnest a worker, and whose personality was, as ever, near to her heart at even the most absorbing moments of her long absence.

The glad feeling prompted by that sigh of happiness—"Home again!"—seemed to pervade this gathering of earnest workers. Besides Miss Yates, Mrs. Tomlinson, the "Madam President," had just returned from foreign shores, and the meeting of the society was more of a pleasant reunion, tinged with the inspiration of the recollections stirred by the presentation, than it was a formal annual business session.

Much, however, was accomplished, in spite of the pardonable propensity to be more sociable than parliamentary; and besides the adjustment of various minor matters officers were chosen—in most cases re-elected—to conduct the important work mapped out for the coming year, as follows:

President—Mrs. T. H. Tomlinson.
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Honorary Vice President—Mrs. J. W. Yates.

Various interesting reports concerning the progress of the Union were read, both at yesterday's annual business meeting and the anniversary celebration Monday night. The most extended paper was that of the President, Mrs. T. H. Tomlinson, portions of which are given below:

We shall never correctly estimate the advantage of our Kitchen Garden in teaching the little girls how to do the work in the home. We are frequently informed of their great ability to do well, where they have had an opportunity to carry out their instruction. To Miss Alice Smith, our faithful Superintendent, we would give all the praise, for her patience, her firm, yet gentle teaching, which holds the children to strict obedience, and enables them, each in her place to carry out the directions so necessary in cooking. When one can control twelve girls for two hours in preparing separate dishes, we must give credit to her good training. Those who attended the Canopy Tea had an opportunity to see something of this work, but when we are established in our new home we hope to give frequent exhibitions of this very important branch. We are thankful that in the schools of Plainfield scientific temperance instruction is given; but we have deep cause for regret that in our State the bill providing for temperance instruction has again been defeated after thousands of names (655 going from Plainfield) were obtained through the efforts of our W. C. T. U. workers. Our representatives had given us hope by saying: "We believe in the measure, and will do all we can to put it through"; but alas, for human frailty! We do hope the time is not far distant when New Jersey will redeem herself, by sending sound temperance men to legislate for her children. We shall work persistently for this object, not weeping over hope deferred, and ceasing to work only when defeat is expressed by victory.

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Judging from the Sunday schools, it has been my privilege to know about, I fear that with the exception of the Methodist, which holds a temperance school once a month (for which we do entertain a certain pride), temperance instruction has not been very extensively given, which I cannot but consider a great error. We cannot become very enthusiastic in anything, unless we are interested in it; we cannot have an interest in it unless we know something about it; and we cannot know unless we study. We are aware that this subject has been pronounced hackneyed, and yet we are just commencing to learn the alphabet of this language, which will open to volumes, in reference to the deadly poison and its effects, which work both spiritual and physical death. Where, so well as in the training schools of our churches, could the many lessons that treat upon the topic in God's word be taught and discussed? I know of teachers who never instruct a class without bringing some practical temperance truths to their pupils, and I wish there were hundreds of them. We should soon have an army of Christian temperance men and women who would tread to the music of unseen hands, "The saloon must go." When our schools and our pulpits ring out this song every Sabbath and every day, the brewers and distillers will begin to grow solicitous, and they will not fear alone for woman's vote, which they say would threaten their business. The International Sunday School Convention did not give us all that we asked, but we did secure, by God's blessing, two out-and-out temperance lessons a year, beginning with 1892; and two other temperance lessons a year, *optional*; and the leaders recommend that the subject of temperance should be emphasized in all lessons in the regular course where it can be suitably done. Why should any teacher hesitate a moment if their hearts and consciences are attuned in the right direction.

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The evangelistic department brings us into the holy of holies, where we gain strength to battle with the foes within, and the foes without ourselves; where, guided by infinite wisdom, we can lead the impenitent, reclaim the wandering, and warn those who are going into unsafe doors. Our hearts have been encouraged by the trophies gathered this year, yet we have had discouragements as well in seeing some of our workers whom we thought were standing upon the rock, falling under the temptations too strong for those with an inherited or acquired habit to resist. Do we grow discouraged? Yes, when we look to the earthly: no, when we cast our eyes on the Godward side; for we are confident that in a day not far distant a radical change must take effect: for has not He said—"For I the Lord thy God will hold thy right hand, saying unto thee, fear not, I will help thee"? Could we grow faint-hearted with that promise? I cannot refrain from expressing my thanks as well as those of the Union to Mr. Edsall, who has led the Sunday afternoon meetings for many years. His faithfulness in attendance, his earnestness in presenting the word, his interest in our work, his desire for winning souls for Christ, are worthy of deep gratitude. Some time we hope he may know the result of his unceasing labors, and hear the welcome "Well done!" We have had several speakers during the year: Mrs. Ellis, our State Corresponding Secretary, whom we always delight to hear; Mr. P. A. Burdick, who remained three weeks, and awakened increased interest with each lecture, and whose precepts will come back to us with redoubled power in the years to come; Mr. Fernald editor of *The Better Day*; the Rev. W. E. Honeyman; Prof. A. R. Cornwall, of Nebraska, who spoke on "High License in Omaha"; Mrs. Laura Haviland, a Quakeress from Minnesota, and Mr. S. A. Haines, of Netherwood.

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We have had during the year two receptions for the members of our Union, giving them the privilege of inviting one friend. We think this an excellent channel of promoting sociability, as well as interesting others in our work. Light refreshments are served, and the hours passed in pleasant converse. After Mr. Burdick left, we invited all interested in the work, and especially the pledge-signers, to our rooms the next Saturday evening. The place was filled, and songs of praise were sung for the conquering power given to those who had been victims to this terrible enemy of their souls.

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The Kitchen Garden Committee has given three entertainments, which have almost paid for its departments: "An Evening with Mother Goose," in our rooms; a musical held at the residence of Dr. Tomlinson; and a canopy tea held in a tent, where the girls with their teacher, cooked various articles of food in the presence of visitors. The Union held a parlor sale in March, which increased the funds in our treasury.

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The question is often asked "Why does the Woman's Christian Temperance Union need money?" We have room-rent to pay, and a janitor to take care of the room. In our evening meeting, and cooking school we are obliged to burn gas. We must buy provisions for the class to use. We pay our Superintendent who teaches four classes a week; and here we would mention that we should like to form a class of girls this month who would be willing to pay three dollars for twelve lessons. Have you not a daughter or friend who would like to make a trial of this important branch in the home? Then we pay a man every time he takes the coffee cart to fires, or to the polls on election days. We furnish coffee, milk and sugar. If the cartman is remiss in attending fires at any time, it is not the fault of the committee having it in charge, as he is expected to be on duty. We have leaflets on various subjects often distributed at our meetings. We cannot do this without money. We have speakers, and we must remunerate them for service and not many work harder then our temperance speakers. Even this is but a part. Think of your own homes—of fuel needed, of the various little expenditures that have no name—and you will readily comprehend the necessity of money. We do feel under obligation to the churches and their pastors who have so kindly opened their doors to us, and to the organists and singers who have helped us so grandly. May all receive a true blessing from the Father of gifts.

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We would not forget the editors of our city papers, who are very kind in giving notices of our meetings, and who very often make a reduction in the printing. We are aware that these requests come to them often; and we do thank them as a small compensation for their sacrifice. We would also remember Mr. Summers, who has at different times spent many hours and hard labor in removing articles of furniture without charge.

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We think the citizens of our beautiful city are commencing, like Omaha, to see that high license is a delusion and a snare. We had thirteen hotels and saloons under the $500 fee; we have seventeen under $700. Never in our experience in the work have we seen and known of so many falling under temptation. Our hearts have cried out in agony to God to touch the consciences of our Christian men who hold this responsibility in their hands. We, the women, are free from this. We have no voice, no votes; our influence must be on the side that puts no temptation in the way of those we are trying to save. Where one can stand (even with the assistance of God and human help), ninety-nine will fall. Would we parents be consistent were we to place a glass of water containing a deadly poison before a thirsty child, and tell him not to drink it? Why should we place it before him? Why should we tell him not to taste it, and that it would injure him? "But oh," you say, "he should resist the temptation." We told him not to touch it; it might kill him; but he did not believe it, and thought that as it was placed there by your hand it would not, could not, be wrong for him to drink it. He does drink; suffers; dies. Who is responsible for the act? In this same manner these places are opened for the children, the men and the women, the weak and the tempted, to drink the deadly poisons. A high tax is paid for the privilege of ruining the bodies and souls of these people; they are expected to patronize the saloon, that the keeper may raise the money to pay the city. "Alas that gold should be so dear, and human blood so cheap!" At the same time, we must work against his business by warnings, by entreaties, by prayers, in persuading men to keep away from the places created for them. A man drinks, he is crazed, is noisy; must be arrested, must pay a fine, perhaps be sent to Elizabeth for a certain number of days or weeks, perhaps is guilty of State offense and is sent to prison. Is he responsible for doing that which he would not do unless under the influence of drink which the city placed before him, yet said to him You must not drink it? Is he the only one to suffer? Think of the mother, the wife, the helpless children, who must go to bed supperless, go clad in rags, and be branded as the children of a drunkard. When will our good people learn consistency, that the way to avert evil is to be strong against it, and that one with God on the side of right is a majority? No house can be built so high, the foundation cannot be laid so deep, the walls so thick, dear friends, but this monster may climb over, creep under, or rush his way through into the sanctuary called home, and there snatch the brightest jewel from your casket, and you may find when too late that your influence might have removed the cause while you were discussing the methods. Is not your beautiful boy—bright and pure as Earth's flowers or Heaven's stars—worth more than seven hundred dollars, the price put upon him by this city! Who can estimate his worth? Are you willing he should be sold for time and eternity for this sum? Fonder well; ye know not the future, nor what it may bring to your boy, to your home. Sir Wilfred Lawson, sustained by Mr. Gladstone, in the House of Commons, said in reference to restricting the sale of intoxicating liquor in England—"The country has hitherto pensioned men for killing enemies of the nation. The bill under discussion would pension those who were daily active in killing their fellow-countrymen."

We entreat you to help us save our citizens. As we endeavor to catch glimpses of the dimly-lighted future, Hope beckons us onward to increasing toil, until the glorious dawn of another brighter morning shall dispel all the heavy mists of doubt and we awaken to a higher realization of faith, stronger in our purposes to overcome every obstacle, and finally to conquer the hydra-headed serpent which would ruin every home in this land we love.

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We have been called to sorrow by losing two of our members: Mrs. Alfred Berry, who for many years was a regular attendant at all our meetings, and our dear friend, Mrs. F. E. Marsh, who was one of our efficient officers and choicest spirits. We have missed her genial presence, her earnest prayers and her sympathy with our work; but she has entered into the glories of the redeemed, and will be forever with her blessed Saviour. We could not for one moment wish her back to suffering, knowing so well her preparation for the life beyond. May each one of us be as ready to answer the summons, "Child, come up higher!"

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For years we have felt the necessity of larger rooms and greater conveniences for enlarging our work, but this year the command from our Master to "arise and build" has come to us in language not to be misunderstood, so that we need not hesitate longer. A committee of the general officers and the vice presidents from the various churches, with Mrs. G. H. Babcock as Chairman, was appointed, with an Advisory Board of gentlemen consisting of the Rev. K. P. Ketcham, Messrs G. H. Babcock, Minturn Smith, Seely Edsall, S. Cahoone, *Jr.*, Martin Cooley, S. R. Krom, J. M. McNaughton and T. H. Tomlinson. After much prayerful thought and investigation our Union decided to purchase the lot situated at the corner of Park avenue and Sixth street, and when this is paid for, as we trust it will be before the close of another year, we hope to erect a building dedicated to God, for the furtherance of His work. Already money has come to us unasked for, and since the gold and the silver belong to Him who created them we *know* it will not be withheld from advancing temperance and holiness, if we are true and faithful to Him who has promised glorious results.

## CALVES GAMBOL ON THE GREEN.

**A Somewhat Thrilling Though Ludicrous Scene in the Suburbs.**

The story runs that in one of our suburban towns—say Fanwood, for instance—a gentleman owning twin calves, Bessie and Flossie, was asked by a young lady if she could not have the pleasure of mounting one of them. The request was granted, and family and friends at once repaired to the fields to witness this unique event, where Miss Flossie and Miss Bessie, with their mother, were quietly enjoying their evening repast.

While the young lady was endeavoring to tame and coax one of the gentle creatures, one other lady in the party thought she would try her persuasive powers on the twin-sister, Miss Flossie. The latter, however, apparently not accustomed to such loving embraces, did not submit very graciously to the kind treatment.

By some unexplained action, the lady became entangled in the rope, and Miss Flossie began to revolutionize around the stake—carrying the lady with her—a strange though funny sight. Finally Miss Flossie was caught and held, not without a great amount of strength, while the unfortunate victim was released from her unpleasant position, and, thankful to say, uninjured—only a little frightened.

Moral: Never try to ride calves.

**Paris Illustrated by Tongue and Pictures.**

Prof. Donald Downie, in his illustrated lecture on Napoleon Bonaparte, before the guests of The Netherwood, last evening, furnished what is called by all present one of the best and highest class entertainments ever presented at that fashionable hostelry. With one hundred beautiful colored views thrown vividly by the finest calcium light on a white screen the full height of the large parlors, he held a large and select audience, by his eloquent and stirring discourse, for nearly two hours. Everyone present united in saying that the professor's familiarity with the French language and history, and his enthusiasm in his subject, make this one of the most enjoyable literary and artistic treats.

September 22, in Plainfield, Professor Downie will open for the benefit of the Reform Club.

## NO BURIALS ALIVE.

**A Medical Journal Says Such Stories Are Unfounded.**

Very comforting news is brought to those who stand in daily dread of being buried alive. The current number of the Medical and Surgical Reporter says:

"The fear of being buried alive haunts the minds of so many of our fellowmen that it may hardly be regarded as strange, in some respects, that it was recently reported that a number of physicians in a city near Philadelphia had banded themselves together to devise means to prevent such a catastrophe in their own case. And, when physicians could take such measures in view of a supposed danger, it is not remarkable that the community should have a special and exaggerated horror of being buried alive. But this horror is as without reason as is the timidity of the physicians referred to. There seems to be no good ground whatever for supposing that it is possible in this enlightened age for any person to be committed to the grave while yet living. Stories relating such occurrences are by no means rare; but any one who examines them closely will certainly remark that they are wholly lacking in originality, and that there is in fact so strong a resemblance between them as to excite the suspicion that one has been copied from another. Investigation will show, too, that this suspicion is a well-founded one; at least such has been the experience of the editor of the Medical and Surgical Reporter, who has for some years followed up every story of burial alive which came to his notice and always with the result of learning that they were false or of failing to learn any thing about their origin.

"The most recent experience of this sort occurred in connection with a story published in the daily papers on June 10, 1890, of a man who was said to have died and to have been buried alive in Chicago. After tracing the story from one point of the newspaper world to another it was found to have originated in a Chicago paper, which said the man had been sent as dead from a hospital in that city on February 23, and that afterward he had been buried; that the buriers had heard sounds like knocking on the coffin lid, but went ahead with the burial, and that after an interval the grave was opened and the coffin lid removed to disclose that the man had turned over, torn his hair out, buried his fingers in his flesh, and so on. At the end of our investigation we received a letter from the hospital stating that it never had a patient of the name given, that no person died in the hospital on the date given, and treating the story as a hoax. The Associated Press agent in Chicago, who started the story round the country, on being asked if he thought there was any truth in it, replied to our representative: 'I am not supposed to believe every thing these fellows (meaning the reporters) write.'

"This is the latest story, and it illustrates the unreliability of all that we know any thing about, and the utter lack of principle which usually lies at the bottom of them. As physicians we may, by publishing the falseness of such stories, do something to allay the awful fears which they excite in the minds of many of our fellow-beings; and we may hope that those who manage the daily newspapers will some day properly punish reporters who furnish them with such cruel inventions."

## ORIENTAL TRIUMPHS.

**A Most Beautiful Fabric Miss Bisland Brought From Japan.**

Miss Elizabeth Bisland, during her trip round the world last spring, picked up in Japan one of the most exquisite fabrics ever brought to this country. The Orientals call it rainbow crepe, and surely never was a name more aptly given. The silky, daintily woven stuff is of silver white, having a sheen as of moonlight overlying its minute crepy twill. Then running in diagonal fashion across the narrow breadths are faint illusive colors of pale rose, light gold, the blue of early dawn, a dim green tint and shadowy lilac. These ravishing hues, that are rather suggested than defined, seem to glimmer through warf and woof of the lustrous silk, one minute burning in flames of color, to be lost the next in vague, melting lights.

Costly and adorably beautiful as this rainbow material is justly reckoned, it holds no place whatever besides the moon-cloths worn by the Japanese nobles. Looking over and even handling this enchanting silken web, one can scarcely credit its reality. All of the golden pallor of Diana's nightly loveliness has been caught and imprisoned in its spidery threads. There are silvery beams that the cunning craftsman has shot through his loom, to be subdued by the warm glow of the harvester's honey-colored moon. Here the lights are vastly heightened, and there the shuttle has thrown in a thread that hints of dusk and gloom. So far these wonderful triumphs of Celestial skill are unknown to the Western world.

A short time since Miss Bisland appeared in her rainbow gown at a dinner given by Sir John Millais, in London. The great artist had never before seen any thing of the kind, and grew vastly enthusiastic over the matchless beauty of the stuff.—Illustrated American.

**The Postilion Basque.**

Blouses may come and go. Coat basques may have the same experience, but the trim, well-fitting postilion basque is always in good form if it fits well. A basque that fits well is one that is not too tight to permit easy movement of the arms, and is one that does not need to be closed with a shoe buttoner. The wise woman who wants to keep her basque in good shape puts on her bonnet before she assumes it. Then, before any fastening begins, the inside belt should be drawn together, and it isn't the best thing to have the belt very tight, for that does not make the basque fit closer and does make the drawing of it together more difficult. By the by, no matter how you may be tempted to put large buttons on your bodice, remember that only small ones are considered good form. There must be a great many of these, so that the possibility of the opening standing apart even an inch between them does not exist.—Chicago News.


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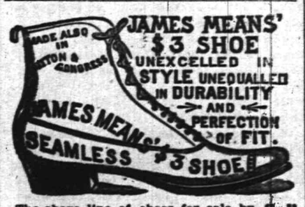

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## TO A LITTLE BROOK.

You're not so big as you were then,
O little brook!
I mean those hazy summers when
We boys roamed, full of awe, beside
Your noisy, foaming, tumbling tide,
And wondered if it could be true
That there were bigger brooks than you,
O mighty brook! O peerless brook!

All up and down the reedy place
Where lives the brook,
We angled for the furtive dace;
The redwing-blackbird did his best
To make us think he'd built his nest
Hard by the stream, when, like as not,
He'd hung it in a secret spot
Far from the brook, the telltale brook!

And often, when the noontime heat
Parboiled the brook,
We'd draw our boots and swing our feet
Upon the waves that, in their play,
Would tag us last and scoot away;
And mother never seemed to know
What burnt our legs and chapped them so—
But father guessed it was the brook!

And Fido—how he loved to swim
The cooling brook,
Whenever we'd throw sticks for him;
And how we boys did wish that we
Could only swim as good as he—
Why, Daniel Webster never was
Recipient of such great applause
As Fido, battling with the brook!

But once—O most unhappy day
For you, my brook—
Came Cousin Sam along that way;
And, having lived a spell out West,
Where creeks aren't counted much at best
He neither waded, swam, nor leapt,
But, with superb indifference, *stept*
Across that brook—our mighty brook!

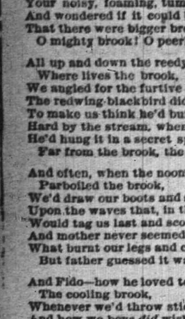
Why do you scamper on your way
You little brook—
When I come back to you to-day?
Is it because you flee the grass
That lunges at you as you pass,
As if, in playful mood, it would
Tickle the truant if it could,
You chuckling brook—you saucy brook!

Or is it you no longer know—
You fickle brook—
The honest friend of long ago?
The years that kept us twain apart
Have changed my face but not my heart—
Many and sore those years, and yet
I fancied you could not forget
That happy time, my playmate brook!

Oh! sing again in artless glee,
My little brook,
The song you used to sing for me—
The song that's lingered in my ears
So soothingly these many years;
My grief shall be forgotten when
I hear your tranquil voice again
And that sweet song, dear little brook!
—Eugene Field, in Chicago News.

## A PEDDLER'S ADVENTURE

### His Terrible and Lonely Battle with a Mad Man.



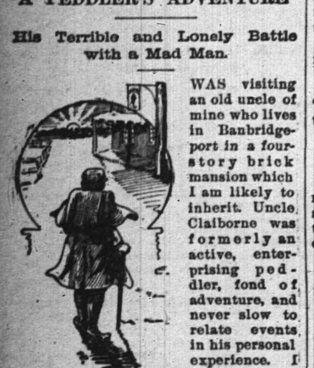
WAS visiting an old uncle of mine who lives in Banbridgeport in a four-story brick mansion which I am likely to inherit. Uncle Claiborne was formerly an active, enterprising peddler, fond of adventure, and never slow to relate events in his personal experience. I remember one stormy December evening, when the wind was howling dismally outside and the snow driving fiercely against the window panes, he stirred the log fire into a cheerful blaze, and related to me the following exciting adventure:

When I was about your age, Moses, I was reckoned the stoutest lad and most active young peddler in the country, ready for a fight or a frolic; but while a constant pedestrian, meeting with no incident worthy of testing my courage and endurance, until an event occurred, which, though not of the character anticipated, was sufficiently novel to satisfy for some time to come my love for personal adventure.

I started off, one week in November, with my pack on my back, cheerfully whistling as I trudged through the lonely by-roads, where many a helpless traveler had been waylaid, ever and anon starting as some jagged stump or gnarled oak assumed the fierce guise of a lurking robber.

Towards the evening of a raw, chilly day I reached the outskirts of a small village, rejoiced to recognize a tavern sign, with a full-length figure of Lafayette, swinging in the breeze; so I marched inside and quite independently ordered a hot supper and a bed for the night.

The landlord—a burly, red-faced individual—cocked his head on one side and considerately informed me that while the hot supper might be furnished, not



"YOU CAN'T ACCOMMODATE ME, THEN?"

a bed was to be had in the house for love or money, as it was assize week and every spare room and closet was occupied.

"You can't accommodate me, then?" said I, much disappointed.

"No," replied he, decidedly. "I am sorry, young man, I can't; but seeing it's a pretty cold night, and no chance of you finding quarters elsewhere, I'll take you in, provided you'll keep watch over a sick man upstairs, and have your supper gratis in the bargain."

"How far is it to the next tavern?" I asked, after a short pause, undecided as to the offer.

"Ten long miles."

I looked up the road, thought of the cold wind and inhospitable farm-houses on my route, and rather hastily concluded to accept the strange proposition of mine host.

"You see," observed he, as he led me into the supper room, "we've a man here, a young lawyer, sick of a fever. All his friends are tired out watching with him. I don't like to leave the poor fellow alone, for I hardly expect he'll last the night through. All you've got to do is to keep an eye on him now, and then when he dies just let us know."

I imagined at that moment the innkeeper's face bore rather a singular expression. I wondered at it then, but I understood better before two hours had passed.

When I dispatched my supper, I was shown into the sick man's chamber, and Boniface, after a few instructions to me, bade me good evening and left me there.

The apartment was of ordinary size and situated in a wing of the building where the noise and bustle would not molest the invalid. The furniture was in the usual style; but there was something very familiar in a portrait that attracted my attention, for, after casting a glance at the sick man, who lay muffled up in bed and breathing heavily, my eye involuntarily turned to the picture again.

It was the portrait of a young and beautiful female that had barely reached her sixteenth year, the face beaming with the innocent vivacity of girlhood, and the eyes sparkling with a wonderful degree of light and intelligence.

Riveted there by an unaccountable and mysterious fascination, I stood gazing at the lovely embodiment, almost expecting the face to glow with animation, the lips to part and speak, when I was startled as a clear, musical voice observed: "A beautiful picture, that."

I turned round to discover, with no small degree of astonishment, that the sick man had partially raised himself to a sitting posture, and was also contemplating the lovely portrait with as much earnestness as myself.

The invalid, despite the ravages of disease, which showed itself in his hollow eyes and attenuated frame, was an uncommonly handsome man; his features bore the impress of aristocratic lineage, and his finely chiseled nose and mouth expressed strong passions and uncontrollable will.

"You feel better," I said, recovering from my surprise.

He waved his hand impatiently.

"You have not answered my question. The picture—the picture; what do you think of it?"

"Pardon me, sir. It is beautiful!"

"You have no idea of the original?"

"None, sir."

"It is the portrait," replied the sick man, speaking slowly and deliberately, and fastening upon me his black, glittering eye—"it is the portrait of my dearest wife."

"Your wife!" I repeated.

"My wife, Evelyn St. Croix," pursued the sick man. "Do you notice her eye?"

"I do."

"A strange, unearthly expression; the artist was true to nature. She was mad when he painted her; she died raving mad."

"What a dreadful fate for one so young!"

"Listen; she deserved it. Evelyn St. Croix was beautiful, but she was weak and vain; she was graceful as a nymph, but false—false as hell!"

The sick man fell back on his pillow, exhausted by the violence of his exertions; then, after a few moments, he raised himself again and muttered hoarsely: "It affects me, the remembrance of her perfidy. It sometimes makes me wild and delirious. Stop! you shall hear about it—the story of my wrongs and sufferings."

"You are too weak; it excites you. I will listen to the story some other time."

"No; you shall hear it now," reiterated the sick man, almost fiercely. "I loved her—met her—loved her in a moment, before I had time to ask her whether she had any affection to bestow upon me. She was disappointed, and married me when she could not wed him whom she adored. I worshiped her, and deemed her as pure as the driven snow. She whispered in my ear that she loved me; and I, fool like, believed it, and accepted her caresses and protestations, never dreaming that woman loves silently the best, and kisses and blandishments are too often an artful cloak to conceal base designs. I was cozened and beguiled with soft, honeyed words and flattering caresses. I dreamt not all the while I was clasping a viper to my bosom—you are not listening to me!"

"I am."

"My family physician was young and fascinating. He had free access to my wife's society. He availed himself of it, and made her love for him a vehicle to his own selfish passions. The world guessed the truth. I knew nothing of my dishonor, for I had faith in Evelyn. My friends wondered at my blindness and pitied me. But finally a note fell in my hands; it opened my eyes—made me feel wretched. I laid a snare for my faithless wife and her paramour, and slew him before her eyes. She went raving mad. Since that fearful hour I have sworn a vow which I have ever kept."

The invalid paused and glanced at me with a ferocity that caused a feeling of uneasiness to creep over me.

"You can not guess?"

"No."

"I will tell you. Every year I have offered up a sacrifice on the altar of my vengeance. You must be the victim now."

"You do not mean that?"

"Ha! ha! ha!" laughed the sick man, suddenly raising himself upon his feet, while his eyes flashed like two balls of fire. "You think me weak—you are mistaken. I have the strength of Samson. You shall see."

As he said this, with one bound he vaulted to the floor, and deliberately locked and bolted the door. And now the horrible truth flashed upon me that I was with a madman, and that he had me completely and absolutely in his power. Confounded as I was by this discovery, I endeavored to preserve my composure.

"I am to be your victim?"

"Yes; you can not escape me!" he hissed. "You are a coward; I know it—I see it in your eye! Call and shout to the walls; they have ears and will listen; every one is asleep; no human ear can catch your cries; you are doomed; ha! ha! ha!"

Long and loud the maniac laughed. I felt the perilous situation I was in, yet I quailed not; every thing depended upon my own courage and self-possession. Quick as lightning I darted forward and caught up my walking-stick—a stout, knotty weapon of defense, nearly as hard as iron.

"Come on!" I cried, defiantly. "If you wish to have a bout with me, you see I am ready."

The maniac seized a chair and struck at me with all the superhuman energy of his nature, endeavoring to force me into a corner.

I wisely kept in the middle of the room and parried his fierce blows with my trusted stick, but my stubborn defense seemed to inspire the maniac with ten-fold fury. The chair finally was shattered to pieces; but the madman quickly seized another, and fairly rained on me a torrent of desperate

THE FIGHT WITH THE MANIAC.

blows, which required the utmost vigilance on my part to ward off. Failing in overpowering me, the madman, with diabolical cunning, suddenly rushed to the hearth and scattered the burning brands on the floor; and, while clouds of smoke rose from the burning embers, he attacked me with renewed ferocity.

I had hoped that my continual shouting, and the din of battle, would have aroused the household; but no one came. A new danger menaced me; several times the bedding took fire, but was promptly extinguished by the most tremendous exertions on my part. My antagonist seemed endowed with the strength of 10,000 devils, while I was comparatively growing weaker and weaker. My arm seemed palsied and my head swam dizzily. In a moment I must give up—my strength was nearly exhausted, when, to my great relief, the madman suddenly paused.

Drops of perspiration rolled down his body, and his limbs trembled violently; yet I could see, though the exciting contest had told fearfully on him, he was by no means as exhausted as myself. His eyes glittered with latent ferocity as he shrieked: "You fight well, but I shall win; you are doomed already; I can see it; I will tear you limb from limb!"

I had no opportunity to reply, for, almost immediately, he resumed his savage attack. But the momentary respite had saved me; and, as I warily husbanded my strength, I was overjoyed to perceive that he began to show evident signs of exhaustion; but no—he suddenly recuperated with wonderful power. Again his blows thunder on my stout stick. I am gradually losing my strength. I can not hold out much longer, and the madman sees it, and redoubles his exertions. My weapon is struck at last from my weak grasp; I hear the exultant shout of the maniac in my ear and clinch my fist in one feeble, despairing effort to defend myself from the impending stroke, when suddenly a strange transformation takes place in the madman. He pauses and drops his weapon, his fierce eye assumes a dull, filmy aspect, and the fierce expression fades away in a stupid air of idiocy; he reels and falls to the floor in a death-like stupor; his tremendous vitality vanished as quickly as it came.

At the same instant I hear a hurried tread of feet outside and loud knocking. The door was burst open, and, with the consciousness of safety, the reaction came. With a faint ejaculation of joy and gratitude, I fell insensible to the floor.

When I was restored to consciousness, Moses, I found a crowd of curious faces of men around me, all eager to hear from my lips the particulars of my desperate encounter with the madman.

It appears that I literally battled with him all night, and the extraordinary exhibition of endurance on my part earned for me the reputation of a young hero; but I never told any one that I owed my victory over the madman chiefly to that portrait of the pretty girl; for, whenever I felt myself growing weak, a glance at the face would inspire me with tenfold strength. You smile, but the portrait was, after all, the landlord's daughter, and the story only aromantic fiction of the diseased brain of the madman.

"The picture was not, then, the portrait of Evelyn St. Croix?" I asked.

"No, my dear boy, it was your aunt's picture, as it afterwards proved. So you can now understand the inspirations that gave me the strength to go through that fearful night in a struggle for life."—N. Y. World.

—Johnny (looking at lightning rod on barn)—"I'd like to know why it branches out into two parts after it gets up on the roof." Willie (with supreme contempt for the other's ignorance)—"To catch the forked lightning, o' course!"—Chicago Tribune.

—"John, will you mind the baby?" "I will, my dear, if you think I can make him mind me." — Munsey's Weekly.

## VARIED AND INTERESTING.

A BICYCLER recently rode down Mount Washington, making the journey—about eight miles—in an hour, and without accident.

THE most valuable metal in the world is said to be gallium, which is worth $3,250 an ounce. Calcium brings $1,800 a pound and cerium $1,920 per pound. Gold is worth $240 a pound.

THE following notice is posted on the main street at Athena, Ore.: "To my neighbors: If my spring chickens are disturbing your garden, kill them and eat them. Don't pile them out in the alley to become a nuisance. John Edington."

AMONG the examination papers recently submitted by candidates in San Bernardino County were the following answers: "Seattle is on the west coast of Africa;" "Seattle is in the southern part of France;" "The towns of San Bernardino County are: San Francisco, Oakland, San Jose, San Rafeal and Sacramento." Another gem: "The Gulf stream is a cool, moist breeze that helps to cool the air."

N. L. COURTER, of Manatee, Fla., says he has killed his last blacksnake. It was four feet long, and from its mouth protruded a moccasin's tail. He stood on the tail and had his boy pull the blacksnake off, disclosing a moccasin about two feet long, which had been swallowed. Mr. Courter saw a blacksnake swallow a blue moccasin several years ago, and Dan Richards saw one kill a large rattler, and George Brown saw one kill a moccasin, so spare the blacksnakes, he says, for they do more good than harm.

THE method proposed by Captain Woolward, of the British marine service, for doing away with oars as a means of propelling ship's life-boats, consists of a hand-power screw propeller, which enables the boat to be driven by any one in it, though unacquainted with rowing. This arrangement, he claims, will obviate the chance of passengers who may get away from a stranded ship finding themselves in a boat without oars, or, having them, without any one skilled in their use. The machinery takes up little room, is simple and efficient.

THE pastor of one of the Babylon (L. I.) churches is quoted as delivering the following brief but pointed discourse at the morning service for the benefit of the gaudily dressed young men who had been in the habit of sauntering into church late and leaving before the services closed: "For the benefit of the young men who come into this church after service has commenced and leave before the collection plate is passed, I wish to say that the hour of service is eleven o'clock and the benediction is pronounced by twelve. I would also remark that the style of attire adopted by these young men, while perhaps very becoming, is more suited for tennis court, ball field or bull fight than for the house of God."

WHY so many bald-headed men are bachelors is thus explained by a recent writer: "There is a great deal of capillary attraction in love. Girls adore a handsome suit of glossy hair; it is lovely. And when a lover comes to woo her with the top of his head shining like a greased pumpkin he is at a disadvantage. Just as the words that grow and thoughts that burn begin to awaken in her bosom a sympathetic thrill she may happen to notice two or three flies promenading over his phrenological organs, and all is over. Girls are so frivolous. She immediately becomes more interested in those flies than in all his lovely language. While he is pouring out his love and passion she is wondering how the flies manage to hold on to such a slippery surface."

## RARE RELICS OF ANTIQUITY.

RECENT discoveries among ancient tombs in Etruria unmistakably show that dentistry was practised as far back as six centuries before the Christian era. Several of the skulls examined had false teeth, carved from those of some large animals, while many of the natural teeth had gold-filling.

THE British Museum has recently become possessed of a Chinese bank note issued from the Imperial mint three hundred years before the circulation of paper money in Europe, or in the first year, or one of the first years, of the reign of the first Ming Emperor. The first real bank in Europe was that of Barcelona, established in 1401.

A COFFIN inscribed with the date 1793 was recently opened in a grave-yard of St. James' Church, Clerkenwell, and, to the surprise of the workmen, there was little about the corpse to show that it had been buried a hundred years and not a few days. The flesh seemed to have turned into a kind of wax. The body was that of a finely formed woman of thirty-five. The features were perfectly distinguishable, the teeth were in place, and the lines of the body were firm and clear.

NEAR Sumerset, in Perry County, O., is an ancient ruin, whose walls, inclosing forty acres, were built of undressed stone, now lying in confusion. They have been estimated sufficient to build a wall seven feet high and six feet broad around the whole forty acres inclosure. One gateway between two large rocks opened into the country and was defended by a huge bowlder. The inclosure contained a large stone mound. No skeletons have been found and the inclosure was certainly used for other purposes than habitation or sacrifice.

IT is reported from Maine that, buried among the clam shells at Cundy's Harbor, the Pejepscott Historical Society recently found "some rare and suggestive reminders of prehistoric times. Bones of the deer, porpoise, beaver, fox, woodchuck and some smaller carniverous animals, birds of several kinds, including a well-preserved specimen of the wing bone of the great auk, now wholly extinct, were picked up. Fragments of pottery were numerous, as well as chips of stone broken off in the manufacture of stone implements. Of implements, half a dozen perfect and some broken ones were discovered. Only one piece of worked bone occurred, a broken awl."

## ABOUT EXTRAVAGANCE.

### In the Past Money Was Spent More Recklessly Than at Present.

Pessimism continually charges a woful extravagance upon our age. The fathers, it says, were compeled to scrape and to save, mindful of every dollar, and content if only a meager balance remained to their credit at the end of the year. We are rapidly drifting into enervating luxury, it affirms, and our costly buildings, and paintings, sculpture, our comfortable modes of life, and our reckless way of considering public and private expenditures are indicative of an unhappy mental and even moral degeneration. There is much apparently in support of such statement. We are weary of prosaic living, in great degree, and long for a release to a civilization eminently comfortable if not luxurious, and, at least, "interesting," as Matthew Arnold would say. Not so far beneath our greed for monetary prosperity, indeed, existing as a potent motive to accumulation, is the natural desire for a better social condition. We take a half-holiday now and then to study great pictures or statues; we read more than ever good books and magazines, and we live in better houses. All this is necessary to proper development, and yet we must confess a certain tendency to extravagance, careless and dangerous. Still, however reckless we may be, it is perhaps a consolation to know that we are less extravagant than the people of certain other times. We pay our thousands for our houses, our pictures and our sculpture, and yet do not equal the Greeks and the Romans in expenditure. Attalus offered Nicias a sum equal to $75,000 for a painting, and the artist refused him, preferring to present the picture to his country as a gift. Julius Cæsar bought of Timomachus, the Athenian painter, two figures for eighty talents, or $100,000, and Apelles received some $25,000 for a portrait of Alexander wielding a thunderbolt. Indeed, he himself paid $75,000 for the pictures with which Protogenes had adorned his studio, and which had proved unsalable, and this chiefly as an encouragement to a struggling fellow-artist. Some of our public lecturers command excelent salaries, assuredly, but none of them would demand any thing like the $12,000 which Athens paid to Herodotus for reading his history at the Panathenaic festival. Socrates, it is said, received almost $19,000 for one oration, and, probably, even Dr. Depew could be engaged at a figure more reasonable. We all remember that Virgil was rewarded most generously for his few lines on the young Marcellus, and Suetonius says that Asellius Sabinus received four hundred thousand sesterces—some $17,000—for a dialogue between a mushroom, a cabbage, a thrush and an oyster. It cost the city of the Averni in Gaul a round million and a half for a statue of Mercury, and this expenditure seems to have been not especially exorbitant for the age. A hundred other examples of ancient extravagance might easily be found, but all would point to the same general truth, that our recklessness of expenditure has not yet equaled the recklessness of the past. But we must remember that a national lapse into luxurious idleness is followed always by national decay, and keep our eyes wide open to the pleasant but dangerous tendency of the present.—Providence Journal.

## AMERICA'S RICHEST WIDOW.

### She Maintains a Private Chapel Costing Seventy Thousand Dollars.

Never has there been such universal church-going in New York as during the present season. I saw a lady in black step out of a handsome mourning carriage in front of St. Thomas' church, last Wednesday afternoon, and some one told me that it was Mrs. Moses Taylor, who, with Mrs. W. H. Vanderbilt, shares the honor of being the richest widow in America. She is a member of the Presbyterian church, but is subject to no bigotries and finds pleasure in occasional attendance upon services in Episcopal churches. Churchgoing is one of her favorite pursuits at all times, and down at Long Branch she has a private chapel and chaplain of her own, who ministers to her spiritual needs during her summer sojourn. This chapel cost her $70,000, is attended by quite a large congregation of the local Presbyterians and is the center through which she distributes her many beautiful and lavish charities. It was a great surprise to her, upon her husband's death, to find herself so rich a woman, for he never talked to her about his business, and though she knew he was a wealthy man, she had formed no calculation as to the amount he was worth; no one, indeed, not even his executors, had credited old Taylor with more than half a dozen millions at the most, and the surprise of the latter was great on the appointed day, when they and the widow went to open the doors of the particularly-solid vault which the old man had built into the wall of his office.

The innermost compartment was large enough to hold certificates of stock and and the like securities without folding. There was a great stack of these papers lying neatly on top of each other, unwrinkled and uncreased. They represented Taylor's investments in railroads, banks and insurance companies, deeds of real estate and every sort of sound financial venture. The widow did not comprehend the full meaning of this great pile of documents, but the executors looked at each other with pleased significance, and set about making an inventory, jotting down figures on the back of a card, and announcing in awed tones to the widow, when this pleasing task was done, that she was the sole possessor of a fortune amounting to $40,000,000. She bore it with that meek and gentle resignation of which even the worst of us would be capable under similar circumstances, and many unfortunates have since had reason to be grateful that this great sum fell into such discreet and charitable hands. Mrs. Vanderbilt is also a faithful church-goer, having pews in several different churches, one of her favorite places of worship being old Trinity.—Brooklyn Eagle.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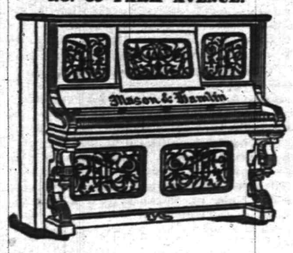
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Leave New York from foot of Liberty street, 4 30, 5 45, 7, 7 45, 8 45, 10, 11, A. M., 1, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4, 4 30, 5, 5 15, 5 30, 5 45, 6, 6 15, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 8, 8 30, 9 15, 10, 12 30 P. M., 12 15, night. Sunday—4 30, 7, 8 30, 9, 9 30, A. M., 12 M., 1, 1 15, 4, 5 30, 6, 7, 9 00, 10 00 P. M., 12 15 night.

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Leave Plainfield 5 38, 6 29, 6 59, 7 30, 8, 8 27, 9 32, 10 05, 11 09, 11 39, A. M., 1, 2 07, 2 30, 3 12, 3 51, 5 08, 5 31, 6 07, 6 54, 7 03, 8 31, 10 12, 11 28 P. M. Sunday—8 01, 8 52, 11 02, 11 16, A. M., 12 33, 1 33, 3 20, 5 16, 7 01, 7 10, 8 23, 8 32, 10 02 P. M.

Leave Newark 7 10, 7 50, 8 05, 10 05, 11 05 A. M., 1 05, 1 35, 2 40, 3 40, 4 02, 4 37, 5 05, 5 30, 5 55, 6 25, 7 15, 7 35, 8 20, 9 25, 10 10, 11 25 P. M. Sunday—7 20, 8 40, 9 05, 9 50, A. M., 12 05, 1 10, 4 10, 5 40, 6 05, 7 05, 9 25, 10 30 P. M.

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Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7, 8 07, 9 42, 11, 11 58 A. M., 1 52, 3 22, 3 48, 4 34, 5 20, 5 54, 6 20, 6 39, 7 08, 7 12, 7 48, 8 20, 9 43, 11 13, 12 43 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 13 A. M., 2 03, 6 35 P. M.

Leave Somerville, 6, 6 30, 7 03, 7 25, 7 35, 7 48 9 05, 9 47, 11 15 A. M., 12 35, 1 15, 1 48, 2 05, 3 2 4 40, 4 12, 5 35, 6 05, 8 50, 11 05, P. M. Sunday—8 25, 10 35 A. M., 12 08, 1 05, 4 50, 6 40, 8 05, 8 55, 9 30 P. M.

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Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7, 8 07, 9 42, A. M., 1 59, 4 34, 5 20, 6 38, 8 20 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 13 A. M., 2 03, 6 35 P. M.

Leave Easton 6 05, 8 44, 10 A. M., 12 32, 4 09, 6 49 P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 52, A. M., 6 40, 7 30 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 7, 9 42 A. M., 1 59, 5 20 P. M. Sunday—8 13 A. M.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

LEAVE PLAINFIELD.

5 45 A. M. for Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

7 A. M. for High Bridge Branch and Easton.

8 07 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 42 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Easton, Reading, Allentown, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Nanticoke, Drifton, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c.

1 59 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, &c.

4 34 P. M. for D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

5 20 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Schooley's Mountain, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, &c.

6 20 P. M. for Flemington.

6 38 P. M. for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg.

8 20 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8 13 a. m. Sundays for High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, &c., 2 03 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua and Pottsville. 6 35 p. m Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m. 1 p. m.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c.

Leave Plainfield 3 37, 8, 11 09, a. m., 1, 2 53, 5 31, p. m. Sundays—(except Ocean Grove) 8 52, a. m., 2 20 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 38, 8, 10 05, 11 09 a. m., 1, 2 53, 5 31, 7 03 p. m. Sunday—8 52 a. m., 2 20 p. m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8, 11 09 a. m., 1, 2 53, 5 31, p. m.

ROUND BROOK ROUTE.

Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia, 1 17, 5 46, 8 29, 9 48, 11 58*, a. m., 1 56*, 2 52*, 4 08, 5 34*, 6 36*, 8 20 p. m. Sundays—1 17, 9 48, a. m., 2 20* 4 08, 5 14*, 5 55 p. m.

For Baltimore and Washington at 1 17, 9 48, 11 58*, a. m., 2 46, 4 08, 5 34* p. m. Sundays—1 17, 9 48 a. m., 2 47, 4 08, 5 14* p. m.

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From 24th and Chestnut—8 10, 8 20*, 11 08, a. m., 12 02, 3 20, 6 18, 8 05, p. m. Sundays—3 10, 8 35 a. m., 12 02, 3 20, 5 18, 8 05 p. m.

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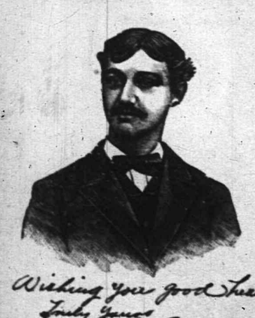

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## KNIGHTS DEPRESSED

### The Strike on the Central Road at a Standstill.

### NO HOPE FROM CHAUNCEY DEPEW

### He Upholds Vice-President Webb in All That Has Been Done.

**Powderly Speaks at Syracuse—He Believes the Pinkerton Detectives Are the Real Train Wreckers—He Will See Depew About Arbitration—An Assessment Levied Upon the Knights.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 10.—The strike on the Central is regarded as at a standstill. The Knights of Labor have been holding out awaiting the arrival home of Chauncey M. Depew, the president, and they entertain a small hope that he would condemned in some measure the stand which his third vice-president has maintained since the strike commenced.

The leaders of the Knights feel disappointed and chagrined that President Depew does not only not condemn, but actually commends and upholds H. Walter Webb in all he has done.

President Depew was seen by a reporter at the Windsor Hotel. He said he would not talk at present in regard to the strike and the position of the Central company.

"I must have time to rest after the fatigue of the ocean voyage. I shall look into all the affairs of the company, especially those connected with the strike, as soon as I have breathing space, and will, I think, be in a position to talk in a day or so."

### A RUSH TO HEAR POWDERLY.

**He Thinks the Pinkerton Detectives Were the Train Wreckers.**

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Sept. 11.—Two thousand people went to the Alhambra Rink amid a torrent of rain last night to listen to an address by General Master Workman Powderly. The Mayor presided at the meeting.

Mr. Powderly's address was largely devoted to the exposition of the principles underlying the organization of the Knights of Labor, hostility to land monopoly, tax reform, Government ownership of railroads, the prevention of child labor, equal pay for both sexes and arbitration between employer and employe.

Speaking of the strike on the Central, he said it would not cease to make itself felt until a law had been written upon the statute books putting organized labor on an equal footing with organized capital.

With regard to the recent attempts to wreck Central trains, he asked for a suspension of public judgment until the truth should be brought out in the courts, expressing the utmost confidence that the responsibility for them would be traced, not to the Knights of Labor, but to the "thieves and thugs hired by the railroad company under the name of Pinkerton detectives."

The following reference was made to Chauncey M. Depew: "Mr. Depew arrived in this country to-day, I hope that he will have the good sense to speak to the men in the old time spirit. He is on record as saying that the settlement of labor questions lies in arbitration. We will see now whether he is prepared to square his action with his words."

An admission fee was charged to the meeting and the money will go to the strikers.

### SUSPECTS EXAMINED.

**Kiernan and Cordial Plead Not Guilty to the Charge of Train Wrecking.**

TROY, N. Y., Sept. 11.—Kiernan and Cordial, the two men arrested at Albany for attempting to wreck the Montreal Express, were brought before Judge Griffin of this city to plead to the charge. Judge Griffin said:

"You are charged with having feloniously tried to wreck a train on the night of Sept. 5. How do you plead?" Both men promptly responded not guilty.

District-Attorney Kelly, for the prosecution, said that the grand jury met on Monday and that an examination might as well therefore take place on Saturday. The counsel agreed to this and the matter was adjourned until Saturday at 11 a. m.

When this was announced Master Workman Lee took out a roll of money and handed a ten-dollar bill to Cordial and four dollars to Kiernan.

The men were then taken back to jail, no application having been made for bail.

The Knights express themselves as confident of the prisoners' innocence.

John Reed, one of the train wreckers, and who is supposed to have turned State's evidence, was taken to Troy and locked up because it was intimated that a writ of habeas corpus had been issued. He says he was arrested on Saturday without a warrant and locked up in Superintendent Bissell's office. The road detectives say they will have the other two by morning.

**Knights of Labor Assessed.**

PITTSBURG, Sept. 11.—Official notice has been received in this city that an assessment of twenty-five cents has been levied upon each member of the Knights of Labor for the support of New York Central strikers.

**A Big Sea Turtle.**

SANDWICH, Mass., Sept. 11.—A sea turtle weighing 1,100 pounds was captured in the fish weir here.

**Twenty-One Dead Bodies Found.**

DRESDEN, Sept. 11.—Twenty-one corpses of persons drowned during the floods have been found in the Elbe.

### NEWS FROM CRESSON.

**Pennsylvania Grand Army Posts to Call on the President.**

CRESSON, Pa., Sept. 11.—The President has been advised that the Grand Army posts of Altoona and Tyrone, Pa., have arranged to pay their respects to him during the stay of the Chief Magistrate in the mountains.

Having found the official mail entirely too heavy to handle without assistance, Secretary Halford directed that the President's stenographer be sent to Cresson.

The President and Mrs. Dimmick drove about the hills with Mrs. Halford's horse and phaeton until dinner time, the President handling the reins.

Dispatches were received at the Executive cottage announcing the convening of the Indiana State Republican convention and the selection of Hon. Richard W. Thompson as chairman.

The President is feeling very well, but the damp weather has had its effect upon Mrs. McKee, who is suffering from a slight attack of neuralgia. Mrs. Harrison has kept in-doors, not exposing herself to the weather any more than has been necessary. However, she is not feeling at her best.

### SOLD TO A SYNDICATE.

**Englishmen Purchase Several Large Mills in Rhode Island.**

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Sept. 11.—The Fletcher Mills, including the Providence and National Worsted Mills at Olneyville, and a large mill in the north end of the city, have been sold to a syndicate of English capitalists. George Vanslyck, a New York lawyer, was in the city yesterday and completed the transfer. The purchase price is stated to be about $3,000,000.

The mills have six hundred looms, employ about twenty-five hundred hands, and turn out six thousand yards of goods daily. The syndicate is represented by G. R. Bonnard and D. Engle, of the Bank of England.

**Hanlan Will Row Gaudaur.**

TORONTO, Sept. 11.—Ned Hanlan says that upon consideration he has decided to row Gaudaur, but not upon the conditions contained in the articles sent from St. Louis. Hanlan will row on Creve Cour Lake in two months, but will not consent to allow him to name the referee, or he will allow Gaudaur 15 seconds start if he will row on Toronto Bay, the referee to be mutually agreed upon. If these conditions are not acceptable Hanlan suggests the selection of a neutral course.

**Red Men Elect Officers.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—The convention of the United States Grand Lodge of the Independent Order of Red Men elected the following officers: Over Grand Chief, William Brossman, Brooklyn; Under Grand Chief, William Kommel, Philadelphia; Beloved Grand Chief, Michael Gaiset, Trenton; Grand Chaplain, Henry Meurer, Newark; Grand Secretaries, S. Goodman, Philadelphia; H. Schaunberg, Baltimore. The next convention will meet in Philadelphia in September, 1891.

**In Memory of Gen. Grant.**

SARATOGA, N. Y., Sept. 11.—L. M. Wheeler Post, G. A. R., of this village unfurled a fine silk flag over the Drexel cottage on Mt. McGregor, where General Grant died. The Post, accompanied by the Saratoga Veterans' Association, proceeded up the mountain by train, and after unfurling the flag held a camp fire. Martin L. Stover, of Gloversville, delivered the oration. Gen. W. B. French, of Saratoga, and others also spoke.

**$65,000 Offered for the Stallion Nelson.**

BANGOR, Me., Sept. 11.—The French syndicate has raised the offer for the stallion Nelson to $65,000, but Mr. Nelson declines to sell at that price. The horses Nelson, Medora, Red Hawk, Daisy, Colonel Osgood, Rolfe and Artist left this city to-day in care of the American Express company for Bloomington, Illinois, and thence through the American Association Circuit.

**Released from Prison.**

BOSTON, Sept. 11.—After an imprisonment of over ten years Langdon W. Moore has been released from State prison. He was once known as the king of bank breakers. He had $100 and left for New York. He is 66 years old, in good health, and expressed a determination to lead an honest life hereafter.

**The Teutonic Arrives First.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—The Teutonic was an easy winner in the ocean race. Her time was 5 days 20 hours and 49 minutes. The City of New York, which left Queenstown 20 minutes ahead of the Teutonic, was reported at Sandy Hook 2 hours and 29 minutes after her rival, making the sum total of the New York's defeat 2 hours and 49 minutes.

**Death of a Mother Superior.**

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., Sept. 11.—Mother Mary Cecilia, for eight years Mother Superior of the Springfield Sisters of St. Joseph, died last evening. She was born in Flushing, L. I., 1840. She has been with the Order since her 18th year.

**Trouble Expected on the Erie Road.**

SALAMANCA, N. Y., Sept. 11.—Rumor has it that a strike on the whole Erie system is likely to occur because of the Erie's handling Central freight. Representatives of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen are in town and were in secret session last evening.

**County Judge Nominated.**

JAMESTOWN, N. Y., Sept. 11.—At the Republican County Convention at Mayville the first vote decided the contest for County Judge as follows: Fisher 117, Bootey 70, Skinner 12, Oteway 3. M. W. Scofield of Chautauqua was nominated for County Treasurer.

## THE BASEBALL FIGHT

### Kelly Wins Three Straight from Ewing's Giants.

### WARD'S WONDERS DEFEATED.

### New York's National Leaguers Beaten by the Boston Team.

**The Bridegrooms Allow the Phillies to Win Easily—Anson Captures a Game from the Pittsburgs—Comiskey Plays Two Games With the Buffalos and Break Even.**

BOSTON, Sept. 11.—The last championship game for 1890 on the Brotherhood League grounds in this city was played in almost a rain storm. The clouds, however, managed to contain themselves until nine innings had been played and the Bostons had won their seventy-third game and defeated the New Yorks for the twelfth time.

Buck Ewing astonished the crowd by taking the delivery instead of receiving end of the battery. He did pretty well, but the local players put in fourteen hits at opportune moments and earned four runs. The visitors' three errors did not contribute to their defeat, which was due solely to inability to bat Gumbert safely at the right time. The fielding was sharp and often brilliant.

The home team was in its best fielding form, and allowed no chance to escape except that Kelly muffed a foul fly. Quinn's play at second was almost phenomenally good. The game was distinguished for senseless kicking.

### BASEBALL GAMES.

**National League.**

AT PHILADELPHIA.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Philadelphia | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 2 | x—9 |
| Brooklyn | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0—3 |

Batteries—Lovett and Daly; Esper and Clements.

AT NEW YORK.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| New York | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 0—5 |
| Boston | 0 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 1 | x—8 |

Batteries—Sharrotte and Murphy; Clarkson and Hardie.

AT CHICAGO.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Chicago | 1 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1—8 |
| Pittsburg | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0—1 |

Batteries—Luby and Nagle; Hecker and Wilson.

AT CINCINNATI.

Cincinnati and Cleveland postponed on account of rain.

**Players' League.**

AT BOSTON.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Boston | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0—5 |
| New York | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1—2 |

Batteries—Gumbert and Kelly; Ewing and Brown.

AT BROOKLYN.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Brooklyn | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1—4 |
| Philadelphia | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 1 | x—6 |

Batteries—Sowders and Daily; Buffinton and Cross.

AT PITTSBURG.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Pittsburg | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0—4 |
| Cleveland | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0—2 |

Batteries—Staley and Quinn; Bakely and Brennan.

AT BUFFALO—FIRST GAME.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Buffalo | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0—3 |
| Chicago | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | x—8 |

Batteries—Stafford and Mack; King and Darling.

SECOND GAME.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Buffalo | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 2 | —11 |
| Chicago | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | —3 |

Batteries—Twitchell and Mack; Barston and Darling.

**American Association.**

AT SYRACUSE.

The American Association games which were to be played at Syracuse and Rochester, were postponed on account of rain.

**Atlantic Association.**

AT HARRISBURG.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Harrisburg | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1—2 |
| Newark | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0—1 |

Batteries—Cox and Sommers; Staib and Murphy.

AT NEW HAVEN.

The New Haven-Lebanon game was postponed on account of rain.

**Attendance at League Games.**

| | Players | League |
|---|---|---|
| New York | ..... | 617 |
| Brooklyn | 500 | ..... |
| Chicago | ..... | 847 |
| Pittsburg | 535 | ..... |
| Buffalo | 485 | ..... |
| Boston | 1,750 | ..... |
| Philadelphia | ..... | 3,011 |
| Cincinnati | ..... | ..... |
| Totals | 3,270 | 4,475 |

**Standing of the Clubs.**

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

| Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'ct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Brookl'n 77 | 41 | .653 | Chicago 68 | 48 | .586 | |
| Boston 73 | 44 | .624 | N. York 56 | 63 | .471 | |
| Philadel 71 | 46 | .607 | Cleve'land 32 | 77 | .294 | |
| Cincin'ti 53 | 47 | .580 | Pittsb'rg 30 | 96 | .172 | |

PLAYERS' LEAGUE.

| Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'ct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Boston 73 | 42 | .635 | Philadel 63 | 56 | .529 | |
| N. York 68 | 49 | .581 | Pittsb'rg 54 | 64 | .459 | |
| Brookl'n 70 | 53 | .585 | Clev'l'nd 44 | 69 | .380 | |
| Chicago 63 | 56 | .529 | Buffalo 31 | 82 | .274 | |

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

| Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'ct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Loui'v'le 68 | 37 | .648 | Roch'st'r 53 | 51 | .510 | |
| St. Louis 62 | 46 | .574 | Athletic 53 | 54 | .495 | |
| Col'mb'a 59 | 49 | .546 | Syracuse 43 | 61 | .413 | |
| Toledo 53 | 46 | .540 | Ka.tim'e 32 | 79 | .288 | |

ATLANTIC ASSOCIATION.

| Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'ct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| N. Hav'n 77 | 28 | .733 | Harrisb'g 43 | 63 | .387 | |
| Lebanon 59 | 46 | .521 | Wilm't'n 32 | 62 | .300 | |
| Newark 56 | 51 | .523 | | | | |

**Schedule of To-Day's Games.**

PLAYERS' LEAGUE.

New York vs. Philadelphia, at Philadelphia.
Boston vs. Brooklyn, at Brooklyn.
Pittsburg vs. Buffalo, at Buffalo.
Chicago vs. Cleveland, at Cleveland.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Brooklyn vs. New York, at New York.
New York vs. Philadelphia, at Philadelphia.
Pittsburg vs. Buffalo, at Buffalo.

### JILTED AT THE ALTAR.

**Lizzie Bennett Leaves Her Waiting Groom and Elopes With an Old Admirer.**

KEYPORT, N. J., Sept. 10.—Miss Lizzie Bennett eloped with George Voorhees shortly after the time set for her marriage with Mr. Monroe, at Crawford's Corners, yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Bennett, who live some miles from here, are the happy possessors of a very handsome daughter, Lizzie, who is 18 years old, and who, it appears, had two admirers, one Fred Monroe and the other George Voorhees.

Lizzie first became acquainted with Monroe six months ago, and four weeks ago the young couple decided to be married. The day set was yesterday at 2 o'clock.

In the meantime Lizzie became acquainted with George Voorhees, and he being the best looking of the two, she decided to take him rather than the other. His visits were also unknown, but no word in regard to marriage was spoken until Voorhees learned that Lizzie was to marry Monroe. Voorhees then asked Lizzie if she loved him. She answered affirmatively and consented to elope.

Both then got their wearing apparel together and disappeared. When 2 o'clock came Monroe and Rev. Wheeler and the parents were on hand, but Miss Lizzie was not to be found. The expectant groom became alarmed. It was found out later that George Voorhees, stable boy and farm hand, was also missing. Monroe departed in hysterics.

### CONTEST OVER A WILL.

**A Protestant and Catholic Orphan Asylum Both Claim the Money.**

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Sept. 11.—A three-cornered contest over the estate of the late Commodore James Glynn, U. S. N., valued at $80,000, was disclosed by a suit entered in the Superior Court.

By the terms of the will the property was held in trust for his widow, and after her death was to revert to "The Canandaigua Orphan Asylum." Mrs. Glynn died a few months ago.

There are two orphan asylums at Canandaigua, one Catholic and one Protestant, and both claim the money. The sisters of the deceased commodore have taken a hand in the fight and will try to break the will.

**Miners' Strike Averted.**

ALTOONA, Pa., Sept. 11.—A meeting of the adjourned conference of miners and operators of the region comprising the Counties of Clearfield, Centre, Cambria, Huntington, Blair, Bedford, Indiana and Jefferson was held here. It was resolved to allow a committee from each side to endeavor to manage a scale satisfactory to both. The joint committee is in session and it is stated that the difficulties have been amicably settled, and no strike will occur.

**Enticed from Her Home.**

HARRISON, N. J., Sept. 11.—Maggie McDonald, 17 years old, is being sought for by the police. She left home here five days ago to visit friends at 7 Orleans street, Newark, and has not since been seen by any of her friends. Her mother believes she has been enticed away. Maggie is a very pretty girl, slim, with dark hair and gray eyes, and a pronounced brunette.

**A Commission Firm Disappears.**

BUFFALO, N. Y., Sept. 11.—Sherman C. Baker and Edward D. Crouch, composing the commission firm of Baker & Crouch, are missing, and are reported to have left the city under a cloud. The firm failed over a year ago and assigned to their wives, for whom they have since been acting as agents. It is said they leave a large number of creditors.

**It Rained Fish.**

CAIRO, Ill., Sept. 11.—During a shower of rain quite a number of live fish fell in various parts of this city. They were all about four inches in length and of the sun, perch and buffalo species. They were stunned by contact with the earth, but many were revived by placing in water, and are still alive.

**A Watchman Burned to Death.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—The large fancy goods store of M. Stransky, Bros. & Co., extending through the block from 124th to 125th streets, west of Third avenue, was gutted by fire last night. The loss is $70,000; insurance, $100,000. The watchman employed in the store was burned to death.

**Buried Under Tons of Earth.**

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 11.—While digging a well at 1,220 Sansom street it caved in and buried James McGough up to his waist. His fellow workmen attempted to rescue him, but another cave in buried him under several tons of earth.

**Leaves Her Husband for an Old Lover.**

RED BANK, N. J., Sept. 11.—Mrs. Gertie Dicosway, nee Smock, whose sensational marriage about a month ago created such a stir in social circles, has left her husband and went away with Albert Burrows, a former lover.

**Drowned Himself in a Pond.**

READING, Pa., Sept. 11.—Isaac K. Knoll, ex-prison warden and ex-clerk of the Orphan's Court, committed suicide by drowning himself in a pond near his residence in Womelsdorf. He was 65 years old.

**Young Indicted for Murder.**

MAYS LANDING, N. J., Sept. 11.—The grand jury brought in a verdict of murder in the case of Joseph F. Young, who shot his wife in Atlantic City on the 2d inst.

**Celebrated Her 100th Birthday.**

ROSDOUT, N. Y., Sept. 11.—Mrs. Ellen Bloomer, of Ellenville, Ulster County, celebrated the hundredth anniversary of her birth yesterday.

## DANGEROUS FLOODS

### Central New York Deluged and Railroads Blocked.

### SEVERAL BRIDGES SWEPT AWAY

### Water Rushing Through Houses Several Feet in Depth.

**Hornellsville Inundated and Great Damage Done—The Chemung River Up to the Danger Line—Traveling in Boats in Ithaca—People Flee from Their Homes at Wellsville.**

ELMIRA, N. Y., Sept. 11.—Nearly three inches of rain has fallen here in 24 hours and the water, increased by the streams above, has raised the Chemung river to the danger line. The lower parts of the city are under water and much damage is apprehended.

The railroads are experiencing a great deal of trouble. The Delaware, Lackawanna & Western is not running any trains owing to the high water at Kanona. The Erie road is blocked by landslides and washouts at Addison and Hornellsville. There is also some trouble on that road at North Elmira.

The Northern Central road has a bridge and a long piece of track washed out at Watkins, where the water from Watkins' Glen comes down in destructive force. The Addison & Pennsylvania road had a trestle washed out near Addison, and the road is blocked.

The Erie is blocked at Wellsville, where the storm has washed out the tracks, as well as those of the Bradford, Eldred & Cuba road and the Wellsville & Coudersport line.

Exhibitors are moving cattle and goods from the Inter-State Fair Grounds here in anticipation of the flood.

### BRIDGES CARRIED AWAY.

**The Cohocton River Overflowing and Causing Much Damage.**

BATH, N. Y., Sept. 11.—A heavy rain has prevailed here for twenty-four hours. The Cohocton River has overflowed its banks and is as high as during the June flood of 1889.

The Lackawanna road lost a bridge near here. They have abandoned their freight trains and are running passenger trains west over the Erie.

The Erie has several washouts below here. Bridges have been swept away and considerable damage has been done to the country roads. The Canisteo Valley is flooded and the Erie has been unable to get any trains through.

Tobacco raisers along the river flats will be heavy losers.

**Traveling in Boats.**

ITHACA, N. Y., Sept. 11.—Rain has fallen in this city steadily for 24 hours. Many streets and yards are flooded, compelling the use of boats. The Tompkins County Fair, which opened yesterday, was to continue four days, but the entire fair ground is four feet under water. Considerable difficulty was experienced in getting the stock out. Most of the hogs and small stock swam ashore. The rest were drowned. The exhibits in the tents and halls were greatly damaged and are now being removed with boats and rafts. The fair will be given up. The damage will approximate $50,000.

**Worst Flood in Years.**

CANISTEO, N. Y., Sept. 11.—The inhabitants were aroused early in the morning by the ringing of fire alarm bells and found the village partially under water, from one to three feet in depth. It rained all night. Much damage will be done unless the rain ceases, as the creeks are over their banks and the river is rapidly rising. The flood is the worst in years.

**Forced to Leave Their Homes.**

WELLSVILLE, N. Y., Sept. 11.—The residents of Broad street, on the east side of this village, were compelled by water to fly from their houses in the morning to save their lives, and within a short time the water was rushing through the houses several feet in depth.

**Hornellsville Inundated.**

HORNELLSVILLE, N. Y., Sept. 11.—Over one-third of the city is inundated and great damage has resulted. The Erie road is completely tied-up.

### AN UGLY STRIKE.

**More Troops Summoned to Southampton on Account of the Labor Trouble.**

SOUTHAMPTON, Sept. 11.—The Mayor's house was threatened by the mob again during the day, and he at once telephoned for soldiers, who instantly responded, arriving in cabs. The condition of affairs is still very menacing. Boats, manned by the strikers, are lying out in the stream, with a view to intercepting incoming steamships and prevailing upon their crews to strike. The Admiralty has been asked by the local authorities to assist in preventing this new move.

Seventeen more arrests of strikers for resisting the authorities have been made. The mob tore down the placards containing the Mayor's address urging the strikers to remain at their homes.

Business throughout the town is almost paralyzed. Before charging the crowds last night with bayonets the troops threatened several times to fire, but without making any impression upon the mob.

**Mrs. Maybrick's First Year in Prison.**

LONDON, Sept. 11.—Efforts to secure a pardon for Mrs. Maybrick are still being pushed. She has just finished the year of solitary confinement with which her punishment was ordered to begin. She has now been placed in the ranks of second class prisoners for the remainder of the term.

### A BOY COMMITS SUICIDE.

**He Had a Dread of Being Obliged to Go Away to School.**

HACKENSACK, N. J., Sept. 11.—Nathan Irwing Alberts, Jr., a lad of 16 years of age, who resided with his parents on Cottage place, in this village, committed suicide by hanging himself in a shed adjoining his parents' residence. The boy left the house at 9 o'clock. At bed time he had not returned, and the family grew alarmed. They thought he had gone out with some young men.

Shortly before midnight his brother Edward set out to search for him. He walked into the shed and groped about in the darkness. Suddenly he ran up against his brother Nat's body. It was hanging by the neck from a beam overhead. He immediately procured a light and made an investigation. He ascertained that Nat had stood on a buggy, removed his coat and collar and necktie, and had then fastened a rope around his neck and tied it securely to the beam. The lad had jumped off the buggy and hanged himself. The alarmed family hastily gathered about the swinging body, and the coroner was notified. He took charge of the remains and will hold an inquest.

No cause can be assigned for the boy's suicide, except his dread of being obliged to go away to school, where his parents were to send him.

**Close Election in Newport.**

NEWPORT, R. I., Sept. 11.—A larger vote was polled in the city election than was anticipated. A total vote of about 3,100 was cast out of a full vote of 3,900. The count is proceeding slowly. The Democrats believe they have won, because they think they have got out a fuller vote than the Republicans, but the latter claim that they are ahead. The vote is undoubtedly very close.

### NEWS OF THE DAY.

Archbishop Corrigan, of New York, has returned from Rome.

Michael Davitt is about to issue a paper in London called the Labor World.

The Attorney General has appointed Sherrerd Depue Assistant District Attorney for the district of New Jersey.

The President has nominated Henry Sherwood to be postmaster at Washington, D. C., vice John W. Ross, resigned.

Prince George has given offence to French Canadians in Montreal by interrupting the Mayor and requesting him to read his address in English first.

Denny Kelleher, the middleweight prize fighter, left Boston last night for Minneapolis to meet the "Black Pearl" about September 28 at the Twin City Club.

The Grand Jury of Queens County, New York, unanimously voted to indict Mayor Gleason of Long Island City. The Mayor assaulted a reporter named Crowley on Sunday last.

Brigadier General Alexander McCook has been ordered to proceed without delay from Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, to Los Angles, California, and assume command of the department of Arizona.

The union bookbinders in the employ of James A. Herne & Co. of Boston struck last night. It is alleged by the strikers that the firm is trying to introduce cheap labor at less than the union price list.

John Harrison, of Newark, N. J., has been committed to the Essex County Asylum as a dangerous lunatic. He insists that he is Jehovah, and can destroy and create life. He is only 20 years of age.

Francis Murphy, the temperance advocate, and Mrs. Rebecca Fisher, president of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, of Council Bluffs, were married Tuesday evening at Rock Island, Ill.

The Democratic State Committee of New Hampshire has organized by the election of Hon. John P. Bartlett of Manchester, Chairman; James R. Jackson of Littleton, Secretary; Colonel W. H. D. Cockrane of Nashua, Assistant Secretary, and John W. Hill of Concord, Treasurer.

David Pulsifer, a notable antiquarian, has just died at Boston, aged 83. He was profoundly learned in all matters pertaining to the history of the State of Massachusetts, and had conducted many researches for the State. He was a member of the New England Historic Genealogical Society and corresponding member of the New York Historical and other societies.

**Weather Indications.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 11.—For New England: Rain; stationary temperature; northeasterly winds.

For Eastern York: Rain; stationary temperature; northeasterly winds.

For New Jersey and Delaware: Rain; stationary temperature; easterly winds.

For Western New York: Rain, stationary temperature; easterly winds.

### NEW YORK MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Sept. 10.—Money on call to-day, 9 and 11 per cent.

BONDS.

| | Closing Yesterday. | Closing To-day. |
|---|---|---|
| 4½s, 1891 Reg | 104 | 104 |
| 4½s, 1891 Coup | 104 | 104 |
| 4 s, 1907 Reg | 124¾ | 124 |
| 4 s, 1907 Coup | 125¾ | 125 |

STOCK MARKET.

| | Closing Yesterday. | Closing To-day. |
|---|---|---|
| Canadian Pacific | 82 | ... |
| Central Pacific | ... | ... |
| Chicago, Bur. & Quincy | 97¼ | 98 |
| Delaware & Hudson | ... | ... |
| Del. Lack. & Western | 145 | 145¼ |
| Erie | ... | 28 |
| Erie pref | ... | ... |
| Lake Shore | 107¾ | 107¾ |
| Louis. & Nash | 87¾ | 87¾ |
| Michigan Central | ... | 93½ |
| Missouri Pacific | 70¾ | 71 |
| New Jersey Central | ... | ... |
| Northwestern | 109 | 109¾ |
| Oregon Navigation | ... | ... |
| Pacific Mail | 46 | 46¼ |
| Reading | 47¾ | 47¾ |
| Rock Island | 84¼ | 84¾ |
| St. Paul | 76½ | 76½ |
| Union Pacific | 42 | 42½ |

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## BY THE WAY.

—Sherman & Becker, the Park avenue fancy goods dealers, have an announcement to the ladies in today's PRESS.

—The members of Hope Chapel Gospel Temperance Club are earnestly desired to be present at their meeting in the chapel to-morrow evening at eight o'clock. Business of importance will be considered.

—Members of the Young Men's Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. are reminded of the adjourned meeting of the society to be held at the rooms this evening at eight o'clock. L. G. Leypoldt, of New York City, will speak.

—So many complaints are made against the hackmen at the North avenue railroad station that the police of late have been called on to make almost wholesale arrests. The offenders before the City Court this morning were Michael Kennedy and John Sullivan, who had been causing a disturbance over a petty gambling affair. Each was fined $2.

## PARTICULAR MENTION.

Joseph Sattels left town today for a two weeks' visit to his brother at Martinville, Indiana.

Cards are out for the wedding of Isaac Schwed of Plainfield, to Miss Florence Frank, of New York, at Victoria Hall, Lexington avenue, September 21.

The incoming foreign mail brings to THE PRESS today, copies of the Paris edition of the New York *Herald* and *The Galignani Messenger*, of August 30. W. A. Lord, of Netherwood, is the far away traveler who thus remembers us.

Of the students ordained on the 9th inst., at St. Joseph's, Teignmouth, South Devon, England, by most Rev. Dr. Vaughan, Bishop of Plymouth, was R. J. Bingham, C. S S. R., brother of J. M. and W. H. Bingham, 653 Broadway, New York, and East Orange, N. J., and M. Bingham, of this city.

The German-American, Real Estate Title Guarantee Company, of which John W. Murray of this city is Vice President, has given Russell Sage a security against loss in his big loan of $125,000 to the Rev. T. DeWitt Talmage for the completion of the new Talmage Tabernacle at Greene and Clinton avenues, Brooklyn.

In an artistic circular, C. Potter, Jr., & Co., have the following deserved expression of appreciation to make: "We take pleasure in calling the attention of the trade to the appended notice announcing the admission to our firm of David E. Titsworth, who for many years has been closely identified with us both in the office and on the road. We are confident that this announcement will bring pleasure to his many friends, and from the new acquaintances and customers with whom he may come in contact, we bespeak the same uniform courtesy and consideration which has always been extended to us, his partners.

### The Wife's Property Safe From the Husband's Debts.

When S. Frucht, the Hebrew merchant, failed in business several weeks ago, his wife, Rosa, protested that some of the goods which Constable Rockfellow levied on belonged to her. The right to the property was contested in Justice Nash's court yesterday, and the title was granted to Mrs. Frucht, whose counsel was John Ridley. Foster M. Voorhees appeared for Loring Lane, the New York merchant, who wanted to secure all the Frucht property in payment of Frucht's debts to him.

### A Councilman Who Holds Office in Three Counties.

M. Marvin Dunham was chosen Township Secretary for North Plainfield Township, at the annual convention of the Somerset County Sunday School Association, Tuesday, and Israel J. Coon was chosen Secretary for Warren Township. Mr. Dunham was also elected Corresponding Delegate to the Middlesex County Association. The next meeting of the Somerset Association will be held in North Plainfield.


### An Offensive Breath

is most distressing, not only to the person afflicted if he has any pride, but to those with whom he comes in contact. It is a delicate matter to speak of, but it has parted not only friends but lovers. Bad breath and catarrh are inseparable. Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy cures the worst cases as thousands can testify.


## COMPELLED TO WIN IT TWICE.

**The Crescent's Nine Succeed in Getting a Game From Westfield's Ten, After it is Repeatedly Snatched From Their Grasp.**

In writing of yesterday's game between the Crescent League's team and the Westfields, the following from THE PRESS of August 21, may first be quoted:

The Westfield's pitcher, O'Neill, has some speed but absolutely no control of the ball. He struck out 13 of the Dauntless, but 10 of these should have been given their bases on balls.

The above applies to yesterday's game as well. Had not the umpire, Wes. Roberts, of Bayonne, been the most blind or biased official that ever served, the score would have been like the handle on a jug, all one side for the Crescents. In the beginning, the people who could all plainly see the overhead balls that O'Neill pitches during the most of the time he is in the box, thought Roberts was blind in calling them strikes because Hatfield was given his base on balls the first two times he went to the bat. But when in the fourth inning, with Martin and Lufbery on the bases and no one out, Roberts struck out Wiegand, Lever and Jones in quick succession, the people understood it was robbery. The hissing on the grand stand was then so loud that the umpire could not be heard, and one of the Westfield managers had to announce that hissing would not be allowed.

Of the eight Crescents that Roberts struck out, only Wiegand and Hetzell were guilty. The consequence was that the Crescents were compelled to get up on a ladder, reach all around, and hit at anything, or else be called out. Therefore their hits could not be placed to any advantage. But it was not only in that way that the game was continually snatched from their grasp. Here is other circumstantial evidence of the same fact:

In the sixth inning, O'Neill at the bat was trying to bunt the ball. Jones told Roberts to look out, as he (Jones) would jump to one side of the batter so as to get the bunted ball. As Hetzell drew back his hand to pitch, Jones stepped away, and Hetzell, misunderstanding the play and supposing Jones' glove was loose, did not deliver the ball. Roberts then gave O'Neill his base in spite of rule 32, which distinctly says:

The base runner *on a base* is *alone* entitled to a base on a balk, in all cases where the pitcher makes a motion to deliver the ball to the bat and fails to do so. The batsman is only entitled to a base on a balk when the ball is *actually delivered* to the bat after the pitcher has stepped outside the lines of his position.

This bit of rob bery gave the Westfields another run. But in the closing inning the efforts of the umpire to save Westfield from defeat, almost culminated in a row. On a passed ball, Hatfield started from third base with the winning run for the Crescents. There was only one out, and it was not necessary to take any risks, but the runner had plenty of time. He made one of his grand-stand dives and slid through the dust over the plate in fine style. McMannus had meanwhile recovered the ball and thrown it to O'Neill, who made two passes at Hatfield and touched him at last after he had crossed the plate. The umpire's decision was that Hatfield was out because he had not *touched* the plate, Then everybody who was fair and honest, was mad. Even Quiet Jack Hatfield lost his temper and would have struck Roberts had not the other Crescents restrained him. There was of course nothing to do but again swallow the decision, and start in to win the game once more. There were two out, but Martin got his first by being hit, stole second and came home on Lufbery's fly to centre field that Johnston muffed.

The Westfields got their runs in this way: Desiring to save Gregg for Saturday's game, the Crescents' managers put in as a substitute pitcher, Hetzell, of Newark. In the fourth inning O'Neill made a single, and was followed by Murray, who got a chance hit over the fence that is built close up behind the right fielder's back. These two runs were added to by one in the sixth inning made off the "balk" told of above and a wild pitch of Hetzell's.

After Martin came in with the winning run, he first asked the umpire if he was safe. He then stood on the home plate and bowed solemnly to the cheering crowd. A feature of the game was Lever's opportunity in the ninth inning. He put the whole side out by catching Johnston's and Edmeson's flies, and returning the latter to Wiegand in time to catch McLoughlin off first base. The finest play of the game, however, was McLoughlin's catch of a long foul fly of Jones' in the sixth. It looked like an impossible catch, yet he got it after a long run and recovered himself in time to throw it way across the field to Warner for a double play. There were two runs in for the Crescents, two men on bases and only one out at the time.

The grand stand was about half filled with Plainfielders. The charge of 50 cents seemed too heavy for the home contigent. Most of them sat around in the grass and shouted at the Crescents at the bat. The Plainfield players were decorated with handsome blue silk badges embroidered with gold crescents, presented by Mrs. VanVliet, Mrs. Leggett and Mrs. Slater. The Crescent League's ladies, of whom about fifty were present, all wore bows of blue and gold. The score was:

CRESCENT LEAGUE.

| | AB | R | BH | SB | SO | LB | PO | A | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Hatfield, rf | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Heiser, lf | 5 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Martin, ss | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 0 |
| Lufbery, 2b | 5 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 1 |
| Wiegand, 1b | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 8 | 0 | 0 |
| Lever, cf | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 0 |
| Jones, c | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 8 | 2 |
| Lee, 3b | 4 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| Hetzell, p | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| | 4 | 6 | 8 | 3 | 6 | 10 | 27 | 9 | 1 |

WESTFIELD.

| | AB | R | BH | SB | SO | LB | PO | A | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| McMannus, c | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 8 | 1 | 0 |
| DeWitt, 2b | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| O'Neill, p | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 0 |
| Murray, ss | 4 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 2 | 0 |
| Warner, 1b | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 11 | 1 | 2 |
| Johnston, cf | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| McLaughlin, lf | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Edmeson, rf | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Mullen, 3b | 1 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| | | | 3 | 4 | 4 | 9 | 5 | 26 | 11 | 5 |

SCORE BY INNINGS.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Crescents | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | —4 |
| Westfield | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —3 |

Runs earned—Crescents, 1; Westfield, 1. First base on errors—Crescents, 2; Westfield, 1. Base on balls—Crescents, 6; Westfield, 3. Hit by ball—Martin. Home run—Murray. Double plays—Lever to Wiegand; McLaughlin to Warner. Passed balls—Jones, 1; McMannus, 1. Wild pitch—Hetzell. Flies caught—By Crescents, 10; by Westfields, 6. Umpire—Wes. Roberts. Time of game—two hours.

## MISS QUENZER INOCULATED.

**She is Treated for Hydrophobia Today at Pasteur Institute Where the Brain and Spine of the Dog That Bit Her Will be Analyzed.**

At the Pasteur Institute, 178 West 10th street, New York, of which Dr. Gibier is in charge, Miss Quenzer of East Front street, was inoculated this afternoon. Her attending physician, Dr. M. B. Long, of Park avenue, was present. She is the young woman who was bitten yesterday by a dog supposed to be mad, as told in THE PRESS.

The brain, spine and other parts of the dog, will be analyzed at the institute to determine whether the animal was rabid. Dr. Long who cauterized the wound caused by the bite of the dog on the little finger of the woman's hand, and treated it with carbolic washes, assured her there was no danger. Yet if she would feel safer, he advised inoculation by the Pasteur method.

### School Boys and Shorthand.

In connection with the shorthand class which will soon be organized by the Young Men's Christian Association, the attendance of boys in the higher classes of the public schools is called to the opportunity this affords for acquiring this most useful and practical art. The study can be taken up with their other studies and without interfering with them, as the class meets but once a week. The principles of the art will be fully taught before the Spring, and then the boys who intend to enter business life will be better fitted to do so.

This is a very practical matter, and parents who wish to have their boys furnished with a practical knowledge of great value which cannot be acquired at the public schools should inquire into it. The General Secretary will be glad to meet all such inquirers.

### Promised to Reform, But Was Scared Out of Town.

Charles F. Stephens, of North Plainfield, foreman of a Somerset street printing shop, has been charged, at various times during the past few weeks, with abusing and neglecting his wife and two children, and has been threatened, by his employer and Marshal Rutledge, with arrest. He had promised his friends that he would reform, and was, it is said, actually doing better. Yesterday, however, it is alleged, his employer lectured him severely on old charges, and from what was said Stephens is said to have understood that a warrant had been issued for his arrest for wife-beating. The result was that in the afternoon Stephens drew from the bank his savings of $100, and last night left town, dressed in his best suit of clothes, and carrying a well-filled sachel.

### That Great Game Next Thursday.

The manager of the Norwich base-ball team writes that he will bring the same men to Plainfield, next Thursday, that defeated the Crescents the other day by a score of 7 to 0.

The contest is exciting interest all over the State. The Norwichs have already won the championship of Connecticut; and as the Crescents have defeated every am they have played this year, the match will to all intents and purposes decide the Inter-State semi-professional championship.

### Boys Singing Class at the Y. M. C. A.

Such boys as would like to receive lessons in singing and reading music, are invited by the Young men's Christian Association to join a new class to be organized at the Association rooms, Tuesday afternoon next at 4:30 o'clock.

E. A. Embury, who has continued the instruction of the original class throughout the Summer, will teach in the new class boys between the ages of 9 and 12.

### The Mob Got the Worst of It.

Last night while walking along Fifth street, three of Plainfield's young men were set upon by a mob ranging from ten to 20 years of age, headed, it is charged, by Gus Wilson, Sam Terry and Robert Perine. No policemen were at hand, and the mob took advantage of the occasion. A small riot enesued in which the three young men came out on top.

—The regular mid-week meeting in Reform Hall will be held this evening; all are welcome.

### Terrible If True.

Between the hours of two and six o'clock on Thursday and Friday afternoons and all day Saturday, Rogers Bros. will sell all of their $2 50 shoes for $2; all $3 shoes for $2.50; all $3 50 shoes for $3. They have a few more men's lace shoes that they are closing out at 50 cents. Be sure and be there at two o'clock when the sale begins. They warrant every pair.

## SPICY PERSONALS.

GABRIELLE SAND, famous George Sand's granddaughter, is a very handsome girl, with big black eyes and a profusion of heavy black tresses.

THE telephone must have a new field of usefulness scored for it. Sir Humphrey de Trafford, near Manchester, has, perhaps, the finest kennels in England, the kennelman's house adjoining them. From each kennel a telephone arrangement leads to the kennel-man's room, so that when any dog is noisy at night the keeper can speak to him so as to be heard without leaving his room.

MRS. WILLIAM A. SLATER, of Norwich, dropped a smelling bottle in New London harbor while being rowed from her husband's yacht, the Sagamore. She has so many associations with that smelling bottle, which in cold cash is said to be worth only $500, that she persuaded her husband to engage the services of Captain Thomas Scott, the professional diver. Thus far, however, the search has been unsuccessful.

THE youthful King of Spain has not been out of the cradle long, but he appears to have a full appreciation of his position in life. One day recently he was served for lunch with the breast of a chicken cut into small pieces. He at once began to help himself without the aid of either spoon or fork. "Sire," said his attendant, gravely, "Kings never eat with their fingers." "This King does," responded his Majesty, continuing his meal.

E. W. WINTER, general manager of the Omaha railway, enjoys a good story as much as any man I know, particularly if it be on himself. He tells the following tale with great gusto: "My grandmother is a dear, innocent lady, who lives up in Vermont. She was telling a visitor all about the family one day, and when my turn came she said: 'Now, there's Erne, he's doing right well,' and her voice sank impressively. 'They do say he's getting as much as a thousand dollars a year, though I don't see how he can earn all that money honestly.'"

THE reigning Prince of Monaco has just had a new yacht built for himself in England. It is a vessel of 555 tons burden, fitted up with cabins to serve the purpose of laboratory and aquarium, in order that he may be able the more fully to gratify his taste for capturing all kinds of sea monsters and marine flora, and duly preserving and classifying them. Matrimony has not chilled his ardor for these pursuits, and it appears that the Princess, whose maiden name was Heine, and who was a Jewess, far from objecting to her husband's hobby, takes nearly as much interest in his investigations of the briny deep as himself.

CHAUNCEY M. DEPEW is said to be as rapid with his pen as his tongue. A correspondent relates the following: "I remember an instance when I was at his house at seven o'clock one evening. He was to deliver one of his most important addresses that evening at eight o'clock. He had not written a line of it. He talked leisurely with me as if there was not a thought on his mind. At 7:15 o'clock he went into his library; at 7:50 o'clock he was reading over his manuscript entirely in his own writing! In ten minutes more he was wheeling through the streets to the hall, and at 8:10 he was on his feet talking, glancing at his manuscript only three times during the entire address of forty-five minutes' duration."

As the warm weather continues the natural cravings of humanity call for something cooling to drink. Hires' Root Beer is sparkling, and a most delicious article. Every family should have it in their house. A 25 cent package will enable any one to make five gallons. Ask your druggist or storekeeper for it.


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## A MESSAGE FROM THE FIGURES OF A DIAL.

### "TIME: OUR ESTATE"—THE MOTTO OF '79—THE BASIS OF AN ELOQUENT DISCOURSE.

**Franklin B. Wiley, Plainfield Graduate, Makes a Memorable Address Before the Students of Hi Alma Mater at the Opening of the Public Schools—Editor Leonard's Good Advice—Miss Bulkley's Welcome Home—Bright Prospects of Student-Life At the Dawn of Another Busy Year.**

The exercises at the opening of the High School last Monday morning—which were briefly mentioned in THE PRESS Monday night, were of unusual interest. All the seats in Assembly Hall, behind those reserved for the students, were filled by friends and former members of the school. On the platform—besides the Principal, Miss Julia E. Bulkley, who is looking well since her return from abroad, and the new Assistant Principal, Mr. Hunt—were Dr. J. B. Probasco, of the Board of Education, W. J. Leonard, formerly editor of the *Central New Jersey Times*, and Franklin B Wiley, of the class of '79. On the wall facing the school and the spectators hung the handsome clock presented by the class of '79 last June, its suggestive motto, "Time—our estate," appearing on the front in gilt letters clearly visible to all. After the usual Scripture reading, the repeating of the Lord's Prayer in unison, and a song, Miss Bulkley, in a few well-chosen words, expressed her pleasure at being once more among her pupils, and welcomed them back to their studies, and then introduced Mr. Wiley, who she mentioned, had traveled nearly three hundred miles from Cambridge, Mass., simply to be present on this occasion. His address occupied over forty minutes in delivery but was listened to with close attention and apparent pleasure throughout. He spoke in part as follows:

*The Principal, and Fellow-Students of Alma Mater:—*

"Ike Partington" has declared that he "never opened his mouth but he put his foot in it," and I once heard no less wise and eloquent a man than the Rev. Dr. Howard Crosby, then Chancellor of the University of New York, say that he was like "Ike Partington." His admission gives me confidence to confess that when I received the invitation to address you this morning I began to wonder whether I too might not be like "Ike," and I then questioned whether it was worth while to travel nearly three hundred miles in order to talk to you if the moment I opened my mouth I was in danger of putting my foot in it. I had about decided to be present but say nothing, when some imp of mischief recalled to my mind the fate of the dull son of an eminent Englishman at a reception which his father tendered to a party of distinguished foreigners. He was told to say nothing and then no one would imagine that he was a dullard. He followed the directions so implicity that even when spoken to he answered never a word. At last, however, he overheard one of the visitors who had spoken to him and received no reply, say to another, "What a fool the fellow is!" and he promptly bawled across the room, "Father, *father*, they've found me out and I didn't open my mouth." With this awful fate staring me in the face I was forced to reconsider my determination to be present but to say nothing. The young Englishman's barrier of silence had proved ineffectual to preserve him from discovery; clearly I had no reason to expect that however careful I might be not to open my mouth you would not find me out. It appeared that whether I spoke out or kept silent I was "in for it." The line of an old hymn occurred to me—a hymn sung long ago before books were as cheap as they are now and when the only hymnbook in a country church was generally the one from which the precentor read out the hymns one line at a time for the congregation to sing. The opening lines of the hymn I refer to were—

"The Lord will come, and He will not
Keep silent, but speak out;"

and after the minister had announced the number the precentor would rise and give out the first line—

"The Lord will come, and He will not,"

and then the second—

"Keep silent, but speak out."

It was this second line as given out by the precentor of which I thought. Was it possible to follow its directions and "Keep silent, but speak out?" My difficulty would then vanish. But on reflection I was forced to the conclusion at which Bayard Taylor arrived when asked to write a poem on "The Helmet." He could not write upon the helmet, he stated, because he once had had one on and there was nothing in it. At the eleventh hour away out of the difficulty has suggested itself. It flashed upon me when I mentioned the magic name of Dr. Crosby. Having drawn confidence from his confession, I shall profit by his example, for on the occasion when he said that he was like "Ike Partington," he continued to open his mouth for half an hour or more with the most charming results, and hundreds who heard him then can testify that he never once put his foot in it.

With the lesser difficulty disposed of, I will hope that another and a greater one which has beset me may now be overcome—I mean the difficulty of fully and fitly expressing to your Principal and to you, my thanks for this welcome opportunity of taking part once more in the familiar morning exercises in the old Assembly Hall. It is both a privilege and a pleasure—how great a privilege, and how keen a pleasure, I find it hard to say.

I was a student, like you, when last I spoke in this Hall more than eleven years ago, and my classmates sat on these front benches where you are sitting now. It is perhaps natural therefore, that in the contrast between that time and this I find something to regret—the absence of the old familiar faces, the presence of the sad conviction that I shall never see all of them together again. As a class, organized and coherent, '79 no longer exists. But the class spirit is not dead. Still, though lost to sight, the Alma Mater, the Fair Mother of our girlhood and boyhood, is to memory dear. Of her each member of '79 can say, as Paul Clifford, the daring highwayman and dashing punster of Bulwer-Lytton's romance, said of his old nurse, "Notwithstanding my absence, I show my affection by my *presents*." As long as that clock hangs upon yonder wall, so long will it serve to remind the pupils of the public schools in what loyal and loving remembrance the High School is held by the Class of '79. You notice that above the inscription: "Presented by the Class of '79," are the words: "Time—our estate." For twelve years that phrase has been our motto, and it is now what I may call the corner-stone of our gift; for as a corner-stone contains in compact form everything which will be of use and interest in after times when the building of which the stone is a part no longer stands, so our motto within its three words comprehends all of the many useful lessons which we hope will be learned by heart and long remembered—not only by you but by all the future students of the Public Schools, to whom we trust it may continue to recall those lessons long after the gift on which it is inscribed has ceased to discharge its monotonous but beneficent task. At the request of your Principal I have come here this morning to tell you what those lessons are, so that a clear and complete comprehension of the significance of this time-piece and its inscription may abide with you as a potent aid and a perpetual stimulus throughout the work of the coming year.

It is a pleasant thing to possess an estate—to be able to stroll to the summit of some breezy hill and to feel, as you look abroad over woodlands, and pastures, and spreading fields, that you are monarca of all you survey, and that there is none to dispute your right. Only a favored few among earth's many millions can know this peculiar pleasure. There are more who are able to derive pleasure *from the ownership of a farm* in the country, or a house in town; and probably few among you have not known what a delight it is to call a certain corner of the garden, or a particular flower-bed, all your own; and therefore you know that delicious sense of proprietorship which steals over one as one digs the soil and realizes that it is one's own property and that one can plant what one pleases in it and do what one desires with it. But have you ever realized that from the moment you were born you were the sole proprietor of an estate which is more entirely your own than any flower-bed, or garden-corner, or city mansion, or country place can ever be? That with the first breath you drew you took possession of Time, your estate, an inheritance more vast than any other, stretching away to the remotest confines of life, into the mists of futurity, to the very portals of eternity itself? Ascend with me to the summit of the vantage-ground of youth and survey the superb domain of which you are the master. No two of you look forth over exactly the same prospect. While, for instance, there is a resemblance in the general aspect of the days, and months, and years stretched out before you, the territory of some is far more fruitful in advantages and far richer in opportunities than the territory of others. Also, shadowy and uncertain as are the limits of each estate, we know that destiny has decreed that the estate of one shall be of more ample size than the estate of another. But the fact that your estate may not be as large by a few years as the estate of another need, be no disadvantage, for

"We live in deeds, not years; in thoughts, not breaths;
In feelings, not in figures on a dial."

Like many proprietors of great estates, you are apt to grow so accustomed to your vast estate of time that you fail to take the pleasure in it that you might. Worse than this, most of you are apt to grow so used to having it at your disposal and drawing your income from it that you become careless about its management and reckless in the expenditure of its revenue. Believe me, "I come not here your morning hour to sadden," but I cannot resist asking you at this point to look for a minute at the serious side, the ultimate outcome of such a misuse of Time, your great estate. To nearly everyone there comes a day when that unwelcome creditor, Old Age, draws near and begins knocking at one's door, and often him one can see a grim train of other creditors, Ill-Health, Decrepitude, Failing Mind; and, always speeding from over the distance, Death on his pale steed,—that grimmest creditor of all; and when one seeks to satisfy their demands one finds that only a few months or perhaps days are left of one's many years, and that one's broad estate has shrunk to the measure of an unmade grave. Suppose that hour in your life has come and that you can look back only on wasted treasures of time and opportunity, and then think with what far different sensations—had you from the first managed your estate wisely and spent its revenues judiciously, you might meet your importunate creditors, and instead of cringing as now before their stern demands, might then meet them,

Calm-fronted, staunch, expectant and unshaken.
And dare the worst that any fate might bring.

Repinings that are as base as they are fruitless would not then embitter your enjoyment of the last crumbling remnant of your estate; and, freed from all the responsibilities so long resting upon your shoulders, you might even experience a rarer happiness in the regulation of the remnant you have left than you ever experienced in the conduct of the fruitful realm that is lost, as the child often takes keener pleasure in pottering over a tiny flower-plot than the man takes in managing a thousand fertile acres.

Doubtless each one of you feels the same relief that I feel in leaving this warning, now that it has been uttered, with the consciousness that you can yet heed it and profit by it; that your estate of time is almost intact instead of being almost gone; and that you have the opportunity and the power to make the most of it. The opportunities will be given you, but the power, the instrument with which to make your estate blossom like the rose, you will have to gain for yourself. For your guidance you have before you the originals or the models of all the many implements, ancient and modern, from the crudest to the most complete, with which the broad estate of time has been cultivated by those who have held its highest honors and reaped its richest reward.

First and foremost among these is the mind, which, when trained, can bend thousands of minds that are untrained, to its will. This fact has never been driven home with greater emphasis than in Stanley's thrilling account of his marvelous achievements "in darkest Africa." When he marched at the head of his handful of followers through the unbroken twilight of the mighty African forest for over four hundred miles from the Aruwimi to the Albert Nyanza, all the way not only exerting authority over, but exacting aid from the myriads of murderous savages who swarmed about his path and menaced him and all his band with extinction, he gave such a demonstration of the majestic influence of the trained intellect over the untrained as the world has seldom seen before.

With education and study the mind can accomplish much, even without the aid of genius. For the mind is in some respects like a locomotive. Its delicate and complicated, yet powerful mechanism may be in perfect order, but unless there is a sufficient head of steam on and it is kept properly oiled it will not go. You educate your mind for the same reason that an engineer gets up steam—to make it go; and you study for the same reason that he oils his engine—to keep it in running order. You should, however, be careful not to try to make the mind do more than it is meant to do. There are two reasons why you ought to learn this lesson as soon as you can: in the first place, if it is not learned easily and early, it will have to be learned painfully and late; and in the second place, when once you have learned that you cannot accomplish all things you will then begin to accomplish some things. Beware, therefore, of too much education. Over-education is as bad for the mind as too great a pressure of steam is for the locomotive, and in each case the result is the same—a break-down or an explosion. Observe moderation also in what you are doing as well as in what you attempt to do. Even the most ambitious among you need not feel that any chances are being sacrificed when you cease to study and cast your books aside. For it is no more necessary for you to be always studying than for an engineer to be always oiling his engine. After a locomotive has done a certain amount of work its fires are drawn and it is run into the round-house and left there for a while. Draw the fires of your education and run your mind into the round-house now and then. That is what you have been doing during the months of your Summer vacation, and surely you need ask no more conclusive proof of the wisdom of such a course than is found in the freshened energy and the finer zest with which you are returning to your school-work today.

You stand on the threshold of a new school-year, with almost every opportunity of your life before you. When those opportunities are all behind you, may the recollection of the promptness with which you took advantage of them and the wisdom with which you turned them to account make them shine like stars upon your past inwrought, to make and keep you glad. It may be that you will have to go through life "uncrowned, unthroned, unattended," content with doing in a patient and useful way simply what comes to your hand. It may be that

"Borne on wings of glorious endeavor,
You yet shall rise above your baser clay—
Throned in high deeds forever and forever,
That will not die and shall not pass away."

Which lot shall be yours, I do not know. What I do know is that the possibilities of any human life are the possibilities of yours.

There was hearty applause at the close of Mr. Wiley's address, and then, after a song, Mr. Leonard was introduced and made a short but effective speech, in which he said that he hoped all the scholars present would heed the good counsel given in "the eloquent effort which had just been heard;" he then referred to the system of review-work which has recently been introduced into the Public Schools, assuring the scholars that so far from that being a waste of time, as some of them might be inclined to think, it meant an actual saving of time in the future, since it helped to form the excellent habit of accuracy. After another song, the Principal introduced Dr. Probasco, who, for the Board of Education, welcomed her and the scholars back to the work of another year, and then in a few well-chosen words, brought home to the scholars the inestimable value of an understanding heart. When another song had been sung, Miss Bulkley arose, glanced at the new clock and remarked that she had intended to say a few words, but owing to the lateness of the hour it would perhaps be better to defer saving them until the following morning. At this point Mr. Wiley arose and said that he would be a little selfish and ask her to say them now, as he would not be present the following morning to hear her. The burst of applause which supported this request showed that it was seconded by every one in the hall, and Miss Bulkley, yielding with a charming grace, read a most interesting comparison of the school systems of Germany, Egypt, Russia, and our native land, pointing out wherein ours inculcated a higher standard of character and scholarship than the others. After some words of sound advice to the school, she concluded with words in praise of the new custom, introduced in her absence, of flying the national colors above the school buildings while the schools are in session. The exercises were brought to an end by the singing of "My Country, 'Tis of Thee," in which every body joined with hearty emphasis.

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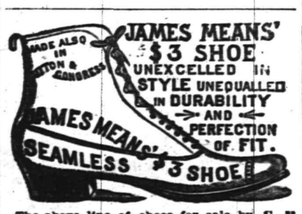


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## POEMS RECENTLY PENNED.

### Before the Baby Came.

(Aggrieved Husband.)

There was a time when my discourse
Was wrenched not out of joint;
I did not shout till I was hoarse,
And point out every point;
Nor thrice the same joke try to tell,
And mangle it and maim—
My wife had time to listen well,
Before the baby came!

There was a time when here and there
I flitted like a bird;
My wife went with me everywhere,
Just when I said the word;
We saw the boat-race and the play,
We watched the base ball game—
We had a free foot, as they say,
Before the baby came!

There was a time when I alone
Was by my wife adored;
I sat on the domestic throne
The sole and sovereign lord.
My crown is gone. Without a thank,
He takes my very name—
I've not a vestige of my rank
Before the baby came!
—Fannie Windsor, in Century.

### Forgive and Forget.

Oh! forgive and forget, for this life is too fleeting
To waste it in sorrow o'er days that are gone.
This life is a conflict, the drums now are beating;
Let by-gones be by-gones, the years hurry on.
All the injuries suffered, all evils committed,
All the tears we have shed, all the trials we met
Can ne'er by revenge or despair be remitted;
We can drive them away by "forgive and forget."

Ah! the darkness will come and the shadows will linger,
Some days e'en the mocking-bird loses its song.
But the sunshine will break through the darkness, the bringer
Of all the bright angels that tarried so long.
Then lift up thy burdens and bear them on bravely,
Thou'lt lay them down shortly, when evening hath set,
There's One who will help thee, His love now can save thee,
He'll teach thee the lesson: "forgive and forget."

Then banish the gloom of all past tribulations,
They "endure but a moment"—why cause them to stay?
There are meetings of joy after sad separations,
When sorrow and sighing shall all flee away.
Look on to the future, not in the past living,
Hope's star is not dimmed, there is joy for thee yet,
Let us trust, pray and wait, for a Father is giving
Peace to His own who "forgive and forget."
—J. T. Wright, in Voice.

### As You Go Through Life.

Don't look for the flaws as you go through life;
And even when you find them,
It is wise and kind to be somewhat blind
And look for the virtue behind them.
For the clobdiest night has a hint of light
Somewhere in its shadows hiding;
It is better by far to hunt for a star,
Than the spots on the sun abiding.

The current of life runs ever away
To the bosom of God's great ocean.
Don't set your force 'gainst the river's course
And think to alter its motion.
Don't waste a curse on the universe—
Remember, it lived before you.
Don't butt at the storm with your puny form—
But bend and let it go o'er you.

The world will never adjust itself
To suit your whims to the letter.
Some things must go wrong your whole life long,
And the sooner you know it the better.
It is folly to fight with the Infinite,
And go under at last in the wrestle.
The wiser man shapes into God's plan
As the water shapes into a vessel.
—Ella Wheeler Wilcox, in Ladies' Home Journal.

### A Variation.

An angler, with a costly pole
Surmounted by a silver reel,
Carven in quaint poetic scroll—
Jointed and tipped with finest steel,
With yellow flies,
Whose scarlet eyes
And jasper wings are fair to see,
Hies to the stream
Whose bubbles beam
Down murmuring eddies wild and free,
And casts the line with sportman's pride
Where the fish 'neath the bushes glide.

A shock-haired boy, with birch-wand light
Pronged somewhat with a fish's spine,
And on its end a bit of white—
The commonest kind of grocer's twine,
With naught but great
Ground worms for bait,
Tramps to the water full of glee;
His hat beneath,
Observe the wreath
Of smiles most beautiful to see,
While he casts in the plashing nook
A bended pin—his only hook.

The angler with the costly pole
Comes homeward full of airy grace—
If rapture thrills the urchin's soul
It doesn't blossom in his face,
The former, he has twenty-three
Fishes that speckle in the sun.
The shock-haired boy
Is reft of joy—
He's caught what's known as "nary-one."
The rod and reel have won to-day—
Somehow it sometimes works that way!
—Puck.

### Brush.

I have learned a beautiful lesson,
Taught by the sweet-pease standing there,
Those little clouds of sunset glory
Caught out of time in morning air.

You see their fragrant blossoms nodding,
Purple, crimson and pale rose blush,
On slender stems too slight to bear them
Without the helping, hidden brush.

To its brown arms, so strong and trusty,
The little tendrils cleave and cling.
The vine, unheld, in dust were lying,
A fallen, bruised and flowerless thing.

And yet the brush itself was barren,
Unquickened at the summer's kiss,
It bore no scent or sign of blossom,
But now it blooms again like this.

I think it must forget the sadness
Of its own broken life, and glow
With love for all the warmth and sunshine
That makes the sweet-pease bud and blow.

It may seem but a dreary failure,
Deadened and storm-tossed, dulled with strife,
But it has helped to bear the blossoms
That crown another, fairer life.
—Bessie Chandler, in Harper's Bazar

### The Inevitable.

I like the man who faces what he must
With step triumphant, and a heart of cheer;
Who fights the daily battle without fear;
Sees his hopes fail, yet keeps unfaltering trust
That God is God: that somehow, true and just
His plans work out for mortals; not a tear
Is shed when fortune, which the world holds dear,
Falls from his grasp: better, with love, a crust
Than living in dishonor: envies not,
Nor loses faith in man; but does his best,
Nor ever murmurs at his humbler lot,
But with a smile and words of hope, gives zest
To every toiler: he alone is great,
Who by a life heroic conquers fate.
—Sarah K. Bolton, in Youth's Companion.

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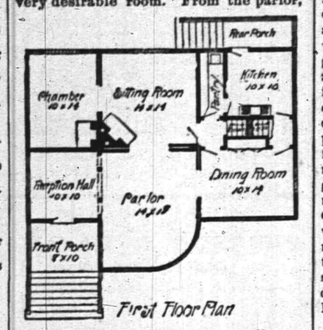
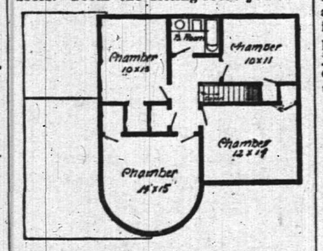
steps to the front porch which is 8x10 feet, then into a beautiful reception hall which is 10x10 feet; between the reception hall and parlor there is a turned spindle grille supported by turned columns all in place to receive Japanese draperies or beaded curtains which will give a fine harmonizing effect between the hall and parlor.

The parlor is 14x18 feet with one corner rounded off and small high windows looking on the porch, and one large window in the front makes the parlor a very desirable room. From the parlor,




First Floor Plan




Second Floor Plan

pass into the entry that leads to pantry, kitchen, dining-room and to laundry or furnace room in basement. The stairs lead to the second floor from dining-room and from kitchen, where you find four large rooms, the front one being a half round and a very desirable room; the bath-room is to the rear and the house is a full two story and is arranged to suit the most fastidious taste.

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## CAMELLIA CULTURE.

**Hints for Those Who Are Interested in This Subject.**

For green-house decoration no plant that will flower in an equally low temperature can at all compare in desirable qualities with the camellia. In every respect, with the single exception of scent, it is the equal of the rose, while in its ability to thrive in a low temperature, in the beauty of the plant with its heavy, dark, glossy foliage, in its freedom from insects, and in the durability of the bloom, it excels even the queen of flowers.

The camellia is so hardy that it will live in the open air in many parts of the Southern States and in England. In cultivation under glass, it will in a dormant state live and thrive in any temperature above the freezing point, and will take little or no hurt if subjected to three or four degrees of frost. The plants will bloom freely in a temperature of 40 degrees, though 45 degrees suits them better.

As a rule healthy camellias produce enough thrifty young shoots every year to require no cutting back. If, however, there be a lack of these, or it is desirable to improve the form of the plant, there need be no hesitation about cutting it back, for few plants will bear the knife better than the camellia. The moment, or even before, the late blooms fade, is the time for pruning.

Few young leaves or shoots are more tender and easily burned by the sun than those of the camellia; scorching not only disfigures the foliage, but also hinders the formation of fine growth and the development of flower buds. It is of the utmost importance, therefore, that during the growth of the tender leaves and young shoots in their first stages, the plants should be shaded from direct sunshine.

During the season of growth the atmosphere should be kept moist by the surface sprinkling of the greenhouse walks, stages and walls, and the plants themselves should be lightly syringed at least twice a day. If the drainage of the plants is good it is hardly possible to overwater them during this period of wood-making. The atmosphere may range from 50 to 65 degrees during most of this time.

As the flower buds appear in sight, indicating that the new wood is hardening, the temperature may be allowed to become lower again, say in the forties at night. The plants now can hardly have too free a circulation of air about them. A close and arid atmosphere is one of the causes of that greatest trouble with inexperienced camellia growers, namely, dropping of the flower buds.—Popular Gardening.

### Cracked Ice in the Sick-Room.

Finely cracked ice, administered in a teaspoonful of champagne or brandy, has been the rallying point for many a sinking patient. Or the ice alone, finely crushed, so that it simply melts away in the mouth, trickling down the throat, rather than being swallowed as a draught, is a most useful stimulant.

People who take cracked ice get the stimulus of ice upon the nerves of the mouth and tongue, and not flooding by water of the feeble throat and stomach.

The uses of cracked ice in cholera cases are familiar to some. It is possible that with hot water bags at the feet, hot mush poultices on the stomach and a constant diet of cracked ice no further treatment might be needed to complete a cure. Nursing skill counts for much, and every woman should have as much knowledge of it as will be sufficient to keep patients from sliding down hill until the proper officials arrive.—Philadelphia Ledger.

### Boiled Milk.

Boiled milk will not produce an inactive state of the bowels, if a child is cared for properly otherwise. If it does, a little barley gruel or oatmeal gruel, well prepared and strained, may be given, and this will entirely counteract any such effects. Simply heating milk is not enough; it must be cooked fifteen or twenty minutes. There would be comparatively little "summer complaint" if milk were always cooked before using. Sour stomach, wind, cholera morbus, diarrhœa, etc., are all due to germs, and children fed upon sterilized milk are free from these diseases. Cooked milk is more digestible, and when one becomes accustomed to it, is more palatable as well. When one is tired and hungry a glass of hot milk, slowly sipped, or taken with crackers or dry bread, is exceedingly refreshing.—Dr. Kellogg.

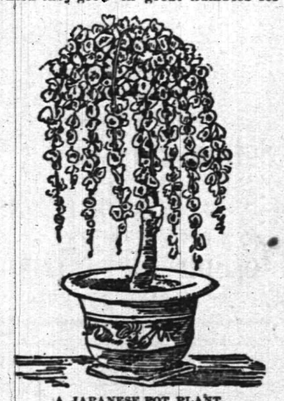
### Hock Cup.

One of the most delicious of summer drinks is the Hock cup, which is as satisfying to the thirst as milk and water or oatmeal water, and withal, more epicurean. Take equal parts of Hock and Londonderry Lithia water, and put them in a clear, crystal pitcher, sweetening with three lumps of sugar to a quart, and adding a slice or two of pineapple and a long paring of cucumber rind. Let this filled pitcher stand for a few minutes in a vessel of ice, or wrap around the pitcher a towel of cracked ice and salt. Under no circumstances put ice in the drink, for that would injure the fine flavor. Just before the cup is served throw some bits of mint upon the top.—Boston Saturday Evening Gazette.

## JAPANESE POT PLANT.

**The Weeping Double-Flowered Cherry, the Favorite Plant of the Japs.**

Readers of garden literature have in late years become familiar with the descriptions and illustrations of the dwarfed conifers of which the Japanese are so fond. Less is known of their dwarfed deciduous trees. It is a weeping double-flowered cherry, in which the Japanese especially delight, and which they grow in great numbers for



A JAPANESE POT PLANT.

the decoration of their gardens, often grafting them to assume curious and abnormal forms, and cherishing them year after year among the most precious of their household belongings.

Our illustration was made from one of a large series of photographs of these plants taken in Japan by Dr. William Sturgis Bigelow, of Boston, who has favored us with a set of them.—Garden and Forest.

### About Onions.

Onions contain, says Dr. J. H. Kellogg, a volatile oil as strong as prussic acid, and I do not think it was ever intended that this vegetable should be eaten. A smarting or stinging sensation is nature's signboard "Beware!" If onions are cooked so that this volatile oil is removed then they will not be injurious.

### An Illustration from Nature.

Mr. Theo. Rea (the accountant)—There, now; I think my system is absolutely perfect. There isn't a crack or a flaw in it.

Mr. Ben Tharr—There isn't in an egg-shell, Teddy; but you can open one easier than you can an oyster.—Puck.

Mr. CITTMAN (who has taken board on a farm)—Is there a bank anywhere near here?

Farmer Catchum—No, sir. We ain't never had no use for banks in this section. You see, this is the first season any of us has kept summer boarders.—N. Y. Weekly

## GEWGAWS OF FASHION.

It is a new caprice to set cameos in silver.

A TINY nosegay secured in the bows of the bonnet strings is the latest and Frenchiest touch of millinery.

PAPER pulp, which looks like frozen or petrified foam, is cut in layers, painted in garlands and used as dinner cards.

THE spiral combinations of silver, bone and ivory remain favorite handles of every implement, from an umbrella to a button hook.

A BRACELET that has recently been revived is a close gold chain band which can be fastened with a buckle at any point of its length.

THERE is a sudden and marked popularity in flower jewelry of deep tinted gold, usually uniting a diamond in the center. The pelargonium is a new form and adapts well to the style.

PERFUMED gloves are becoming popular in Paris, and the scent most admired is the odor of sandal-wood. The idea is borrowed from Catherine de Medici, who displayed her shapely hands in perfumed kid.

YOUNG lovers, after having a dime split in half, each take a portion and get their jeweler to mount it in any peculiar manner that appeals to their fancy. Many curious scarf pins and bracelet bangles are the result.

A LONDON fad is gold-kid shoes for evening wear. The kid is covered with a layer of solid gold, which loses its brilliancy, but never rubs off. These shoes are usually ornamented with paste buckles and have Louis heels.

THE latest novelty in the willow-ware business is a honeymoon basket, also known as the wedding-hamper, but in reality best suited for a camping, hunting or picnic party. It is a miracle of compactness and convenience, a complete outfit for a tea being packed in the smallest compass that one could imagine for the reception of four cups and saucers, four plates, a caddy and compartments for cream, sugar, biscuits, knives, forks and spoons, besides a kettle and spirit lamp. The kettle and all the fittings are made of lacquered brass, and the rest of the furniture of white metal lined with gilt. Thread-like jets extend from the lamp by means of which the kettle can be kept boiling hot.

## ODDITIES NOTED IN NAMES.

A. H. JONES, of Pulaski County, Pa., is one of seven brothers, the first name of each of whom begins with the letter A.

THE name of a woman who died in Kansas City was Joicy Jane Permelia Ann Sarah Elizabeth Douglass Carr Gentry Ballard.

THERE is a man in Detroit, Mich., named Andrzjewski and another named Schewicdki. It would be interesting to be present when they were introduced to each other.

THERE are six brothers in Kansas City named Frost, each one of them bearing a wintry name as follows: Jack Frost, Winter Frost, White Frost, Cold Frost, Early Frost and Snow Frost.

A KENTUCKIAN in Buffalo has discovered there the firm of Irish & English. What is considered especially remarkable about this firm is that Mr. English is an Irishman and Mr. Irish is an Englishman.

SQUIRE ADAMS of Chattanooga discovered a curious matter in connection with his signature. He happened to glance over his name from right to left, or more properly backward, and saw that "S. M. Adams" could be read both ways. Another gentleman present said he had a relative who could spell both her Christian and surname either forward or backward—Hannah Dreppert. A reporter said he could go them one better: that the names of the children of his family in the order of their birth formed a question: "Peter, May Emma Carrie Jennie?"

THERE is a family living in Athens, Ga., whose head delights in long names for the children. The first child is named Mary Magalina Mandy Mectum Elizabeth Betsy Polly Mack Barrett; the second child is named Alice Georgia Ann Yorena Barrett; the third child is named Mattie Frances Anna Tranna Barrett; the fourth child is named Emory Spear Walker Buster Barrett; the fifth child is named Tila Cory Coston Estelle Liniment Ettie Isiduler Barrett; the sixth child is named Montino Cinicar Barrett, and the seventh child is named Effice Bozina Mondenay Virginia Barrett.

## BY FIENDS WHO FIGURE.

A HUNDRED laying hens produce in egg shells about 137 pounds of chalk or limestone annually.

ONE million dollars of gold coin weighs 3,585 pounds avoirdupois; of silver coin, 58,929.9 pounds.

ACCORDING to a French savant, a journey around the world could be made: By a man walking day and night, in 428 days; a railway train, forty days; sound, at a medium temperature, 32½ hours; a cannon ball, 21¾ hours; light, trifle over one-tenth of a second; electricity, a little under one-tenth of a second.

AN eminent German has undergone the enormous labor of counting the number of hairs in heads of four different colors. In a blonde one he found 140,400; in a brown, 109,440; in a black, 102,962; and in a red one, 88,740. What the red and black heads wanted in number of hairs was made up, however, in the greater bulk of the hairs individually. It is to the fineness and multiplicity of hairs that blonde tresses owe the rich and silk-like character of their flow.

A MAN of figures at Saginaw has calculated that the average person trims off a thirty-second of an inch of nail from each finger every week, or three inches a year. The average of human life the world over is forty years. Ten feet of finger nail for each finger—a round 200 feet from the twenty fingers and toes. There are 1,300,000,000 people in this world and altogether they waste on an average 300,000,000 feet, or 56,818.15 miles of finger nail in a generation—sufficient to reach around the earth and still leave 10,000 miles to do our scratching with.

## PRECOCIOUS PRATTLERS.

"MAMMA," said Willie, as he gazed on a gaudy-plumed parrot, "was that chicken hatched from an Easter egg?"

"SH!" exclaimed Tommy, listening at the door. "There's company in the parlor." "How do you know?" inquired Willie. "Mamma's calling papa 'my love.'"

"WHICH would you rather be, Charley, a monkey or a giraffe?" "Giraffe, every time. It would be bully in the summer time for looking over the base-ball ground fence."

LITTLE FREDDY (at the window)—"Here comes Uncle Bob, mother." Mother—"Who is he with, darling?" Little Freddy—"He's with himself, and that's nobody."

PAPA—"Now, Paul, run over as quick as you can and tell your auntie that mamma has just received a present of another little boy." Paul—"But what'll I say if she asks me who she got it from?"

A BOY in Sunday-school, when asked from the catechism "What is the chief end of man?" instead of giving the answer gave the following interpretation: "The chief end of man is the end what's got the head on."

BOBBY—"Don't be scared, Johnnie. Perhaps your father didn't mean it when he said he would lick you." Little Johnnie—"Yes, he did. It wasn't as if he had promised to bring me home a new whistle."

"WHAT's the matter, Eddie?" "Willie Thomas has gone and moved off this street. boo, hoo." "Well, don't cry, there are plenty of other little boys in the neighborhood to play with." "Y-e-s, ma; b-u-t he's the o-n-l-y one I could l-i-c-k."

"MAMMA," said a little five-year-old boy who disliked to be washed: "do you know why papa growed big so much faster than I do?" "Why do you think he did, my child?" "Because grandma did not rub so hard when she washed him. You rub so hard that you keep me rubbed down little."

A VERY little fellow has a very lively tongue, and talks so much at meals that on a recent occasion when there were to be guests at the table his elder brother hired him with a nickel to be still. After ten minutes of silence the little boy whispered anxiously to his brother: "Arthur, Arthur, mayn't I talk a cent's worth?"

BOBBY, looking out of the window—"What's the matter with that horse, mamma?" Mother—"The horse is balky, Bobby; he won't obey his driver." Bobby—"Well, what's he patting him for?" Mother—"He is coaxing him." Bobby, with an injured air—"That ain't the way you coax me when I'm balky."

ELDERLY gentleman (to a little boy who is buying candy)—"My young friend, don't you think that instead of spending all the pennies you get it would be better to put some of them away for a rainy day?" Little Boy—"Naw. What's the good of money on a rainy day? Ma never lets me stir out of the house."

## SMILES OF GREAT MEN.

HENRY WARD BEECHER used to tell the story of a traveler who, finding himself and his dog in a wild country and destitute of provisions, cut off his dog's tail and boiled it for his own supper, giving the dog the bone.

THE other day a friend said to Bismarck that he must have been deeply gratified by the popular demonstration on the occasion of his quitting Berlin. "Oh, yes," answered Bismarck, laughingly, "they gave me a first-class funeral."

LABOUCHERE got hit badly the other day. Colonel Saunderson, in a heated speech, compared him to a "gargoyle." "I believe you don't know what a gargoyle is," said Labby. "Yes, I do!" shouted Colonel S.; "it is a grotesque gutter-spout!" Labouchere was forced to join in the general laugh.

MORITZ SAPHIR, the witty Austrian journalist, was once standing in a crowded theater. Some one leaned on his back, thrusting his head over his shoulder. Saphir drew out his handkerchief and wrung the man's nose violently. The latter started back. "Oh, I beg your pardon," said Saphir; "I thought it was mine."

ALTHOUGH Disraeli is a long time dead, anecdotes of his wonderful tact are very much alive. Thus we read that soon after his elevation to the peerage a brother lord asked him how he liked it. "Like it? like it? I feel as if I were dead and buried.—And in the land of the blest," he added, seeing the discomfiture on the peer's face.

TOM CORWIN had an enormous mouth, which, when it opened, was as huge in its way as an alligator's. He once said he had been insulted by Deacon Smith. The good brother asked for further explanation. "Well," said Corwin, "when I stood up at the lecture-room to relate my experience, and I opened my mouth, Deacon Smith rose up in front and said: 'Will some brother please close that window, and keep it closed?'"

LORD CAMPBELL tells this story about Henry Erskine: Having been speaking in the Outer House, at the bar of Lord Swinton, a very good but a very slow and deaf judge, Erskine was called away to the bar of Lord Braxfield, who was Lord Ordinary for the week. On his coming up Lord Braxfield said to him: "Well, Dean, what is this you've been talking so loudly about to my Lord Swinton?" "About a cask of whisky, my Lord," replied Harry; "but I found it no easy matter to make it run in his Lordship's head."

DR. JAMES MACGREGOR, Queen Victoria's Scotch chaplain, is a brilliant preacher; and he is also a man of very small stature and slightly deformed, a defect which has gained for him the title in Edinburgh of "Bowdy" MacGregor. Once when a minister of a rural parish he called at a farm-house, and as the members of his congregation whom he wanted to see were not at home, he good-naturedly consented to be taken round the premises by the farmer's boy. After he had seen the minor sights about the place, he was taken to the pig-sty to see the pigs, where a curiously shaped animal was triumphantly pointed out to him as "Bowdy MacGregor, ca'd after oor minister, ye ken." The story is told by the worthy old doctor himself.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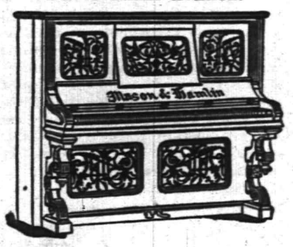


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| 5th | do | 11.00 | do | 11.34 | do |
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Leave Plainfield 3 37, 5 24, 5 38, 6 29, 6 59, 7 26 7 30, 7 58, 8, 8 15, 8 31, 8 37, 9 32, 10 05, 11 09, 11 39, A. M., 1, 1 41, 2 07, 2 30, 3 12, 3 51, 5 08, 5 31, 6 07, 6 54, 7 05, 8 31, 9 26, 10 12, 11 26 P. M. Sunday—3 37, 5 24, 8 01, 8 52, 11 02, 11 16 A. M., 12 33, 1 30, 3 30, 5 16, 7 01, 7 10, 8 23, 8 32, 10 02 P. M.

Leave New York from foot of Liberty street, 4 30, 5 45, 7, 7 45, 8 45, 10, 11, A. M., 1, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4, 4 30, 5, 5 15, 5 30, 5 45, 6, 6 15, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 8, 8 30, 9 15, 10, 11 30 P. M., 12 15, night. Sunday—4 30, 7, 8 30, 9, 9 30, A. M., 12 M., 1, 1 15, 4, 5 30, 6, 7, 9 00, 10 00 P. M., 12 15 night.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield 5 38, 6 29, 6 59, 7 30, 8, 8 37, 9 32, 10 05, 11 09, 11 39, A. M., 1, 2 07, 2 30, 3 12, 3 51, 5 08, 5 31, 6 07, 6 54, 7 05, 8 31, 10 12, 11 26 P. M. Sunday—8 8 01, 8 52, 11 02, 11 16, A. M., 12 33, 1 30, 3 30, 5 16, 7 01, 7 10, 8 23, 8 32, 10 02 P. M.

Leave Newark 6 10, 7 50, 8 55, 10 10, 11 05 A. M., 1 05, 1 35, 2 40, 3 40, 4 02, 4 37, 5 05, 5 30, 5 55, 6 25, 7 15, 7 35, 8 20, 9 35, 10 10, 11 25 P. M. Sunday—7 20, 8 40, 9 05, 9 50, A. M., 12 05, 1 10, 4 10, 5 40, 6 05, 7 05, 9 25, 10 20 P. M.

Passengers for Newark change cars at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7, 8 07, 9 42, 11, 11 58 A. M., 1 55, 2 32, 3 45, 4 34, 5 20, 5 34, 6 20, 6 38, 7 03, 7 12, 7 34, 8 20, 9 43, 11 13, 12 43 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 13, 9 40, A. M., 2 08, 2 36, 5 14, 6 38, 10 15, 11 14 P. M.

Leave Somerville, 6, 6 30, 7 03, 7 25, 7 35, 7 48 9 05, 9 47, 11 15 A. M., 12 35, 1 15, 1 48, 2 05, 3 2 4 40, 5 12, 5 35, 8 05, 8 50, 11 05, P. M. Sunday—9 25, 10 35 A. M., 12 08, 1 05, 4 50, 6 40, 8 03, 8 05, 9 30 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7, 8 07, 9 42, A. M., 1 55, 4 34, 5 20, 6 38, 8 20 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 13 A. M., 2 03, 6 38 P. M.

Leave Easton 6 03, 8 44, 10 A. M., 12 32, 4 09, 6 49 P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 52, A. M., 6 40, 7 30 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 7, 9 42 A. M., 1 59, 5 20 P. M. Sunday—8 13 A. M.

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LEAVE PLAINFIELD.

5 45 A. M. for Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

7 A. M. for High Bridge Branch and Easton.

8 07 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 42 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Nanticoke, Drifton, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c.

1 59 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, &c.

4 34 P. M. for D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

5 20 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Schooley's Mountain, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, &c.

6 38 P. M. for Flemington.

6 38 P. M. for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg.

8 20 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

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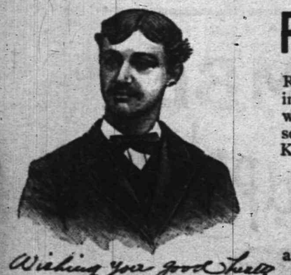

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**Chauncey Depew Waited on by Strikers. He Refuses to Interfere in the Trouble. Another Wreck on the Central—Freight Cars Consumed by Fire—A Brakeman Fatally Injured.**

ALBANY, N. Y., Sept. 12.—The true story of the arrest of the two men, Cain and Buett, the alleged wreckers, is as follows:

Pinkerton detectives had followed the men for two days, and Wednesday afternoon tracked them to the Canada line. They were not quick enough, however, to keep them from getting across the river. The men went to Prescott, Can., just across the river from Ogdensburg, N. Y., and therr they met a friend.

One of the men had a heavy beard, and he went into a barber shop to get it shaved off. While they were there three armed men entered the shop and closing the door, said: "We are Pinkerton men, and we want you." The men saw escape was impossible and went with the detectives to the boat. They were taken across to Ogdensburgh, being virtually kidnapped, and from there were taken down on the Rome, Watertown & Ogdensburgh road to Utica. The men are at some way station, as they have not arrived in Troy or Albany.

### CRASH ON THE CENTRAL.

**Burning Freight Cars Make the Track at Schodack Unpassable.**

ALBANY, Sept. 12.—A locomotive to which was attached two cabooses, while running at a high rate of speed between Castleton and Schodack, on the Eastern or South-bound track crashed into the caboose of a regular freight train running just ahead on the same track. The caboose of the regular freight was reduced to kindling wood. The cabooses attached to the second locomotive were thrown across the tracks, blocking it. They soon after took fire and were consumed.

The heat warped the rails so much that it was necessary to relay them, and a wrecking train from Hudson was soon on the grounds.

A brakeman who was in the caboose of the first train had both legs crushed and was not expected to live. Beyond that there was no other person hurt. All the up trains were held between the wreck and Hudson for several hours.

**Mr. Depew Will Not Interfere.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 12.—A committee of five of the ex-employes of the New York Central Railroad, who went out on strike, called on President Chauncey M. Depew at his office at the Grand Central Depot. Mr. Depew refused to reopen the issues of the strike, stating that the strike is over and there is nothing left for them to do, also, that Vice-President Webb's action had been endorsed by the directors, and there was nothing left to settle.

**The Alleged Train Wreckers.**

ALBANY, N. Y., Sept. 12.—William J. Ludden, of Troy, who is counsel for the accused men who are charged with wrecking the Montreal express train, claims that the railroad has got the wrong people, and that none of the men arrested "squealed."

**Hale on Trial To-Day.**

MONTREAL, Que., Sept. 12.—The case of C. C. Hale, charged with shooting his brother-in-law, Eugene Cowles, of Cleveland, O., will come up this afternoon in the Court of Queen's Bench. Most of the witnesses have arrived with the attorneys, including Judge Ingersoll, Mrs. Cowles, Mrs. Bolton and Harry A. Garfield, a son of the late ex-President, who was a college student with Hale, and who will testify as to Hale's character.

**Fraudulent Life Insurance Claims.**

BALTIMORE, Md., Sept. 12.—The arrest of Matt Gelthern, an ex-agent of the Home of the Friendly Insurance Society of this city, has brought to light another corpse trust case similar to that of the Bond case. Gelthern defrauded the company by means of fraudulent claims and forged medical certificates. Charlotte A. Miles had been reported as dead and the money collected on her policy. Charlotte is still alive.

**Murder and Suicide.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 12.—Carrie Lenz, a German woman, 25 years old, was shot and killed, at 44 Stanton street, last night by a man named Rosenberg, who afterwards shot himself in the head, dying almost instantly. Rosenberg married the woman in Pittsburg five years ago, and they lived happily together until the woman became infatuated with a young grocery clerk in Brooklyn.

**Storming Along the Jersey Coast.**

ASBURY PARK, N. J., Sept. 12.—A heavy storm is raging along shore from Seabright to Key East. The wind is high and heavy rain is falling. The surf is running strong, and considerable damage is anticipated. Many telegraph and telephone wires are down.

**Struck by a Train.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 12.—Edward Hennessey, aged 73, a brakeman, was struck by a train on the Hudson River road last night and had his collar bone and seven ribs broken. He cannot live.

### MARRIED IN FUN.

**The Knot Was Legally Tied by a Justice of the Peace.**

BRIDGETON, Pa., Sept. 12.—The marriage of Charles F. Harris of this city and Miss Nellie Butler of Norfolk, Va., last evening, has an interesting story connected with it.

Not long ago Miss Butler came to Millville as the guest of Miss Eva Paine, and while here she formed the aquaintance of Harris, and, one evening about two weeks ago, the two determined to go through the marriage ceremony "just for fun."

A gentleman who was present acted as master of ceremonies, and after the supposed mock ceremony had been performed, the couple learned, to their astonishment, that he was a justice of the peace, and that the knot had been legally and tightly tied.

However, they concluded to make the best of it and to have the ceremony performed in due shape by a clergyman. Accordingly, Mr. and Mrs. Harris went before the Rev. Clearfield Park of Millville and, in the presence of a few friends, were reunited in marriage.

### COKE WORKERS TO STRIKE.

**It All Depends on To-Day's Convention of the K. of L.**

SCOTTDALE, Pa., Sept. 12.—The coke region is threatened with a big strike. The matter of striking depends upon whether or not the Standard miners' troubles are settled at to-day's convention of the Knights of Labor.

A committee composed of Messrs. Rae, Watchorn, McBride, Kerfoote, Parker and the three representatives of the Standard miners were appointed to confer with General Superintendent Lynch, of the Frick Company, relative to adjusting the Standard difficulty.

The conference will be held to-day. If a settlement is not reached a general strike at Frick's works is likely to be the result.

A large meeting was held at the Valley works last evening. The Standard affair was discussed at length.

**Ten Years' Hard Labor.**

FREEHOLD, N. J., Sept. 12.—Judge Conover sentenced Wm E. Webb, a young carriage painter of Long Branch, to 10 years' hard labor in the State prison, and to pay a fine of $1,000. The crime of which Webb was convicted, was the enticing of George Fatty, 15 years old, of Elizabeth, N. J., from Long Branch to Highland Beach where, after beating him into insensibility, he robbed him and threw his almost lifeless body into the Shrewsbury River. Fatty recovered after lying at the point of death for two months. Webb waived trial and pleaded guilty.

**Generous Gifts to a Hospital.**

NORTH ADAMS, Mass., Sept. 12.—The North Adams Hospital is the recipient of generous offers from three of the leading men of this town. William A. Gallup, of the Arnold Print works, will build a large wing to the building and add private rooms for patients. A. C. Houghton, of the same firm, will assume the old debt of the hospital, in amount about $10,000, and C. T. Sampson, of the Sampson Maufacturing Company, will lay out about 10 acres of land surrounding the hospital, in a beautiful park and gardens.

**Looks Like Murder.**

READING, Pa., Sept. 12.—Near Lottstown the body of an unknown man was found on the Reading Railroad premises with a hole in the back of his head. There is a supposition that he was murdered, and a stranger named Frank Kelley, of Philadelphia, was locked up, it being believed that he knows something of the man's death. When last seen the two men were together. Kelley refuses to talk.

**An Old Woman Murdered.**

TITUSVILLE, Pa., Sept. 12.—An old woman named Anna Breslinman was found murdered in her cottage in the West End during the morning, her head being smashed. She lived alone and was partly supported by the county. It is believed that the murderers are the same parties who chloroformed Mrs. Batchelder at Centreville Tuesday night and robbed her of $1,700.

**Trying to Get Their Money Back.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 12.—Wehl & Beaman have brought suit against Henry Dater, jr., residing at Matawan, N. J., for $11,163, lost in the Coffee Exchange, and Judge Patterson, of the Supreme Court, signed an order for the serving of the summons by publication. The money, it is claimed, was lost through clerks and without authorization.

**Knights of the Mystic Chain.**

READING, Pa., Sept. 12.—The Select Castle of the Mystic Chain of Pennsylvania selected F. J. Skerrett of Philadelphia as secretary, and J. G. Leeser of McKeesport as treasurer, in place of John J. Davis and W. C. Brown, resigned. Allentown was selected as the place of the next meeting.

**Reception to Archbishop Corrigan.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 12.—A reception was tendered Archbishop Corrigan this morning at St. Patrick's Cathedral. The Bishop and priests of the diocese of New York participated in the ceremonies.

**Will Meet in Washington Next Year.**

BOSTON, Sept. 12.—The Master Car and Locomotive Painters decided to hold the next convention at Washington on the second Wednesday in September.

**Bought a Famous Pacer.**

BUFFALO, N. Y., Sept. 12.—Charles F. Dunbar bought the famous pacer Johnston, with a record of 2:09¼, of E. C. Long of St. Paul, for $8,000.

## ONLY A FEW GAMES

### Baseball Men Interfered With by the Weather.

### ANSON COMING TO THE FRONT.

Double Victories for the Chicago and Cleveland Clubs.

**Boston's National League Team Defeats the Philadelphias—No Games Played by the Brotherhood or the Association. Boston and Brooklyn Teams Hold the Lead for the Flag.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 12.—The rain played sad havoc with baseball, especially in this neighborhood. Singularly enough, not a Brotherhood or American Association game was played, yet five National League games were played to a finish, but none in New York or Brooklyn.

Fairly favorable weather conditions at Boston permitted President Soden's aggregation to gain a lap on the leaders in the National League race by defeating Harry Wright's Philadelphians. "Old Man" Anson and his colts snatched a couple of games from Cleveland and Cincinnati managed to beat Pittsburg twice.

**BASEBALL GAMES.**

**National League.**

AT BOSTON.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| .....1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | — | 2 |
| .....0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | — | 1 |

Batteries—Nichols and Hardie; Vickery and Clements.

AT CHICAGO.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Chicago.....1 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | — | 5 |
| Cleve.and.....0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | — | 0 |

Batteries—Hutchinson and Kittridge; Young and Sommers.

SECOND GAME.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Chicago.....0 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | — | 7 |
| Cleveland.....0 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | — | 6 |

Batteries—Stein and Kittridge; Viau and Dowes.

AT CINCINNATI.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Cincinnati .....0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | — | 2 |
| Pittsburg.....0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | — | 0 |

Batteries—Rhines and Harrington; Osborn and Decker.

SECOND GAME.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Cincinnati .....0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | x | — | 4 |
| Pittsburg.....0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | — | 1 |

Batteries—Duryea and Keenan; Osborn and Decker.

POSTPONED.

At New York—The New Yorkand Brooklyn game was postponed on account of rain.

**Players' League.**

POSTPONED.

The games of the Players' League at Philadelphia, Brooklyn, Buffalo and Cleveland were postponed on account of rain.

**American Association.**

POSTPONED.

The games of the American Association at Rochester, Columbus and Baltimore were postponed on account of rain.

**Atlantic Association.**

POSTPONED.

At New Haven—The New Haven and Harrisburg game was postponed on account of rain.

**Standing of the Clubs.**

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

| | Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'ct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Brookl'n | 77 | 41 | .653 | Chicago | 71 | 48 | .597 |
| Boston | 74 | 44 | .627 | N. York | 56 | 63 | .471 |
| Philadel | 71 | 48 | .597 | Clevl'nd | 32 | 79 | .289 |
| Cincin'ti | 61 | 47 | .588 | Pittsb'rg | 39 | 98 | .169 |

PLAYERS' LEAGUE.

| | Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'ct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Boston | 73 | 42 | .635 | Philadel | 63 | 56 | .529 |
| N. York | 68 | 49 | .581 | Pittsb'rg | 51 | 64 | .459 |
| Brookl'n | 70 | 50 | .583 | Clev'l'nd | 44 | 69 | .389 |
| Chicago | 63 | 56 | .529 | Buffalo | 31 | 82 | .274 |

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

| | Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'ct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Loui'v'le | 68 | 37 | .648 | Roch'st'r | 53 | 51 | .510 |
| St. Louis | 62 | 46 | .574 | Athletic | 53 | 54 | .495 |
| Col'mb's | 59 | 49 | .546 | Syracuse | 43 | 61 | .413 |
| Toledo | 56 | 46 | .549 | Baltim'e | 22 | 79 | .269 |

ATLANTIC ASSOCIATION.

| | Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'ct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| N. Hav'n | 77 | 28 | .733 | Harrisb'g | 43 | 68 | .387 |
| Lebanon | 50 | 46 | .521 | Wilm'g'n | 33 | 62 | .300 |
| Newark | 56 | 51 | .523 | | | | |

**Attendance at League Games.**

| | Players | League |
|---|---|---|
| Boston | ..... | 2,532 |
| Cincinnati | ..... | *1,247 |
| Chicago | ..... | *1,428 |
| Totals | ..... | 6,407 |

*Two games for one admission.

**Schedule of To-Day's Games.**

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Brooklyn vs. New York, at New York.
Philadelphia vs. Boston, at Boston.
Pittsburg vs. Cincinnati, at Cincinnati.
Cleveland vs. Chicago, at Chicago.

PLAYERS' LEAGUE.

New York vs. Philadelphia, at Philadelphia.
Boston vs. Brooklyn, at Brooklyn.
Pittsburg vs. Buffalo, at Buffalo.
Chicago vs. Cleveland, at Cleveland.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

Athletics vs. Baltimore, at Baltimore.
Syracuse vs. Rochester, at Rochester.
Louisville vs. Columbus, at Columbus.
St. Louis vs. Toledo, at Toledo.

ATLANTIC ASSOCIATION.

Lebanon vs. Newark, at Newark.
Harrisburg vs. New Haven, at New Haven.

**Six Inches of Snow.**

ST. PAUL, Minn., Sept. 12.—Northern Montana and the Northwest Territories were treated to the remarkable experience of a September snow-storm early in the morning. The fall was from four to six inches at Regina, and half an inch at Fort Assiniboin. The temperature ranged from 28 to 30 degrees.

**Failure of a Wine Merchant.**

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 12.—August Frohman, wine merchant, has assigned. Executions aggregating over $35,000 were issued against Frohman's property.

### GEN. BARRUNDIA'S DEATH.

**He Fired Two Revolvers at the Captain of the American Steamship.**

CITY OF MEXICO, Sept. 12.—Advices just received here respecting the shooting of General Barrundia on board the American steamship Acapulco, at St. Jose de Guatemala, state that Captain Pitts, of the Acapulco, had made a declaration which the Guatemalan authorities claim completely justifies their action.

Mr. Mizner, the authorities say, was consulted as an act of courtesy only.

It is further alleged that when Captain Teriello and Captain Pitts read to Barrundia the order for his delivery to the Guatemalan authorities, Barrundia asked permission to change his clothes which was granted, turning away Barrundia suddenly grasped two revolvers, and fired on Teriello, Pitts and the policeman, who in turn fired on Barrundia killing him.

Captain Pitts had taken the precaution of ordering the passengers to withdraw, otherwise some of them would have undoubtedly been hit by the bullets from Barrundia's pistol.

### BLOWN TO PIECES.

**A Keg of Powder Explodes in a Blacksmith Shop With Serious Results.**

PORT JERVIS, N. Y., Sept. 12.—A terrific explosion occurred in a blacksmith's shop connected with the Kilgour blue stone quarry, near Shohola Glen.

A workman was welding two pieces of iron, when a live spark flew across the shop and alighted in a keg of powder, stored in the shop for blasting purposes. A terrible explosion occurred and the shop was blown to pieces.

John W. Holsarch had his right leg blown off above the knee, and it has not yet been found, and otherwise seriously injured. John Hass, Jr., had his clothing stripped from his person and was injured internally.

**A Quarrel Results in Murder.**

NEW MILFORD, Conn., Sept. 12.—At Lanesville, three miles south of here, John J. Waters, aged 45, was shot dead by George Knowles, aged 21. It seems that Jay Knowles and Dr. David Knowles each claim the ownership of a house left by their father. David locked up the premises and placed his wife and son George on guard therein. Later Jay Knowles came with a party of neighbors and started to break in the door. George fired, killing Waters, who was in the party. Dr. David Knowles, his wife and George Knowles have been arrested. Waters leaves a widow and six children.

**Champion Pettit Resigns the Title.**

NEWPORT, R. I., Sept. 12.—A letter has been forwarded to the editor of the London Field by Mr. Pettit, the tennis champion of the world, as follows: "To prevent any possibility of a misunderstanding in the future I wish to say it is not my intention to defend my tennis championship. I am employed all the year and cannot afford to give the time which the preparation for a match requires. I hereby formally resign the title and cannot answer any challenges which may be sent to me."

**A Minister Convicted of Larceny.**

READING, Pa., Sept. 12.—In court here Rev. Martin Luther Fritch, who six months ago was pastor of one of the most flonrishing Reformed charges in Berks County, was convicted of larceny in stealing knives and other small articles from a hardware store. He was recommended to the mercy of the court and has not yet been sentenced. He is no longer serving his congregation. The case has caused a big sensation.

**The Publishers Will Retaliate.**

WATERBURY, Conn., Sept. 12.—The case of the State vs. the Sunday Herald was heard in the police court during the morning, but Judge Bradstreet will not render a decision for a week. Counsel for the Herald gave notice that if a conviction was found they would cause the arrest of every person selling New York papers on the streets of Waterbury on Sunday.

**The Hoffman House Mortgaged.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 12.—A mortgage for $500,000 to secure the bonds given to the Farmers' Loan and Trust Company by "The Hoffman House," on Nos. 1-9 West 24th street, No. 7 West 25th street. No. 7 Beaver street, also the Hotel Claremont, Riverside Drive and 126th street, leaseholds, also all goods and chattels contained in the above places, has just been recorded.

**Baseball Players Fined.**

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Sept. 12.—Doran, pitcher of the New Haven Baseball Club, was fined $50 and suspended indefinitely. Cahill and Lally, of the same club, were fined $25. These disciplinary measures are the outcome of Tuesday's indifferent playing.

**The Benwell Murder Trial.**

TORONTO, Ont., Sept. 12.—Colin MacDougall, Q. C., one of the cleverest criminal lawyers in the province, has been retained by the Attorney-General as associate counsel with B. B. Osler, Q. C., in the prosecution of Birchall for the murder of Benwell.

**The National Stone Masons' Union.**

BALTIMORE, Md., Sept. 12.—The convention of the National Stone Masons' Union of America finished its labors and adjourned. The next convention will be held in Syracuse, N. Y., on the first Monday in February, 1891.

**Mayor Gleason's Trial.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 12.—Mayor Patrick J. Gleason, of Long Island City, indicted for assault in the second degree on George R. Crowley, the reporter, was released in charge of his counsel, to appear on Tuesday next.

## BURNS IN COMMAND

### The London Labor Leader is Called to Southampton.

### STRIKE AFFAIRS BADLY MIXED.

The Men Resolve to Return to Work and Afterward Rescind Their Action.

**A Large Delegation of Englishmen to Visit America—London Newspapers Dislike Our Tariff Bill—Only Six Copies of Marshal MacMahon's Memoirs Printed—The Duchesse d'Uzes Contribution.**

SOUTHAMPTON, Sept. 12.—At a conference of the strikers it was decided to return to work on the concession offered a fortnight ago. The decision was fiercely opposed by a strong minority. The concession means an increase of a penny an hour in wages. The question of employing non-union men is left open.

McCarthy, the leader of the men, said in an interview that the fact of the strike having been begun without obtaining authority from the Dockmen's Executive Committee at London precluded the hope of success. The men had been warned against precipitate action, but had chosen to disregard the advice. McCarthy strongly condemned the local union for having forced a strike under such circumstances.

Later, John Burns arrived with instructions from the Executive Committee to assume the management of the strike. The men have, therefore, decided to suspend the resolution to return to work until after a further meeting, which has been called for to-night.

### WILL VISIT AMERICA.

**A Big Party of Englishmen to Make a Tour of the United States.**

LONDON, Sept. 12.—The members of the Iron and Steel Institute of Great Britain, who are preparing to visit America, number three hundred, and will be accompanied by a large number of friends. The first contingent start to-day from Southampton on the Normannia, and later the Servia will take a considerable number.

It is understood that the American reception committee will provide sleeping and luncheon cars to take their visitors over 3,000 miles of the United States. The week beginning September 29 will be devoted to reading of papers and discussions by members of the American Institute of Mining Engineers and the English Iron and Steel Institute.

Excursions will be made to the iron ore and copper regions of Lake Superior and to the iron districts of Alabama.

**Don't Like Our Tariff Bill.**

LONDON, Sept. 12.—The English newspapers comment upon the passage of the Tariff bill by the American Senate in terms severely denunciatory of that measure. Most of the writers express the belief that the new tariff will prove so disastrous to the country that it will lead to a reaction toward free trade.

**Marshal MacMahon's Memoirs.**

PARIS, Sept. 12.—Marshal MacMahon has completed his memoirs, but the world is likely to see little of them for some time. He will print only six copies, and these are for his own family.

**Boulanger's Exploded Cause.**

LONDON, Sept. 12.—The revelations of the Paris Figaro show that the Duchesse d'Uzes gave $600,000 to the Boulangist cause, but did not mix herself in the petty intrigues of the party.

### RAIN AT CRESSON.

**The President Attends a Children's Hop at the Mountain House.**

CRESSON, Pa., Sept. 12.—The President entertained Private Secretary Halford and family, and Mr. Horace Pettit, of Philadelphia, at dinner last evening, and afterward spent an hour at the children's hop in the parlor of the Mountain House.

Mrs. Harrison and Mrs. McKee, who have been somewhat indisposed, have fully recovered. The rain storm continues, with no prospects of abatement, and the indications are that the trip proposed for the President to different points of interest in this locality will have to be deferred until next week.

**Senate Bills to be Pushed.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 12.—A caucus of Republican Senators met in the morning to determine upon an order of business, and what measures on the calendar should be pushed to passage before adjournment. About a dozen bills were talked of as worthy of speedy action. Among them are the Anti-Lottery bill, the bill for the relief of the Supreme Court of the United States, the Senate Pure Food bill, the Lard bill, the Bankruptcy bill and the Labor bills that recently passed the House of Representatives. These measures will be taken up in about the order named, the Anti-Lottery bill being the first to receive consideration.

**A Fast Trotter.**

PITTSFIELD, Mass., Sept. 12.—At the Berkshire Agricultural Fair, in an attempt to beat 1:40, the yearling filly Blue Queen, owned by Charles Rosboro, Chatham, N. Y., trotted a half mile in 1:24, which beats the New York State record.

**A Millionaire's Suit for Divorce.**

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 12.—After 23 years of wedded life, Cyrus M. Merriman, son of the deceased lumber merchant, has begun divorce proceedings here against his wife, on the ground of desertion.

### KEPT THE LETTERS.

**A Woman's Scheme for Getting Prominent Men in Trouble.**

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Sept. 12.—Mrs. Lillie Church, the pretty young wife of Dr. Church, a popular dentist, has created a sensation here in society and dismay in several manly bosoms. She is one of the prettiest women in the State, and was married some five years ago.

Inside of three years she wearied of her chains and began to enjoy herself with such freedom that her husband procured a separation. Then, accompanied by her maid, a remarkably pretty young woman named Lotta Ivers, she started out for herself, and since then has led a life of glorious freedom. She visited all the fashionable resorts and lived in such splendor that her acquaintances were greatly mystified to account for her source of income.

Early this summer she and the maid quarreled over a man and parted. About this time she began to write letters to men of prominence in wealth or official circles, in which she stated she needed funds to obtain a divorce, and promised to return the obligation if favored. She got many sympathetic replies, all of which she kept. How much money she got will never be known.

One of her probable sources of revenue has just been revealed by her arrest for larceny. The charges are legion and include every hotel and house at which she had stopped during the entire summer. If they are true she has literally robbed right and left. The grand jury promptly indicted her, and her conviction seemed certain, when to-day she came out and proclaimed the possession of criminating letters, which she swears to make public if she is prosecuted.

Her alleged victims are of the highest circles, and tremendous pressure is being brought to bear on the district attorney to quash the case.

### NEWS OF THE DAY.

Poachers from Behring Sea report the seals very scarce.

J. Hart was appointed postmaster at South Greece, Monroe County, N. Y.

A waterspout in Texas carried a locomotive and two cars off a railroad track.

James Monteith, the well-known geographer and teacher, is dead at his residence in Brooklyn, N. Y., aged 60.

Russia has given orders to the governors of Siberia to prevent any further immigration of Chinese into that country.

The World's Fair directory and the National Commissioners are in a dispute as to which shall appoint the director general.

The total number of cases of cholera in the province of Spain up to date is 8,472, and of deaths 1,787. The smallpox is spreading in Madrid.

A subscription list has been opened in Montreal to secure funds for the relief of the inhabitants of the famine threatened districts of Ireland.

At Lancaster, Pa., Dr. John S. Stahr was inaugurated during the morning as President of Franklin and Marshal College. George F. Bear of Reading delivered an oration.

Lars B. Peterson, a Swedish sailor on board the United States man-of-war Yantic lying at the Brooklyn Navy Yard committed suicide by cutting his throat with a table knife. He had been on leave and is said to have over indulged in liquor, causing temporary insanity.

Laura Horn, aged 31, of Hoboken, N. J., committed suicide during the morning by hanging herself to the fanlight of a hall bedroom at her home there. She was demented. When her father, Frederick Horn, 68 years old, discovered the fate of his daughter he shot himself in the head with a revolver, inflicting a probably fatal wound.

Ten days having expired since First Assistant Postmaster General Clarkson resigned, President Harrison has designated Edwin C. Fowler, Chief Clerk of the office, to perform the duties of First Assistant Postmaster General. At the expiration of ten days another official designation will be necessary unless an appointment shall have been made in the meantime.

**Weather Indications.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 12.—For New England: Rain, preceded by fair in Eastern Maine; stationary temperature; easterly winds.

For Eastern York, Eastern Pennsylvania and New Jersey: Rain; stationary temperature, except cooler at Albany and vicinity; easterly winds.

For Western New York: Rain; stationary temperature; variable winds; generally southeasterly.

### NEW YORK MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—Money on call to-day, 20 per cent.

BONDS.

| | Closing Yesterday. | Closing To-day. |
|---|---|---|
| 4½s, 1891 Reg | 104½ | 104½ |
| 4½s, 1891 Coup | 104½ | 104½ |
| 4 s, 1907 Reg | 125½ | 125½ |
| 4 s, 1907 Coup | 125½ | 125½ |

STOCK MARKET.

| | Closing Yesterday. | Closing To-day. |
|---|---|---|
| Canadian Pacific | — | 81¼ |
| Central Pacific | — | — |
| Chicago, Bur. & Quincy | 98 | 98¾ |
| Delaware & Hudson | — | — |
| Del. Lack. & Western | 145¼ | 144¾ |
| Erie | 26 | 25¾ |
| Erie pref | — | — |
| Lake Shore | 107¼ | 107¼ |
| Louis. & Nash | 87½ | 87 |
| Michigan Central | 95½ | 93 |
| Missouri Pacific | 71 | 70¾ |
| New Jersey Central | — | 119 |
| Northwestern | 109¼ | 108¾ |
| Oregon Navigation | — | — |
| Pacific Mail | 46¾ | 45¾ |
| Reading | 45¾ | 45¼ |
| Rock Island | 83¾ | 83¾ |
| St. Paul | 70¾ | 70 |
| Union Pacific | 89¾ | 89 |
| Western Union | 84¾ | 84 |

PRODUCE MARKET.

| | Sept. | Oct. | Nov. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Wheat | 100¾ | — | — |

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## BY THE WAY.

—Take the trains leaving Plainfield at 1:59 and 2:32, to-morrow afternoon, for the Somerville ball game.

—A. P. Burbank, the well-known elocutionist, will entertain the guests of Hotel Netherwood, this evening.

—Special Policeman James Babbitt is doing patrol duty for Night Watchman Giese during the latter's absence from the city for a few days.

—Those who intend driving to Somerville, to-morrow, to see the ball game, should be told that no vehicles will be admitted within the ball field.

—The exercises attending the presentation of a handsome American flag from the Carpenters' and Joiners' Union to the Bryant Public school, will take place next week Tuesday.

—The members of Jerusalem Lodge courteously surrendered their hall, last evening, for the use of the Union choir now practicing for the approaching Christian Endeavor Convention.

—On the third page of today's PRESS Geo. W. Force, the West Front street boot and shoe dealer, calls attention to his Fall and Winter stock. His assortment is large and prices low.

—Tickets for general admission to the Somerville ball grounds, are now on sale at Stelle's pharmacy. By buying there, the crowd at the ticket office will be avoided. The price is 25 cents.

—Chas. Thorn, of Fanwood, has transferred to Margaret L. Carpenter, of this city, land on northeast side of Liberty street, 53 feet northwest from Orchard place, 108x26 feet, for a consideration of $1,325.

—Gus Wilson and Sam Terry say they were not on Fifth street, Wednesday evening, and consequently could not have been with the gang that attacked the three young men whose story was told in THE PRESS of yesterday.

—Members of the Hope Chapel Gospel Temperance Club are earnestly desired to be present at their meeting in the chapel this evening at eight o'clock. Business of importance will be considered, and prompt attendance is desired.

—Chas. Wann, representing the Gamewell Fire Alarm Telegraph Company, of New York, to whom the Plainfield fire alarm contract was awarded, appeared before the Common Council of Burlington, Tuesday evening, and secured by a unanimous vote the contract for the extension of the fire alarm system of that city. Mr. Wann met competition, but triumphed as usual.

—Overseer of the Poor Bauersachs of North Plainfield, says there has been no complaint made to him by Mrs. Stephens because of her husband's neglect and harsh treatment as told exclusively in yesterday's PRESS. Therefore there is no warrant issued. Mrs. Stephens does not want to get her husband in trouble; she merely desires the support from him that is her right.

### Watch THE PRESS Base Ball Bulletin To-morrow.

The carrier pigeon service of THE PRESS gave the people great satisfaction Wednesday. At the end of every inning of the Crescent-Westfield base ball game a pigeon bearing the score was released. The birds flew well, and as rapidly as they reached THE PRESS left the message they brought was announced by bulletins at the front of THE PRESS office, where a crowd of people excitedly discussed the progress of the base ball contest and waited eagerly for further returns. The bird that brought the news of the ninth inning made the best trip of all, but a telephone message announcing the Crescents' victory was said to have been received a minute before his arrival. The telephone rumor, however, did not satisfy the bulletin students, and they held their enthusiasm in check till THE PRESS announced the official figures, when the people broke forth in cheers.

To-morrow's great game between the Crescents and the West Ends at Somerville will also be attended by THE PRESS pigeons, and THE PRESS bulletins will announce the score as the game progresses.

### Very Badly Treated Fish.

Five Plainfield fishermen last Thursday started in a scow to make a voyage from the bridge to the dam. All were capsized and almost immediately after the immersion of the bold mariners many dead or debauched fish floated down stream.—*Somerville Messenger.*

## PARTICULAR MENTION.

Prof. Eugene Reilly has returned from a six weeks' visit to Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Boss of North Plainfield, have returned from a sojourn at Smyrna, N. Y.

Wm. E. Lowe and family, of Park avenue, have returned from a Summer outing at Lake Placid, N. Y.

Mrs. G. Q. Dolliver, of Manning avenue, is convalescent from a severe attack of quinsy sore throat.

Mr. and Mrs. George Burgess, of Linvale, are visiting Mrs. Rachel Allen, a sister of Mr. Burgess, on Park avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph W. Sandford, of West Seventh street, are among the recent arrivals at the Spring House, Richfield Spring.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Holmes have gone to Haines Corners, N. Y., to enjoy the Catskill breezes during the remainder of September.

Miss Louisa Verdon, of "Shady Lawn," left Plainfield yesterday for a trip through the Northwest to Wisconsin and the Great Lakes.

The Rev. Mr. Goodrich will preach for the Rev. Dr. Lewis, at the Seventh-day Baptist church, to-morrow morning at 10:30 o'clock.

Joseph Frederic Wharton and Miss Alice Gleason, both of this city, were united in marriage by the Rev. C. B Mitchell, last evening. The ceremony took place in the new home of the bride and groom, 272 West Third street, and the happy couple will at once begin housekeeping.

Wednesday afternoon took place the marriage of Philip Giese, of this city, to Miss Gussie Mager, of Newark. The Rev. Dr. Schambach, of the Presbyterian church, performed the ceremony. Only relatives and a few intimate friends were present. Mr. and Mrs. Giese have gone to Pennsylvania to spend a honeymoon, and upon their return will live with the groom's parents, at 8 Orange street.

The opening meeting of the Young Men's Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A., held at the Association rooms last evening, was a great success. The boys were fortunate in having with them two men of experience in boys' work—Geo. G. Peck, of Newburgh, who was visiting in the city, and R. G. Leypoldt, of New York, who was in town on business. S. F. Dudley, of Orange, will be present at the social meeting to be held Tuesday evening next.

### Accused of Violating the License Laws.

Eugene Hoerster, a North Plainfield beer bottler, is to be tried before Justice Hardy next week on the charge of selling liquor to minors. Two sons of Lewis Sprigg—both under age—last night made affidavit to the statement that Hoerster had repeatedly sold them intoxicating drinks for their own use. When Lewis Sprigg was on trial for disorderly conduct Sunday morning his eighteen-year-old son stated under oath that not only had he himself procured liquor at Hoerster's place but had seen other minors buy of Hoerster.

Hoerster is already under bonds to appear for trial in the Somerset County Courts on the charge of selling liquor to be drunk on the premises. The story that will be told in Court is that one Borough Marshal caught another Borough Marshal drinking, at Hoerster's place, liquor he had just bought of Hoerster. The license granted to Hoerster is merely for "quart" sales, and provides that no liquor must be drunk by customers on the premises.

### Why the Blackguard Keeps One Man's Name Out of His Paper.

When President Moffett and wife, and Councilman Gallup and wife, went to West Point for a day's pleasure trip, Wednesday, the *news* said that some members of the Council had gone out of town, and intimated in its customary, disgusting way, that they would come home drunk. But the paper mentioned no names.

On another occasion, recently, in referring to Mr. Gallup, the *news* spoke of "another Councilman." The gentleman meant was asked by a PRESS reporter if he knew why his name was so uniformly omitted. He smiled and said that when the *news* first began its usual dirty methods of attack upon him, he told the editor, "If you mention my name in your filthy sheet, I'll horsewhip you."

### Who is This Curse to the City?

The people of Plainfield would pay a reward for the discovery of the correspondent who continues to send such lies as this to the *World*;

PLAINFIELD, Sept. 9.—Firebugs again applied the torch in this city shortly after midnight last night. The barn of A. Sturtevant on Orchard place was set on fire and burned to the ground. The loss was only $1,200 and is covered by insurance. This is the eighth building destroyed by fire here in two weeks. All these fires are said to have been of incendiary origin.

They are not said to have been anything of the sort. Chief Doane says the cause of Sturtevant's barn burning was green hay, and that there has not been an incendiary fire in this city in months and months.

All such reports are of great damage to this city. They spread everywhere. Even the Philadelphia papers have had columns of stuff about "the reign of terrible fire-bugs in Plainfield, again."

### Sugar Given Away—Biggest Inducement Yet Offered.

To-morrow we will give to every purchaser of a pound of our famous 50 cent special mixed tea—three pounds of granulated sugar free. United Tea and Coffee Growers' Association.

## ROBBED THE SECOND TIME.

### Burglars Blow Open the Bound Brook Post office Safe and Get Away With Its Contents.

The Post Office at Bound Brook was visited by burglars last night, the safe blown open and robbed of about $75 in money and a like amount in stamps. The burglars obtained entrance into the rear of the office by forcing apart the iron bars which guard the windows, after attempting to find the bolts of the door by boring some twelve-inch augur holes in the panels. The thieves left a half-pint bottle behind them partly filled with fine ducking powder, also other implements which may lead to their detection.

A PRESS reporter visited the scene this morning, and is confident that the work was done by amatuers, and not by "Mickey" McDonald, the Plainfield Post Office robber, who is at present at large. A hole was bored in the safe, powder inserted and the door and filling blown out and scattered over the interior of the office. Only two registered packages were found by the thieves and broken open. One probably contained jewelry, and was addressed to "Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Talmage." The contents may lead to the burglars identification as the case was with "Mickey" McDonald.

Postmaster W. B R. Mason immediate-wired to the Post Office authorities to visit the office. This is the second time the office has been robbed in two years. There are facts and evidences of guilt that the PRESS is not at present authorized to divulge, which may be the means of bringing to justice the guilty parties. Postmaster Mason is editor of the Bound Brook *Chronicle*.

## SACRED CONCERT AT NETHERWOOD.

### Greenop's Philharmonic Quartette's Programme for Next Sunday Evening.

One of the features of the Hotel Netherwood this season, has been the music by Greenop's Philharmonic Quartette. Plainfield residents have also been cordially welcomed to an enjoyment of it with the guests. Next Sunday evening the following programme will be rendered:

Overture—"Oberon".....Weber
Adagio—From Fourth Symphonie....Beethoven
Grand Selection—Les Huguenots.....Myerbeer
(a. Serenade.....Moszkowski
(b. Spring Song.....Mendelssohn
Prelude—To William Tell.....Rossini
Bridal Music—From Lohengrin.....Wagner
Divertisement—Faust.....Gounod
Prayer—From "Mose in Egito".....Rossini
Andante Spinato.....Chopin
Coronation March—From Prophet.....Myerbeer

### Too Much Rivalry in Somerset.

"Ex-Congressman John Kean," remarks *The New York Times*, in a column of chat concerning New Jersey politics, "is willing to measure lances with Congressman Geissenhainer, his fellow-townsman in Elizabeth, whom the Democrats will nominate. Mr. Kean carried the district once or twice against Miles Ross, whose Cheesequake Creek appropriation had brought him into disfavor, but he has not had the same good luck with others. Mr. Geissenhainer ought to be an easy winner.

"The Senatorial canvasses," *The Times* continues, "are taking shape quite as rapidly as the Congressional canvasses. Somerset presents a picture of sorry Democratic disunion, and it is feared that the rivalries of the half dozen candidates there will give the county to the Republicans. Andrew Lane, a wealthy Neshanic miller, whom Senator Thompson beat three years ago, is hot after the nomination again. H. M. T. Beekman, a young Jersey City lawyer, who is ambitious to represent the honor of his birth in the Senate, is his chief competitor. James J. Bergen, ex-Assemblyman and Prosecutor of the Pleas, is showing some strength, however. The Republicans talk of Chas. B. Place, Lewis H. Schenck, and Senator Thompson again.

"Rumors from Union county represent that Assemblyman Fred Marsh is not ambitious for the Democratic nomination. Foster M. Voorhees and Mayor Rankin of Elizabeth, are the chief competitors for the Republican support."

### Plainfield Women Their Ruslest Workers.

The sixth annual convention of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union of Union county, to be held in Etta Hall, Broad street, Westfield, Thursday, September 18, will be conducted largely by Plainfielders. Mrs. M. D. Tomlinson, of LaGrande avenue, is President, and will deliver an interesting address; and noteworthy reports of the departments which they superintend will be read by Mrs. P. H. Bennett, of Craig place, on Juvenile Work; Mrs. J. W. Yates, of East Seventh street, on Literature; Mrs. J. H. Coard, of Putnam avenue, on Hygiene and Heredity; Mrs. S. R. Krom, of Madison avenue, on Press Work; Miss May Tomlinson, of LaGrande avenue, on the Kitchen Garden; and Mrs. T. C. Bodine, of Dunellen, on Tobacco and Narcotics.

### Good People from the Borough Will Attend.

The 73d annual meeting of the Somerset County Bible Society will be held in the Presbyterian church at Lamington next week Tuesday, Sept. 16. The Rev. T. J. Schock, of Bloomington, will preach the annual sermon, and the Rev. W. J. Henderson, of Somerville, will deliver a special address in the afternoon. Delegates will be met at the station at New Germantown, on the Rockaway Valley Railroad by carriages. The meeting, which will be attended by delegates from North Plainfield and Washingtonville, is expected to be an interesting one.

## THE FIRST OF THE THREE.

### In One Particular Only Are the West Ends at All the Equals of the Crescents.

To-morrow at Somerville, the West Ends of that town, and the Crescents of this city, will meet in the first of the three games arranged to be played between these two ball teams who are probably the most bitter rivals on the diamond today. The excitement is already intense on both sides, and the Somerville sporting men have bet the Plainfield bloods to a stand still.

The batting order will probably be as follows:

West Ends—Carbonell, cf; Bowes, c; Williams, 3b; Harkins, p; Reilly, ss; O'Rourke, 1b; Farrell, 2b; Bergen, lf; Davenport, rf.

Crescents—Hatfield, rf; Martin, ss; Lufbery, 2b; Wiegand, 1b; Lever, cf; McIndoe, lf; Gregg, p; Jones, c; Lee, 3b.

A glance at the above lists of batters, gives the one reason for the caution that is felt by the friends of the Plainfield team. The Crescents have merely the usual nine that has been on their salary list all Summer; while the West Ends today, include a pick of professional players engaged at much expense especially for the occasion. It is not probable therefore that the contest is an even one for Plainfield even on its own grounds.

However, the Crescents will try to hold the West Ends down, at least, and beat them one game if possible. The Crescents have more to fear from Harkins' batting than from his pitching—in fact at all points, except with the stick, the West Ends are out-classed by the Plainfield team.

### Primaries Over the Brook.

The Democratic County Convention, to select candidates for Senator, Assembly man, County Clerk and Coroners in the Fourth Congressional District, will be held at the Court House, in Somerville, on Monday, Octoner 13, and the primary meetings will be held the Saturday previous, except in North Plainfield. In that borough the primary will be held in the new school house, this evening, at eight o'clock, when four delegates will be selected.

### The Largest Conversion in Plainfield's Church History.

Forty-five new members joined the Plainfield Methodist Episcopal church last Sunday, the largest number ever admitted to any church in this city at one time. This happy ingathering is due to the untiring zeal of the pastor, the Rev. Chas. B. Mitchell, during his earnest revival work last Winter.

### A Plainfielder's Unfortunate Fate.

William Martin, the second son of J. Marc Martin, of Park avenue, fell from the platform of a car on on a branch of the West Shore Railroad at South Bethlehem, eight miles from Albany, Wednesday night, while the train was crossing a trestle, and was killed by the fall into the ravine below. The body will be brought to this city to-night.

### A Good Judge Lost His Judgment.

When it is known that Judge Codington so lost his head and stooped so low as to reply to a base attack upon him published in the *news*, the people will wonder greatly that so sound a man should make so bad a break. But he probably wonders himself, now, as he looks back and contemplates the greatest mistake of his life.

—Tunis J. Carey is mastering the art of bicycle-riding.

### Before the Ways and Means Committee.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 12.—The Democratic members of the Ways and Means Committee have determined to insist upon several days consideration of the Tariff bill in the committee and then allow the bill to be disposed of as soon as possible. The Ways and Means met to-day to consider the Senate bill. Protests from importers against the bill going into effect on October 1 are still coming in from various quarters.

### In Case of Panic.

WASHINGTON Sept. 12.—It is said that if there is any danger of a panic through want of money to withdraw goods from bonded warehouses before the Tariff bill goes into effect, the period of withdrawals may be extended, but the date of the bill, October 1, will not be changed.

### Appointed to West Point.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 12.—The following named cadets have been appointed to the United States Military Academy, West Point: L. C. Lyon, Williamsport, Pa.; Edgar T. Collins, alternate, Hepburn, Pa.

### Terrible if True.

Between the hours of two and six o'clock on Thursday and Friday afternoons and all day Saturday, Rogers Bros. will sell all of their $2 50 shoes for $2; all $3 shoes for $2.50; all $3.50 shoes for $3. They have a few more men's lace shoes that they are closing out at 50 cents. Be sure and be there at two o'clock when the sale begins. They warrant every pair.


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Bennett, Mrs Anna
Cline, Jacob
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Conkling, A
Cooney, Bessie
Duffy, Peter
Egbert, Arthur
Fayer, L
Koesger, Miss
Kroesig, Jacob
Lynch, Francis
Little, Johnie
Low, Miss Lizzie
Little, Miss Nellie
MacMuller, Miss Grace
Marvin, Chas A
Nelson, James
Ortiman, Mrs
Randolph, Samuel
Robinson, Mrs A A
Reed, Mrs Hattie
Stytch, Miss Mary M
Scott, Mrs
Teneyck, Oscar
Taylor, Miss H
Williams, Martha
Wilters, Harry
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Persons calling for the above, please say advertised. E. B. POPE, Postmaster.

### Arrival and Departure of Mails.

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*SOMERVILLE AND EASTON MAILS.*
*Arrive*—8:40 A. M., 2:40, 6:30 P. M.
*Close*—7:30 A. M., 4:30 P. M.

Direct mail to Trenton and Philadelphia at 4:30 P. M.

*SUNDAY MAILS.*
Office open from 9:30 to 10:30 A. M.
Mail closes at 6:30 P. M.

E. B. POPE, P. M.

## DEATHS.

MARTIN—Suddenly, Sept. 10, 1890, William, son of J. Marc Martin, aged 24 years and 6 months. Funeral services from the residence of his father, 135 Park avenue, Saturday, Sept. 13, at 4 P. M. Interment private.

## WANTS AND OFFERS.

*Advertisements under this heading, one cent for each word each insertion.*

A WOMAN with references, wants a place to do general housework. Apply 83 West 8th st.

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WANTED—Board for gentleman, wife, three children and nurse; private family preferred. Address or call on Lyman & Anthony, real estate, 61 North avenue. 9 11 3

BARN to let. Inquire J. A. Smith, grocer, 13 West Front street. 9 10 w

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There is no doubt in the minds of Dr. Paul Gibier of the Pasteur Institute, New York, and Dr. Monroe B. Long, of this city, that the dog who bit Miss Quenzer of East Front street, Wednesday, was mad. As told exclusively in THE PRESS of yesterday, the dog was sent to Dr. Gibier for examination, and Miss Quenzer went to the Institute for inoculation. Dr. Long who was present when Miss Quenzer was inoculated, gave a PRESS reporter the following information about her particular case and hydrophobia in general:

"The post-mortem on the dog showed it to have been a genuine case of rabies. The stomach contained at least two pounds of unnatural food only, such as sticks, stones, hay, straw and grass. The brain and spinal cord of a rabid animal do not show any signs proving the disease to have been hydrophobia. It is believed, however, to be a diseased germ effecting the nervous centres. The microbe or germ has not been discovered by the microscope.

"When the person bitten is treated at once, as in the case of Miss Quenzer, fifteen antirabic inoculations are given, one daily, beginning with a mild virus and increasing its strength, day by day, for the whole time. If several days have passed before there has been any treatment, twenty-five inoculations are given. The virus used is taken from the brain of rabid animals, and allowed to dry for different lengths of time according to the strength desired. The mildest, which is used first, has dried for 15 days, the second, slightly stronger, for fourteen days, and so on. The preparation of the virus is a very elaborate affair conducted in an extensive laboratory.

"More than ten thousand people have been inoculated during the five years in which the Pasteurian inoculations have been practiced. The application of the method has, undoubtedly, been successful in preserving a great number of persons from the frightful death which is the consequence of hydrophobia. The sixteen persons who had been inoculated at the New York Pasteur Institute in the two months following its opening, are enjoying good health, whilst several domestic animals, bitten by the same dogs that attacked several of these patients, have died of hydrophobia. A man bitten by one of these dogs and not treated at the Institute, has also died of hydrophobia."

But may not all this expense of probably $200, and the attending discomforts of the treatment, be entirely unnecessary on the part of Miss Quenzer or anyone else who has been bitten by a dog? *The Medical Record* says that everyone who has studied the subject, acknowledges that hydrophobia, if, indeed, it exists at all in the human subject, is at least a very rare disease. Compare this fact with the almost countless number of persons who are bitten from year to year by dogs supposed to be rabid. If statistics were collected on this point the results would prove that there is no more apparent relation of cause and effect between the bite of a dog and hydrophobia than between an accidental sneeze and a stroke of lightning. And yet what do we read in the daily papers in connection with the present hydrophobia scare? Judging from these accounts it would be fair to assume that the community was as much exposed to hydrophobia as to typhoid fever, pneumonia, or any other of the ordinarily common diseases. Scarcely a day passes that some new cases of dog-bitten patients do not present themselves in the terrible plight of fear of a horrible death. It does not make any difference, apparently, whether or not it is known that the dog was mad; the patient gets the benefit of the doubt, and the so-called preventive does its perfect work. And the cry is still they come.

Scientifically speaking, it is still to be proven that this inoculation of hydrophobic virus has ever prevented an attack of hydrophobia or modified its course. And where are the cases of hydrophobia said to be dying or dead throughout the country? What has become of those which have been abandoned to their fate as beyond the reach of the preventive treatment? Surely such are interesting enough to warrant detailed records in scientific journals. And yet we never hear of them except in sensational reports connected with the booming of the inoculation theory and the popularization of special hospitals in which the alleged wonderful treatment is practiced. We say this in no captious spirit of criticism, but in the true interests of hundreds who may become unnecessarily alarmed and may be in despair of timely assistance. All things being equal, they can from the present outlook afford to take the chances of treatment by the family physician. We can certainly hold him responsible for any marked increase in the mortality statistics from this dreadful disease in case he fails in the performance of his duty.

The man, woman or child who may be bitten by dog, cow, horse or hen may still live; at least, he or she has a much better chance for so doing than either of the offending animals, even without further inoculation.

As the warm weather continues the natural cravings of humanity call for something cooling to drink. Hires' Root Beer is sparkling, and a most delicious article. Every family should have it in their house. A 25 cent package will enable any one to make five gallons. Ask your druggist or storekeeper for it.

## SPRIGG'S TALE.

**He Says the Whole Affair was a Farce—Yet He Accuses Justice Hardy of Suggesting a Counsel for Him—And When He Told the Justice He Would Not Stand a Fine, the Justice Told Him He Could "Lay Down."**

TO THE EDITOR OF THE PRESS:—In your paper of September 8, in the article headed, "Offered to Burn Down the House," you do myself and family a great injustice, and therefore I take the liberty to write you a few lines in order that the public may know the true situation. In the first place you state that there is and was been for a long time, enmity between myself and Louis Wyckoff. I think that is correct so far as Wyckoff is concerned, and he has fully demonstrated that fact by his actions toward me. As to the charge made against me on Saturday night last, the whole affair was a farce.

In the first place as I sat on my back porch smoking my pipe about 10 o'clock Saturday evening, the constable came and asked me to go with him to Justice Hardy's. I inquired what for and he informed me that Wyckoff had charged me with having threatened Wyckoff's life with a pistol in my hand, and threatened to shoot him. I of course was astonished, but went with the officer to Hardy's office thinking there must be some mistake as I had not had any pistol in my hand for a month or more, much less having threatened Wyckoff, or anyone else. When we arrived at the Justice's office, the Justice asked me if I was guilty. I said I was not. He then fixed my hearing for Sunday morning at 9 o'clock, at which time I appeared and asked to have the case adjourned until Monday morning so that I would have an opportunity to employ counsel. The justice asked me who my council was, I informed him, and he suggested another counsel. I insisted on my own choice. On the trial some of the witnesses swore that they heard the pistol shots on Somerset street, and Wyckoff swore that they were at and near his place. While I had been at home all the evening, except for an hour or so—when I was staying at a neighbor's who was mourning the loss of a child who had died a day or so before—I therefore knew nothing of the affair as charged. The justice fined me $10 and costs. I consider I was unfairly dealt with from first to last.

I was forced to trial on Sunday morning without an opportunity to employ counsel, and although I am a freeholder of the Borough, I was told by the Justice that unless the fine and costs were paid at once I would be imprisoned for 10 days. I paid the fine and told the Justice I would not stand it. He told me I could lay down to it. I think I shall take his advice, as I believe right will come on top in the end. I have lived in the Borough about fifteen years, have treated my neighbors in a neighborly way, pay my debts, served in the U. S. army in the Rebellion, am a member of the G. A. R. post and feel that I am as a good citizen entitled to protection, both in court and in print, and therefore state the above facts.

LOUIS SPRIGG.

**The Great Metropolis Talking of Next Thursday's Game.**

*(From the New York Sun.)*

A game that is creating the most intense interest in semi-professional base ball circles is that to be played at Plainfield, N. J., on Thursday, Sept. 18. The game is to decide the inter-State amateur championship of New Jersey and Connecticut. The contending teams will be the Norwich of Norwich, Conn., who have won their series from the Mystics and Hartfords, and the Crescent League team of Plainfield, who on Wednesday closed the unprecedented record of defeating once or more every team they have played against except the Norwich. The following are teams the Crescents have defeated this season: Metropolitans, Acmes, Cuban Giants, Gorhams, Hackett, Carhart & Co., Columbia College, Stars of Newark, Unions of New Brunswick, Silentias, Rutgers College, Flushings, Allertons, Monroes, Lees, Vernons, Ridgewoods, Greenpoints, Alerts of Elizabeth, and Westfields; the Crescents having lost but five games this season.

**A Speedy Mustang Causes Trouble for His Master.**

Jeremiah Rowe appeared before Justice Hardy, of North Plainfield, yesterday, to answer to the charge of fast and reckless driving. Rowe pleaded not guilty, and said that the mustang he was driving had selected a pace which he as driver could not control. He had no intention of violating the law, and had not been conscious of doing it.

The Court decided that the mustang had been going faster than the law allows, and that Rowe had made no effort to reduce the gait. Sentence was suspended, however, and Rowe was put on his good behavior, with the warning that another offense would be severely punished.

Rowe was fined only a short time ago, for fast driving, and the case is now pending on appeal.

Yes, he loves you now, 'tis true,
Lass with eyes of violet blue,
Lips as sweet as honey-dew,
Bonny little bride!
Will he love you as today,
When your bloom has fled away,
When your golden locks are grey—
Will his love abide?

Yes, if it is the true kind it will survive all the inevitable wastes and changes of life. But, it is every woman's desire and duty to retain, as long as she can, the attractions that made her charming and beloved in youth. No one can keep her youthful bloom or equable temper if weighed down and suffering. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is a remedy for these troubles. Sold by druggists.

## CRISP NEWSPAPER CURRENCY.

A CARPET used in a room of the Philadelphia mint, after being in wear some years, was burned the other day in pans, and yielded $2,500 worth of gold.

THERE are fifty different kinds of ice-cream in the market, thirty-five styles in dog-collars, nineteen novelty wedding rings, six baby bibs and five shades of canary-colored hair dye.

A DEXTER (Me.) man scratched a match on a convenient pane of glass, and, to his surprise, it lighted as readily as though the glass had been sand paper. To those who have been accustomed to seeing people search for a rough surface on which to scratch a match it would be rather startling.

ONE of the letter carriers in Franklin, Pa., says the idea of having their mails delivered is such a novelty to some of the people along his route, that although they probably do not get a letter in a month in actual correspondence they answer newspaper advertisements and devise various other plans for the purpose of receiving something at every delivery.

BY far the most expensive coffee brought to this market comes from Blue Mountain, Jamaica. The whole product of the region is small, and only a few thousand bags reach New York. It is usually bought by Delmonico at a very high figure. At the same time the Delmonico coffee does not contribute to the restaurant's reputation. Quite as good coffee is served at half a dozen less famous places.

A BELFAST (Me.) lawyer does considerable marrying, and was heard to say to a young couple whom he had just married: "Married life in the best regulated families has its troubles, and should either of you come to the conclusion that you have made a mistake don't forget to call on me and I will get you a divorce cheaper than any other lawyer in town. That balance of seventy-five cents you owe me for marrying you you can hand in at any time."

AN Ohio clergyman surprised his congregation on a recent Sunday by making the following announcement: "Nearly every member of this church is either wealthy or well-to-do, although no one would think so from an inspection of the collection plates, which are burdened principally with nickles. I would remind you, brethren, that the collection plate is not a nickel-in-the-slot machine, and that a few bills would come in very handy in the work of the church."

A DIAMOND dealer in Maiden lane, New York, was in the habit of going to Europe so often that he aroused the suspicions of the custom-house detectives; but repeated searches of his person and trunks failed to reveal smuggled goods. Then it was noted as a remarkable fact that his partner always engaged, for a trip to Europe, the same state-room which the other had occupied coming here. Investigation disclosed the fact that one partner concealed smuggled diamonds under the state-room carpet, in a hole he made in the floor; the other partner, having engaged the same room, would visit it two or three times just before the sailing of the vessel eastward, and carry off the hidden gems.

AN ingenious New Yorker with a wife who insisted upon wicker rockers with dainty head rests, and small tables with blue china, and who frequently had to get up nights for the paregoric, went out one morning after a night's groping for the match box and brought home a pot of phosphorescent paint, which he daubed on all corners, points and edges of those darling little rockers and sweet tables, decorating the match box, the bed-posts, the gas bracket and door knobs, determined upon avoiding the shoals and wreckages of the midnight cruise. And now at night the room looks like the ghost scenes from "The Flying Dutchman." The phosphorescence gathers light all day and lets it loose all night.

## REMINDERS OF YEARS GONE BY.

IN 1820 a pair of rubber shoes were seen for the first time in the United States. They were about an eighth of an inch in thickness, and in shape like the heavy shoe of a Chinaman.

AMONG some paper rags in the Plainwell (Mich.) paper mill, there has been found an order allowing one Stephen Stillwell to carry cloth and trimmings for a suit of clothes, from New York to Brooklyn. The order is signed by the "Superintendent," and dated "New York, October 7, 1783"—about thirty days before the British evacuated New York.

FROM Cairo by way of Germany is reported the discovery of a Coptic manuscript which contains much new light upon the Council of Ephesus in 431. It consists of a series of letters written from Ephesus by Cyril Patriarch, of Alexandria, to his agent at the Court of Theodosius II., and a report by this agent, Victor the Younger, on the result of his negotiations.

ACCORDING to some one who has been looking over the records of the Academy of Sciences at Paris the use of India rubber for erasing pencil marks was first suggested in or just prior to 1752 by an academician named Magellan, a descendant of the great navigator. It was added in the report that this substance was more satisfactory than bread crumbs, which had been the usual means up to that time.

B. DEAN, of Jonesboro, Ga., has a block from a garden gate post that was hewn out and placed in the ground in 1804. He made a visit to his sister in Baldwin County, and it was at her home that he secured the block from the aged yet serviceable post. The post was hewn out of a light wood tree, and is perfectly sound to-day. Mr. Dean says it is good for another eighty-six years and perhaps much longer.

THE Earliest Banks. Established.—The Bank of France, 1803; the Bank of Genoa, 1345; the Bank of Ireland, 1783; the Bank of Scotland, 1695; the Bank of Venice, 1157; the Bank of Barcelona, 1307; the Bank of Bengal, 1800; the Bank of England, 1694; the Bank of Hamburg, 1619; the Bank of Amsterdam, 1609; the Bank of North America, 1781; the Bank of Vienna, 1703; the Bank of Berlin, 1765. Banking was carried on by the ancients in several countries centuries before the Christian Era.

## NATURAL HISTORY NOTES.

THE tongue of the giraffe is nearly a foot and a half long.

A JAGUAR will rather attack a black man than a white one.

THE reason given why birds do not fall from their perch is because they can not open the foot when the leg is bent. Look at a hen walking and see it close its toes as it lifts its foot and open them as it touches the ground.

FOR those interested and who want to know how a turtle digs her nest a gentleman who witnessed the performance says that after finding a suitable location the old "hen" digs the hole, something like a jug, using the hind flippers, first one and then the other, moving her body about so as to be able to get at the nest. If the sand is not too hard she will make a nest in from twenty-five to thirty minutes.

ONE of the most brilliantly colored snakes that exist has just been added to the reptile house at the Zoological Gardens, Philadelphia. It has a black color, with regularly arranged rings of yellow and red, the texture and colors together producing an effect much like that of a strip of freshly cleansed oil cloth. This snake is one of the most venomous, and its bright hues may be regarded as a warning of its dangerous qualities.

A FEMALE dromedary was born recently in Captain Cassell's stable, Baltimore. The proud mother is Druid. The little lady stands about three feet high, and has a slender body but very long legs. This is the fourth dromedary born at the park. The first, Horace, died in infancy. His hide, hump and all Captain Cassell had mounted. It is now in the Captain's parlor. The second, Kate, was sold to the circus, with the grandmother of the baby just arrived. The third, another Horace, still lives. He, with Druid and the baby, compose the drove now at the park.

MR. ALFRED BENNETT, who has studied the habits of the emu, states that the hen begins laying about the end of October or beginning of November, and in about six weeks completes the brood of twenty or more eggs. In the meantime the cock begins to sit, and the eggs subsequently laid are deposited at his side by the hen; he then stretches forth his foot and draws them under him. He not only hatches the eggs and does all the subsequent nursing, but has to thrash his wife continually, as she attacks him furiously, and would apparently kill the chicks if she could get at them.

A GEORGIA editor's little son caught two young mocking birds several hundred yards from the house and carried them home and put them in a cage, which was left out of doors. Next day the two young birds were adopted by two old mocking birds, and they have been feeding the young ones ever since. The same day the old birds began feeding them a blue jay flew up to the cage with a blackberry in his mouth and wanted to help feed the young ones, which so enraged the old birds that they attacked the blue jay with great fury and drove him away. While fighting the bluejay the mocking birds plainly showed their anger by making a shrill, discordant noise that had no resemblance to the beautiful songs they sing

## ASTRONOMICAL ATOMS.

THE cause of sun spots is held to be the result of increased electric activity on the sun.

ACCORDING to Popular Science News it is possible at the equator for a solar eclipse to remain total for seven minutes and fifty-eight seconds. A person, however, moving eastward on a rapidly moving train during totality could prolong it to eight minutes.

PROF. BOYS, in a communication to the Royal Society, England, on measurements of the heat of the moon and stars by means of his radiomicrometer, gives an account of a test with a candle at 250.7 yards distance, which gave a deflection of 38 mm. In other words, this instrument would show the heat of a candle at 1.71 miles distance.

PROF. PICKERING, basing his conclusions on a series of photographs of the planet Mars in April, concludes that the southern temperate regions of Mars have just experienced an irruption of polar ice no less remarkable than that which still adds the zest of danger to the navigation of our own North Atlantic.

TWO FULL moons in July seem to have astonished some people. Why? The "phenomenon," as it is called, happens about once in three years, in fact, as often as the first full moon falls on the first or second or early on the third day of a thirty-one-day month. This occurred, for instance, in December, 1876, August, 1879, July, 1882, December, 1884, and October, 1887.

THE star which gives the greatest parallax of any, and which in consequence is believed to be nearest the earth, is Alpha Centauri, a star never visible in this latitude. But even this star's parallax is only 93-100ths of a second, which corresponds to a distance of 221,000 times the sun's distance from our earth, or over 20,000,000,000,000 of miles.

MISS CATHERINE W. BRUCE, of New York, offers $6,000 to aid in astronomical research during the present year. The sum will be divided and precedence will be given to institutions and individuals whose work is already known through their publications; also to those cases which can not otherwise be provided for, or where additional sums can be secured if a part of the cost is furnished.

THE diameter of the dome containing the great Lick telescope in California is seventy-five feet. It is made of steel plates, and weighs 130 tons; yet by the turning of a little wheel, the dome is noiselessly moved so that its window opens to any part of the sky that is desired. The telescope is fifty-six and a half feet long, and weighs twenty-four tons, and is so poised that it can be moved to point in any direction by the turning of a wheel or by placing one hand on the lower end of the telescopes The entire floor of the observatory can be lowered or lifted by hydraulic power a distance of seventeen feet.


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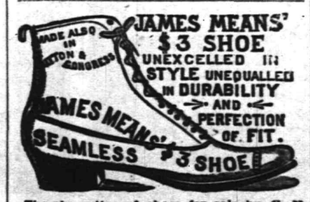

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## TITLED BEAUTIES.

### Well-Known English Women Who Are Popular.

**Lady Carew, Lady Curzon, Lady Charles Beresford, Lady Granby, Lady Raincliffe and Others.**

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What's in a name? Though a name may have an empty sound, if it is attached to a pretty woman it has a significance that carries a great deal with it. Yet there are plenty of women who have not much claim to beauty whose

LADY CAREW.

reputation is almost world-wide, and whose pictures can be seen on all sides.

Take a picture of one of these in the academy and watch the crowd collected around it and you will discover that there is a good deal in a name, after all. How much more prominent, therefore, will a woman be who has a name and a claim to good looks as well, and yet does not owe her name to her looks alone.

One of the foremost of those seen is the Row, in the royal inclosure at Ascot, at the garden parties at Marlborough House, in the smartest drawing-rooms, in fact everywhere that the chic set do congregate, is Lady Carew. She is very tall and has handsome and rather prominent features, and is generally accompanied by her sister, Miss Lethbridge.

Both sisters dress much alike, vary only perhaps in a little color, and both wear rather bright clothes, which are the more distinguishable from the wearer's station, which is quite equal to that of Lady de Grey, better known as Lady Lonsdale.

Lady Carew is the wife of Baron Carew, and is deservedly a great favorite with her uncle's tenants.

Another woman who has a name as well as looks is Lady Charles Beresford. She, however, gets a good deal of her notoriety from the reflected glory of her husband, who is one of the most

LADY CHARLES BERESFORD.

popular men and one of the most advertised in England. "Well done, Conder," achieved him as everlasting fame as if he had won the battle of the Nile, and Lady Charles comes in for a goodly share of public notice and attention.

LADY CURZON.

Four champing black horses, harnessed to a coach with a red body and red running gear, have attracted a good deal of attention, not only because of their looks—they belong to Baron de Hirsh, the millionaire, and cost $20,000—but because they are driven by a lady.

She who handles the team in such scientific style is Lady Curzon, wife of Lord Curzon, the eldest son of one of the richest men in England. Lady Curzon was, before her marriage, Lady Georgiana Churchill, the youngest daughter but one of the last Duke of Marlborough and, therefore, the sister of the present.

When the present Duke of Portland came into his estates and power he, like

GRANBY.

was said ... tious to marry pretty Miss Violet Lindsey, but the match never came off. If Miss Lindsey, however, was not to wear the Welbeck strawberry leaves she was destined to wear some day those of Rutland, and not seven years ago she married the Marquis of Granby, the eldest son of the Duke of Rutland, so her loss has not been a great one.

Lady Granby is rather peculiar in appearance, but has a very interesting and taking face. She rather resembles Miss Terry in some ways, and is very fragile and delicate-looking. She can, however, stand any amount of fatigue, and is seen at all the smart balls and parties in the season, and has graced the box seat of several coaches at the different meets this year.

MISS EDITH LANE FOX.

Curiously enough, one of the best-looking and most admired girls in London this season was a cousin of Lady Yarborough, Miss Edith Lane Fox. She has hair Venetian red in hue, and a tall, slim figure with deep, dark, liquid eyes that thrill the gazer. She has the reputation of having worn out three chaperons in one season and looked none the worse for it.

She is seen at all the best houses and entertainments in London, her looks being such as to make her always the center of an admiring coterie, while her sharp tongue has made her plenty of enemies, who say, it is alleged, that she is inclined to be rather fast. However, be that as it may, she is one of the best-known and most admired women in London.

LADY CYNTHIA DUNCOMBE.

Another lady who is admirably suited to belong to the ranks of well-known young women in London is Lady Cynthia Duncombe, the second daughter of the Earl of Faversham and sister of the beautiful Duchess of Leinster, whose reputation for good looks extends over the whole of Europe and America. She is much taller than the Duchess and has all her fascinating manners and ways.

She will shortly be married to Sir Edgar Vincent, who at one time was engaged to Lady Lonsdale.

Lady Raincliffe is another Englishwoman whom every one knows. She

LADY RAINCLIFFE.

has the advantage of exceptional height, and that alone attracts attention. She is fair, and has a haughty, rather overbearing look which stamps her as a "somebody" wherever she may be.

She is the daughter of the Earl of Westmoreland, and is therefore connected with every noble house in England. Her fair complexion and fair hair come to her from her mother, who is extremely blonde.

MISS VIOLET LANE FOX.

Another beauty who is celebrated and is about to join the ranks of married women is Miss Violet Lane Fox, a tall, pretty girl with a lovely figure. Miss Lane Fox has for years been the object of persecution by a man whose addresses she refused, and who has persisted in annoying her by kneeling before her in Hyde Park, ball-room or in any public place he met her. Several times he has been chastised for his insults. He has at last been put in durance vile, and by the time he comes out will find Miss Lane Fox is married and has a stalwart protector.

Her sister, Lady Yarborough, is also a beauty, and is tall and slender, rather in the Lady Dudley style. She is not strong, but is to be seen at all the large entertainments in London beautifully dressed and looking the Countess to perfection.

Lord Zetland's position as Lord Lieu-



LADY HILDA DUNDAS.

tenant of Ireland calls a great deal of attention to him, and his daughter, Lady Hilda Dundas, naturally comes in for a great deal of notice and attention. She is pretty, tall, with a very graceful figure and deep black eyes, dresses very quietly and in excellent taste, and is a capital rider, though she does not aspire to the ribbons, as does Lady Curzon.

She has a bright future before her, and will for many years be one of the belles of London, whether she marries or remains single. Of course this list may be prolonged indefinitely, but those given above are some of the best-known and best admired of the younger set.

THE PERIPATETIC.

### The Asperities of Debate.

The Speaker (to the gentleman from Indiana, who has just called the gentleman from Illinois an ass)—Does the gentleman from Indiana withdraw the epithet?

The Gentleman from Indiana—I withdraw the language, Mr. Speaker, but maintain that the gentleman from Illinois is not in order.

The Gentleman from Illinois—How am I out of order?

The Gentleman from Indiana—Probably a veterinary surgeon could tell you.

## CANOE CRUISING.

### Some Interesting Hints from an Experienced Canoeist.

**Utensils Needed—The Division of Camp Work—What to Put in an Outfit—The Chances of Upsetting—The Cost of a Cruise.**

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Canoeing is becoming more and more popular every year. The meets of the various clubs not only attract scores of visitors but, through the medium of the press, they arouse interest in the subject all over the country. Wherever there is a river or a lake there the American youth is bound, sooner or later, to try a little canoeing as an ex-

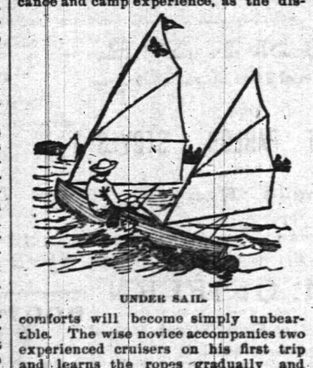
A CANOE TENT AND DUFFLE.

periment, and the chances are that he becomes a confirmed canoeist. It is for the benefit of this young man particularly that we publish the following useful article by Mr. C. B. Vaux, the well-known authority on canoeing.

The man who truly enjoys canoeing as a recreation will journey alone rather than stay prosaically at home. The pleasure of a trip is more than doubled if a friend accompanies one—in another canoe. The perfect cruising party is three in three canoes. The fact that each man navigates his own boat, carries all his own belongings and enjoys perfect freedom insures good feeling during the trip even under trying circumstances. There are many ties to bind the men together—the frying-pan being not the least among them. One set of cooking utensils is enough for all equally divided among the three; and as a meal can not be cooked unless all are present at roll call, a mutual agreement is sure to result when a camp-site is under discussion. The majority rules, and with three in the party the odd man must obey the dictates of the others.

The camp work naturally divides itself into cooking, the procuring of supplies, firewood and water, and dish-washing. Each man in turn assumes these duties, or agrees to do one of them all the time, if he has a natural aptitude that way. When his work is over each man can attend to his personal wants, bed-making, putting up his tent and the like.

It is foolish to start on a canoe cruise alone without having had a previous canoe and camp experience, as the dis-



UNDER SAIL.

comforts will become simply unbearable. The wise novice accompanies two experienced cruisers on his first trip and learns the ropes gradually and without suffering abject torture half the time. A little experience is absolutely necessary before a cruise is undertaken, as even the simple work of paddling is very tiring to untrained muscles. The man who can not swim should remain at home until he learns, or seek his recreation on dry land.

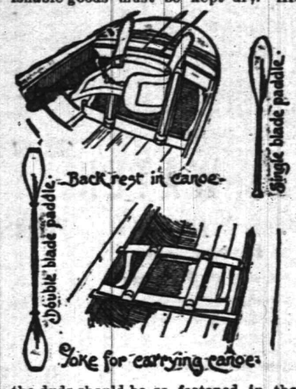
The first necessity of a canoeist's outfit is naturally a canoe. Canoes are not "to let," and one must be bought or borrowed—the latter being a difficult thing to do and generally unsatisfactory when accomplished. Leaving out of the count racing canoes and big sailing boats built for open water cruising, there are two general classes to choose from—the open Canadian and decked cruiser. A light open boat is best for shallow water, rapids, camping in the woods, and on cruises where the canoe has to be carried over land around falls or through the woods from lake to lake. Either the single or double blade paddle may be used. These boats cost in Canada from $20 to $80 and one-third the cost must be added to the price here for duty. Small open canoes are made by builders on this side of the border weighing from 10 to 30 pounds that can not be improved upon for some kinds of cruising. A good

WASHING DISHES.

decked canoe weighing from 60 to 100 pounds and costing about $100 now is the best boat for river, lake and rapids, when it is not necessary often to lift it a long way out of the water to pass an obstruction. Excellent second-hand canoes of this variety can be obtained for much less money from members of canoe clubs who every now and then get a bad attack of the racing fever and part with good cruisers for nominal prices.

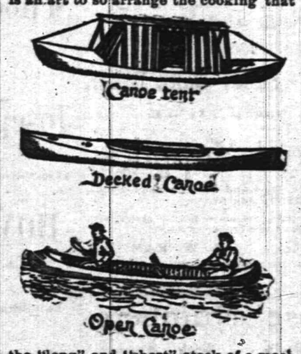
The personal outfit for a canoe cruise is a simple one and consists of one coat (rarely worn except on shore), two pairs of trousers, two flannel shirts, two suits of underclothes, four pairs of socks, two pairs of shoes—rubber-soled canvas or leather—one hat, a suit of oil skins for rainy weather and a few handkerchiefs. A complete change of clothing is kept in a rubber bag tied up water-tight and stowed away in the canoe hold ready for use in case of a wetting from rain or an unlucky capsize. A double-bladed paddle nine feet long, jointed in the middle, is the instrument of locomotion. The canoeist must travel "light," and therefore every article he carries should serve more than one purpose. The paddle is the weapon of offense and defense, and may be used to pole the canoe up a rapid. A four-foot-six cork cushion serves as a bed on the floor of the canoe at night, a cushion to sit on by day and a life preserver in case of necessity at any time. The most comfortable night dress is a suit of flannel pajamas, and they can also be worn on hot days when away from settlements.

A well handled canoe properly loaded is not likely to upset. It may get more or less water aboard, however, from spray and rain, and therefore all perishable goods must be kept dry. All




the duds should be so fastened in the canoe that in case a capsize does occur—and it is sure to come at the most inconvenient time—nothing can be lost, and then it is a matter of little consequence. The paddle must be held on to whatever occurs. If it is lost, the trip must come to an untimely end. Each man must be supplied with a plate, knife, fork, spoon and cup, which he washes and carries in his canoe. The party need a frying pan, broiler, pot for boiling vegetables in, small pail for coffee water, French coffee pot, stew pan and double-decker (one vessel within the other) for oatmeal, prunes, apple sauce, a milk pail, pail (or sausage skins) for butter, pepper and salt boxes, a water-tight fruit jar with screw top, to carry plenty of matches, a small axe and fire irons, if an open fire is to be used. These things and the provisions are evenly divided up among all three, so that each carries his share of the common load.

Sugar, coffee, tea, oatmeal, dried apples, prunes, flour and similar articles are put in muslin bags having puckering strings at top. All of these small bags are placed in a large waterproof one when not in use. Rubber bags, large enough for clothing, blankets or provisions can be got at the rubber goods stores. During rainy weather it is always well to carry a little dry kindling wood in the canoes to avoid delay in starting a camp fire. An open fire for cooking should be a small one. The fire irons are placed over it and cooking vessels rest on them. Meat should be broiled when the fire has burned down to a bed of live coals. It is an art to so arrange the cooking that




the "long" and "short" stock of a meal is all ready and hot at one time. Dish water is put on to heat while the meal is being eaten. Two hot meals a day are enough on a cruise—breakfast and dinner; lunch can be taken cold, and thus save labor and time.

A small tent over the cockpit of the canoe (securely and firmly placed on shore) affords shelter for the night, and keeps reptiles and insects at a respectful distance. This tent is made of waterproof canvas or oiled muslin. It is supported at the ends by sticks (or the halves of the paddle) stepped in the mast tubes.

The cost of cruising is about fifty cents a day. Twenty-five dollars will pay for an outfit, railway fares, provisions and a few luxuries for a two weeks' trip, not including the original cost of the canoe.

The constant surprises, the difficulties to be conquered, and the pleasures of exploration are but a few of the attractions that canoe cruising has for those who have a bit of the spirit of adventure in them. It costs little, benefits health, adds strength and vigor to the whole body, occupies the mind constantly, and is capable of furnishing rare sport to those who have the grit to thoroughly master the details.

## POPULAR SCIENCE.

### Ancient Egyptian Glue and Veneering.

Among the many occupations of the carpenter, that of veneering is noticed in the sculptures of Thebes, as early as the time of the third Thothmes, whom I suppose to be the Pharaoh of the Exodus, and the application of a piece of rare wood of a red color to a yellow plank of sycamore, or other ordinary kind, is clearly pointed out. And in order to show that the yellow wood is of inferior quality, the workman is represented to have fixed his adz carelessly in a block of the same color while engaged in applying them together. Near him are some of his tools, with a box or small chest, made of inlaid and veneered wood, of various hues, and in the same part of the shop are two other men, one of whom is employed in grinding something with a stone on a slab, and the other in spreading glue with a brush. It might, perhaps, be conjectured that varnish was intended to be here represented, but the appearance of the pot on the fire, the piece of glue with its concave fracture, and the workman before mentioned applying the two pieces of wood together, satisfactorily decide the question, and attest the invention of glue 3,300 years ago.—J. G. Wilkinson.

### Lead in Lace.

Ph. De Clarmont gives an account, in La Moniteur de la Teinture, of a white satin dress totally ruined by its trimming with English lace. The dress had been worn but once, had then been packed into a trunk which was deposited in a damp place and exposed to emanations of hydrosulphuric acid from gas. When taken out, it was found that the pattern of the lace, particularly of its tulle ground, had been printed in indelible black upon the white satin. The accident was not difficult to explain. English lace is habitually charged with sulphate of lead, which in this case had absorbed hydrogen and hydrosulphuric acid from the atmosphere, forming sulphide of lead, which had been imprinted and fixed upon the white satin, which naturally had also absorbed hydrogen and hydrosulphuric acid. The seller of the lace showed that charging English lace with white lead (sulphate of lead) was commercial usage and thereby escaped paying the damage. An objectionable usage it is at any rate, as the absorption of lead through the skin from such lace may become dangerous to health.

### The Inhabitants of Cheese.

Mr. Adametz has just made some microscopic researches upon the microscopic organisms that inhabit cheese. From an examination of Emmenthal, a soft variety of Gruyere cheese, he has obtained the following results: In each gramme of the cheese, when fresh, from 90,000 to 140,000 microbes are found. This number increases with time. Thus, a cheese seventy-one days old contains 800,000 bacteria per gramme. The population of a soft cheese twenty-five days old and much denser than the preceding is 1,200,000, and that of a cheese forty-five days old is 2,000,000 microbes per gramme. But the population of a cheese is not everywhere distributed the same in it. The center is but moderately inhabited with respect to the exterior portion. The population of a soft cheese, near the periphery, is from 3,600,000 to 5,600,000 microbes. According to the mean of these two figures, there are as many living organisms in 360 grammes of such a cheese as there are people upon the earth.—La Nature.

### The Birch.

London Garden speaks as follows regarding a valuable hard wood: "The birch is capable of supporting a much greater degree of cold than any other tree. In the old world its northern limit is 71 degrees upon the west and 63 degrees upon the east coast; in America its northern limit is 64 degrees upon the west and 58 degrees upon the east. In Germany the highest elevation at which it is found is 5,200 feet above the level of the sea; in Sweden at 3,900 feet and in Lapland at 1,722 feet. It is worthy of remark that this tree decreases in size not only as it advances toward the North, but also as it proceeds southward beyond the limits of its native region. It attains its highest perfection and greatest height in Germany and Southern Sweden. The birch is not particular in its choice of soil or situation, and will grow almost equally well in sandy, rocky, dry or damp soil."

### A New Gas Detector.

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### The Cost of Firing a 110-Ton Gun.

According to a calculation made by the Economiste Belge, the cost of firing a 110-ton gun is, in round numbers, $832, divided as follows:

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| 900 pounds of powder | $380 |
| 1,800 pounds projectile | 435 |
| Silk for cartridge | 17 |
| | $832 |

But this is not all. The 110-ton gun, it appears, can be fired but 95 times, and after that becomes incapable of being used, and requires repairs. Now, the cost of the piece being $82,400, it is necessary to estimate the cost of wear at about $868 for each shot, thus raising the cost of each charge to $1,700.

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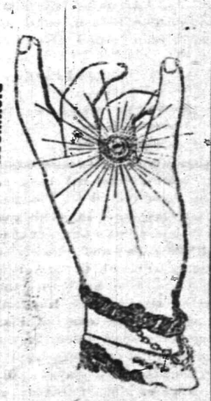

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| 3d do | 9.15 | do | 9.32 | do |
| 4th do | 10.00 | do | 10.17 | do |
| 5th do | 11.00 | do | 11.24 | do |
| 6th do | 11.45 | do | 12.08 P.M. | do |
| 7th do | 1.45 P. M. | do | 2.15 & 2.36 P.M. | do |
| 8th do | 3.45 | do | To the Post Office. | |
| 9th do | 3.30 | do | meet 3 51 P. M. | train. |
| 10th do | 5.00 | do | do 5.39 | do. |
| 11th do | 5.45 | do | do 6.07 | do |
| 12th do | 6.45 | do | do 7.02 | do |

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PLAINFIELD AND NEW YORK.

Leave Plainfield 3 37, 5 24, 5 38, 6 29, 6 59, 7 26 7 30, 7 58, 8, 8 15, 8 31, 8 37, 9 22, 10 05, 11 09, 11 39, 1 Sunday, 1 51, 3 51, 5 08, 5 51, 6 07, 6 54, 7 05, 8 31, 9 28, 10 12, 11 28 P. M. Sunday—3.37, 5 24, 9 01, 8 52, 11 02, 11 16 A. M., 12 33, 1 39, 3 30, 5 16 7 01, 7 10, 9 23, 8 22, 10 02 P. M.

Leave New York from foot of Liberty street, 4 30, 5 45, 7, 7 45, 8 45, 10, 11, A. M., 1, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4, 4 30, 5, 5 15, 5 30, 5 45, 6, 6 15, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 8, 8 30, 9 15, 10, 11 30 P. M., 12 15, night. Sunday—4 30, 7, 8 30, 9, 9 30, A. M., 12 M., 1, 1 15, 4, 5 30, 6, 7, 9 00, 10 00 P. M., 12 15 night.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield 5 38, 6 29, 6 59, 7 30, 8, 8 37, 9 32, 10 05, 11 09, 11 39, A. M., 1, 2 07, 2 30, 3 12, 3 51, 5 08, 5 51, 6 07, 6 54, 7 05, 8 31, 10 12, 11 28 P. M. Sunday—8 01, 8 52, 11 02, 11 16, A. M., 12 33, 1 30, 2 33, 3 30, 5 08, 7 01, 7 10, 8 52, 10 02 P. M.

Leave Newark 7 10, 7 50, 8 55, 10 10, 11 05 A. M., 1 05, 1 35, 2 40, 3 40, 4 02, 4 37, 5 05, 5 30, 5 55, 6 25, 7 15, 7 35, 8 20, 9 35, 10 10, 11 25 P. M. Sunday—7 20, 8 40, 9 05, 9 50, A. M., 12 05, 1 10, 4 10, 5 40, 6 05, 7 05, 9 25, 10 20 P. M.

Passengers for Newark change cars at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7, 8 07, 9 42, 11, 11 58 A. M., 1 55, 3 32, 5 45, 6 25, 8 50, 9 38, 7 03, 7 12, 7 58 8 20, 9 42, 11 13, 12 43 P. M. Sunday—8 45, 8 13, 9 48, A. M., 2 03, 2 30, 5 14, 6 35, 10 15, 11 14 P. M.

Leave Somerville, 6, 6 30, 7 03, 7 25, 7 35, 7 48 9 05, 9 47, 11 15 A. M., 12 35, 1 15, 1 48, 2 05, 3 2 4 40, 5 12, 6 55, 8 05, 8 30, 11 05, P. M. Sunday—8 25, 10 35 A. M., 12 08, 105, 4 50, 6 40, 8 05, 8 05, 9 30 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7, 8 07, 9 42, A. M., 1 59, 4 54, 5 20, 6 38, 8 20 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 13 A. M., 2 03, 6 35 P. M.

Leave Easton 6 25, 9 44, 10 A. M., 12 22, 4 07, 6 49 P. M. Sunday—7 15, 10 52, A. M., 6 40, 7 30 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 7, 9 42 A. M., 1 59, 5 20 P. M. Sunday—8 13 A. M.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

LEAVE PLAINFIELD.

5 45 A. M. for Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

7 A. M. for High Bridge Branch and Easton.

8 07 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 42 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Nanticoke, Drifton, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c.

1 59 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, &c.

4 54 P. M. for D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

5 20 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Schooley's Mountain, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, &c.

6 20 P. M. for Flemington.

6 38 P. M. for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg.

8 20 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8, 13 a. m. Sundays for High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, &c., 2 08 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua and Pottsville. 6 20 p. m Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m. 1 p. m.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c.

Leave Plainfield 3 37, 8, 11 09, a. m., 1, 3 51, 5 31, p. m. Sundays—(except Ocean Grove) 8 52, a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 38, 8, 10 05, 11 09 a. m., 1, 3 51, 5 31, 7 08 p. m. Sunday—8 52 a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8, 11 09 a. m., 1, 3 51, 5 31, p. m.

ROUND BROOK ROUTE.

Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia, 1 17, 5 45, 8 29, 9 48, 11 58*, a. m., 1 58*, 2 29*, 4 08, 5 34*, 6 38*, 8 20 p. m. Sundays—1 17, 9 48, a. m., 2 20* 4 08, 5 14*, 6 55 p. m.

For Baltimore and Washington at 1 17, 9 48, 11 58*, a. m., 2 45, 4 08, 5 34* p. m. Sundays—1 17, 9 48 a. m., 2 47, 4 08, 5 14* p. m.

RETURNING—LEAVE PHILADELPHIA,

Ninth and Green streets, 7 30*, 8 30*, 9 30, 11 05* a. m., 12 45, 1 30, 3 15, 5 15, 6 15, 8 02, 8 45, 12 p. m. Sundays—9 a. m., 12 50, 3 16, 5 15, 6 10, 8, 12 p. m.

From 24th and Chestnut—3 10, 8 20*, 11 08, a. m. 12 02, 3 20, 6 18, 8 05, p. m. Sundays—3 10, 8 35 a. m., 12 02, 3 20, 6 18, 8 05 p. m.

Leave Trenton, Warren and Tucker sts., 1 20, 4 09, 7*, 8*, 9*, 10 10, 11 05 a.m. 1 20, 2 10, 3 20*, 4 58, 5 55 6 50, 8 47, 10 p. m. Sundays—1 30, 4 09, 9 35 a.m. 1 20, 4, 5 55, 7, 8 47 p. m.

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## WASHINGTON TOPICS

### The Treasury to Relieve the Money Market.

ONE OF THE MINOR MEASURES.

Payment in Advance of a Year's Interest on $65,000,000 of Bonds.

Secretary Windom Says He Will Meet the Difficulty as it Exists—Thanks for Ex-Assistant Postmaster-General Clarkson—Progress of the Tariff Bill—Glass Manufacturers to be Heard.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 13.—General Nettleton, Assistant Secretary of the Treasury, in respose to inquiries on the subject by a reporter, made the following statement:

"The Treasury Department in addition to its regular disbursements, which are unusually heavy, paid out $2,348,084 on account of bond purchases and advance interest as follows: Interest prepaid $1,063,034; redemption of 4½ bonds $585,050; purchase of four per cents $750,000.

"The four per cent purchased to-day were accepted at 125. This is the first considerable purchase of four per cents for some time, and the price paid is one per cent. above that heretofore paid under the circular of July 1890. It is thought that there may be an impression among holders of four per cent. bonds that the Government has withdrawn from the market for four per cents. This is not the fact, as the Treasury is ready to take a considerable amount of fours if they are to be had.

"The inquiry instituted yesterday by the Secretary of the Treasury develops the fact that the total balance of duties due on all imported merchandise in bond at the port of New York on September 1 was only $17,500,000. Only a moderate portion of these goods will be subject to increased duty under the schedule in the new Tariff bill. These facts would seem to indicate that anxiety based on this feature of the situation has been largely without foundation.

"As for further measures of relief, in so far as the existing stringency can reasonably be said to be due to the inevitable operations of existing laws governing the collection and disbursement of the government revenues, the Treasury Department will not hesitate to apply such effective remedies as the law permits and the situation requires.

"The Secretary of the Treasury on his return to Washington from New England will be in New York this afternoon, and will adopt such a course as shall seem to him timely and calculated to meet the difficulty as it exists."

It is said that one of the minor measures of relief for the market that may be adopted by the Treasury will be the payment in advance of a year's interest on the $65,000,000 of government bonds known as currency sixes.

### An Old Veteran Drowned.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 13.—The body of Michael Bryson, an old Mexican war veteran, an inmate of the Soldiers' Home, was found in the little lake near the Home in the morning. It is supposed that, coming home late last night, Bryson fell into the lake and drowned. Several drowning accidents similar to this one have occurred in this lake within a few years of old soldiers who have made too many stops while on their way home at the various liquor saloons and low resorts that are to found along the roads leading out to the Soldiers' Home.

### Mr. Clarkson Thanked.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 13.—Ex-Postmaster-General Clarkson was honored at Republican League headquarters by a call from the Republican clubs of Maryland to thank him for his opposition to the present civil service law. Hon. A. Worth Spates, of Baltimore, spoke on behalf of the clubs, and General Clarkson responded, reiterating his opposition to the civil service law.

### Taking Time by the Forelock.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 13—A committee of glass manufacturers, representing the window and flint branches of the trade, have arrived here from Pittsburg to appear before the conference committee on the Tariff bill Wednesday.

### Progress of the Tariff Bill.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 13.—The Tariff bill was received in the House from the Senate, and by direction of the Speaker was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

### They Mourn Her Departure.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Sept. 13.—Mrs. Anna M. Adams, for many years proprietress of the Hotel Ridgway in this city, has left town, leaving various business men here to mourn her departure to the extent of between $8,000 and $12,000. She has been in the habit of giving to her dealers notes and worthless checks, and in attempting to present them at bank they found that no money was deposited to meet them.

### Eloped With the Boarder.

ASBURY PARK, N. J., Sept. 13.—Mrs. John Myer of Cliffwood ran away last night with Hermann Graschel, a German who boarded at her house. Husband Meyer is now in New York trying to find his wife and her lover. Mrs. Meyer packed up all the furniture and took it with her.

### Sudden Death.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 13.—William Brockie, president of the Maritime Exchange and well known in shipping and mercantile circles in this city, dropped dead on Chestnut street during the morning of heart disease.

### ANGRY STRIKERS.

Central Men at Albany Advised to Get Back on the Road.

ALBANY, N. Y., Sept. 13.—The strike on the New York Central & Hudson River Railroad seems to be over as far as Albany is concerned. The closing scene was enacted last night at the Lark street rink, when the men were advised to get back to their places.

Edward Bowan called the meeting to order and was termed a liar by two or three of the audience for saying that the strike was still on. John J. Hart was called upon when the disorder had somewhat subsided, but his address called for the wildest excitement and it seemed that a riot was imminent.

Mr. Hart said there would be money here by Monday and he was called a liar. One man asserted that the leaders were living high and paying the expense of wreckers' counsel instead of giving bread to hungry men and their families. Master Workman Dulin got the floor and said:

"You are a lot of d——d white-livered curs, and you will sneak back to work because a number of dirty paid newspapers say the strike is over."

During this speech it looked as though the meeting would break up in a row. Men were cursing each other and the leaders of the Order in a frightful manner. When Master Workman Dulin's voice could be heard above the tumult he was heard to advise the men in a few words, choked with sarcasm and rage, to get back to their places.

All the speakers spoke harshly of the newspapers. The meeting broke up in confusion.

### A FATAL SHAFT.

Flame Exposure Causes a Second Dreadful Explosion.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Sept. 13.—The ill-fated South Wilkesbarre shaft of the Lehigh and Wilkesbarre Coal Company, within whose wreck-choked galleries still lie entombed the bodies of the eight men killed in the disaster of last February, was the scene of another disaster.

For the last three months men have been at work clearing up the workings of the mine. Near the foot of the shaft a gang of six men were laboring, the air there being especially bad.

George Ford and Isaac Jones were working close to the base of the shaft, when Ford remarked to Jones that there was much gas about, as his safety lamp showed a full flame. A short time after this his lamp grew extremely hot on account of the large flame and the bottom unexpectedly melted and dropped out. Instantly there was a violent explosion, and a volume of flame, smoke and dust rushed up the shaft.

All escaped without serious injury except Ford, who was instantly killed, and Isaac Jones, who was very badly burned.

For three hours the men remained at the foot of the shaft before a carriage could be lowered to them, the shaft being partially blocked with broken timbers.

### Strike Detectives Exonerated.

DUBOIS, Pa., Sept. 13.—In the Brookville court the cases against Andrew Nichols and Frank McGovern, of the Coal and Iron police, serving at Punxsutawney while the Walston and Adrian miners were on strike last winter and spring, charged with killing a Hungarian and an Italian, have been dismissed without the formality of a trial. The court decided that the officers were acting in self-defence and in the the performance of their duties. These are the last of a series of long cases in the Jefferson county court growing out of that strike.

### The Susquehanna Booming.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Sept. 13.—The floods that have prevailed along the Chemung River during the past few days have swollen the Susquehanna at this point to an unusually high point. The water is 16 feet above the recognized summer line and is still rising. Should it rise two feet more all communication with points on the west side of the river, along the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad will be cut off.

### Counterfeit Silver Certificates.

NEW YORK, Sept. 13.—Within the last two days three counterfeit $3 silver certificates have turned up in this city, indicating a probable attempt to flood the city with the spurious notes. The first to discover the counterfeits was the Mechanics' Bank, and later it was offered for deposit at the Tradesmen's Bank. The counterfeit is easy of detection, the engraving and paper being of poor quality.

### A New Railroad.

WOONSOCKET, R. I., Sept. 13.—The Providence & Springfield Railroad yesterday filed with the Supreme Court the location for a branch from Primrose Station to Woonsocket. The stock of the road recently passed into the hands of the New York & New England, and with this connecting branch the New England will have a second line between Boston and Providence.

### Niagara's Tunnel to be Built.

NIAGARA FALLS, N. Y., Sept. 12.—A telegram has just been received here from W. B. Rankin, secretary of the Cataract Construction Company, stating that the contract for building the tunnel has been signed. There is great rejoicing on the street over the news, which has been anxiously awaited for nearly four years. All the papers issued extra editions.

### Goldsmith's Last Year at Trotting.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Sept. 13.—Jimmie Goldsmith, one of the most noted trainers and drivers of the trotting turf, has decided to make this his last season behind a string of trotters. Goldsmith, in a letter, says he is going to join Knapsack McCarthy in the running horse business. It is believed that Goldsmith will take hold of August Belmont's string next year.

## CHANGE IN CAPTAINS

### Comiskey to Leave Chicago and Go to Philadelphia.

KING KELLY MEETS DEFEAT.

Ward's Wonders Capture a Game from the Boston Nine.

Clarkson's Curves Pounded by the Philadelphias—Anson's Team Working for Second Place—Cincinnati Twice Victorious—The New York-Brooklyn Game Postponed—Records of Four Leagues.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 13.—The Public Ledger publishes an article in which it says that Captain Comiskey has been secured to pilot the Players' League Club of this city next season.

Comiskey is dissatisfied in Chicago because he did not have full power to engage and release players, and told the people at the head of that club that he would not remain with them another season. When given the choice to name the club he wanted to handle in the future he at once selected the Philadelphias.

The Players' League directors passed upon the matter at their last meeting and agreed to allow Comiskey to come to Philadelphia. Comiskey and President Wagner agreed upon terms two weeks ago when the Chicagos were in this city.

### BASEBALL GAMES.

**National League.**

AT BOSTON.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Boston | 2 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —6 |
| Philadelphia | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 2 | 5 | 0 | x—12 |

Batteries—Clarkson and Ganzell; Gleason and Clements.

AT CHICAGO.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Chicago | 3 | 0 | 5 | 4 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0—17 |
| Cleveland | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1— 2 |

Batteries—Luby and Nagle; Beatin and Sommers.

SECOND GAME.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Chicago | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —11 |
| Cleveland | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | — 4 |

Called on account of darkness.

Batteries—Hutchinson and Nagle; Young and Dowes.

AT CINCINNATI.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Cincinnati | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | x— 7 |
| Pittsburg | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0— 3 |

Batteries—Rhines and Harrington; Day and Wilson.

SECOND GAME.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Cincinnati | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 4 | x—10 |
| Pittsburg | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | — 1 |

Batteries—Dolan and Keenan; Hecker and Wilson.

AT NEW YORK.

New York and Brooklyn game postponed on account of rain.

**Players' League.**

AT BROOKLYN.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Boston | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 | | — 7 |
| Brooklyn | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 1 | | — 8 |

Game called on account of darkness.

Batteries—Daley and Kelly; Weyhing and Kinslow.

AT CLEVELAND.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Cleveland | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | — 3 |
| Chicago | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | — 4 |

Batteries—Gruber and Brennan; Baldwin and Boyle.

AT PHILADELPHIA.

New York and Philadelphia game postponed on account of rain.

AT BUFFALO.

Buffalo and Pittsburg game postponed on account of rain.

**American Association.**

AT COLUMBUS.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Columbus | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0— 4 |
| Louisville | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | — 3 |

Batteries—Knauss and Doyle; Ehret and Bligh.

POSTPONED.

The games of the American Association at Rochester, Toledo and Baltimore were postponed on account of rain.

**Atlantic Association.**

POSTPONED.

At New Haven—The New Haven and Harrisburg game was postponed on account of rain.

**Attendance at League Games.**

| | Players | League |
|---|---|---|
| Boston | ..... | 1,429 |
| Cincinnati | ..... | *1,363 |
| Chicago | ..... | *1,782 |
| Brooklyn | 600 | ..... |
| Cleveland | 700 | ..... |
| Totals | 1,300 | 4,465 |

*Two games for one admission.

**Standing of the Clubs.**

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

| | Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'ct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Brookl'n | 77 | 41 | .653 | Chicago | 72 | 48 | .600 |
| Boston | 74 | 45 | .622 | N. York | 56 | 63 | .471 |
| Philadel | 71 | 48 | .597 | Clevl'nd | 32 | 79 | .289 |
| Cincin'ti | 69 | 47 | .595 | Pittsb'rg | 20 | 100 | .167 |

PLAYERS' LEAGUE.

| | Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'ct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Boston | 73 | 43 | .629 | Philadel | 63 | 56 | .529 |
| N. York | 68 | 49 | .581 | Pittsb'rg | 51 | 64 | .459 |
| Brookl'n | 71 | 50 | .587 | Clevl'nd | 44 | 70 | .386 |
| Chicago | 64 | 56 | .533 | Buffalo | 31 | 82 | .274 |

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

| | Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'ct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Loui'v'le | 68 | 38 | .642 | Roch'st'r | 53 | 51 | .510 |
| St. Louis | 62 | 46 | .574 | Athletic | 53 | 54 | .495 |
| Col'mb's | 59 | 49 | .546 | Syracuse | 43 | 61 | .413 |
| Toledo | 56 | 46 | .549 | Baltim'e | 23 | 79 | .368 |

ATLANTIC ASSOCIATION.

| | Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'ct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| N. Hav'n | 77 | 28 | .733 | Harrisb'g | 43 | 66 | .397 |
| Lebanon | 50 | 46 | .521 | Wilm't'n | 32 | 63 | .300 |
| Newark | 56 | 51 | .523 | | | | |

### Indicted After a Long Wait.

ALBANY, Sept. 13.—John Connors, charged with the murder of John Walker on July 23, 1887, at Waterford, N. Y., has been indicted by the Grand Jury for murder in the first degree.

### Big Price for a Horse.

NEW YORK, Sept. 13.—The three-year-old filly Ruperta, by Prince Charlie-Marguerite, has been sold to F. A. Walcott for $16,000.

### WITH THE PRESIDENT.

The Money Market Closely Watched by the Chief Magistrate.

CRESSON, Pa., Sept. 13.—The President is watching closely the tone of the money market. He communicated with the Treasury Department and learned that the market was somewhat easier. With a view to meeting any further emergencies, he spent nearly two hours conferring by telegraph with the Treasury Department. The principal results of the telegraphic conference was the issuance of orders by the President to anticipate the interest on outstanding currency six per cent. bonds to an amount not exceeding $5,000,000, to offer to pay 125 for outstanding four per cent. bonds, instead of 124, the rate heretofore offered.

The conference between the President and the Treasury Department also had reference to the propriety of suggesting an extension in the bonded period under the proposed new tariff law, but that subject was deferred without conclusion for further deliberations. It is quite probable that the President will decide to make a recommendation to Congress respecting the matter.

The President and Mrs. Dimmick, using Mrs. Laughlin's handsome victoria and horses, took a long ride through the country, returning very enthusiastic over the beautiful scenery which they had viewed.

The President's stenographer, Miss Sanger, arrived here last night and found a large amount of mail matter awaiting her.

Secretary Halford has recommended to the telegraph company that they arrange to transfer their present telegraph office which is located in the old colored church to a room in the Mountain House, where it will be convenient for the President to conduct his telegraphic conferences which, it is thought, may be more frequent during next week.

### THE PARSON IN DEMAND.

Made Famous by Horse Trotting but Sorry for It.

MUSKEGON, Mich., Sept. 13.—J. W. Arney, of Saranac, the Methodist Episcopal minister who made himself famous by getting up and managing a trotting meeting in his town, at which his own horses won all the first prizes, has been tried by his conference.

Parson Arney confessed that he was sorry for having participated in the horse matinee which has made him notorious, promised never to do it again, and the conference passed his character and continued him in service.

Since the horse trot several congregations have applied to the presiding elder to have Parson Arney assigned to them.

### Strikers' Action Not Approved.

NEW YORK, Sept. 13.—Mr. Holland, a member of the General Executive Board, Knights of Labor, said emphatically to-day that neither he nor Mr. Powderly nor any member of the Board had anything to do with the visit made by Chairman Goffney's delegation yesterday to Mr. Depew. General Master Workman Powderly refused to express any opinion on the wisdom of the call of the committee of the strikers on Mr. Depew. Mr. Powderly claims that the New York Central is not doing half their usual freight business on account of the strike.

### Jewelry Robbers Arraigned.

DANBURY, Conn., Sept. 13.—George W. Wallace and George A. Wallick, who a few weeks ago entered Larne's jewelry store, knocked down and gagged the clerk, and stole $10,000 worth of diamonds and jewelry, were arraigned for trial. They pleaded guilty and were sentenced to 12 years' imprisonment each. As sentence was pronounced upon Wallace he jumped from his seat, kicked over his chair and made a rush at the judge. He was overpowered by the officers and removed.

### A Powerful Combination.

PITTSBURG, Sept. 13.—The headquarters of the Westinghouse Manufacturing Co., says that George Westinghouse has authorized the statement that the interests of the Westinghouse Electric Company and the Pullman Manufacturing Company are to be joined together. He left yesterday afternoon for Chicago, and in a day two an authorized statement of the details of the combination with a capital stock of not less than $20,000,000, will be arranged.

### The Hazing Case.

EASTON, Pa., Sept. 13.—The alleged fatal hazing case published as occuring at Lafayette College is not as bad as reported. Medina, a Spaniard, and a leader of a dozen sophomores, who did the hazing, and who was reported to be dying from a blow with a baseball bat, is suffering with a cut two inches long on the forehead and a discolored eye. The doctor says that his skull is not fractured, and that he will be out within a week.

### Nothing to Live For.

NEW YORK, Sept. 13.—Mrs. Frederica Horn, the aged mother of the demented girl who Thursday hanged herself in the house No. 130 Fifth street, Hoboken, attempted to end her life this morning in a similar manner but was discovered in time to prevent her. The father of the family, who also attempted suicide yesterday, still lies in a precarious condition at St. Mary's Hospital.

### The Wyoming Election.

DENVER, Col., Sept. 13.—Telegrams received from various points in Wyoming indicate that the Democrats have carried the State by a safe majority, electing Governor Baxter, Congressman Beck and the State Legislature, which would also mean a Democratic United States Senator. The Republican State Committee refuse, however, to admit the defeat of their ticket, and claim a small majority.

## UPRISING OF SWISS

### Details of the Revolt Difficult to Procure.

CARE TAKEN TO SUPPRESS NEWS

The Failure of the Southampton Strike Now Conceded.

The American Swimmer Six Hours in the Water—Twenty Miners Entombed in Germany—Another English War Ship for Halifax—Several New Cases of Cholera in Spain Reported.

LONDON, Sept. 13.—The news of a revolution in Switzerland is the most interesting topic of the hour. Details of the uprising are difficult to procure, the Federal authorities having maintained a telegraph censorship which would do credit to the more despotic neighbors of the little democracy.

From the pains taken to check communication between the disaffected canton and the outside world, and from the absence of any encouraging official announcement by the Federal Council, it is feared that the revolt may be more widespread in its effects than the brief dispatches permitted to pass the censorship would indicate.

Ticino, the canton now in rebellion, has, however, a more turbulent record than her sister cantons, and the news of the present trouble is therefore less alarming than if the offending canton was one of those which had always maintained a peaceable and loyal demeanor.

BELLINZONA, Sept. 13.—The revolt here has collapsed. The troops have been well received by the revolutionists. It has been agreed that the question of the revision of the Constitution be submitted to a popular vote.

### Trouble at Buenos Ayres.

BUENOS AYRES, Sept. 13.—There is a feeling of uneasiness prevailing in the provinces and the Cabinet is holding meetings daily. In the province of Entre Rios the situation is threatening and further reinforcements have been sent there. The cedula compromises have not yet been arranged for. Senor Rocca, Minister of the Interior, is being violently attacked by a portion of the press and it is likely that he will resign.

### Fortifications for London.

LONDON, Sept. 13.—Gen. Viscount Wolseley and Major-General William John Williams and staff, yesterday visited the Caterham district with a view to selecting sites for the erection of a series of fortifications intended for the defence of London. These will form a part of an elaborate system which, when carried out, will circle the great metropolis with a chain work of great forts. A site for a fort was selected on Tilburstom Hill.

### Cardinal Manning and Labor.

LONDON Sept. 13.—Advices from Rome indicate that the Pope is not pleased with Cardinal Manning's late utterances on the labor question. His Holliness is said to have expressed the opinion that the Cardinal was being led by personal sympathy to endorse labor programmes which are not entirely in harmony with the settled attidude of the Church on such questions.

### Berlin's First Anarchistic Meeting.

BERLIN, Sept. 13.—The first Anarchist meeting ever held openly in this city has just taken place by permission of the police. The Anarchists are not very numerous in Germany as compared with the Socialists, the Anarchistic programme not being attractive to the the methodical and regulative Teutonic mind. The meeting was a very tame and unimportant affair.

### The Southampton Strike a Failure.

LONDON, Sept. 13.—The failure of the Southampton strike is now conceded to be due to haste and bad counsel at the start. The men would have had a fair chance of success had they waited for the sanction of the London Executive, but the irregularity of the movement was a serious handicap.

### Stabbed a London Policeman.

LONDON, Sept. 13.—Thomas Jackson, an American who has been staying at the Star and Garter Hotel at Richmond, was arraigned for disorderly conduct and stabbing a policeman with a sword cane. As it was discovered that Jackson's mind was unbalanced, he was remanded for further examination.

### Another English Warship.

HALIFAX, Sept. 13.—It is stated that another warship is to be added to the North American Squadron, and that when the new fort at the York redoubt is completed several large guns of the most approved pattern will be sent out by the War Office and mounted there.

### Dr. Koch Will Experiment.

BERLIN, Sept. 13.—The celebrated German physician, Dr. Koch, who claims he can cure consumption, is about to experiment on human patients.

### Twenty Miners Entombed.

BERLIN, Sept. 13.—An explosion occurred in the Loederburg coal pit at Stassefurt. Twenty of the miners are imprisoned in the pit and their fate is doubtful.

### Dalton Swims Again.

LONDON, Sept. 13.—Dalton, the American swimmer, swam from Blackwall to Gravesend in six hours and a quarter.

### Minister Phelps on His Way Home.

BERLIN, Sept. 13.—Mr. William Walter Phelps, the United States Minister, and family have started for home.

### POWDERLY ON DEPEW.

He Says The Central's President is a Figurehead.

NEW YORK, Sept. 13.—T. V. Powderly arrived in this city yesterday. No meeting of the General Executive Committee will be held until next week, as A. W. Wright and Devlin cannot be here until then.

Mr. Powderly said, when asked if he would seek an interview with President Depew, that he would not, as it was evident that Mr. Depew was controlled by the Vanderbilts. "I had always understood that Mr. Depew was president of the company," said Mr. Powderly. "Now I am convinced that he is merely a figurehead. From his individuality I thought he was too proud to occupy such a position, but I was mistaken. He has assumed the actions of Mr. Webb, and whatever Mr. Webb has done becomes, of course, the action of Mr. Depew."

Mr. Powderly reiterated what he had said before—that the strikers would return to the service as Knights of Labor or not at all. The strike would not be declared off under any circumstances.

The mass meeting to-night promises to be a great affair. A proclamation has been issued by the Central Labor Union notifying all affiliated bodies to be at Union Square at 8 o'clock. The Knights of Labor organizations will march from their headquarters. The speakers announced are T. V. Powderly, Henry George, Dr. McGlynn, Father Ducey, Rev. Heber Newton, General Roger A. Pryor, Hugh O. Pentecost, James Redpath and T. B. Wakeman.

### ROBBED A WOMAN.

She Is Found Wandering Demented in the Woods—$1,800 Gone.

ERIE, Pa., Sept. 13.—The little lumber settlement, Glyndon, in the big woods near Corry, is in a high state of excitement over the robbery and almost the murder of Mrs. Mary Batchelder, the wife of Benjamin Batchelder, a prominent lumberman. She had been the bookkeeper of the mills for some time, and had gone to Corry, several miles, for the money to pay the men. She got $1,800, and started back by a narrow and muddy road through the woods to the mill.

Night came and the woman did not return. Her husband and another man set out for her at dark, but not until yesterday was she found. She was then encountered wandering in the woods in a demented condition. She had evidently been chloroformed and robbed by some person or persons who had followed her from Corry. She is a mental and physical wreck, and can give no rational account of how the affair occurred. The purse in which she carried the money was missing, and the torn condition of her clothing and bruised limbs and a lacerated throat showed that she had passed through a terrible ordeal.

### FORCING THE CRISIS.

The New Scheme Which the Brick Manufacturers Will Put Into Effect.

NEW YORK, Sept. 13.—The brick struggle seems at last likely to reach a positive crisis at a very early day.

The manufacturers up the Hudson have proposed a new scheme to their colleagues which they say they will put through whether it receives unanimous endorsement or not. Their yards will soon close and they intend to transfer men, horses and carts to this city, and thus handle the incoming brick themselves as fast as it arrives.

By this method they will be able to fulfill their contracts with the builders by delivering to them direct, ignoring the middle men entirely, and placing the boycotting laborers in a hopeless plight. The builders will embrace this opportunity eagerly, as the bricklayers have agreed to handle all the brick which may be delivered.

### NEWS OF THE DAY.

General Ezeta was regularly elected President of Salvador by the Congress.

Snow and cold weather in the Northwest threaten great damage to wheat and corn.

Rains continue in New York State and have extended to other parts of the country, doing great damage.

Matthew Mullen, a brakeman of the Erie Railroad, while coupling cars in the depot at Jersey City, was crushed to death.

The Massachusetts Republican State Committee decided that, at the State convention on Wednesday next there shall be as many ballot boxes as there are contestants for nominations, so that all officers can be voted for simultaneously. This arrangement will not prevent nominations by acclamation, however.

### Weather Indications.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 13.—For New England: Rain, stationary temperature; southwesterly winds.

For Eastern York and New Jersey: Rain; slightly warmer; southeasterly winds.

For Western New York: Rain; warmer; southeasterly winds; cooler Sunday.

### NEW YORK MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Sept. 12.—Money on call to-day, 1½ and interest for three days.

BONDS.

| | Closing Yesterday. | Closing To-day. |
|---|---|---|
| 4½s, 1891 Reg | 104½ | 104 |
| 4½s, 1891 Coup | 104½ | 104 |
| 4 s, 1907 Reg | 123½ | 123½ |
| 4 s, 1907 Coup | 125½ | 125½ |

STOCK MARKET.

| | Closing Yesterday. | Closing To-day. |
|---|---|---|
| Canadian Pacific | 81½ | 81¾ |
| Central Pacific | ..... | ..... |
| Chicago, Bur. & Quincy | 98¾ | 98¾ |
| Delaware & Hudson | ..... | 102¾ |
| Del. Lack. & Western | 144½ | 144 |
| Erie | 25½ | 25½ |
| Erie pref | ..... | ..... |
| Lake Shore | 107½ | 107¾ |
| Louis. & Nash | 87 | 86 |
| Michigan Central | 95 | 93½ |
| Missouri Pacific | 79½ | 80¾ |
| New Jersey Central | 119 | 119 |
| Northwestern | 108½ | 108¾ |
| Oregon Navigation | ..... | ..... |
| Pacific Mail | 45½ | 46 |
| Reading | 42¾ | 41¾ |
| Rock Island | 83¾ | 83½ |
| St. Paul | 79 | 80½ |
| Union Pacific | 60 | 59½ |
| Western Union | 84 | 83½ |

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## BY THE WAY.

—No evening service in Trinity Reformed church to-morrow evening.

—The Men's Christian Conference will be held at the Y. M. C. A. next week Monday instead of Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock.

—Wetumpka Lodge, Knights of Honor, of this city, will make a fraternal visit to Easter Lodge, of this city, next Monday evening.

—Whitlock & Hulick, carpenters, were yesterday awarded the contract for putting the rear of Warren engine house in the same condition it was before the fire.

—The regular monthly meeting of the Plainfield Building and Loan Association Directors will be held in Jackson & Codington's office next Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

—The regular meeting of the Plainfield Camera Club will be held at the rooms No. 17 East Front street, on Tuesday, September 16, at 8 P. M. A full attendance is requested.

—William Wyckoff, John Duffy and Grant D. Traynor were tried before the City Court this morning on the charge of carting without cartmen's license. Judge Codington found them guilty, and announced that sentenee would be pronounced next Wednesday.

—The Hope Chapel Temperance Club last evening elected the following officrs: President—D. Bowden; Vice President—W. G. Gray; Secretary—W. Johnston; Treasurer—G. H. Fountain; Chaplain—Benjamin Hand. The meeting night was changed from Friday to Monday.

—John Howard Payne, colored, was monopolizing a section of Park avenue, last evening, and singing, in rollicking style, the song his namesake wrote, when a policeman protested and advised him to go to the "Home, Sweet Home" he was singing about. Payne was intoxicated and wanted to fight. The officer bundled him up, and carried him, struggling, to the station house. The episode cost Payne $10.

—Last year's short-hand class at the Young Men's Christian Association contained four or five lads who were studying in the public schools, and they proved to be apt pupils. Some of them expect to enter business life on leaving school, and are certain of getting more lucrative situations than they otherwise would—because stenography is so useful an acquirement and the demand for qualified short-hand writers so great.

—A handsome landscape picture, showing a straw thatched cottage, rustic bridge, moss-grown rocks, waterfall and stream, built by a disabled fireman and displayed in the window of City Treasurer Titsworth's office on North avenue, will be sold by chance and the entire proceeds donated to the poor fireman's family. The picture is a work of art, and the cause is one that should appeal to every member of the community.

### You Can Count Them Yourself.

If it was necessary to prove to the satisfaction of anybody that THE PRESS is the Plainfield people's paper, there are many straws that show the fact plainly and indisputably. For instance look at the past week's record of "Wants, Offers and Information" advertisements in the cent-a-word column of the two dailies.

Monday's issue of THE PRESS contained 28; Monday's issue of the *news* contained 12.

Tuesday—PRESS, 24; *news*, 14.

Wednesday—PRESS, 23; *news*, 19.

Thursday—PRESS, 27; *news*, 16.

Friday—PRESS, 25; *news*, 17.

### To Compel the Comptroller to Disburse.

Comptroller Myers of New York, who has been a Netherwood resident recently, was Wednesday served with an order to show cause why a peremptory mandamus should not be issued by Judge Edwards of Albany compelling him to sign a warrant for the $3,223,259.89 of State taxes due from the city in 1888. The question has been in litigation, and the testimony was taken before ex-Judge Countryman as referee. The order is returnable September 30.

### Terrible If True.

Between the hours of two and six o'clock on Thursday and Friday afternoons and all day Saturday, Rogers Bros. will sell all of their $2 50 shoes for $2; all $3 shoes for $2.50; all $3.50 shoes for $3. They have a few more men's lace shoes that they are closing out at 50 cents. Be sure and be there at two o'clock when the sale begins. They warrant every pair.

## PARTICULAR MENTION.

Miss Florence V. Bird of West Second street has returned after enjoying a visit with relatives in Brooklyn.

Miss Anna Buckley has returned to this city after a very pleasant stay of five weeks at her home in Rosendale, N. Y.

Mrs. Hester Philpott, of Brooklyn, N. Y., is visiting her sister-in-law, Mrs. James Philpott, of 34 West Second street.

Mr. and Mrs. Dudley S. Miller, of East Fifth street, returned last night from a visit to Old Point Comfort and Virginia Beach.

The mother of Robert Armstrong of Plainfield died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Philip Tisch, 222 Orange street, Newark, this morning.

Mrs. Wm. Dusing, a cousin of Carl Kaerth, of East Second street, and Mrs. Chauncey Smith, both of Brooklyn, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Kaerth, for a few days.

Dorsey W. Hyde has dedicated his latest instrumental composition, a "reverie" for the piano, to Miss Lavinia French, daughter of John H. French, of this city.

In addition to his usual assortment of the most delicious musk melons in market, Halsey Compton has introduced a new one this year, which looks like a yellow squash but is most delicate to the taste. It is called the banana melon.

### Knights Who Like a Merry Time.

The members of Perseverance Lodge, No. 74, Knights of Pythias, at the close of their regular business session, last night, held an old-time jubilee meeting, and enjoyed a pleasant programme of speechmaking and singing, with D. A. Pope as master-of-ceremonies. Mr. Pope broke the ice with a few interesting remarks on the good of the order, and a comic song, and J. H. Carney entertained the gathering with his funny sayings. He was received with rounds of applause. The next to step to the platform was B. R. Force, who recited in fine style. A series of musical selections was rendered by L. Rarrick and Messrs Jones and Higgins, who were called out again and again.

The next entertainment of the Lodge will be given Friday evening, October 31, after which such events will be of frequent occurrence till the Winter season is ended.

### The Vested Choir Entertained.

The choir of Grace church, numbering about twenty-five, were entertained on Thursday evening in a royal manner by Mrs. Benjamin A. Mumford at her home on Arlington avenue. As usual on occasions of this kind, there were few absentees. The choir contributed to the enjoyment of the evening by singing a number of selections, and otherwise entertained themselves by playing "Blind Man's Buff," shouting through ex-Foreman Mumford's silver fire-trumpet, etc.

The "boys" unanimously voted that the triumph of the evening's entertainment was the bounteous supply of good things to eat provided by the hostess. The party broke up about 10 o'clock and returned home full of gratitude and many other things, totally unable to sing another note.

### Grand Dedicatory Ceremonies at Somerville.

The Church of the Immaculate Conception, at Somerville, will be dedicated tomorrow, with all the beautiful ceremonies of the Catholic church, celebrated by Rt. Rev. Bishop O'Farrell and a large number of clergymen. The Bishop, who is an eloquent speaker, will preach at the mass, which begins at 10:30 A. M. The vespers will be at 7:30 o'clock in the evening, and the sermon will be preached by the Rev. Father Feehan, O. C. C., of Englewood, N. J. The music at both services will be rendered by a full choir. Solos will be given by Miss Kate Opdyke and sister, Mr. Davenport and others.

Father Bogaard has built a beautiful place of worship, well worth seeing, and all are invited and welcome. Train leaves Plainfield at 9:48.

### That Dirty Mouth Again.

Yesterday morning as A. L. Force, one of the proprietors of this paper, was passing the corner of Grove and Front streets, where the Carey furniture store is located, the proprietor, ex-Councilman and ex-Captain of Police, Tunis J. Carey, called out:

"I should think you'd be afraid to go by this place."

Mr. Force stopped and asked: "Why? who and what should I be afraid of?"

"I should think you'd be afraid you'd get killed. It would be a —— good thing for this community if you was dead and buried."

### A Model School.

The Rodman Seminary at 25 East Fifth street, which opens next Wednesday for young ladies and children, both girls and boys. It has prospered greatly under the management of Mrs. R. C. Dingee. Many pupils have been prepared for college. The higher branches are taught, and French and German by the Berlitz method. There is no school in the city in higher standing. Stage will call mornings for North Plainfield pupils, free of expense to patrons. The school rooms are commodious, thoroughly ventilated and nicely furnished. Able assistants are employed.

—The Central N. J. Land Improvement Co., has sold to Jacob Grieb and wife, of Piscataway, lot in this city South corner Stebbins place and South avenue, 125x80 feet for $660.

### Which of the Four Plainfield Nichols Is This?

*(From the Somerville Democrat.)*

I heard a good fish story about Mr. Nichols, of Plainfield, who came to our neighborhood to enjoy his favorite pastime—angling. One day last week, while fishing in the neighborhood of Millington, with a small catfish as a bait, a five-pound bass made a sudden move on the tempting morsel, and soon catfish and hook were in his possession, to the great delight of the angler. The fish quickly hurried away beneath some driftwood in order to enjoy his rather unexpected meal. Mr. Nichols' apparatus was rather too light to attempt landing his prey by ordinary means, so he had recourse to the extraordinary.

Quickly peering over both shoulders, and feeling safe, he divested himself of all his wearing apparel, and in a few seconds, he stood on the bank, dressed only in nature's garb. Hurriedly seizing from his pocket a preparation compounded of pepper and salt, he boldly plunged into the river in order to apply the mixture to the tail of the fish, as he had heard of this being an old and invaluable remedy when other means failed. Peering cautiously around, he soon spied the fish under the root of a tree, trying to enjoy his lunch seasoned with steel. Gently inserting the hand which contained the condiment, he was just on the point of application, when the fish giving him a wicked look with his left eye, whisked his tail so viciously that the mixture was thrown into his eyes, completely blinding him for a time. When he recovered his sight no trace of the prize that was so near and yet so far.

The fish that eats your bait and runs away,
Will live to eat your bait some other day.

Come again, Mr. Nichols.

### Here's His Name Again.

A person by the name of Miller came into the office of THE PRESS, last evening, and in spite of the presence of ladies, profanely abused the editor because the New York despatches to this paper a few days ago, corroborated by the New York *Times*, stated that he worked for the firm of Sawyer, Wallace & Co. The facts of the matter seem to be that he works for another firm in the same business, while a person of the same name and initials as he, works for Sawyer, Wallace & Co.

Failing to appreciate the allowance that for obvious reasons, last evening, was made for him, this Miller took advantage of our forbearance and leniency, and, with additional profanity, stated that the next time we put his name in THE PRESS he would do all sorts of terrible things.

If the people hear within a few days of the tragic death of any member of this paper's staff, they will know the reason why; for here's his name in THE PRESS again? ROBERT S. MILLER.

### May the Best Team Win.

*(From the Somerville Democrat.)*

Now, Crescents, get up and hustle. We are after you with sharp sticks.

The Plainfield people say if you lay no money on the game Saturday you will lose none.

A. W. Mack says if the West Ends can take two of the three games from the Crescents star aggregation they will be right at the front.

The West End and Crescent series, which begins on the West End grounds Saturday afternoon, will be very interesting and important and each of the three games is sure to be hotly contested.

It is said that the Plainfield base ball cranks have chartered a train of six cars to come to Somerville with to-morrow. Will they be as happy when they go away as when they come?

### Good Democrats to Represent North Plainfield.

John Vetterlein, John Bodine, Lewis R. Blackford and Henry Woodland were elected delegates, at the primary held in the North Plainfield school house last night, to attend the Democratic Convention of the Fourth Congressional District at Belvidere, Sept. 18. E. C. Morse was chairman of the meeting, and John Vetterlein was secretary.

### A Tree With a Flinty Heart.

The story comes from the corner of West Front street and Plainfield avenue that workmen engaged in cutting down a tree a day or two ago broke three axe-blades in chopping and then discovered a large piece of flint like an Indian axe-head buried in the heart of the oak.

### Sugar Given Away—Biggest Inducement Yet Offered.

Today we will give to every purchaser of a pound of our famous 50 cent special mixed tea—three pounds of granulated sugar free. United Tea and Coffee Growers' Association.

### The Contrast.

Whoe'er repeats an idle tale,
Or that which bring a neighbor ill,
Life's better teachings doth assail
And robs himself of man's good will.
But good repeaters, 'tis confessed,
Are blessings; Collier keeps the best.

### Help to Mothers Nursing.

Mothers who have the care and draught of nursing infants, need the aid of strengthening tonic to make up the nourishment required for the growth of the child. Ale, porter, and lager beer, have often been recommended. Of late, since physicians have become aware that the Port Wine produced by Alfred Speer, of Passaic, N. J., is strictly pure, they have prescribed it instead of ale or porter, as being more blood making. This wine is principally sought for by mothers who have nursing infants at the breast, as the best supplying medium to be found. The wine is rich in body and not intoxicant, but gently stimulating and makes good blood. Druggists generally keep it, and sell it for a dollar a bottle.—*Enquirer.*

### Clothing Clubs to be Suppressed.

BOSTON, Sept. 13.—The Attorney-General has instructed the State police that clothing clubs, in which members pay $1 a week and draw each week for a suit of clothes, comes within the lottery laws and must be suppressed.

### Fined $100 for Killing a Moose.

BANGOR, Me., Sept. 13.—A prominent citizen of Levant was yesterday fined $100 for killing a moose that deliberately walked into the principal street of the village, the close season not expiring till October.

## A BEDBUG HUNTER.

### Scientists Discover a New Torment Which Is Worse Than Its Victim.

At a recent meeting of the San Francisco Microscopical Society President Wixon exhibited a specimen of the red bedbug hunter (Opsicoetus personatus) captured in San Joaquin valley. This insect is about three-fifths of an inch in length, and to the naked eye is of a dark-brown color, but under the microscope shows black with greenish tints under the eyes.

Though called a bedbug hunter, this little insect devotes but a small portion of its time to hunting bedbugs. It feeds on flies and worms and has been known when hungry to attack sleeping humanity. The bite inflicted by this insect is very painful, and in some cases so poisonous as to cause death.

Dr. Le Counte said that many people bitten by this insect believe the bite to be from the spider or bedbug—as the wound produced by the insertion of the proboscis through the epidermis is much the same with all these insects.

Though not often resulting in death, the bite is always accompanied with an itching, or burning sensation at first, and afterward by a hard and highly inflammatory swelling, which lasts for two or three weeks and is exceedingly painful.

### A Russian Mayoress.

The town of Kniazeff, Russia, has elected a woman, Mme. Alexandra Elyne, to the office of mayor. She set forth in her platform that she was the one woman in the community best fitted to defend and maintain the interest of the citizen, and on this platform she won the day. All the egotism of Russian women did not die with Marie Bashkirtseff.


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Persons calling for the above, please say advertised. E. R. POPE, Postmaster.

### Arrival and Departure of Mails

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## DEATHS.

LANE—In this city, Sept. 12, Miss Mary Lane.
Funeral services from Mt. Olive Baptist church, Sunday, Sept. 14, at 2 o'clock P. M. Friends and relatives are respectfully invited.

## WANTS AND OFFERS.

*Advertisements under this heading, one cent for each word each insertion.*

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### But the Crescents Will Not Go to Westfield Next Wednesday.

*(From the Westfield Standard.)*

The Plainfield *Press* of Sept. 11, publishes an unnecessarily foolish article and one full of untruths. What is said about the umpire is simply ridiculous. No one who knows anything of base ball would ever think of accusing Roberts of being partial, blind or biased. That he made mistakes—we acknowledge; but they were in as many cases in favor of the Crescents as in favor of Westfield. The truth of the matter is that the Crescent people have had the umpire under their control all Summer and do not think any umpire is fair unless they get all of the decisions their way.

The crazy move of Jones which betrayed Hetzell into an illegal delivery, was simply school boy base ball on the part of the Crescent catcher.

The *Press* says:—"Desiring to save Gregg for Saturday's game, etc., etc." This is all rot. All Westfield wants is to get at Gregg, and this is where the managers broke their word with Westfield—though we cannot say that we expected them to keep it. And, now, right here let us say that if the Crescents will appear with their own team on the grounds on next Wednesday, they will find the result much different.

[Manager Leggett has sent word to Westfield that the Crescents will not go to Westfield next Wednesday. He also stated his belief that the Westfield management did not treat the Crescents honestly or courteously on last Wednesday—ED.]

#### An Exempt Firemen's Association.

Articles of incorporation of the Exempt Firemen's association, of Fanwood, were filed in the county clerk's office recently. It was organized on September 2, and the officers are as follows: President—Thomas J. Nicholl; Vice President—John Robinson; Secretary—George Kyte; Treasurer—William J. Lobe.

### SUNDAY SERVICES.

Brief notices will be inserted under this head free of expense, but must be delivered at this office not later than eleven o'clock on Saturday morning to insure publication.

*Services in the First Presbyterian.* church to-morrow at 10:30 A. M. and 7:45 P. M., conducted by the pastor, the Rev. K. P. Ketcham.

The masses in St. Mary's church to-morrow will be at 8:30, 9:45 and 10:45 A. M. Vespers will be held at four o'clock in the afternoon.

Sunday School at the Memorial Chapel, Washingtonville, at 2:30 P. M., to-morrow. R. E. Pease will address the meeting in the evening.

First Unitarian Society, Second place. The Rev. Hobart Clark, pastor, will preach at 10:30 A. M., and 8 P. M. Sunday school at 11:45 A. M.

The Young Men's meeting at the Y. M. C. A. Sunday at 4:15 P. M., will be conducted by Capt. Geo. D. Morrison. All young men are invited.

The Rev. L. E. Livermore, of New Market, will occupy the pulpit of Trinity Reformed church to-morrow morning. No service in the evening.

Grace church to-morrow: early celebration at 7:30 A. M.; morning prayer, and sermon at 10:30. Sunday school at 3. P. M. Evening prayer at 7:45.

German Lutheran services at the W. C. T. U. rooms, No. 73 West Front street, to-morrow at 10:30 in the forenoon. Sermon by the Rev. E. Moldenke, D. D., of New York.

The Rev. Dr. J. L. Hurlbut will preach in the First Baptist church to-morrow at 10:45 A. M. and 7:45 P. M Strangers are welcome, and seats are free at the evening service.

Services in the Park Avenue Baptist church, to-morrow. Sunday school at 9:45 A. M. Preaching at 11 o'clock, by the Rev. J. C. Fernald, of Plainfield. All are welcome.

Two services will be held to-morrow in the German Reformed church on Craig place, North Plainfield, one at 10:30 A. M. the other at 8 o'clock P. M. Sunday school at 2:30 P. M. Weekly service Friday evening at 8 o'clock.

The First Church of Christ in Plainfield, Amphion Hall. To-morrow morning and evening. The Lord willing J. B. Cleaver will preach. Morning theme, Acts II: 37-38. Evening: 2d Peter II: 1, (by request). All are welcomed.

The Saturday evening Gospel meeting at 7:30. The 9:15 A. M. Sunday, the 4 P. M. and the Tuesday weekly prayer meetings, are all held in the rooms of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union at 73 West Front street.

The Church of the Holy Cross, to-morrow, the Rev. T. Logan Murphy, rector. Early celebration of the Holy Communion at 8 A. M. Sunday school at 9:45 A. M. Morning prayer and sermon at 11 A. M. Vesper service at 5 P. M.

Meetings in Reform Hall to-morrow at the usual hours of 9:15 A. M., 4 and 7:45 P. M. Platform addresses in the evening among which will probably be one by a prominent lady worker in the temperance cause. All attenders will receive cordial welcome.

Methodist Episcopal church, the Rev. Chas. B. Mitchell, pastor. Sunday school at 10 A. M. Preaching by the pastor at 11 A. M., subject, "He could not be hid." Epworth League at 7:15 P. M. Evening sermon at 8 P. M., subject, "A Seeming Moral Paradox."

Warren Mission Sunday school to-morrow at 2:30 P. M. Praise service at 7:30 led by M. M. Dunham and evening service at 8 o'clock. Deacon L. W. Serrell of the First Baptist church will preside. Young People's meeting Tuesday evening at eight o'clock. All are invited.

Yes, he loves you now, 'tis true,
Lass with eyes of violet blue,
Lips as sweet as honey-dew,
Bonny little bride!
Will he love you as today,
When your bloom has fled away,
When your golden locks are grey—
Will his love abide?

Yes, if it is the true kind it will survive all the inevitable wastes and changes of life. But, it is every woman's desire and duty to retain, as long as she can, the attractions that made her charming and beloved in youth. No one can keep her youthful bloom or equable temper if weighed down and suffering. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is a remedy for these troubles. Sold by druggists.

### Notes of the Theatres.

Strewn with anything but successes is the opening of the Autumn theatrical season in New York. The Casino has a quasi failure in "Mme. Angot;" "The Tale of a Coat" has been received with marked chilliness, at Daly's; the Bijou's "Canuck" has not been sufficiently attractive to fill even that tiny theatre; "One Error," the title of the new play at the Fifth Avenue, now under H. C. Miner's management, "is well named," said the critics after the first performance. The public evidently think it full of errors. The Madison Square Garden has, in professional vernacular, proven the most gigantic "frost" known in the annals of theatricals in America, the loss, since its opening a little over three months ago, being enormous. The only real substantial financial successes thus far have been the Hanlon-Volter and Martinetti Pantomime and Novelty Company at the Academy; "The Merry Monarch" at the Broadway, and John L. Sullivan in "Honest Hearts and Willing Hands," at Niblo's. Mansfield's season at A. M. Palmer's 24th Street Theatre, has been fairly successful and is near its close, and Marie Tempest and Duff's "Red Hussar" is in the fourth week at Palmer's Broadway House; "The Senator" has returned to the Star, (Sept. 8,) and "The County Fair" has just begun its season at the Union Square.

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The famous Grace Church scene in Denman Thompson's "Old Homestead," which begins its fourth metropolitan year at the Academy, October 6, will, besides a double male quartette and revolving snow scene, contain additional attractiveness in the shape of a choir composed of two score of sweet-voiced youngsters.

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Baldwin of parachute notoriety will jump no more. He has settled down in England on $400,000, gained in two and a half years.

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After the retirement of John L. Sullivan at Niblo's, "The Pupil in Magic," with a big cast of wee thespians will be exhibited for the first time in America. The opening spectacle of the Liliputians will be presented with a wealth of gorgeous scenery and dazzling effects, and will be distinguished by two grand ballets. Together with the dramatic mites, the smallest of whom, by the way, is less than three feet in height and the tallest less than four, the organization complete will number 100 people.

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Preparations are fast being completed for the stupendous production at Niblo's, New York City, about the middle of October, of "Nero," the new spectacular drama to be brought out by Messrs Locke & Davis. The dramatic material for the new work is taken from Eckstein's recent valuable resume of early Roman history. A realistic feature of the production which will set New York agog will be the introduction in the arena scene of eight cageless lions, handled by Professor Darling, an intrepid lion tamer of Paris. For the protection of the audience during the arena scene, a skeleton curtain, consisting of a network of solid steel, will be lowered between the stage and auditorium. The services of 500 people will be enlisted in the production, which, it is claimed, will entail an outlay of $35,000.

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A good man has started business in London as a "ballet-girl evangelist," and devotes himself to awaking the moral sense of the airy-costumed coryphees who pirouette about the stage to the delight of the bald-headed contingent in the front rows.

#### Is This Irony or Sarcasm?

*(From the Bound Brook Chronicle.)*

The far-seeing eye of the *Madison Eagle* has discovered that

"Bro. Messler, of the *Democrat*, Somerville, is a poet. Bro. Mason, of THE CHRONICLE, Bound Brook, is also securing recognition in that direction. We have considerable sympathy for our brother knights of the quill."

As far as this paper is concerned it cheerfully yields the poetical palm to the clever story-teller of the Plainfield *Press*. In a neat half-column concerning a family feud which has attracted some attention in North Plainfield, between the Wyckoffs and the Spriggs, our if-you-see-it-in-*The-Press*-it-isn't-so contemporary makes the little Spriggs salute their neighbors with

"Wyckoff, Wyckoff,
I'll knock your head off!"

To this the heir of Wyckoff estate is credited with saying:

"Sprigg, Sprigg, you think you're big;
Go wash your face, you dirty pig!"

Such effusions as these show the author's rare genius, and when once his abilities become known to the outer world his services will be in demand by some great daily newspaper, and we may before long find him doing the obituary verses on the Philadelphia *Ledger*.

#### What Plainfield's Enemies are Fighting Against.

*(From the Bound Brook Chronicle.)*

Monday night's fire proved conclusively the great value of the Bound Brook water works. The hose was attached to the highest hydrants in town, where the pressure is the lowest, but two streams were turned on the flames and at once it was seen that the fire was under control.

As the warm weather continues the natural cravings of humanity call for something cooling to drink. Hires' Root Beer is sparkling, and a most delicious article. Every family should have it in their house. A 25 cent package will enable any one to make five gallons. Ask your druggist or storekeeper for it.

### USING TROUT FOR BAIT.

#### It Was the Only Thing the Muskallonge Wanted, and They Got It.

There are several small lakes on the head waters of the Monistique river in Michigan, where there are enormous pickerel and muskallonge. Brook trout are abundant in the streams running into them. Fishermen have always lamented the failure of all their efforts to capture muskallonge in these lakes with any of the known live baits or lures, but a party of anglers who were bait fishing near one of the lakes this season discovered that the muskallonge would not accept any of the ordinary bait simply because they were highly epicurean in their tastes. One of the party of fishermen referred to, after exhausting all his skill in trying to capture a muskallonge, went to the mouth of one of the streams that empty into the lake and made a few casts for trout. He hooked a small one and was reeling it in when there came a sudden swoop and splash in the water and down went the trout and the fisherman's leader in the whirlpool that marked the spot where the trout had been.

The angler knew that a muskallonge had swept the trout and leader away, and he kept alive the next six-inch trout he caught, hooked it to his muskallonge hook and tossed it into the lake where he thought muskallonge would be apt to lie. The trout had scarcely sunk beneath the surface when it was ravenously seized, and the fisherman had the satisfaction of landing a fifteen-pound muskallonge. By using small trout for bait in that way twelve large muskallonge were killed in a short time by the party. At the same time every other kind of bait was used at the same spot without one muskallonge noticing it. At any time during the party's stay there muskallonge could be caught with trout as bait, but at no time with any thing else. The big fish were connoisseurs. The stream furnished them with the most delicate of food, and they refused any morsel less choice. Trading trout for muskallonge seemed like decidedly unsportsmanlike thing to do, but the knowledge obtained was worth the sacrifice.

Another lake in that vicinity has nowhere more than a four-foot depth of water, and it has a bottom so soft that a pole twenty feet long will not fathom its depth. This lake is literally full of big pickerel. They bite at almost any thing, but the moment they are hooked they dive into the soft bottom and go down so deep that sometimes they have to be pried out with poles. It is no uncommon thing to mine them out from a depth of four feet. The lake bottom is not mud or mire, but a pulpy mass resembling tapioca pudding.—N. Y. Sun.

### THOUGHT SHE'D DROP IN.

#### And While She Was In She Told a Pleasant Little Story.

A busy Chicago housewife had just dusted the furniture and was about to wash the windows, when there came a violent ring at the door bell. A faded-looking woman, carrying a green parasol and a bag that puckered like a tobacco sack, walked in when the door was opened, and, refusing to give her name, entered the parlor.

"Would you object to giving me your name?" said the housewife, when the strange woman had seated herself.

"Never mind my name."

"Will you please state your business?"

"Never mind my business."

"Well, but why am I honored with this visit?"

"You'll find out soon enough."

"I should like to find out now, if it will not be putting you to any unnecessary inconvenience."

"All right. My business is not very important, to be sure, but perhaps you might take some little interest in it. Your name is Mrs. Natterson, I believe."

"Yes."

"Ah, hah. How long have you known your alleged husband?"

"My alleged husband?"

"Yes."

"I have been married three years."

"That is, you think you have been married that long."

"I surely do not understand you."

"Oh, it's a matter of no consequence, but as I happened to be in this town and more especially as I chanced to be passing, I thought that I would drop in and tell you that this man Natterson married me in Massachusetts some five or six years ago, I forget which. But it amounts to nothing, you know."

"Merciful heavens, madam, you horrify me!"

"Oh, not necessarily, I assure you."

"Is it possible that I have been deceived?"

"Well, it looks rather that way."

"And have you come here to claim my husband?"

"Oh, not at all. I just happened to be passing and thought I'd tell you. Please don't think for a moment that I want him. It is true that men are rather scarce in the East, but even if they were ten times scarcer than they are, I shouldn't want that fellow. I have had quite enough of him, I assure you. Just happened to be passing and thought I'd drop in and tell you. Hope I haven't put you to any inconvenience. Good day."—Arkansaw Traveler.

#### Interviewing the King of Finance.

With the Baron de Rothschild I did not get on at all. He spoke English so like my French that the situation was painful.

"I am from the Graphic," said I.

"Ah!" said he; "ze London Gwaphceque; it ees one great paper."

"No," said I. "The New York Daily Graphic."

"Ah!" said he; "I see. No, I know nossing about eet."

"But I have come to speak upon financial matters."

"Fenarnce?" he asked.

"Yes," said I. "Finance."

"Ah!" he said; "zat ees one gr-r-and subject—of which I can speak not any zing at all."—Julian Ralph, in Chatter.

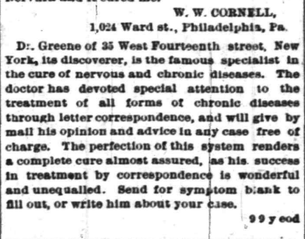
—The tattered chart found on the body of Lieutenant De Long, of arctic fame, now forms one of the most interesting relics in Colonel Langston's museum at Fort Hamilton, in New York harbor.

THE National gallery of Ireland has come into possession of a priceless treasure in the form of a Rembrandt portrait. It is the likeness of a young man, and is painted in the artist's earlier manner.

FIFTEEN MILLIONS of dollars is mentioned as the value of the art treasures accumulated in Hilford House by Sir Richard Wallace, and it is rumored that all this will go, under the will, to the English Nation.

A MAGNIFICENT sword of the fifteenth century is shortly to be placed in the Louvre Museum in Paris. It is ornamented with graceful designs from the hand of the great sword-maker, Hercules de Pesaro, who did the work for the Bargras, the Ganzagas and the house of Este, and is thought to have belonged to Francisco de Ganzaga, who commanded the Italian army crushed by Charles VIII. in 1495.

AT last a use has been found for the bugs. The Persian entomologist whose collection of insects attracted so much attention at the Paris exposition last year is preparing a landscape, the subject being a water-mill, a river and a mountain, which will be composed wholly of insects. Four hundred and fifty thousand night-flying insects will form the foreground, the remainder of the picture to be made up of 500,000 insects, composing over 8,000 species.

**Nervous Debility.**

**Weakness, Nervousness, Despondency and Depression of Mind.**

We are careless of our strength, vigor and energies in youth and early life. We use them up in business, work, pleasure or dissipation, and suddenly find ourselves old before our time, broken down in health, exhausted in brain and nerve power, and left without physical energies, nerve, strength or ambition. Then follows that terrible despondency—that gloom and depression of mind which is a thousand times harder to bear than pain. It blots out hope, happiness and ambition, and makes life seem scarcely worth living, turns nights into sleepless, restless anxiety, and days into almost hopeless despair.

Luckily, there is a great and wonderful restorative which will give back to the weakened and exhausted system the strength it has lost; a marvellous remedy which imparts strength and vigor to the brain and nerves, vitalizes and invigorates all the physical powers, dispels, as if by magic, the despondency and gloom of mind, and restores us again to that grand degree of lusty strength, of bounding pulse and strong physical and nerve power which in ignorance or folly we have exhausted.

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### CORPORATION NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the following ordinance has been introduced before the Common Council, read the second time, and ordered engrossed, preparatory to its third reading, and that it is the intention of the Council to adopt the same.

J. B. COWARD, City Clerk.

Plainfield, N. J., September 4, 1890.

AN ORDINANCE.

To macadamize Plainfield avenue from the south easterly side of West Seventh street to the southerly boundary of the city.

Whereas the owners of property fronting on Plainfield avenue between the south easterly side of West Seventh street, and the southerly boundary line of the city have subscribed for the macadamizing and otherwise improving of Plainfield avenue as hereinafter directed, and have agreed to pay or caused to be paid for the work and macadamizing and otherwise improving of said avenue and the cost and expenses incurred for the same, the sum of two thousand dollars, therefore

The inhabitants of the City of Plainfield by their Common Council do enact as follows.

SECTION 1. That Plainfield avenue from south easterly side of West Seventh street to the southerly boundary of the city for the width of sixteen feet, that is to say for the distance of eight feet on either side of the centre line of said street, be macadamized for a uniform depth of six inches with crushed stone of good quality and proper sizes the same to be properly laid, compacted, and rolled so that when complete the surface shall be smooth and even and shall conform to the grade of said street throughout, as said grade has already been established for said street by ordinance, said macadamizing to be done under the supervision of the Street Commissioner, who shall have power to do all necessary grading of said road bed wherever required to bring the same to conform with said grade as already established.

SECTION 2. In order to protect said street and the macadamizing thereof from surface water the gutters of said street on both sides thereof from said south easterly side of West Seventh street to the city line as aforesaid, shall be protected by tailings or larger pieces of crushed stone, and wherever necessary in the judgment of the Street Commissioner, proper culverts of flag stone shall be constructed for the proper carrying off of said surface water, said work to be done under the supervision of the Street Commissioner.

SECTION 3 That the owners of property fronting on said Plainfield avenue shall pay or cause to be paid into the City Treasury the aforesaid sum of two thousand dollars on the completion of said work, said owners having agreed so to do and after applying such sum toward the cost of said work and macadamizing as hereinbefore directed, the remainder of such cost shall be at the general expenses of the city and be paid as provided by chapter 221 of the laws of New Jersey for the year 1890.

SECTION 4 All ordinances or parts of ordinances conflicting herewith be and the same are hereby repealed.

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Stories that boys like, and girls as well?
Mine tells always the nicest kind,
But a grandpa like mine is hard to find.
The last one he told was so very good—
Though he made the lesson well understood—

That I want to tell it just as he did,
He kept the moral so nicely hid.
Said Grandpa: "The first year I went down
To the old academy out of town,
There was one boy there among the rest—
A smart one, but just the queerest dressed!

"His name was 'Jonathan—Jonathan Joy.'
His name was no queerer than was the boy.
His folks had lately moved, they said—
His mother and sister—his father was dead.
He was only thirteen, and small at that,
But there's little we fellows could beat him at.

He took all the care of the schoolhouse too,
And a colder winter I never knew.
He must have suffered, his clothes were so thin,
But matters like that boys don't take in.
And homely he was, this little boy!
I never saw plainer than Jonathan Joy.

"But the very queerest thing of all
Was his boots; he was so very small,
And his boots were a man's boots, stout and strong,
Thick, and heavy, and wide, and long;
How such a boy could tug 'em about
I don't know, but the toes were all stuffed out.

"Now to our shame it must be told
That we scorned this boy whose clothes were old.
Often and often, each hour of the day,
We sneered at his boots, and would call and say:
'Boots, where are you going with that little boy?'
It must have been awful to Jonathan Joy.

"At last the leader of all our band—
He's been dead for years, poor Charley Rand—
Proposed to do something so bad and bold—
Almost too ugly to ever be told,
He knew that every night, he said,
This Jonathan kept his boots in a shed.

"He knew the house—such a poor little home—
And he said: 'Now, boys, if you'll all keep mum
I'll tell you something first-rate to be done
Let's go to-night and have some fun;
Let's all of us go as still as a mouse,
And steal those boots from that old woodhouse.'

"We all agreed, to our shame, be it said,
And at night, when we should have been in bed,
We stole to the home of Jonathan Joy—
I feel so ashamed of every boy!
We went to the window to listen first,
And that for our plan was just the worst.

"He and his mother were there alone;
It was cold that night, but fire they had none;
We saw his mother as well as he;
His head in her lap, we all could see;
Her hand was caressing the brow of the boy
And the rough red tresses of Jonathan Joy.

"Then we heard her voice and the words she said,
Till we wished we had been at home in bed
'Johnnie,' she said, so soft and low,
'Tis a terrible trial, that I know,
But it's wear the boots or stay away—
Not go to school another day.

"'We can't buy boots as well as bread,
And keep this poor roof over our heads,
And you hope to be able, you always say,
Through your learning to build a home some day.
Those boots were your father's; 'tis hard, I know—
The boys must be ugly to treat you so."

"The soft voice faltered, and then there came
The sound of sobbing. O, 'twas a shame'
But Charley turned to the rest of his crew
And whispered: 'I've thought of a thing to do;
Come out of this—here, follow my lead;
I feel as small as a mustard seed.

"'Boys,' he said softly, 'let's buy him a pair—
Just such as the rest of us fellows wear.'
Then he took us away and told his plan,
And each of us felt rather more like a man
We put our mites together, and then
Next night we went to the woodshed again.

"And still and sly as we went before
We left the boots and shut the door.
Such beauties they were, and brand-new ones,
Red-topped, with letters which shone like suns,
And the rest of the winter, I'm glad to tell,
We treated that fellow extremely well.

"Years have passed; his place is higher by far,
And he's richer than all the rest of us are.
His mother died long, long years ago,
But she lived to be proud of him, I know;
And I know he was pure gold without alloy.
For I married the sister of Jonathan Joy."

—Emily Baker Smalle, in Pansy.

## FOUND IN A TREE.

### The Strange Story of a Papoose Uncle Jock Told the Children.

Here is the very latest story which Uncle Jock told the children the other day, while Uncle Jake was carving a whistle out of an alder branch for little Ted.

"You want an Indian story, do you?" said Uncle Jock.

"Tell 'em about what we found in a tree once," said Uncle Jake, as he smoothed the mouthpiece of the whistle with his big knife.

"Well, well, so I will. Sit down, every one of you, on the grass and keep still."

And when they were all seated Uncle Jock began:

Our house stood on a hill, on the edge of the old apple orchard which reached from the back door-yard fence to the river shore. A great, spreading russet tree grew near the bank, and it was under this tree that the Indians used to camp when traveling up and down the river in their canoes. We got so we were pretty well acquainted with them, and we would run down the hill the minute we saw the smoke from their fires, or caught a glimpse of their wigwams through the trees.

One morning mother came to the foot of the stairs and called us to breakfast. But we were like little Ted here—we hated to get up. So we just opened our eyes a little, threw the bed clothes off and then turned over and went to sleep again. But when she called us a second time, and told us the Indians were in the orchard, we jumped into our clothes in a hurry and started on a run for the river, forgetting all about breakfast and every thing else. We rushed along the path through the tall rye that grew on the flats, slipping and sliding on the windfalls that were scattered under the apple trees, never stopping until we reached the wigwam.

There was no one to be seen, and we thought at first that they were all asleep, but pretty soon we heard strange sounds inside, as though some one was groaning or trying to sing without knowing how. We were at a loss what to make of it. Always before the Indians had come out to meet us when we visited the wigwam, and we began to feel a little bit scared.

"Let's go home," whispered Jake. "They ain't our Indians."

"Wait till I take a peep," I said as I lifted one corner of the blanket door. But I did not have a chance to see very much, for just then a tall Indian, with stripes of red and black paint across his cheeks, and a long knife in his hand, shoved the blanket aside and jumped out, giving a loud whoop.

Did we run? Well, now, you ought to have seen us. We didn't wait to follow the path, but took a bee-line for the house, straight through the tall rye and melon patch. Mother saw us coming and ran out to meet us.

"Keep away from them," she said, when we told her. "They've been drinking, and it's not safe to go near them."

You better believe we kept on the right side of the door-yard fence all that day. The next morning the camp was gone. We waited until we were sure there were no strange Indians loitering in the orchard, then we went down to the river. The fire was still smouldering on the sand, and there were scraps of dried meat under the tree. All of a sudden Jake cried out:

"What's that, Jock?" and my heart began to thump, for I expected nothing else but to see a big painted Indian ready to grab me. Jake pointed to the tree over our heads. A piece of bark with a string at each end was hanging from one of the lower branches, swinging back and forth like the hammock there, only a great deal smaller than the hammock. A bundle wrapped in a blanket was fastened to it with strips of buckskin. We looked at it awhile before we spoke. We hadn't quite got over out scare. Then I whispered:

"Let's climb the tree, Jake, and see what it is."

It didn't take us long to get where we could look down on the bundle. And now what do you think it was? You can't guess, eh? Well, it was a real live papoose—an Indian baby—pretty as a picture, fast asleep in its bark cradle. We didn't dare touch it, for fear the Indians might be watching us, but we climbed down as quickly as we could, and ran home to tell mother what we had found.

"They've gone off and forgot it—the poor little creature," she said, as she tied on her sun-bonnet and went with us.

When we got back the papoose was wide awake, laughing and crowing in fine style. We climbed the tree and untied the strings, while mother held out her arms and caught it as it fell, cradle and all. It cried a little at first, when it saw the strange faces, bending over it, but mother crooned, and talked baby talk, and it soon was laughing again. She carried it to the house and fed it. Then we spread the blanket on the floor, and Jake and I got down on all fours and played with it. It was such a good-natured little fellow that we had lots of fun.

Did we keep it? Yes, for a couple of hours. At the end of that time, just as we were in the midst of a grand frolic, the papoose stretched out its hands toward the open door and began to cry. We looked around and saw an Indian woman standing there. She walked in, picked up the papoose, wrapped the blanket around it, and walked out again, without saying a word, and that's the last we ever saw of that baby.—H. H. Hollands, in Detroit Free Press.

### Dried Strawberry Leaves.

"Mr. Childs will pay twelve cents a pound for strawberry leaves."

Two small pairs of ears heard Mrs. Allison say this about the new merchant. Then Alice went out of the room, and beckoned Nettie to follow.

"Did you hear that?" she asked, excitedly. "Just think of the strawberry leaves in our pasture! Why, we can pick tons of em!"

"Why, Alice, I don't believe we could find time to pick a ton."

"I should think we might if we tried hard. Let's go at it this very day. We'll make our fortunes."

Mother Banks wasn't as much excited as the girls when they told her their plans.

"It will take a great many to weigh a pound," she said.

But the girls were all courage, and that afternoon they went into the pasture and busily picked strawberry leaves where, a few weeks before, they had picked berries.

It was pleasant work. The bobolinks came about and chattered saucily, the robins whistled in the treetops, and they found a ground-bird's nest with three tiny, spotted eggs.

When the horn blew for supper, they went home and spread their leaves in the back chamber to dry. The floor was covered.

"What shall we buy with our money?" was now the great question, and they made all sorts of plans.

They looked at the leaves every day, surprised that they shrank up so. When at last they were dry, the girls took them to the store, and Mr. Childs weighed them—half a pound!

So they had three cents apiece.—Youth's Companion.

### A Disagreeable Inheritance.

"What is the matter with that baby?" growled an irascible husband as the little one persisted in howling and kicking to the extent of its might.

"The matter is, sir," calmly replied the wife as she strode up and down the floor, "the matter is that this baby inherits your temper."

And the husband returned to his paper with a gloomier face than before.—Boston Courrier.

### Quite Likely.

Sympkins—Don't you think, Mrs. Snobkins, that I tried to kiss my wife at the kitchen door to-night as I was leaving, and—

Mrs. Snobkins—Of course she did not object.

Sympkins—Object? I should say she did! She said that she didn't want people to be mistaking her for the hired girl.—West Shore.

# SEEING SIGHTS.

## Mr. and Mrs. Austin Visit Coney Island.

"COME, now, Miranda," said Mr. Austin, "get your things on and let's go down and take an iron steamboat for Coney Island. We haven't had an outing yet, and we won't if we ain't pretty quick about it."

"Take an iron steam-boat, John! Why, I would be afraid it would sink."

"Nonsense. Iron floats just as well as wood when it is made into a steamboat."

"But s'pose it should blow up, and we should be left clinging to a chunk of iron we had grabbed hold of, would it float?"

"You expect to catch hold of the anchor, or a piece of boiler plate if there should be an explosion, don't ye?"

"I would try to catch on to something."

"Well, you just catch on to what I am going to tell you. There isn't the least bit of danger in sailing down to Coney Island on one of these iron steamboats, if you don't try to get away with any of the iron. Friends of mind run down there every day, and they come back full of—"

"Beer, I suppose."

"No; full of stories of the fun they've

THE LEADER OF THE BAND.

had. Bill Jones liked to've got drowned in the surf only day before yesterday."

"That must have been fun."

"Well, it was fun for the other fellows, anyhow."

"I never went to Coney Island in my life."

"It's time you did, then. We'll go right down to the iron pier."

"Got an iron pier, too, have they?"

"That's what they call it, though there is a little wood work about it, I believe."

"Well, I'm ready; let's be off."

ON THE BOAT.

Mrs. Austin—My! what a crowd of people. A steamboat needs to be made of iron to hold them all. Does the boat carry any sails, any sheets?

Mr. Austin—Yes, and they are made of sheet iron.

Mrs. Austin — You don't say! And liquors are served over a "bar" of iron, I suppose.

Mr. Austin—No more of that irony, my dear. Listen to the music.

Mrs. Austin—Ask them to play "Little Annie Rooney," John.

Mr. Austin—They haven't been playing any thing else. Little Annie Rooney! You will have a good deal of Annie Rooney before you get back.

Mrs. Austin—There comes the leader of the band, with his hat in his hand, begging what you will have next.

Mr. Austin—Begging for a dime, you mean. I gave him one last summer, so that lets me out.

Mrs. Austin—Look, John; there's a ship standing out to sea.

Mr. Austin—Yes, and there's Barthèldi's Statue of Liberty standing out to see, too.

Mrs. Austin—It was a waste of money to make Liberty of bronze. Any cheap material would have done just as well.

Mr. Austin—How so?

Mrs. Austin—It would have been bronzed by the sun, wouldn't it?

Mr. Austin—Is it the motion of the boat that makes you throw off these things?

Mrs. Austin—Look at that boat-load of people coming home. Are they all seasick? What makes them look so ill?

Mr. Austin—They are not ill. They have been off having a good time, that's all. They have been enjoying themselves. That's the way Americans always look returning from a pleasure excursion. We'll have that appearance coming back.

Mrs. Austin—I hope not.

ON THE ISLAND.

Mrs. Austin—What do all these people do here?

Mr. Austin—Some of them do the shows, while the shows try to do the greenhorns.

Mrs. Austin—Where is the elephant we hear so much about, John?

Mr. Austin—I don't see it now.

Mrs. Austin—But you have seen it, haven't you, John?

Mr. Austin (mournfully)—Yes, I have seen it, and many a dollar it cost me, too.

Mrs. Austin—Well, then, don't let's go near it. We can go to the top of the tower, can't we?

Mr. Austin—Yes, we can go to the top of the tower.

(They make the ascent of the tower.)

Mrs. Austin—What a splendid view! Is that Stationery Island?

Mr. Austin—Staten Island, you mean. Yes, that's it.

Mrs. Austin—And there is Sandy Hook, I'll bet.

Mr. Austin—No, that's Brooklyn bridge. There is a hook to it, though, you may be sure.

Mrs. Austin—Isn't that Brigantine Island off to the left?

Mr. Austin—You're way off to the left; that's Quarantine Island.

Mrs. Austin—That's what I meant. But the wind blows too hard up here; let's go down.

(They descend).

Mr. Austin—Want to go in bathing, Matilda?

Mrs. Austin—Haven't got any bathing suit with me.

Mr. Austin—But you can hire one, you know.

Mrs. Austin—I would like to see myself in a hired bathing-suit.

Mr. Austin—So would I.

Mrs. Austin—John, you ought to be ashamed of yourself!

Mr. Austin—Let's try the merry-go-round.

Mrs. Austin—There isn't enough merry to go 'round, I judge, the people look so solemn.

Mr. Austin—Americans always take their amusements very seriously.

Mrs. Austin—Yes, it's hard to make them understand that fun is fun. They want to make something else of it.

Mr. Austin—Well, my dear, have you seen enough?

Mrs. Austin—Yes, dear, let's go home.

And they go.—A. Miner Griswold, in Texas Siftings.

### The Man He Wanted.

Applicant (to proprietor of great newspaper)—Have you a vacancy on your staff, sir?

Proprietor—I need a circulation affidavit editor, but I don't know that you would suit.

"I think I would, sir. I have been a census enumerator at Minneapolis."

"The place is yours." — Munsey's Weekly.

### An Heroic Remedy.

Mrs. Cumso—My husband suffers so from insomnia. I really don't know what to do for him.

Mrs. Fangle—You should try Dr. Sullivan.

Mrs. Cumso—Sullivan! Who is he?

Mrs. Fangle—I don't know, but I'll ask Mr. Fangle. He says Sullivan can put any man to sleep.—West Shore.

### A Slight Difference.

A broker addresses a friend who is about to begin a letter:

"How can you say 'Honorable director' to a man who has done enough to send him to the gallows?"

"Well, what shall I say?"

"Oh, 'My dear confrere,' or any thing equally commonplace."—Judge.

### Sunday Evening.

Mr. Fidget—Officer, I'm sure that saloon on the corner is open. Men have been going in there all day.

Officer McNabb—Well, what av that? Would yez have me breakin' th' lah, too, by goin' in?—Puck.

## WOULD RESUME PAYMENTS.

Wiggins (who has obliged his friend with a five)—What would you do, Jack, if you had a fortune left to you?

Borrowit—Why, I wouldn't have to "do" anybody, then!—Texas Siftings.

### A CONUNDRUM.

Mrs. Broughne—George, dear, why is the ocean blue?

Mr. Broughne—Because it has to embrace so many objectionable people.—Life.

### A Bright Face.

De Smith—Don't you think Miss Jinks has a very bright expression on her face?

Jones—I can't say that her face is very bright, but there is much no doubt about her being lantern-jawed.—Texas Siftings.

### No Cause for Worry.

Potter—I have read in a newspaper that the sun is gradually losing its heat. Where is the future heat to come from?

Barnes—Don't let that worry you. You will find out before you really care to know.—Texas Siftings.

### Will Have to Cease Kicking.

Robinson — Bismarck has got the rheumatism again.

Brown—He has, eh? Perhaps he will not kick so much hereafter.—Texas Siftings.

### A Mean Reply.

Husband—No, don't make me mad. When I get angry I am a wild beast.

Wife — Humph! You have never stopped being angry.—Texas Siftings.

### On the Editor's Desk.

"Dry up!" said the blotter to the ink. "I want to make an impression on you first," replied the ink.—Munsey's Weekly.

## SCIENTIFIC MISCELLANY.

THERE are 4,394 telephones in use in Belgium.

PLOWING by electricity is in contemplation for a large property in Central Spain.

SEA air has been found to have a thickening effect upon the leaves of plants and trees. Moreover, plants grown in salted soil produce thicker leaves.

AT an equality of age the male is generally heavier than the female, except toward the age of twelve, when the average weight in both sexes is about the same.

OBSERVATION shows that the dust particles in the air vary enormously during the presence of mist or fog without being accompanied by any difference in the apparent density of the fog.

THE amount of water the sun raises from the earth is estimated at the enormous weight of 37,000,000,000 tons a minute; the quantity of coal required to produce a heat in any way equivalent to the sun is calculated to be 12,000,000,000,000,000 tons.

IT has been lately observed that water purified as much as possible, and standing only a short time in contact with the air, showed next day a continuous decrease of conductivity, which gradually disappeared, giving place to the normal unavoidable inerease. Prof. Pfeiffer concludes that this is due to micro organisms coming into the water and absorbing the conducting substances present.

THE prize of forty thousand francs offered by the French Academy for some certain test of death, looking to the prevention of being burned alive, was given to a physician, who announces that on holding the hand of the supposed dead person to a strong light, if living, a scarlet tinge is seen where the fingers touch, showing that the blood continues to circulate, there being no scarlet when the subject is really dead.

THIS is a scientific description of what happens when you light a fire: The phosphorus on the match is raised by friction to a temperature of 150 degrees Fahrenheit, at which it ignites; it raises the temperature of the sulphur (if it is a sulphur match) to 500 degrees, when the sulphur begins to burn; the sulphur raises the heat to 800 degrees, when the wood takes up the work and produces a temperature of 1,000 degrees, at which the coal ignites.

WHEN whispering it is said that stammerers rarely show any impediment in speech. On this fact a new method of treatment has been advocated, which is as follows: In the first ten days speaking is prohibited. This will allow rest to the voice, and constitutes the preliminary state of treatment. During the next ten days speaking is permissible in the whispering voice; and in the course of the next fifteen days the ordinary conversational tone may be gradually employed.

IT appears from some carefully recorded data on the subject that there is required about as much energy to convert water into ice as to evaporate it into steam, for the same amount of heat is found to be absorbed, when, for example, seventeen pounds of ice are melted as in the evaporation of ten pounds of water into steam, about as much as a pound of the best coal can furnish. A liquid that will boil under a pressure of sixty pounds in the heat of a tropical sun should make as much use of a cake of ice for power purposes as could be obtained in midwinter from two-thirds its weight in coal, at least so say the experts.

## LITERARY LIGHTS.

LORD TENNYSON is now in better health than he has had for years.

MISS CHARLOTTE M. YONGE is engaged upon what is said to be her one hundred and first book.

MRS. MARY J. HOLMES, novelist, is studying phases of San Francisco life as material for a novel that will be her twenty-ninth. Next year she will visit St. Petersburg.

CARMEN SYLVA, Queen of Roumania, was never in Wales, but when she finishes her novel, the scene of which is laid in that principality, she will go to see whether her local color is all right.

ANDERSON, the popular Danish author, was the son of a cobbler, and in his earlier years worked "on the bench" most industriously, doing his first literary work on scraps of paper kept beside him in the moments when he rested from his regular duties.

THOUGH Mr. William Waldorf Astor has thus far published but two novels, he is said to have a number of manuscripts more or less complete, which will see the light by and by. He has devoted to literary composition many of the hours that wealthy young men usually devote to social relaxation.

MR. ROBERT J. BURDETTE is an inveterate joker, and by no means confines his humorous writing to the articles prepared for publication. Some time ago he received a letter enthusiastically praising him for his verses beginning: "Out on the borders of moonshine land." He sat down and wrote a letter of several pages, in which he gratefully acknowledged the praise of his correspondent, and flattered the latter's taste by saying that he always thought himself that those were pretty good verses, and after signing his name wrote the following postscript: "I didn't write those verses. They were written by my friend, James Whitcomb Riley."

THE new editor of the Atlantic, Mr. Horace E. Scudder, tells a droll story of how near he once came while in London to dining with Tennyson. "I had been invited by one of the young English writers," Scudder would explain, "to meet a few persons at dinner. As I was chatting with him a few minutes before we went to table, he turned to his brother and said—as I understood him—'I wonder if we are not going to have Tennyson?' Of course I was gratified at the prospect of meeting the great poet. But we dined without him. And as I sat at the table it occurred to me that what my host really said to his brother was: 'I wonder if we are not going to have dinner soon?' That's the nearest I came to dining with Tennyson."


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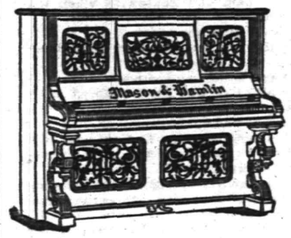

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Leave New York from foot of Liberty street, 4 30, 5 45, 7, 7 45, 8 45, 10, 11, A. M., 1, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4, 4 30, 5, 5 15, 5 30, 5 45, 6, 6 15, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 8, 8 30, 9 15, 10, 11 30 P. M., 12 15, night. Sunday—4 30, 7, 8 30, 9, 9 30, A. M., 12 M., 1, 1 15, 4, 5 30, 6, 7, 9 00, 10 00 P. M., 12 15 night.

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Leave Plainfield 5 38, 6 29, 6 59, 7 30, 8, 8 37, 9 32, 10 05, 11 09, 11 39, A. M., 1, 2 07, 2 30, 3 12, 5 51, 5 08, 5 31, 6 07, 6 54, 7 03, 8 31, 10 12, 11 28 P. M. Sunday—8 01, 8 52, 11 02, 11 16, A. M., 12 33, 1 39, 3 30, 5 16 7 01, 7 10, 8 23, 8 32, 10 02 P. M.

Leave Newark 7 10, 7 50, 8 55, 10 10, 11 08 A. M., 1 05, 1 35, 2 40, 3 40, 4 02, 4 37, 5 05, 5 30, 5 55, 6 25, 7 15, 7 35, 8 20, 9 35, 10 10, 11 25 P. M. Sunday—7 20, 8 40, 9 05, 9 50, A. M., 12 05, 1 10, 4 10, 5 40, 6 05, 7 05, 9 25, 10 20 P. M.

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PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7, 8 07, 9 42, 11, 11 58 A. M., 1 50, 2 32, 3 45, 4 34, 5 20, 5 34, 6 20, 6 38, 7 03, 7 12, 7 34 8 20, 9 43, 11 12, 12 43 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 12, 9 48, A. M., 2 03, 2 30, 5 14, 6 35, 10 15, 11 14 P. M.

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PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7, 8 07, 9 42, A. M., 1 59, 4 34, 5 20, 6 38, 8 20 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 12 A. M., 2 03, 5 35 P. M.

Leave Easton 6 05, 8 44, 10 A. M., 12 32, 4 09, 6 40 P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 05, A. M., 6 40, 7 30 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 7, 9 42 A. M., 1 59, 5 20 P. M. Sunday—8 12 A. M.

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LEAVE PLAINFIELD.

5 45 A. M. for Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

7 A. M. for High Bridge Branch and Easton.

8 07 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 42 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Nanticoke, Drifton, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c.

1 59 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, &c.

4 34 P. M. for D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

5 20 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Schooley's Mountain, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, &c.

6 20 P. M. for Flemington.

6 38 P. M. for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg.

8 20 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8 12 a. m. Sundays for High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, &c., 2 03 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua and Pottsville. 6 35 p. m Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m. 1 p. m.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c.

Leave Plainfield 3 37, 8, 11 09, a. m., 1, 3 51, 5 21, p. m. Sundays—(except Ocean Grove) 8 52, a. m., 3 

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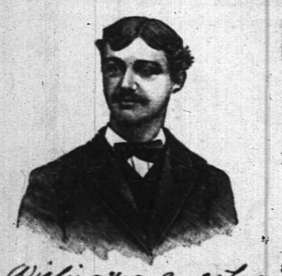

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## THE PLAN OF RELIEF

### Sixteen Millions of Four Per Cents to be Purchased.

### SECRETARY WINDOM'S CIRCULAR

### This Year's Interest on the Six Per Cents to be Paid at Once.

**Proposals Will be Received at the Treasury Department on Wednesday—The President Watches the Financial Trouble—General Nettleton Says the Bonded Period Will be Extended.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 15.—Secretary Windom has announced that he will purchase $16,000,000 of four per cent. bonds and prepay the interest on between fifty and sixty millions of six per cents., in order to relieve the stringency in the money market.

The order was issued from Washington this morning giving notice that offers for the bonds to be purchased will be received at 12 o'clock, noon, next Wednesday. Mr. Windom said that he had named $16,000,000 as the amount of bonds to be purchased because, as the entire available surplus is now $52,000,000, the Treasury has outstanding offers for bonds and interest amounting to $30,000,000, and the amount of four per cents. now asked for will require about $20,000,000. This, together with what will be required for the prepayment of the interest on the six per cents. will consume the entire available surplus.

Mr. Windom further said there was no doubt in his mind that the action taken will bring satisfactory relief if the holders of the bonds are disposed to co-operate with the Treasury. He sees no great danger of serious financial trouble, and it will not be the fault of the Treasury department if it comes.

The offer for four per cents, he says, is exceptional, and is not to be regarded as the policy of the administration, for with this purchase, if it shall be made, the Treasury goes out of the market for the purchase of that class of bonds, and will hereafter apply the current surplus to the purchase of four and a half per cents.

Mr. Windom has gone to Williamstown, Mass., to join his family.

### THE OFFICIAL NOTICE.

**Proposals for the Sale of Bonds Will be Received on Wednesday.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 15.—The following official circular has been issued by the Treasury Department:

TREASURY DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, Sept. 15, 1890.

In pursuance of the authority contained in Section 2 of the Act of March 3, 1881, public notice is hereby given that with a view to the purchase of $16,000,000 of the bonds of the 4 per cent. loan of 1907, proposals for the sale of such bonds to the Government will be received at the Treasury Department in the City of Washington, D. C., at noon, on Wednesday, Sept. 17, 1890. The right to reject any or all bids is hereby expressly reserved.

(Signed) WILLIAM WINDOM,
Secretary Treasury of United States.

**The President Watching Affairs.**

CRESSON, Pa., Sept. 15.—The President is still watching closely the threatened embarrassment to financial affairs in New York city. He had a telegraphic conference with the leaders of the House of Representatives, and while nothing of an official character can be obtained, it is understood that the President made his views quite plain on the subject, and there appears to be no doubt that he favors the extension of the bonded period on goods in the custom house to a date which will remove all probability of financial embarrassment to importers. The President's advices from Secretary Windom have all been of a character to leave the impression that the worst of the threatened trouble had passed and that no immediate apprehension need be felt.

**Goods in Bonded Warehouses.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 15.—Acting Secretary of the Treasury Nettleton, authorizes the statement that after conference with Senate and House Republican leaders, he can say that "it is as sure as any future legislative event can be foreseen that the date for withdrawing goods from bonded warehouses will be fixed at February 1, 1891," in the Tariff bill when it gets into conference. Gen. Nettleton says the President concurs in changing the date to February 1.

**The Baptist University Presidency.**

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Sept. 15.—Prof. W. R. Harper, of Yale, who has lately returned from the West, said in reply to a question whether he intended to accept the presidency of the new Baptist University in Chicago: "They are making certain presentations to me, but I am very happy here and not thinking much of going out there. I hope to stay in New Haven for some time to come."

**Mother and Babe Drowned.**

MANNINGTON, W. Va., Sept. 15.—On Pyle's Creek, near Mannington, while two families were trying to ford the swollen stream in a wagon, the current overturned the vehicle and Mrs. Hughes and babe were drowned.

**Three Infant Corpses.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 15.—The large pond in the rear of the baby farming establishment of Bernard Claus, at Newtown, L. I., was drained yesterday, and three infant corpses were found lying in the mud at the bottom.

**Arrested for a Murderous Assault.**

BOSTON, Sept. 15.—John Day, first mate of the bark Oliver Thurlow, was arrested here charged with a murderous assault on one of the bark's crew during the trip from Rosario.

### AN INSANE MOTHER'S ACT.

**Arrested While Preparing to Kill Her Two Children.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 15.—A young woman dressed in black was seen kneeling in front of a lamp post at Third street and the Bowery, praying to God to forgive her for the awful crime she was about to commit.

She had a child 9 months old in her arms, and a little girl 7 years old was clinging to her apron.

A large crowd gathered around her, and she was heard to say:

"These dear children are of no use to me and they would be far better off in Heaven. Take them, God, as I shall be compelled to kill them to-night."

The crowd of people became excited and called Policeman Hock of the East Fifth street station, and he arrested the woman. Then she jumped up and bit his finger. It required the united efforts of three men to carry her to the station house.

She said her name was Caroline Lackman, of No. 253 East Third street, and that two months ago she was deserted by her husband, who is a drunkard, leaving her destitute with her two children. She put them in the House of Mercy and went home to her friends in Connecticut.

She continually worried over her children and returned to New York day before yesterday, removed the children from the House of Mercy and lived with them until last night. Having made up her mind to kill them, she went out on the Bowery to commit the deed.

### A CARELESS COOK.

**She Attempts to Fill an Oil Stove Without Extinguishing the Fire.**

BURLINGTON, N. J., Sept. 15.—Clara Stewart, one of the negro cooks at the Wilson House, this city, attempted to refill an oil stove from a three gallon can without first extinguishing the fire. The oil was quickly ignited and the can exploded, setting fire to the hotel and the clothing of the cook who, enveloped in flames, rushed screaming into the street.

Charles Van Sciver and Albert Warner caught the girl and rolled her in the muddy road until the flames were extinguished. Her face and arms are so badly burned that she will probably die. Van Sciver and Warner were also severely burned.

The hotel was saved only by the most strenuous efforts of the fire department. The loss will amount to considerable. The insurance policy expired last mont.h

**Director-General of the World's Fair.**

CHICAGO, Sept. 15.—The local directory of the World's Fair have been in conflict for the past two weeks on the question of authority as to the appointment of a director-general. Hastings of Pennsylvania was thought to be the choice of the National Commission, but it is understood that Smalley of Vermont, who is also a member of the Commission, is in favor of ex-Congressman A. A. Stephenson of Bloomington, Illinois. Stephenson is a Democrat and Hastings is a Republican. Each wants the prize and it is probable that there will be a fierce fight when the Commissioners meet here this week.

**Horribly Cut With a Knife.**

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Sept. 15.—Alexander Pickett, aged 19 years, was found lying in a dying condition, at 1:20 a. m., near the Onsary Hotel in Georgetown. He had been slashed all over the body with a sharp knife, and across his abdomen was a gash from which his intestines protruded. The ground near the spot indicated that a desperate struggle had taken place. John Shannon, who was seen with Pickett at a late hour Saturday night, has been arrested on suspicion of having inflicted the fatal wounds.

**A Railway Superintendent's Suicide.**

PITTSFIELD, Mass., Sept. 15.—Curtis P. Upson, superintendent of the Pittsfield Street Railway Company, committed suicide by taking two ounces of laudanum. He was 51 years old, and has been in Pittsfield twenty years. He has been manager of the street railway since the organization of the company in 1886.

**Fell from a Tree.**

ALBANY, N. Y., Sept 15.—Albert Lang, 11-year-old son of Charles Lang, lies at his parents' home at the point of death. He climbed into a large "horse" chestnut tree for the purpose of shaking off the chestnuts. He lost his footing and plunged headfirst to the ground, fracturing his skull. He cannot recover.

**Fled with $17,000.**

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 15.—Lewis I Young, clerk to the Health Officer, is a defaulter to the amount of $17,000, and has fled. A further examination of his books may increase this amount. It is believed that Young's relatives will make good the amount taken.

**Will Fight To-night.**

BRADFORD, Pa., Sept. 15.—The Warren-Van Hess fight will take place to-night. Warren, his backer and a large delegation of sports will leave this city to-night for the scene of the fight. The ring will be pitched on the New York State line in the vicinity of Knapp's Creek, Pa.

**Held for Assaulting His Mother.**

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Sept. 15.—John Moore, in jail charged with assaulting his mother, has been held to await the inquest Moore, it is claimed, quarreled with his mother and pulled her out of bed, inflicting injuries which it is believed caused her death.

**Spinners Resume Work.**

FALL RIVER, Mass., Sept. 15.—The spinners' strike at the Barnard mill is settled and the men resumed work this morning. They have been out six weeks.

## WASHINGTON TOPICS

### The Senate Ready to Take Up Important Measures.

### PROGRAMME OF THE CAUCUS.

### The Anti-Lottery Bill to be Considered and Acted on To-Morrow.

**Several Labor Bills to be Called Up. Contested Election Cases to be Pushed Through the House—The Tariff Bill to be Reported on Wednesday from the Committee on Ways and Means.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 15.—The Senate this week will work industriously on several bills which head the list of measures which the Republican caucus last week decided should be acted upon promptly and before the close of the session.

The conference report on the Land Grant Forfeiture bill is still unfinished business, and is likely to be disposed of this afternoon. The Anti-Lottery bill, according to the Republican caucus programme, is the next thing to be considered and acted on, and will probably come up to-morrow.

The bill for the relief of the Supreme Court of the United States is next on the list, and this and the bill providing for the transfer of the revenue marine to the Navy Department, which Senator Gray has given notice he will call up on Wednesday or Thursday, and the several labor bills that recently passed the House, and which come next on the list of measures on the Republican caucus programme, are more than enough to occupy the time of the Senate during the week.

### HOUSE PROCEEDINGS.

**The Tariff Bill to be Reported From Committee on Wednesday.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 15.—The Republican leaders of the House have not only determined that the filibustering proceedings which were so successfully carried on last week while the majority was endeavoring to call up the Langston-Venable contested election case for discussion shall not be carried further, but have determined to administer discipline to the minority by pushing through the contested election case of Miller against Elliott from the Seventh District of South Carolina immediately after the Langston-Venable case is disposed of.

The discipline which the Republicans will enforce will consist in limiting the debate to about forty minutes, a vote to be immediately taken when the debate is closed.

In conformity with the action of the Republican caucus the Tariff bill will be reported from the Ways and Means Committee early this week, on Wednesday probably, accompanied by an order from the Committee on Rules setting apart for debate what the committee consider reasonable time. When the time allowed for this discussion has expired a vote on non-concurrence in all the Senate amendments will be taken and the Republican votes will send the bill to conference. It is believed by prominent Republican members, and was so stated in caucus, that the conference reports will be presented in both Houses in less than a week.

The rest of the week in the House will be consumed as the Committee on Rules sees fit. The general Deficiency bill with Senate amendments now in the hands of the Appropriations Committee of the House is likely to be reported back to the House during the week, with disagreements and a request for the appointment of a committee on conference.

**Twins All Around.**

MITCHELLVILLE, N. Y., Sept. 15.—The wife of John Beam, of this place, aged 65 years, gave birth to twins on Monday evening. Her daughter, Mrs. Stratton, who lives in a neighboring township, presented her husband with twins the same evening. Mrs. Stratton's daughter Eva was married a year ago, and lives in Bradford. The friends of Mrs. Stratton and her mother were not through congratulating them over the interesting natal coincidence in their families, when Mrs. Stratton received a letter from her son-in-law announcing that her daughter had given birth to twins herself on Monday evening.

**Fighting for Cronin's Slayers.**

CHICAGO, Sept. 15.—Attorney Daniel Donahue went to Ottawa, Ill., to file the bill of exceptions and the certified copy of the record in the Cronin trial in the Supreme Court on behalf of his client, Patrick O'Sullivan, the iceman. Mr. Forrest also has a bill of exceptions in behalf of Dan Coughlin and Martin Burke, but when asked why he did not go to Ottawa, too, replied that the question must remain unanswered.

**Oregon Wants a Recount.**

PORTLAND, Ore., Sept. 15.—The Chamber of Commerce, of this city, has issued a call for a State convention, to meet September 18, in Portland, to take steps toward securing a re-enumeration of the inhabitants of the State of Oregon. Resolutions were passed denouncing the inaccuracy of the recent census, which has been abundantly proved, and demanding a recount.

**Preparing for the Criminal Term.**

WOODSTOCK, Ont., Sept. 15.—It is now said the trial of Birchall for the murder of Bennell will commence next Monday. The prisoner shows no signs of nervousness and is as cool when discussing the case as he was at the time of his arrest. He spends his time reading and painting He is so confident of acquittal that he says as soon as the trial is over he will sail for England with his wife to take up a permanent residence there.

### HIS TRAGIC DEATH.

**Robert Ray Hamilton's Body Found in a Tree in Yellowstone Park.**

HELENA, Mont., Sept. 15.—The particulars of the drowning of Robert Ray Hamilton, the central figure in the famous scandal case at Atlantic City, N. J., are furnished by F. O. Green, son of Dr. Norvin Green, of New York.

Green and a hunting party left Beaver Canyon, on the Utah & Northern Railroad, on the Idaho line, August 15, and struck across country to Yellowstone Park. They reached a ranch on the Snake River, which had been purchased by Hamilton with the intention of making it an outfitting station for travelers.

They learned that five days before Hamilton had started out alone on a hunting trip and had not yet returned. Green, on August 23, organized a searching party and started out to find him.

About seventy miles below the ranch Hamilton's body was found in the overhanging branches of a tree in the river. It had evidently been there several days. A mile away his horse, with an antelope tied to a reversed saddle, was found grazing. Near by was his dog.

It was evident that he was drowned while fording the river, which is very high at that point. In his coat were found letters relating to his divorce suit, now pending, and concerning business matters.

Hamilton came to the country some time ago and purchased the ranch with a view of making it his permanent residence. He intended returning to New York October 1 and close up some business matters before returning here to remain.

It is not learned what was done with the body. Green, after the discovery, went through the park to Great Falls and then came here, leaving for the East last night. He was personally acquainted with Hamilton, whose identity is beyond a doubt.

### THE HUDSON RISING.

**Two Feet Over the Top of the Wharves at Albany.**

ALBANY, N. Y., Sept. 15.—Never in the remembrance of the oldest inhabitant has the water in the river been as high as it is at present.

With the commencement of the rain a week ago the water began to rise, and this morning it reached a point two feet over the top of the wharves and was rising at the rate of half an inch per hour.

The Mohawk River and all the other streams that are tributary to the Hudson are just at present pouring into it vast quantities of muddy water. No serious damage so far has been reported.

**Women Quarrel Over a Hammer.**

BOSTON, Sept. 15.—Mrs. Sarah Eustis, manageress of the Italian theatre on North street, was hit with a hammer on the head by Mrs. Antonio Davito during a quarrel, cutting her severely. Mrs. Davito was arrested. The trouble arose over the possession of the hammer. Mrs. Davito's ten-year-old daughter had taken the hammer from her home and tendered it in payment of her admission fee. The mother followed and demanded it of Mrs. Eustis, but the latter refused to give it up unless the ten cents admission fee was paid. A row followed and Mrs. Davito seized the hammer and dealt the Eustis woman a terrible blow.

**Cholera in an Ohio Town.**

CLEVELAND, O., Sept. 15.—A dispatch from Carrollton, this State, says an epidemic has been raging in the eastern part of that county for the past week. Saturday Dr. Williams of Carrollton was called in to the home of John Tool, who lives in Washington township, who was taken ill in the morning. He died at four o'clock, of cholera, after intense spasms, and frequent fits of vomiting, purging and other symptoms of that dread disease. Dr. Williams pronounced it a case of genuine Asiatic cholera.

**Convention of Street Railroad Men.**

BUFFALO, N. Y., Sept. 15.—The American Street Railroad Association will hold their convention in this city October 15, 16 and 17. Arrangements have been completed for the exhibition of new devices, motors, cars, machinery, etc., pertaining to the street railroad business. Delegates to the number of about 200 are expected to attend the convention, and they will combine many of the most prominent and wealthy men of the United States.

**A Princely Salary.**

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 15.—The Board of Managers of the Philadelphia & Reading Railroad Company have decided to increase the salary of President and General Manager A. A. McLeod to $40,000. This amount is said to be the largest paid to a railway official in the United States with the exception of Chauncey M. Depew, of the New York Central, who, it is said, gets $50,000.

**Suing for Many Millions.**

ERIE, Pa., Sept. 15.—Suit has been begun by George Weinbiddle, the nephew of General Weinbiddle, one of the founders of this city, to secure possession of property in the heart of the city valued at several millions of dollars. The property covers the city parks and adjacent square, a valuable square in the eastern part of the city.

**Serious Runaway Accident.**

ALTOONA, Pa., Sept. 15.—While Mr. James Brenaman, Miss Maggie Hamilton and Mrs. A. Phillips were driving, the horses ran away, overturning the carriage and throwing the three to the ground. All were very seriously injured, and Mr. Brenaman will probably die.

**A Cyclone in Vermont.**

CHELSEA, Vt., Sept. 15.—A cyclone passed over Vershire Saturday night, unroofing barns and completely ruining several fruit and sugar orchards. The highways are closed by fallen trees.

## LANDED IN SWEDEN

### The Body of Ericsson in His Native Land.

### THE CEREMONY AT STOCKHOLM.

### One Hundred Thousand People See the Casket Taken from the Baltimore.

**The Strikers at Southampton Make a New Demand—Disgraceful Action of English Soldiers—Dillon Prevented from Coming to America—A Cabinet Officer in Italy Forced to Resign.**

STOCKHOLM, Sept. 15.—The body of Ericsson was removed from the United States steamer Baltimore yesterday and conveyed ashore in a royal barge, which was plainly draped in black.

Upon landing, the casket was carried by sailors of the Baltimore to the pavilion specially erected to receive it. The Governor of Stockholm received the body. After the brief, formal remarks attending the transfer, the body was escorted by an enormous procession to the railway station.

The cortege was headed by the official representatives of the King, the Crown Prince, the American Ministers to Sweden and Denmark, the officers of the Baltimore, bodies of infantry and cavalry, and many distinguished Swedish officials and citizens. At the station the body was placed in an elaborately draped carriage and conveyed by special train to Filipstad, near the great engineer's birthplace. Here the body will lie in state until the public funeral and interment.

It is estimated that 100,000 people witnessed the transit of the body from the Baltimore to the railway station. Minute guns were fired by the shore forts and the Baltimore's guns while the body was being landed. Admiral Peyron, head of the Swedish navy, was in command of the funeral barge, and accepted the body for conveyance ashore.

The harbor was a mass of flags, vessels of all nations doing honor to the dead. The quays and the streets leading to the railway station were thronged with people, who uncovered their heads and maintained a most respectful demeanor.

This evening and to-morrow the Baltimore's officers will be entertained at official banquets and receive other honors at the hands of the representatives of the grateful people. On every side praise of the American people and Government is heard.

On Wednesday the officers of the Baltimore will dine with the King at the royal palace in Drothningholm.

### SOUTHAMPTON'S STRIKE.

**Firemen and Seamen Take Important Action at a Big Meeting.**

LONDON, Sept. 15.—The situation at Southampton is chaotic, the various bodies of strikers being at loggerheads, and neither workmen, employers nor the public being able to prophesy to what extent work will be resumed. At an immense meeting of the striking seamen and firemen it was decided that if their latest demands were not agreed to by noon to-day they will abandon the port in a body, leaving numerous vessels without crews.

There are a good many members of these unions, however, who are dissatisfied with the meagreness of the amount paid them by the unions during idleness, and who therefore favor a return to work on the conditions proposed by the owners. It is possible that these malcontents may be strong enough to defeat the practical carrying out of the resolution adopted at the meeting.

**Outrages by Soldiers.**

LONDON, Sept. 15.—The national encampment for rifle shooting at Bisley has been marked by a disgraceful series of outrages committed by the soldiers upon the country people in the vicinity. The farmers have been obliged at last to band together for mutual protection, and a constant feud is the result. Affrays are frequent, and the condition of affairs is so scandalous that governmental interference can hardly with safety be much longer withheld.

**A Cabinet Officer Forced to Resign.**

ROME, Sept. 15.—Seismit-Doda, Minister of Finance, has resigned. He was recently present at a banquet where a toast to the Irredentists was drunk. The newspapers commented so severely upon this fact that the minister felt it his duty to relieve the Government of embarrassment in the matter by retiring from the Cabinet.

**Elopers Arrested.**

HAMBURG, Sept. 15.—Vera Odalska, a Russian girl of 14, who had eloped with a man of 45, a friend of her father, after stealing 500 rubles, has been arrested here while buying steamer tickets for America. The girl was sent back to her parents. The man had deserted his wife and thirteen children.

**Has Dr. Seymour Fled?**

ASBURY PARK, N. J., Sept. 15.—It is believed that Dr. Louis N. Seymour, the dentist on Cookman avenue in this place, who was secretly married last April to Miss Marie Ellsworth of Keyport, and who denied she was his wife when she came here last week, has fled to avoid the expense of supporting his wife.

**A Brutal Father.**

BIRMINGHAM, Conn., Sept. 15.—John Robinson, a blacksmith, beat his 13 year old daughter so severely because she attempted to reply to some of his remarks that she is not expected to recover. He has been arrested.

### THE BASEBALL WORLD.

**Both Leagues Now Working Hard to Win the Closing Games.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 15.—The present week will see the last series of baseball games in this city. After that the League and Brotherhood clubs go West for the last bout. The Bostons will in all probability end where they are. New York and Brooklyn will battle for second place, and the other clubs will content themselves with minor positions.

The past few days have witnessed some remarkable changes in both organizations, and during the remaining three weeks none of the clubs that have a chance to get a place will let up in their playing. In the Players' League Ewing and Ward's men have met with serious setbacks by the superior playing of their opponents and bad weather. They are not dead yet, although they have been badly bruised. Ward has succeeded in getting back into second place, but his lead over the Giants is not surprisingly large. His team is nevertheless much better prepared for a good battle than the New York club. Ewing's pitchers are in a bad way at present. If they recover by the time they face the Brooklyns at Brotherhood Park a bomb may be expected to burst.

In the National League the Chicagos have worried all the leaders lately. They have been playing a remarkably strong game, and its continuance means that neither Brooklyn nor the Booton will end in first place. It is hardly to be expected that Anson can keep up his present gait. When the Eastern clubs go West his club will likely get a setback. He is nevertheless preparing for a staunch battle and will be found a bitter foe to crush at this stage of the game.

The Brooklyns are receding rapidly. Their defeats in Philadelphia were not anticipated, but in baseball the unexpected always occurs. A little more ill luck such as the Brooklyns met with the past week will rob them of the honors they have fought for so nobly. The "Phillies" and New Yorks have started in as record breakers. They have little chance of winning the pennant themselves, but find consolation in preventing some of the others from getting there.

### BASEBALL GAMES.

**American Association.**

AT COLUMBUS.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Columbus | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | —3 |
| Louisville | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —0 |

Batteries—Chamberlin and O'Connor; Daily and Iliigh.

AT TOLEDO—FIRST GAME.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Toledo | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | —1 |
| St. Louis | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —3 |

Batteries—Cushman and Sage; Hart and Munyan.

SECOND GAME.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Toledo | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | |
| St. Louis | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | x | —3 | |

Batteries—Healy and Rogers; Ramsey and Munyan.

AT GLOUCESTER.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Athletic | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | —6 |
| Baltimore | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —0 |

Batteries—Conroy and Green; Morrison and Townsend.

**Standing of the Clubs.**

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

| | Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'ct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Brookl'n | 78 | 41 | .655 | Chicago | 73 | 49 | .598 |
| Boston | 74 | 45 | .617 | N. York | 56 | 64 | .467 |
| Philadel. | 73 | 47 | .608 | Clev'land | 53 | 83 | .327 |
| Cincin'ti | 69 | 48 | .590 | Pitts'rg | 21 | 100 | .174 |

PLAYERS' LEAGUE.

| | Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'ct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Boston | 73 | 43 | .629 | Philadel. | 64 | 55 | .538 |
| N. York | 68 | 50 | .576 | Pitts'rg | 53 | 66 | .469 |
| Brookl'n | 71 | 50 | .587 | Clev'l'nd | 45 | 71 | .388 |
| Chicago | 65 | 57 | .533 | Buffalo | 31 | 84 | .270 |

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

| | Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'ct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Loui'v'le | 68 | 40 | .630 | Roch'st'r | 54 | 51 | .514 |
| St. Louis | 63 | 46 | .578 | Athletic | 54 | 55 | .495 |
| Col'mb's | 62 | 49 | .559 | Syracuse | 43 | 62 | .410 |
| Toledo | 56 | 47 | .544 | Baltim'e | 30 | 80 | .273 |

ATLANTIC ASSOCIATION.

| | Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'ct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| N. Hav'n | 77 | 28 | .733 | Harrisb'g | 43 | 43 | .387 |
| Lebanon | 52 | 46 | .531 | Wilm'ton | 33 | 64 | .309 |
| Newark | 56 | 53 | .514 | | | | |

**Schedule of To-Day's Games.**

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Philadelphia vs. New York, at New York.
Brooklyn vs. Boston, at Boston.
Pittsburg vs. Cleveland, at Cleveland.
Cincinnati vs. Chicago, at Chicago.

PLAYERS' LEAGUE.

Brooklyn vs. New York, at New York.
Boston vs. Philadelphia, at Philadelphia.
Pittsburg vs. Cleveland, at Cleveland.
Buffalo vs. Chicago, at Chicago.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

Baltimore vs. Philadelphia, at Philadelphia.
Rochester vs. Syracuse, at Syracuse.
Louisville vs. Toledo, at Toledo.
St. Louis vs. Columbus, at Columbus.

ATLANTIC ASSOCIATION.

New Haven vs. Lebanon, at Lebanon.
Newark vs. Harrisburg, at Harrisburg.

### NEWS OF THE DAY.

David W. Evans, a prominent Welsh Methodist, died yesterday at Plymouth, Pa., in his seventy-ninth year.

The Republicans of the First District of Cattaraugus County, N. Y., have nominated R. B. Lewis for the Assembly.

William H. Earl, trading in the drug business in Philadelphia as W. H. Earl & Co., has asked for a meeting of his creditors. Liabilities, $50,000; assets, $32,000.

Rev. Elwood Wooster, assistant pastor of St. Ann's Protestant Episcopal Church, Brooklyn, has accepted the chair of psychology in Lehigh University at Bethlehem, Pa.

The through Kansas City express of the Missouri Pacific Railroad was partially wrecked at Glencoe switch, 27 miles from St. Louis. One passenger was killed and 15 injured, four fatally.

The State Board of Arbitration of Massachusetts has volunteered to heal the breach existing between the Morocco workers and manufacturers, but neither side cares to arbitrate. The workmen say it can be settled in but one way, for John J. Moulton to pay his men $13 per week and agree to the apprentice clause, and the manufacturers must recognize the K of L. This last proposition the

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### BY THE WAY.

—Two bicycles are advertised for sale in the want column of THE PRESS today.

—Eugene Hoerster, of the Borough, is to be tried before Justice Hardy this evening on the charge of illegal liquor selling.

—Wetumpka Lodge, Knights of Honor, will visit Easter Lodge to-night. Every member of "Easter" should be present.

—The members of the Hope Chapel Gospel Temperance Club will meet in the chapel this evening at eight o'clock.

—The United Tea and Coffee Growers' Association are giving sugar away for this week only. Read their advertisement today.

—A reporter of THE PRESS passing the home of a well-known society young lady, the other evening, was charmed though surprised to hear her playing a cradle song to her fiance.

—The Plainfield Crescent League will meet in adjourned meeting at Laing's Hall Wednesday evening, September 17, at eight o'clock. Important business will be transacted, and a large attendance is desired.

—The weekly conference of young men will be held at the Y. M. C. A. rooms to-night. An opportunity is afforded in these meetings to ask questions which have a practical bearing on Christian living and work.

—Nellie Hoppel, of North Plainfield, was released from the Somerville jail Saturday, and by Sunday was again so uproariously intoxicated that for the second time within a month she had to be arrested. This morning Justice Hardy fined her $10.

### PARTICULAR MENTION.

Mansfield G. Duckworth will leave the employ of Doane & VanArsdale Saturday to accept a flattering offer made by a prominent Newark shoe house.

A letter received from Mrs. L. B. Boice, of this city, in California, announces that her son Coriell is slightly improved over his condition of a few weeks ago.

H. G. Runkle and family, of West Eighth street, will return to-morrow from their Summer outing at Lake Hopatcong. They have been at Hotel Breslin since early June.

George Taylor, of Netherwood, is now at his brother's place, Rathcoole, near Belfast, Ireland, where he will remain for at least six weeks. Mrs. Taylor and family are with him. The date of their return to America is not yet fixed.

Mrs. Albert Hardy, wife of the brother of Theo. H. Hardy of West Second street, died at her home in New Brunswick Saturday evening, after two and a half years of happy married life. Mrs. Hardy had many friends in Plainfield, to whom the news of her death is particularly distressing.

The wedding of Miss Marion Haines, eldest daughter of Samuel A. Haines, of Netherwood, to Count Constantine Pantaleone Balli, will take place October 4. The Count will give a stag dinner at Roseneath September 25. He is a member of the firm of Brown Bros., of New York, London and Paris.

Chas. Willis, of Mountain avenue, is watching with much solicitude the growth of a pumpkin, on his mountain farm, which he intends exhibiting at the coming Inter-State Fair. It is of the "cheese" variety, and already has attained a diameter of twenty inches, and a circumference of five feet, three inches. And it's young yet.

**Attacked His Family and Religion.**

Trouble among the hackmen at the North avenue railroad station continues. This morning it was especially manifest between James McCormick and Thomas Burns. McCormick shouted "crazy!" in such a way that Burns felt personally insulted, and a war of words ensued, during which McCormick said various unpleasant things concerning the religion and the family happiness of the Burns household. Burns felt hurt and angry at this public announcement of what was not so, but instead of following the dictates of passion and bruising McCormick's features he sought out Police Sergeant Lynch and had McCormick arrested. The case will be heard by Judge Codington to-morrow.


**Suit Yourself.**

But there is no other remedy for sick headache, dizziness, billiousness, or to restore a regular, healthy action to the liver, stomach and bowels, equal to those reliable little "Pleasant Purgative Pellets" prepared by Dr. Pierce. Of druggists.


### THE STREET RAILWAY ROUTE.

**One Resident Who Demands it Should be Located on the Handsome Thoroughfare West of Plainfield Avenue Where the Property Owners Have Already Given the Right of Way.**

A PRESS reporter this morning was shown the following letter by the Plainfield Councilman who had received it; copies of which, he said, others of his colleagues were also in receipt of. It certainly shows earnest intent, on the part of the writer, at least to agitate the question of a street railway route, and not let it be finally fixed without the consideration due so important a factor of the scheme. The letter goes on to say:

"It will be very offensive to the residents of the Southwest section of Plainfield if a charter is given to an Electric Railway Co., to run down from Sixth street to Fourth street on Plainfield avenue and out Fourth street thence to Grant avenue. Such a crooked "crank route" would utterly fail to meet the pressing needs of our section now or hereafter, and is sheer nonsense.

"We ask that the company shall be required to locate their road where it is wanted, and where the franchise will also be of greater present and prospective value to our city and to the railway owners, viz.: on West Seventh street from Plainfield avenue to Grant avenue, and down Grant avenue to Front street, etc.

"You will see at once how preposterous it would be to fail to compel the company to locate its tracks so as to accommodate commuters and others arriving at and departing from Grant avenue station, who reside on and beyond West Seventh street. The number is considerable now, and increasing, with such accommodations the increase will be rapid. We ask that you will press this point earnestly upon your colleagues; for our daily comfort and natural rights are involved. It is a well known fact that the right of way on Seventh street West of Plainfield avenue has been given for an electric railway. Our people crave the advantage thus to be had, and take no stock at all in the notion that electric street railways injure property. We know better, and that the reverse is true everywhere and always.

"We earnestly deplore the narrowness of those who reside on Seventh street East of Plainfield avenue who oppose the railway being put there, where it ought to be of right, with due regard for the comfort of our people, including themselves, instead of on Sixth street, which is not a main artery of travel and is too narrow. Eighth street and beyond would then be handsomely accommodated also, and the people would have a beautiful route to ride on for recreation and pleasure. When properly curbed and stoned the driveways each side of the tracks would be wider than is now used on the centre where stoned. The street would be handsomer than now, the danger of collisions removed, and the value of property thereon be greater. The electric cars are clean and ornamental, and the wires are not noticed where they are up, smaller and neater than those we have now. If this selfish, narrow and mistaken provincialism must force the railway on to Sixth street, so let it go to be regretted; but whether or not, we, out beyond on Union avenue, want members of the Council to understand that if our desires and interests are sacrificed, there will be a good deal of bitterness created, for in some respects we feel that our wants and rights have been too secondary heretofore, and are becoming aroused.

"The fact that people on a narrow or unfrequented street give the right of way, does not justify Council in allowing an electric railway to be located inconvenient to the people, who have a right to traveling facilities on their main arteries of travel, where they walk now and will want to ride. There is trouble ahead for Councilmen who fail to consider first the legitimate rights of our people and second the proper development of our city, in doing which they will conserve the interests of the railway owners, and of the city as well.

"We want no anaconda crooked nuisance of a railway, running in narrow streets, and on unfrequented highways, and failing to give us accommodation to and from Grant avenue station to our homes on West Seventh street and beyond. If you will kindly co-operate with the Councilmen who represent the Third ward in the matter, you will be honored for it.

"By having a beautiful route our people in the heart of the city will derive great pleasure in using the electric cars day and evening for riding around, as in other cities this is a great source of health—giving comfort and enjoyment as well as income to the railway companies. Electric cars have a larger function than horse cars."

**Real Estate Changes Hands.**

Among the recent transfers of real estate in this vicinity are recorded the following:

Walter L. Hetfield, exr., Plainfield, to James Flannery, of Scotch Plains, 1 acre land in Fanwood township, $220.

Maria M. Frear, of Owego, N. Y., to Frances Montanye, of Plainfield, lot northeast side Arlington avenue, Plainfield, 155 x50 feet, $2,250.

George M. Phillips and wife of Plainfield, to F. Wilfred Powell, of North Plainfield, lot on Mariners' avenue, Plainfield, 50x145 ft., $275.

—The annual meeting of the New Jersey Game and Fish Protective Society will be held at Force's Hotel Wednesday afternoon at three o'clock.

### THE PAROCHIAL SCHOOLS.

**The Children Must Attend Their Own Schools.**

Especial reference was made the other day from the altar in St. Patrick's Cathedral, Newark, to the standing law of the Catholic church, requiring that the children of Catholic parents attend the parochial schools. The following paragraphs from the utterances of the officiating clergyman, are of interest to the Catholics of Plainfield, particularly the sentence at the end of the first paragraph:

"The population of this parish is about 8,000 or 9,000, and it is a sorry fact that the attendance at our schools last season was only 600. This is shameful and out of all proportion to the children of school age in the parish. Parents must understand that it is a sin for them to send their children to the public schools, and they will not receive absolution in confession while they continue to do so, unless they have received permission from the Bishop.

"Another cause for the comparatively small attendance is that many parents take their children away from school and put them to work of some kind three or four years before they should be disturbed from their studies. Others again are so lenient with their children that they allow them to have their way in staying away from school. Either or all of these reasons account for the fact that we have had a school attendance of only 600, and most of these were very young. The responsibility of parents in this matter is a very grave one, and I put it to their conscience whether they think they are doing right in permitting such a state of affairs to exist."

**An Amusing Opera for Wednesday Night.**

The "Pearl of Pekin," which is booked for Stillman Music Hall, Wednesday evening, September 17, will be presented by a large and competent cast.

The opera tells of a young Frenchman, Petit Pierre, the quartermaster of a man-of-war at Pekin, who rescues from peril a Chinese maiden (the Pearl), whose father is Pekin's principal mandarin. According to Chinese law anyone who has seen the uncovered face of a Chinese girl must marry her or suffer death, and as the quartermaster has kissed the fair lips of the maiden he rescued he is in a dilemma. In the midst of his trouble the Frenchman is carried off to the mandarin's palace to undergo either marriage to a Chinese girl or torture. He chooses marriage; and his wife, Finette, who is the lively keeper of a restaurant for foreigners, in bringing a basket of champagne to the palace, finds him dressed in Chinese costume, ready to become the husband of the Pearl. She protests, but is reassured by the Chief of the Imperial Tigers—himself in love with the Pearl of Pekin—who conspires with the two women to relieve Pierre of his bigamous responsibility. It is arranged that the Pearl of Pekin shall change costumes with Finette in the final ceremony. In this way Ty Foo, the mandarin, is deceived, but in the third act he discovers the imposture, and orders the Frenchman to be beheaded. Pierre's wife, however, has a happy thought, suggests that her husband die in good humor, and proposes that her basket of champagne be uncorked. The Chinese readily agree to this, and in the midst of their festivities the French vessel, which has been signaled by Finette's waitresses, sends sailors to rescue the quartermaster, and all ends happily.

**The Mastiff's Dead, Whether Mad or Not.**

The handsome large mastiff owned by J. K. VanNest, of East Front street, and which was bitten by the mad dog which wounded Maggie Quenzer, Mr. VanNest's housekeeper, last Wednesday morning, showed symptoms of rabies, it was thought, today, and was shot, at the request of the VanNest family, by Chas. Field, a neighbor.

That the mastiff would ultimately have become mad there seems to be no doubt, but it has been suggested that to shoot the dog so soon after being bitten was premature. The rats which Dr. Gibier of the Pasteur Institute inoculated from the virus of the dog which bit Miss Quenzer will not develop hydrophobia within nine days after the inoculation, and the rabbits not within fifteen. It is only five days since the mastiff was bitten, a period of time which is considered too short for the development of the disease.

**A Good Speech. From a Good Woman Coming.**

After the opening services in Reform Hall last evening, President Harper announced that owing to illness the expected address from a prominent temperance lady of Plainfield would have to be postponed to the near future.

The speakers of the evening were George F. Opdyke, Eden Boice and Wm. B. Ayres, all of who ably discussed the temperance question from the standpoint of individual total abstinence and the legal suppression of the liquor traffic. Instances of the havoc wrought by intoxicating drink were vividly brought to mind, and personal responsibility and the obligations of duty were clearly set forth. Each speaker commanded unbroken attention.

A full choir, under the leadership of Mr. Vanderbeek, with George Rogers as accompanist, rendered the best of music.


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**Boys Wanted Who Want to Sing.**

Boys between 9 and 12 years of age who would like to receive lessons in singing and reading music are invited by the Young Men's Christian Association to join a new class to be organized at their rooms to-morrow at 4:30 P. M. E. A. Embury will have charge of this class. Boys who care for music are urged to interest themselves in the matter, as it is believed that the lessons will afford them much pleasure and profit. In payment for their lessons the boys who learn to sing well will be expected to sing occasionally at the meetings of the Association and so make their voices and skill in singing a pleasure and benefit to others.

### ACROSS THE ATLANTIC.

ST. PETERSBURG is the only capital of Europe in which the population is steadily diminishing. During the last seven years the inhabitants of that city have decreased by eighty-five thousand.

A BOOK-BINDER in Vienna was called upon to bind a volume of one hundred leaves worth one hundred thousand gulden. Each leaf was a bond for one thousand gulden, the book being the owner's gift to his only daughter.

THE wire to be used for the telephone between Paris and London is made of bronze. It is estimated that the French share of the expense of establishing the telephone will be about one hundred and fifty thousand dollars. Enthusiasts believe that all the telegraphic communication will be superseded.

THE largest advertisement in the world is that of the Glasgow News, cut in the shape of flower beds on the side of a hill in Scotland. The words, Glasgow News, can be seen and plainly read a distance of four miles; the length of each letter is forty feet; the total length of the line, 323 feet; the area covered by the letters, 14,845 feet.

THOUSANDS of sweltering Americans would like to live, in the summer months, within a convenient distance of such an ice cavern as has just been discovered in Bosnia, Turkey. The principal grotto contains stalactites five feet in diameter, consisting of the purest ice. The cavern also has several frozen waterfalls, and other picturesque ice formations.

PARIS has a rendezvous where singers wishing to be the fashion meet with a view to engagements. Here a patron can hear the singer she wants for her musicale, or can have her evening programme made out by the manager, at a cost of from one hundred and twenty-five to twenty-five thousand francs. The lowest price for a singer is twenty-five francs. For that a young lady will sing two songs, and the mistress or daughter of the house has to accompany her.

"ALMACK'S" known later as "Willis' Rooms," famous in the history of London society, and the delight of innumerable novelists; the place to which all social aspirations pointed, and into which the Duke of Wellington was denied admittance because he had not on a white cravat or breeches of the proper cut; the scene of great battles with cards between Charles James Fox, Lord Carlisle and other Napoleons of gambling—this classic property is now offered for sale, and worse, nobody seems to care enough about it to buy it. Almack's, it may be mentioned, was christened after its founder, a Scotchman named McCall, who twisted around the syllable of his name.


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**CORPORATION NOTICE.**

Notice is Hereby given that the following ordinance has been introduced before the Common Council, read the second time, and ordered engrossed, preparatory to its third reading, and that it is the intention of the Council to adopt the same.

J. B. COWARD, City Clerk.

Plainfield, N. J., September 4, 1890.

AN ORDINANCE.

To macadamize Plainfield avenue from the south easterly side of West Seventh street to the southerly boundary of the city.

Whereas the owners of property fronting on Plainfield avenue between the south easterly side of West Seventh street, and the southerly boundary line of the city have subscribed for the macadamizing and otherwise improving of Plainfield avenue as hereinafter directed, and have agreed to pay or caused to be paid for the work and macadamizing and otherwise improving of said avenue and the cost and expenses incurred for the same, the sum of two thousand dollars, therefore

The inhabitants of the City of Plainfield by their Common Council do enact as follows.

SECTION 1. That Plainfield avenue from south easterly side of West Seventh street to the southerly boundary of the city for the width of sixteen feet, that is to say for the distance of eight feet on either side of the centre line of said street, be macadamized for a uniform depth of six inches with crushed stone of good quality and proper size the same to be properly laid, compacted, and rolled so that when complete the surface shall be smooth and even and shall conform to the grade of said street throughout, as said grade has already been established for said street by ordinance, said macadamizing to be done under the supervision of the Street Commissioner, who shall have power to do all necessary grading of said road bed wherever required to bring the same to conform with said grade as already established.

SECTION 2. In order to protect said street and the macadamizing thereof from surface water the gutters of said street on both sides thereof from said south easterly side of West Seventh street to the city line as aforesaid, shall be protected by tailings or larger pieces of crushed stone, and wherever necessary in the judgment of the Street Commissioner, proper culverts of flag stone shall be constructed for the proper carrying off of said surface water, said work to be done under the supervision of the Street Commissioner.

SECTION 3 That the owners of property fronting on said Plainfield avenue shall pay or cause to be paid into the City Treasury the aforesaid sum of two thousand dollars on the completion of said work, said owners having agreed so to do and after applying such sum toward the cost of said work and macadamizing as hereinbefore directed, the remainder of such cost shall be at the general expense of the city and be paid as provided by chapter 221 of the laws of New Jersey for the year 1884.

SECTION 4 All ordinances or parts of ordinances conflicting herewith be and the same are hereby repealed.

Fees $6.30.


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W. L. FORCE, Sec'y. 9 15 2

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## SOMERVILLE WINS THE FIRST.

**The West End Batters Hammer the Ball, But the Crescent Fielders Pull it Down —Consequently, Instead of 8 to 0, the Score Was 2 to 1.**

A glance at the (Somerville) list of batters, gives the one reason for the caution that is felt by the friends of the Plainfield team.—*The Daily Press, the day before the game.*

The first of the series of three games for the championship of Northern New Jersey, between the West Ends of Somerville, and the Crescent League's team of this city, is a thing of the past, yet to this day it is a matter of some wonder why the Plainfield team was not defeated worse than it was. They were away from home, sliding around in the soft mud of a strange field, and the West End's aggregation of sluggers kept the heavy, slippery ball in the air all the time, for the Plainfielders to squeeze and handle with particular care.

It was much easier in the field for the West Ends. Not a ball was batted outside of the diamond within reach of the West End fielders, until the last inning, when a solitary fly went to Carbonell. Harkins pitched a perfect game and but four lonely hits were scored against him. These hits were very like angel's visits to the Crescents in many ways. They were few; they were far between, being one each in the second, third, fifth and eighth inning; and they were most thankfully received, especially the one of Lufbery's in the eighth that brought Hatfield home from second base, which he had reached on four balls and Martin's sacrifice.

As were the Crescents at the mercy of Harkins, so was Gregg at the mercy of the West End batters. Harking struck out the Crescents' heaviest hitters when he chose. Gregg struck out but one—and that was with the help of the only error of judgment Umpire Quinn made during the entire game—while his pitching seemed to be just plain home-made pie for the West Ends. In the fourth inning Farrell, Harkins, Reilley, O'Rourke and Bowes hammered the curves all out of his balls. There were twelve balls pitched to them, and they netted two singles, a double, and long flies to centre and right field, in quick succession.

It will be understood from this state of affairs that the Crescents' outfield must have put up a marvelous and errorless game to hold the victors down to two runs. The outfield got nine flies, on two of which were double plays, and in consequence only four of the West Ends hit Gregg safely. The dropping of almost any single one of these flies would have been most disastrous, yet many of them would have gone out of reach if the ball had not been wet and soggy.

Thus did the Crescents escape a crushing defeat by the good work and good luck of their outfield, and they might have reaped a victory if Jones had not had an off day. The West Ends' two runs were both made in the fourth inning by great luck. Farrell made a hit and then a dash for home on Harkins's two-bagger. This ball was thrown in from the field to Jones at the plate. It reached him on the bound loaded with mud, and he dropped it. Many believe if he had held it he would have caught Farrell. That is not so. He had to go too far from the plate to get the throw in. A few minutes afterwards he tried to retrieve himself by catching Harkins off of third base. Harkins is a big fellow, and in trying to throw over his head Jones threw away over Lee's also. Harkins thus scored, but those fortunate runs were all the West Ends got.

The infield playing of both teams was marred by only one error each. Wiegand dropped the first ball thrown him because he had not discovered it was wet and slippery. Reilley got a little rattled over a ball hit by Lee, on which he could have made a double play; but his three safe hits were ample apology for even a worse error. Lee accepted five chances and Lufbery and Martin three each, without an error; while Farrell's playing was a feature. He had seven chances all handled in fine style, and one especially called forth applause from the rooters of both teams.

As has already been said, the West End outfielders had little to do. The only fly that came to them was McIndoe's in the ninth. It was one of those hits that go over the right field fence at the home grounds. It started the same way, but finding the fence at Somerville much farther, the ball began to swing around towards left field. It was a low sailer, and the five hundred people that watched it could hear it hum. There was no one out, the West Ends were only one run ahead, and McIndoe was already on his way to second. Everybody thought it was Davenport's ball but it skimmed over towards Carby and sailed away towards a vacant spot between centre and left field. Carbonell started after it, but all believed it an impossible catch. After a long run, however, he just reached it with the tips of his fingers not many inches above the grass. That was another thing that won the game for Somerville.

The umpiring of Quinn was entirely satisfactory, but it was a game that anybody could have umpired easily. There was not a close decision throughout. The crowd was most orderly, and the visiting team and their friends were shown the utmost consideration and courtesy. Of the 500 present at least 300 were from Plainfield. The score:

CRESCENT LEAGUE.

| | AB | R | BH | SB | SO | LB | PO | A | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Hatfield, rf | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| Martin, ss | 4 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| Lufbery, 2b | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| Wiegand, 1b | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 11 | 0 | 1 |
| McIndoe, lf | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 |
| Lever, cf | 4 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 2 | 0 |
| Gregg, p | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 0 |
| Jones, c | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Lee, 3b | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| | 1 | 4 | 3 | 7 | 6 | 27 | 13 | 2 | |

WEST ENDS.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Carbonell, cf | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Farrell, 2b | 4 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 6 | 0 |
| Williams, 3b | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| Harkins, p | 3 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Reilley, ss | 4 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| O'Rourke, 1b | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 14 | 0 | 0 |
| Bowes, c | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 10 | 1 | 1 |
| Bergen, lf | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Davenport, rf | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| | 2 | 7 | 2 | 1 | 4 | 5 | 17 | 11 | 2 |

SCORE BY INNINGS.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Crescents | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0—1 |
| West Ends | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0—2 |

## AMONG THE NEIGHBORS.

**A PRESS Correspondent Watching Men and Events in New Market Township.**

Fishing has proved good sport here for the past few days. Phillip Mitze, standing on the dock of his own premises, caught some very good bass.

The new desks for the school have not yet arrived. They were shipped from Michigan three weeks ago, which does not speak well for the transportation of freight on our railways. I know of an instance recently where a package from Cincinnati to this point was over two weeks on the road.

The question of the change of boundary line in School District No. 3 has been a disturbing element for some time, the only party affected being Nelson Blackford, who has declined to pay his bond tax for 1889. The question as to the date of the change has now been definitely settled as taking effect May 1, 1889, and both County and State Superintendent decide that Mr. Blackford must pay his pro-rata amount of school bond tax until the last bond is redeemed.

Another important decision by the State Superintendent is to the effect that the township must assume and pay all delinquent bond tax, throwing the responsibility of its collection upon the Township Committee, who have not thus far aided much in the enforcement of the rights of the district in the Blackford matter.

I shall watch the subject and see whether any more shirking is done.

BROAD BRIM.

**The Jewish New Year.**

The celebration of the Jewish New Year—5651 in the Hebraic calendar—was inaugurated last evening with the usual impressive ceremonies. The festival "Rosh Hashana," or the New Year, is universally observed by the Jewish people, orthodox and reform Jews uniting alike in the festal celebration. The festival is celebrated on the first day of the seventh month (Tishri.) The manner of observing the festival is by complete rest from labor and by participating in the synagogal services, which are of great solemnity and impressiveness. The distinguishing service is the sounding of the "Shofar," or ram's horn, which is symbolical of the sounding of the "Shofar" at the giving of the law on Mount Sinai, and is intended to remind its hearers of the Day of Judgment and to rouse them to repentance and preparation for "Yom Kippur," or Day of Atonement, which follows closely upon "Rosh Hashana."

**Sweet Harry Woodruff Never Out of Style.**

In a list of "Men who dress exquisitely" the New York *Press* makes appropriate mention of a son of S. V. F. Woodruff, former manager of Hotel Nethergood, who is remembered by many Plainfielders:

"Oddly enough"—says *The Press*—"actors dress less well throughout than any other class, most of them being utterly indifferent to the state of any garment that does not meet the public eye. Of course there are notable exceptions. There is Mr. Sothern, for instance, who is always dressed with absolute perfection; there is Herbert Kelcey, who is the 'glass of fashion'; there is Lawrence Barrett, who is exquisite in all the details of his apparel; there is dear, pretty, golden-locked Harry Woodruff, who is always attired in the height of fashion, and Francis Wilson, who is ever scrupulously clothed a la mode."

**Tried Hard for the Crescents' Grounds, But Were Refused.**

What is considered the most disgraceful feature in base ball circles is the female sporting crowd now traveling over the country giving a burlesque of the sport. The women cannot play base ball, and never will be able to learn how to play the game. It is safe to say that nine boys in knickerbockers, picked up at random, could defeat this women's team without any difficulty. The exhibitions are disgraceful, and some think ought to be stopped by the police. The manager of the females tried to get the Crescent League grounds for the women's team, but, like other reputable base ball inclosures, they were refused to them.

—At the meeting of the Plainfield Common Council this evening three subjects will receive special consideration—street railway matters, the water-works question, and the proposition to audit and pay city laborers' bills every two weeks instead of monthly.

## AN APPETIZING SIDE-DISH.

A NEW invention in musical instruments is a violin piano. A case containing six violins, two violas and two violoncellos resembles a pianoforte frame. The instruments are connected by circular bands, which are brought into contact with the strings by means of the keyboards, the hammers of which bear upon the bands with varying pressure.

IN a certain section of California there is said to be a portion of railroad exceedingly unique in its construction. Where the railroad passes through a deep ravine, the trees have been sawed off on a level with the surrounding country, and the road-bed has been formed upon their stumps. At the very bottom of the ravine stand two immense redwood trees, which have been sawed off at a height of seventy-five feet.

THERE are four letters in the Pencoyd (Pa.) post-office, the addresses of which would puzzle most people. They are as follows: "Ann Herrn Karl Durst, Penkoyd, Contri Montogamri. Stadt Penselfenie, Phieladelfia, Nord Amerika;" "Yohan Krosh, Penkoid, Upps-st., Penselfenie, Nord America;" "Mr. Pant Bukkvoy, United St. Amerika, via England, Montgnmore, Penoboyed;" "Ar. Hern, Yosep Kandroe, Contri Montgumri, Pencod, Nord-amerika, Pa."

"WHEREVER you find petroleum you won't find mosquitoes," said an oil country man. "The infernal insects can't stand the smell of the grease, and wherever oil wells are plenty there is no call for mosquito bars. Over and over again I've seen mosquitoes leave a new oil field as soon as a well flows. Whether petroleum applied to the face and hands will drive off mosquitoes I don't know. But one of the few compensations of the driller is that he's seldom troubled by mosquitoes."

HONG TEE is an ingenious Chinaman who has constructed and put in operation in the Chinese quarter of San Francisco a complete telephone and electric system. He has a telegraph office, an electric-light plant, an electric storage outfit, and every other appliance known to modern science in a little rookery up three flights of stairs. He derives his power from storage batteries put up by himself. Incandescent lights produced by Tie's own process light up the place brilliantly at night, and he has electric bells and calls of his own manufacture at his disposal.

THERE is a negro living in Scriven County, Ga., whose home is a huge log. This log is twenty feet long and five feet in diameter. It is divided into three apartments, one of which is occupied by the proprietor's three hogs. The negro occupies another, and the third is filled with hunting and fishing apparatus. The negro makes his livelihood by hunting and fishing. His clothes are of skins of wild beasts and he lives alone by himself. His two dogs are the fiercest to be found anywhere. He procures his ammunition by bartering game with the employes aboard the Savannah river boats and the passengers.

THE quantity of meat thrown overboard into the Atlantic is very great, says an English paper. Out of 185 cargoes of animals sent to British ports in one year from Canada, consisting of 61,092 head of cattle, 61,382 sheep and 75 pigs, 658 cattle, 1,170 sheep and one pig were consigned to the deep during the voyage. Of the 432 cargoes imported from the United States to this country, comprising 138,661 head of cattle, 30,317 sheep and 17 pigs, 1,570 of the first and 857 of the second class of this live stock were thrown overboard during the voyage, thus numbering 4,856 animals which were pitched into the sea for the year.

## POULTRY PLUCKINGS.

LICE must be kept down. The fowls will not fatten as long as they are lousy.

POULTRY, if well managed, will make as cheap meat as any thing that can be secured on the farm.

ESPECIALLY with fattening fowls, make it a point to feed regularly. Fowls soon learn their feeding time and will be on hand.

A SUPPLY of road dust to use as a dust bath during the winter and to scatter under the roosts as an absorbent will be a help.

IT is necessary that the hens should have warm, dry, comfortable quarters in the fall and winter if a regular supply of eggs is secured.

IF the fowls are fed for market without penning, those that are to be kept for breeding should be separated or they will soon get too fat.

FOR ordinary diarrhea put a teaspoonful of chalk mixed in a tablespoonful of boiled milk, with a pinch of cayenne pepper, and give this mixture in the morning and at night to the affected bird. Do not allow other drink while ailing.

EXERCISE is an all-important factor that must not be lost sight of. If your fowls are confined to small runs, so that they do not get the proper amount of exercise, their grain feed should be buried under straw or chaff, causing them to hunt it out for themselves.

A SIEVE is a very useful as well as necessary article to keep about the coops. The pail of ashes may seem to be fine enough to please the daintiest hen, but sift them and sharp cinders will come on top and can be useful used about the runs. The finer ashes are, of course, used for dusting. If the ashes are mixed with dust or fine dirt, some claim they are better, claiming that wood ashes are too strong—that they mar the luster of the plumage.

CROWDING the fowls in the coop may save space and expense of coops, but it results in ten per cent. of dead fowls before they arrive at distination. A cup for water should be at every corner of the coop, and each fowl should have room enough to move from one point in the coop to another freely. The food is not so important as the water, and unless you have water at every convenient point in the coop the fowls will not know where it is and can not drink, the consequence being that they perish of thirst.

## LITERARY AND ART GEMS.

A VALUABLE diary relating to the poet Cowper has just been discovered at Olney.

THE original manuscript of Captain Cook's "Voyage Round the World," 1768 and 1771, on board his Majesty's bark Endeavor, with the captain's autograph on the last page, was sold at the sale of the Cozens manuscripts for thirty-one pounds.

A COLLECTION of glass flowers, made by a secret process by a Dresden firm, and representing all the families of plants in North America, will soon adorn the botanical shelves of Harvard University. Nearly four hundred specimens have already been received, and they are said to be very beautiful.

THE authorities of the Louvre are about to put on exhibition the fragments of an ancient and valuable mosaic. It measures two by fourteen metres, and was brought to France by M. Renan in 1860. Up to the present time this valuable art treasure has lain hidden and forgotten in a cellar of the Louvre.

THE new edition of Ruskin's poems will fill two volumes, in consequence of the inclusion of a large number of hitherto unpublished pieces. The best accounts represent the mental condition of the author as deplorable, he having attempted suicide several times during his fits of depression, and requiring constant watching.

A STATUE of Apollo has been discovered at Samos. The head is wanting, but the rest of the body is intact. It is of archaic style, the arms hanging down close to the body, the hands closed, and the feet, as it were, in motion, the left foot being a little in advance of the right. On one of the thighs is a dedicatory inscription of two lines.

THE famous "Tinted Venus" has been recently sold for $9,185. She was the work of Mr. J. Gibson, who in fashioning her endeavored to imitate the Greek colored statues. Those who have seen the Venus say that the cold white marble was made to look very passably fleshy by the use of paint. The statue when first exhibited attracted wide attention, but was looked upon in the light rather of a curiosity than of a model for further imitation.

A WILL made by Frederick the Great in 1741 during the first Silesian war was printed in the first volume of "The War of Frederick the Great," just published in Germany. It reads as follows: "I am only King as long as I am free. If they kill me I wish my body to be burnt in Roman fashion and my ashes to be inclosed in an urn at Rheinsberg. In this case Knobelsdorf (his architect) shall construct a monument for me like that of Horace at Tusculum."

MR. WILLIAM WALDORF ASTOR possesses two books which have no duplicates. This are his own historic novels, Valentino and Sforza, interleaved and illustrated with water-color drawings, pen-and ink sketches, and illuminations in gold and silver, all done at his own suggestion and expressing his own ideas. The artist is Major David E. Cronin, who is one of the best of living illustrators, and the beautiful volumes are said to have cost three thousand dollars each.

## AMERICAN MEN OF PROMINENCE

SENATORS Ingalls and Carlisle are warm personal friends.

SECRETARY TRACY'S hair has turned from an iron gray to a snow white in the last twelve months.

JUDGE LAMAR recently visited his first home in Georgia, and slept in the room where he was born.

SENATOR GEORGE, of Mississippi, has a head of long, flowing hair that waves picturesquely about when he is excited.

MR. POWDERLY dresses neatly in black, and his linen is always clean and spotless. His head is bald and he wears gold-rimmed spectacles.

WITH reference to security in fast travel across the Atlantic, Depew says it gives him more concern to ride in a cab from his house to the steamship dock than it does to cross the ocean.

MINISTER PITKIN is making a reputation in Buenos Ayres as a literary light. He recently delivered a lecture on "The Fools of Shakespeare" before the cream of the Argentine capital's society and produced a strong impression on his audience.

PRESIDENT HARRISON received his invitation to attend the celebration of the fortieth anniversary of the admission of California into the Union in the shape of a plate of solid gold with the State coat of arms in relief on it in enamel and gold, and the words of the invitation finely engraved on the surface. The invitation, by a coincidence, came on the President's birthday.

N. A. MCDAVID, of Fellowship, Fla., carved out a "rebus" on the end of an orange cane which translated is the name of President Harrison. On one end of the handle is the head of a hare, near the center is an eye, then a sun. Putting them together the symbols spell Harrison. The cane is elegantly finished in oil and has been sent to the President by C. P. Haycraft.

SENATOR HAWLEY possesses, in handsome binding, George Washington's own copy of the statutes of the First Congress, which met in New York in 1789. The book is printed by Francis Childs and John Swaine, of Philadelphia, printers to the United States. It has a large, handsome page, but the paper has changed color with curious irregularity in the hundred years of its existence.

THOMAS EDISON is said by an intimate friend to be a kind of intellectual debauchee; he riots in his inventiveness. So absorbed is he in this that he frequently forgets to take his meals or go to bed. He spends eight, ten, even twelve hours in his laboratory without tasting food and often sleeps in his chair. One unacquainted with Edison would regard such habits as the precursors of insanity, but they who know him have no fears. Intense, protracted thought seems to agree with his constitution. He is almost always in the highest health and never better than after a season of remarkable productivity.


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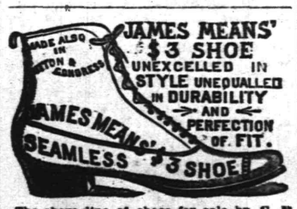

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The pastor is a gentleman of courtly, solemn mein,
Of deep scholastic knowledge and reasoning clear and keen;
He deals in well-turned periods, and advances ideas new,
But in my thinking he is not a missionary true.

Our blessed Saviour, while on earth, taught not in temple grand;
He gave no heed to pomp and wealth—He owned no foot of land.
His chosen ones were men of toil, who earned the bread they ate,
And followed humbly after Him, well pleased with their estate.
Their dwelling was the broad, bare earth—their covering the sky—
Their task to teach the vicious how to live and how to die.
With simple faith they gladly went where there was work to do,
Each strong in love and charity, a missionary true.

And some brave ones are treading now the path the Saviour trod—
They seek the vicious in their dens, and point the way to God.
Once sunk in crime and anguish, now they've found the priceless gem,
And tell the vile in simple phrase what Christ had done for them.
They take the drunkard from the street, and strength to him impart;
They argue with the felon till they reach his flinty heart;
And many a crime-stained, guilty wretch a convert is enrolled,
And many a sincere penitent is gathered in the fold.

God bless these brave, unselfish men who labor for their kind,
They may not be so full of grace, so learned and refined
As others who are working in the vineyard of the Lord,
But when their labor endeth they will meet their true reward.
"Well done, good and faithful servants!" will be the verdict given;
"Come up, ye humble workers, and enter into Heaven!
For in our blissful mansion there's a place prepared for you,
Come up and reap thy guerdon, ye mission aries true."

—Francis S. Smith, in N. Y. Weekly

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There must be a human element in all books, since all are written by men. But the Bible proves itself super-human, as well as human, just because it is the most intensely human book in the world. It is fuller of human nature and truer to it than any other book. The Bible is among books what Jesus of Nazareth was among men. He showed that He was more than man by being the most manly of men—by being the model man of the race. No mere man could have been so perfect a man. And no book written by uninspired men could be so full and accurate in its pictures of humanity.

The Bible is a mirror revealing the human heart. It is an epitome of the history of the race. As men felt in Bible time, so they have felt in all ages since. What men did in Bible times, they have been doing ever since. Do you want an example; do you want a warning? You can find it in the Bible. Do you want to know what to do in any fresh emergency? You can find a precedent in the Bible. The Old Testament is sometimes called the Sacred Book of the Jews, as if it were narrow and national. But every reader knows that even when giving the annals, the genealogies and the title deeds of a peculiar people, it is a microcosm, a history of the world in miniature. Its grandest characters—Abraham, Moses, David, Daniel—are not Hebrews or Jews so much as they are men. In studying their lives you always forget where and when they lived. You think of them as the heroes, teachers and models of the race.

God's Book and ours—these four words give us the key to many things that seem mysterious. Those long lists of names—what do they teach us? God regards families as well as individuals. He loves the children for the father's sake. He wants us to cherish the memory of the wise and good who have transmitted to us the blessings of His grace. We put our family records in our family Bibles. Where did we learn to do that? From God Himself. He did not think that the pages of inspiration were too precious or too holy to preserve the genealogies of His people. So we write on blank leaves between the two Testaments, our names, the names of our parents, the dates of births and marriages, and of the deaths of our kindred; and we feel that to these human interests he God of the Bible can not be indifferent.

Scholarly critics do not take into account sufficiently that the Bible must be most thoroughly human, just because it is divine. They are tempted to try and get rid of parts of it that seem to have no moral or spiritual significance. But the great heart of humanity gladly accepts the Bible just as it is. With all in it that the critic calls rubbish, or regards as only the vein stone to hold the precious metal, the Bible has gone for centuries into millions of homes, and few readers have thought that it was too large or too small, too minute or too comprehensive, too human or too divine. The masses of intelligent and pious people have welcomed it as just the book they needed, and have found springs of living water even in such seeming deserts as Leviticus and the Chronicles. The common mind doesn't receive truths best in a didactic form. It needs illustration and repetition. God meets this need with the patience of a loving father. He tells the story over and over again; He puts the promises and warnings into varied forms of speech, and presses them by affluence of illustration and example. All the sixty-six books that He inspired He brought together, and has kept together by a succession of providences. He wants us, then, to have the Bible as it is, and the Christian world agrees with Him in this. It has no patience with the conceited sciolists, who would hack and hew this living word to suit their ideas of a revelation. A scientist is reported to have said, when lecturing on Ichthyology: "If the Creator had consulted me when He made the fishes, I could have given him some valuable suggestions." So certain men seem to think about the Bible. They would make a better one for us out of the old one by cutting off what they call human excrescences. They might as well take a living man and try, with knife or razor, to make his form and features more symmetrical. As they could not cut anywhere without reaching sensitive nerves and veins full of blood, so they can not cut into the Word of God, into Deuteronomy or any other part, without mutilating that which God has given us as "truth and life," and which He has declared "liveth and abideth forever."—Interior.

## MURMURING.

**Remember the Goodness of God Before Complaining of Him.**

Faith in God produces a contented and happy state of mind. The believer knows that God is always dealing with him in mercy. He knows that He is just and good, that He is righteous in all His ways, and that whatever He sends upon us is for the best.

In the case of the believer there are no adverse providences. All things are working together for his good. If personal affliction is sent upon him, it is sent in mercy. If he suffers worldly losses, the result in the end will be lasting gain. If he does not prosper in business as he had hoped, he does not fret and complain. He does not think that some strange things has happened unto him, or that this is a cruel dispensation that thwarts his cherished plans, and brings loss when he had hoped for gain.

Murmurers do not consider that their discontent grows out of their selfishness. But it does. They think more highly of themselves than they ought to think. God's benefits are forgotten, or if thought of at all they seem less than they should receive. If they felt as they should their own unworthiness, their language would be: "The Lord hath not dealt with us after our sins; nor rewarded us according to our iniquities." When the hand of the Lord is laid upon them, they would not fret and murmur, but would say: "Shall we receive good at the hand of God, and shall we not receive evil?" They would be thankful that the affliction is so light, and the Divine support so great, and would express their gratitude in the words of the prophet: "It is of the Lord's mercies that we are not consumed, because His compassions fail not."

The Christian should consider that this is not his rest; that here he must toil and suffer; that here he is but a pilgrim in a strange country; that his pathway through life at best is rough and rugged; that hindrances are to be overcome; burdens are to be borne; trials are to be endured, and only when life's day and labor are over is the reward to be received.

When Israel murmured against Moses they were reminded that their murmuring was in reality against God. They blamed Moses for bringing upon them what they supposed were great trials and hardships, when God was subjecting them to just chastisement for their sins, and dealing with them in covenant love and faithfulness. If they had considered, when chiding Moses, that they were distrusting God and exhibiting an ungrateful and rebelious spirit toward Him, they would hardly have dared to manifest so much discontent.

If we will only observe, when inclined to murmur, how much we have to be grateful for; how pleasant has been the way by which God has lead us as compared with the rough and thorny paths which others have trodden; and if, when we number our days, we reflect how many of them have been bright, joyous days, how few have been the nights of weeping, and how often joy has returned with the morning light, will we not cease our complaints? "Wherefore doth a living man complain?" Is it not enough, that we are living, to silence every murmur? Protected by our Father's hand, our wants supplied by His bounty, our souls saved and sustained by His grace, our pathway cheered by His presence, and our souls resting in His love, we will not complain on account of needed chastisement or the smitings of divine love. "Neither murmur ye, as some of them also murmured, and were destroyed by the destroyer."—United Presbyterian.

**Alone with God.**

Christian life in our day is full of activity. It finds pleasure in planning, giving and working for the growth of Christ's Kingdom. The spirit of consecration gives joy to all Christians who recognize it, and inspires confident hopes in the aggressive movements of the church. But it conceals also a great peril. All Christian power springs from communion with God, and from the indwelling of divine grace. One can do good to others only as his own heart pulsates with love to Jesus, and has a present experience of His love. We can impart only what we receive. Any spring will run dry unless fed from unfailing springs. Any Christian labor will be fruitless, and Christian zeal be like sounding brass, unless the soul waits daily upon God, and finds new strength in prayer and in the study of the Bible.—N. Y. Observer.

**Forbearance of Christ.**

What tenderness was ever shown by our Lord! How patiently He bore with His disciples in the slowness to understand and in their doubts and mistakes! While men would have stoned a transgressor He spoke words of hope. When Peter denied Him He made sure that he especially should be told of His resurrection. So all His earthly life told of His compassion and forbearance, and knowing that He is "the same yesterday, to-day and forever" we may have hope that in our infirmities and failures we shall find the same tenderness manifested.—Christian Inquirer.

—George Washington had big hands and feet. He wore a No. 11 boot, and his gloves had to be specially made for him.

# BILLY GOATS.

## P. Nuckle Tells What He Knows About Them.

I HAVE been doing a light jobbing trade in miscellaneous jokes and paragraphs for some time, and have never yet said a word about goats. Having had a little experience in the goat line, I am aching to tell it, and it seems to me as though my previous good conduct ought to have a palliating effect on this, my first offense. But, be that as it may, if I am ever going to breathe my experience to the world, now is the accepted time. The grand jury will be in session in Chicago next week; and if I wait, my opportunity will be lost forever. Now, anybody who don't want to hear what I have to say on the goat question may get out and walk.

Early last spring, the Mulford family, next door to us, got a kid. Not a real, live, human kid, but a genuine goat

AS NATURAL AS LIFE.

kid, like gloves and chamois skins are made of.

Nevertheless, the Mulfords thought as much of that infant goat as if it had been one of their own kids—of course, it was their own kid—as if they had had a kid of their—hang this slang business, anyway! It's always getting a fellow into trouble.

Well, the Mulfords thought as much of that kid as if it had been a poodle dog, or a pet cat, with a personal history. They nursed it and coddled it, and fed it nice things, in a way to make a person wish he was a kid again. No, not again—wish he was a kid. The way the Mulfords used to talk up that kid was a caution. I can see it now, in the cool, calm deliberation of thought that distance lends; but, at that time, I absorbed so much of the enthusiasm from next door, that I began to think that goats, as a class, were a much maligned race, and I began to look with suspicion upon the paragrapher who poked stock fun at the goat family. I began to impugn his motives and to fight shy of him. Now, I think, as Sheba said of Solomon, the half has not been told. It was after I had been brought into this first condition of mind that Mrs. Mulford came over one day and asked us if we couldn't keep "dear little Hiawatha" for them for a few weeks. Mrs. Mulford breathlessly explained how they had been invited to visit Mr. Mulford's sister's folks at the sea-side, and that she was "just dying to go," but, of course, couldn't take little "Watha" with them, and that she wouldn't think of leaving him with any one who wouldn't take good care of him. But she knew we would be so kind to the little fellow, and so she felt she could trust him with us. It didn't take very much persuasion to get our hearty consent to look after the kid as though he were one of our own little ones. So, after leaving numberless directions as to little Hiawatha's diet, hours for sleep, bathing and general exercise, all of which we promised to faithfully carry out, the Mulfords left for the seashore.

It did not take Hiawatha long to get acquainted with our family; in fact, he seemed to know us real well from the start. As we became acquainted with Hiawatha's many traits of character, we

"CALMLY BUTTED OVER THE BABY IN HIS CHAIR."

found that a wild fondness for society was one of his most notable characteristics. He was always under some one's feet. My wife declared "the little dear was lonesome," so I let it go at that. Another rapidly developing characteristic about Hiawatha that worried me more, was his passionate and continuous longing for grub. My wife excused it by saying "the little dear was growing." There was no denying that fact; Hiawatha *was* growing. I could notice it every day. Still, it did not seem as though the rate of growth justified Hiawatha's appetite.

The Mulfords had been gone just a week, when my wife met me one evening on my return home, with a terrified face, too terrible to look at. "Hiawatha," she exclaimed, breathlessly. "Hiawatha's got the croup, and I know the poor thing will die. He's in the nursery. Hear him wheeze."

Hiawatha did wheeze, for a fact. You could hear him breathe all over the house. The kid stood on the baby's bed, in the nursery, apparently unconcerned enough, breathing away like a bag-pipe, and looking for something to eat.

"I can't understand it," exclaimed my wife. "This attack came on so suddenly, and I've done everything I could think of for it; hot applications and all, same as we do for baby. Besides, I've been so careful about Hiawatha's food and exercise ever since we've had him. I can't understand it."

I suggested "castor oil." I knew I'd have to say something, and castor oil was all I could think of.

"Do you think it will do any good?"

"Of course it will," said I. "Go and get some."

When the castor oil was brought, I poured out about half the bottle in a saucer. My wife offered to put a little on his tongue, if I held him, so he couldn't run away, and held his mouth open wide. Hiawatha listened while all this plotting was going on, and submitted with very good, because unsuspecting, grace, while I pried open his mouth. Hiawatha wheezed louder than ever. My wife gritted her teeth to prepare for the ordeal, and held the dreadful dose to his lips. As soon as Hiawatha whiffed the stuff, he struggled hard to break away from me, but not away from the castor oil. He stuck his nose deep into the saucer, and in exactly two gulps and three laps he had swallowed the whole of it. Then Hiawatha jumped down from the bed, walked into the center of the room, gave a few convulsive, wheezy coughs, and produced baby's rubber rattle, with a whistle in the handle. I never saw such a remarkably short cure of a severe case of croup in my life.

After awhile, Hiawatha's tastes got more patrician, as his ideas became broadened, and his intellect developed. Only the choicest bric-a-brac suited his fancy. By the middle of August, he would no more think of eating a rubber baby rattle than he would have thought of fasting. The finest sachets were none too good for him. Linen doyleys and piano covers were his usual diet on week days, with something like a memorial pen-wiper for Sundays.

Any one would suppose that after a goat had devoured a lunch basket cover, six yards of wire picture cord, a bolt of wall paper, and such highly fatal food products, that he would learn better; but "Reform" never occurred to Hiawatha as being a first-class watchword. He simply ate on. He grew so after awhile that he could scratch his back on the bottom side of the table and look longingly up into our eyes as we ate our frugal meal. Then, in his whole-souled, frank way, he would reach up on the table and help himself to the best the market could afford.

It was one hot day, in the latter part of August, that Hiawatha met his fate. The Mulfords had written that they would be home the next week, so we were anxious Hiawatha should get into as good condition as possible, and guarded his appetite accordingly. After refusing his mute appeal for a third piece of pie at dinner at that day, Hiawatha calmly butted over the baby in his chair, an'

"A WILD FONDNESS FOR SOCIETY."

walked out upon the front porch. Revenge was in every feature. He was determined upon something desperate. He would eat the first expensive thing that struck his eye, so he stalked past the hammock, reached up and grasped a thirty-five-cent tin thermometer between his teeth, and swallowed it at one gulp. Hiawatha had seen us examining the thermometer several times during the morning; and so, in his subtle intellect, he reasoned the thermometer must be like a piece of Limoges ware, in which we took particular delight.

Hiawatha walked proudly around, master of the situation, for two hours, when his internal heat worked the mercury up, and out through a defective place in the top of the tube, and little Hiawatha died soon thereafter.

After it was all over, I got to thinking how badly we had been treated by Hiawatha; and yielding to the importunities of a patent medicine man, who was something of a taxidermist, I sold him. I thought it better Hiawatha should be stuffed, than to be cut up and made into four-button gloves.

When the Mulfords got home, in answer to their request for Hiawatha I had to take them down to Dr. Gilead's office. There, on a table in his front window, stood Hiawatha, as natural as life, with this inscription pinned to a card on the side of the case:

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My wife and I were very much shocked, but the Mulfords looked on indifferently. "Little Hiawatha" had out-grown their memory of him, and they didn't appear to realize their loss.—Light.

**Reassuring.**

Chappie (surprised)—Did you weally kiss that little dog just now?

Maud (fondling her pet)—Yes, but don't be alarmed. I'm not going to kiss you.—Munsey's Weekly.

A ROLLING stone is about as successful in gathering moss as a street fight is in gathering policemen.—Puck.

## CHAT ON CHINA AND JAPAN.

THE Emperor of Japan is having a State coach built for himself, at a cost of $175,000.

A JAPANESE paper has been suspended and its two editors sentenced to four years' imprisonment for "menacing the peace of the country."

TYPHOID fever is very rare in China. Sewers are unknown in that country. The refuse and sewage matter is collected in the cities by men who carry it in pails on a yoke, and sell it to the farmers.

EVERY fairly large house in Tokio has its own bath-room; but, besides this, there are no less than 800 baths in the city Tokio, where 300,000 persons bathe daily at a cost per head of 1 sen 3 rin, or about a half-penny.

THE Japanese suffer from many special diseases, due to a too exclusive diet on fish and rice and to the want of exercise, especially from indigestion, but they escape a great many by their exquisite personal cleanliness.

RECENT very trustworthy calculations of the population of the Chinese Empire by Russian authorities reckon it at 382,000,000, and the annual increase at 4,000,000. Not one in ten thousand ever heard of the religion of Jesus Christ.

SMOKING is so common in Japan that all of the men, and most of the ladies, smoke, the girls beginning when they are about ten years of age. The ladies have pipes with longer stems than the men, and if one of them wishes to show a gentleman a special mark of favor, she lights her pipe, takes a whiff, hands it to him, and lets him smoke.

JAPAN commenced railway building in 1870, and at the end of last year had 10,402 miles in operation, with 874 miles more under construction. About one-half of the mileage is owned by the Government. The rapid progress made by this enterprising country is in striking contrast to the timid conservatism which has prevented her great neighbor, China, from allowing the locomotive upon her soil with the exception of the building of a few miles of local road chiefly for coal transportation. While Japan is prospering, infused with the spirit of the nineteenth century, China is still centuries behind the rest of the world.—Railway Age.

## INEXPLICABLE PHENOMENA.

FIFTEEN years ago, when a gentleman began the culture of bees, he suffered severely from stings, but they have now lost their force. For several years past they have caused only a slight and rather pleasurable sensation, and that lasts only for a few minutes. But this thorough inoculation against bee poison leaves him as susceptible as ever to the sting of a wasp.

THE largest known springs are those bursting up from the ocean floor. Off the coast of Florida, in the Gulf of Mexico, a few miles from the shore, a large spring of fresh water rises to the surface, furnishing water to the fishermen and sailors, who dip it up in the midst of the salt water of the gulf. A few miles from the eastern shore of Florida, nearly opposite Matansas, a large spring of fresh water boils up in great abundance.

THERE is a wonderful well down near Del Norte. The force of the water brings up from the depths an occasional lump of native silver or a gold nugget. Local scientists claim that at a great depth and under enormous pressure the water is washing away a ledge of rock whose softer parts go into solution and give the water its mineral qualties, but whose gold and silver, not being dissolved, are brought to the surface in a metallic state.

A BALDWIN COUNTY, Florida, boy while swimming in the river was seized with an itching pain, which exhausted him immediately, and had it not been for his playmates present he would have drowned. After coming out of the water his arms and body commenced to swell until the boy presented an "inhuman" appearance. Physicians were summoned, who were at a loss to know the cause of the boy's peculiar condition, but suppose he in some way came in contact with something poisonous. The sufferer continued to grow worse until death relieved him of his pains, which were very severe.

## ATTAINMENTS OF THE TITLED.

PRINCESS BEATRICE is writing a book on lace, to be illustrated by herself.

THE Czar of Russia is a collector of postage stamps and bird's eggs, and plays the French horn, and is a clever performer on the piano.

THE small Archduchess Elizabeth, daughter of the late Crown Prince of Austria, is said to be growing exactly like her mother. The little girl is an enthusiastic entomologist, and never leaves the Castle of Laxenburg, where she lives, without a butterfly net.

PRINCE LOUIS OF BATTENBERG formerly took a fancy to the career of a printer, and became so far a master of his profession as to set up type in a highly commendable fashion. Subsequently, when the star of Battenberg rose to its zenith in the political firmament, Prince Louis relinquished his unpretentious calling and became an officer in the British navy. A short time ago, when serving on the Dreadnought, it occurred to him to turn his early training to account, so he printed a history of the Dreadnought and presented a copy to each of his shipmates.

ALL the royal family of England have some artistic pursuit. The Queen is musical, paints, models, and is learned in lace. The ex-Empress Frederick pursues both sculpture and painting. The Prince of Wales understands ceramics, bronzes and bric-a-brac, and dallies with the banjo. The Duke of Edinburgh is a violinist, and a collector of postage stamps and other curios. The Duke of Connaught studies the art of war with enthusiasm, and gathers coins, autographs and Oriental treasures. The Duke of Albany was a Shakespearian scholar and collector. The late Princess Alice, Princess Christian and Princess Louise followed painting and modelling from their girlhood, while Princess Beatrice, though an indifferent artist, would have made her fortune on the stage.


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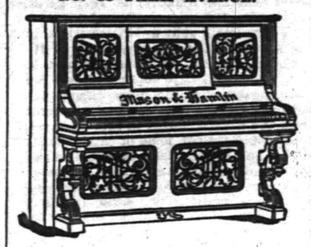

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Leave New York from foot of Liberty street, 4 30, 5 45, 7, 7 45, 8 45, 10, 11, A. M., 1, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4 30, 5, 5 15, 5 30, 6 45, 6, 6 15, 7 30, 8, 8 30, 9 15, 10, 11 30 P. M., 12 15, night. Sunday—4 30, 7 8 30, 9, 9 30, A. M., 12 M., 1, 1 15, 4, 5 30, 6, 7, 9 00, 10 00 P. M., 12 15 night.

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Leave Plainfield 5 38, 6 29, 6 59, 7 30, 8, 8 27, 9 32, 10 05, 11 09, 11 39, A. M., 1, 2 07, 2 30, 3 12, 3 51, 5 08, 5 31, 6 07, 6 54, 7 03, 8 31, 10 12, 11 28 P. M. Sunday—8 01, 8 52, 11 02, 11 16, A. M., 12 33, 1 30, 3 30, 5 16, 7 01, 7 10, 8 23, 8 32, 10 02 P. M.

Leave Newark 7 10, 7 50, 8 55, 10 10, 11 05 A. M., 1 05, 1 35, 2 35, 3 40, 4 02, 4 57, 5 05, 5 30, 5 55, 6 25, 7 15, 7 35, 8 20, 9 35, 10 10, 11 25 P. M. Sunday—7 20, 8 40, 9 05, 9 50, A. M., 12 05, 1 10, 4 10, 5 40, 6 05, 7 05, 9 25, 10 20 P. M.

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Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7, 8 07, 9 42, A. M., 1 59, 4 34, 5 20, 6 38, 8 20 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 13 A. M., 2 03, 6 35 P. M.

Leave Easton 6 05, 8 44, 10 A. M., 12 32, 4 09, 6 40 P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 52, A. M., 6 40, 7 30 P. M.

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Leave Plainfield 7, 9 42 A. M., 1 59, 5 20 P. M. Sunday—8 13 A. M.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

LEAVE PLAINFIELD.

5 45 A. M. for Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

7 A. M. for High Bridge branch and Easton.

8 07 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 42 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua; Nanticoke, Drifton, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c.

1 59 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, &c.

4 34 P. M. for D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

5 20 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Schooley's Mountain, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, &c.

6 20 P. M. for Flemington.

6 38 P. M. for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg.

8 20 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8 13 a. m. Sundays for High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, &c., 3 03 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua and Pottsville. 6 35 p. m Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m. 1 p. m.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c.

Leave Plainfield 3 37, 8, 11 09, a. m., 1, 3 51, 5 31, p. m. Sundays—(except Ocean Grove) 8 52, a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 38, 8, 10 05, 11 09 a. m., 1, 3 51, 5 31, 7 03 p. m. Sunday—8 52 a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8, 11 09 a. m., 1, 3 51, 5 31, p. m.

BOUND BROOK ROUTE.

Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia, 1 17, 5 45, 8 20, 9 48, 11 58 a. m., 1 59, 3 22, 4 08, 5 34, 6 30, 8 20 p. m. Sundays—1 17, 9 48, a. m., 3 30, 4 08, 5 14, 6 55 p. m.

For Baltimore and Washington at 1 17, 9 48, 11 58 a. m., 3 45, 4 08, 5 34 p. m. Sundays—1 17, 9 48 a. m., 2 47, 4 08, 5 14 p. m.

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## STILL UNCONFIRMED

### No Further News About Robert Ray Hamilton's Death.

### EVA'S LAWYER SAYS HE LIVES

General Schuyler Hamilton Anxiously Awaiting Definite Particulars.

**The Tragic Death the Principal Topic of Conversation—Speculating on Eva's Dower Rights—Her Attorney Says She Will Have the Use of One-Third of Her Husband's Real Estate.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—Although no more definite news regarding the reported death of Robert Ray Hamilton has been received by his friends in this city, it is generally believed that the man whose corpse was found entangled among the branches of a tree overhanging Snake River, Idaho, was Hamilton, and that he met his death through the slipping of his saddle girth.

General Schuyler Hamilton, the father of Robert, said that he had been anxiously awaiting some definite news, and that the suspense was more than he could bear. He had taken no steps toward recovering the body of his son, or ascertaining positively that he is dead, because the distance is so great that he was certain complete details of the accident would reach here long before any messenger could get to Idaho.

Speaking of the sad situation General Hamilton said in a voice that trembled a little in spite of himself: I have been wounded in the war with bullet and sword and am not unaccustomed to shocks, but this is the hardest trial I have ever been called upon to face. You can readily understand how hard this uncertainty is for a father to bear, and I am entirely at a loss as to what I can do. I have not seen my son since last May. If it prove that the report which we now hear is true I shall, of course, have the body brought East, and buried in our family plot at Greenwood.

**His Death Discredited.**

Col. Charles W. Fuller places little credence in the report of Robert Ray Hamilton's death. He said last night at his home in Bayonne, N. J.: "I don't believe Mr. Hamilton is dead. There is some mistake about it. The whole thing looks very 'fishy' to my mind. I read the account of the alleged finding of his body in Snake river in the papers and the facts do not strike me as being either plausible or probable.

"I tell you I don't believe he is dead at all. If he is dead the manner of his death must have been different from the accounts given of it. Why, let me ask, should a man go on a five days' hunting expedition unaccompanied? It is not customary to do such a thing.

"Of course if Mr. Hamilton is dead the fact will have to be proved before they can administer upon his estate. If he left a will he may have left his property in such a way as to cut Eva out of a third of his personal property, but no one can deprive her of her dower rights. If he is dead she will at least be entitled to the use of one-third of his real estate as long as she lives. Mr. Hamilton's property, I understand, is mostly in real estate."

**How Eva Received the News.**

TRENTON, N. J., Sept. 16.—When Head Keeper Patterson and his wife, the matron of the prison, broke the news to Eva Hamilton she became greatly excited and asked for further details. One of her first questions was whether the lawyers would contest her right to her putative husband's property. Then she asked the warden to allow no one to see her, and her request was granted.

If Mrs. Hamilton's presen good behavior continues she will end her prison life in May next, and if the Court of Pardons at its next session takes a more favorable view of her case than it has so far done she may be released at an earlier day.

**Baby Hamilton.**

Baby Beatrice Hamilton, who has been so much talked about, is at present with Mrs. Roop, at No. 459 Franklin street, Philadelphia. The child has been provided for by Mr. Hamilton, who seemed to feel that he was bound to care for the little one. He had given the child his name, and it therefore had a claim upon him. Last Christmas he sent Baby Beatrice two pins of gold and turquoise and an illustrated story book which related the history of "Little Lord Thumb and his man Damian." He sent a letter with the presents to Mrs. Roop, in which he inquired about the health of the child, and requested Mrs. Roop to give it the best of care, as he was interested in its welfare.

**After American Counterfeiters.**

TORONTO, Ont., Sept. 16.—Superintendent Bell, of the United States Secret Service, arrived here last night accompanied by two detectives. They are after counterfeiters who have located in Canada. Mr. Bell says that a gang of the most clever American counterfeiters have been located in Ontario for some time, and have been issuing not only the ordinary "green" goods, but also a lot of well executed imitations of old coins. The detectives claim to know the whereabouts of the gang.

**Destructive Fire in Lynchburg.**

LYNCHBURG, Va., Sept. 16.—Lynchburg was visited by one of the most destructive fires known for years. Half a block on Main street was wiped out in which were the Western Union telegraph office, Kinckles boot and shoe store, Crump & Larkins dry goods establishment, Crafts cigar store, and Lewis & Jennings grocery. Several parties narrowly escaped death and two women were injured by the breaking of a ladder.

### THE PRESIDENT'S OUTING.

**He Will Remain in the Mountains All This Week.**

CRESSON, Pa., Sept. 16.—The President has decided that he will not return to Washington this week unless he is obliged to do so on account of pressing public business.

The weather having become very invigorating he desires to take advantage of it to the last possible moment. The President brought with him from Washington a budget of data referring to the River and Harbor bill. When the bill reaches him he will be prepared to consider it and reach a prompt decision.

It has not yet been learned here whether or not the bill has been approved by Speaker Reed. There are good reasons for stating that President Harrison has not yet definitely determined whether it will be necessary to call an extra session of Congress.

Hon. John W. Mason, Commissioner of Internal Revenue visited the President by invitation. The two gentlemen had a long conference on current topics and arranged to fill several vacancies which exist in the Internal Revenue service.

### KILLED BY ELECTRICITY.

**The Horrible Sight Witnessed by a Theatre Audience in New York.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—As the audience were leaving the New Park Theatre at about 11:15 last night, a lineman was seen to climb the electric light pole in front of the theatre, and many stopped to watch him.

Suddenly it was seen that something was wrong. The man became limp, and the sizzle of burning flesh was heard by the crowd below, who stood horrified.

It happened that Superintendent Fipps of the Brush Electric Light Company, had visited the theatre. He came out at this moment and taking in the situation at a glance, procured assistance and released the man from his terrible position. But the victim was past all help and died before he reached the hospital, whither he was taken as soon as possible.

It was learned that the man's name was Kopp, but no other information concerning him was obtainable.

**The Dead Miner Found.**

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Sept. 16.—The body of George Ford, a miner, was found this morning. His lamp had set fire to gas in No. 3 shaft at South Wilkesbarre last Friday. At the time, Ford was standing on the edge of the bucket, which was of iron, eight feet high, and hung in the shaft 200 feet from the bottom. It was supposed that the shock threw him to the bottom, and as the shaft was badly wrecked, the bucket was not drawn to the surface.

**Charged With Infanticide.**

WARSAW, N. Y., Sept. 16.—The case of Anna Schirm, charged with infanticide in killing her babe in Attica last November, was called in court here. The district attorney moved that the trial on this charge be allowed to go, and that she be tried on the second indictment, which charges her with concealing the birth of her child. The judge ruled in accordance with the request and a jury was obtained. The trial is proceeding to-day.

**Connecticut's Democratic Convention.**

HARTFORD, Conn., Sept. 16.—The State Democratic Convention is in session here to-day. Three names are mentioned for Governor: Guzon B. Morris of New Haven, Ex-United States Treasurer James W. Hyatt of Norwalk, and Col. William H. Stevenson of Bridgeport. It is generally thought among the best observers that Morris will be nominated.

**Money for Strikers.**

ALBANY, N. Y., Sept. 16.—Secretary Hayes, of the K. of L., arrived in this city from New York last evening. He had with him a large sum of money, but said that he was not at liberty to say how much. The money was distributed among the strikers. One man claimed to have received $18, and another said that each had received $5.

**Assault With Intent to Kill.**

BALTIMORE, Sept. 16.—Marshal Frey's men promptly arrested—"from a description telegraphed"—John Baker, a Hungarian, who is wanted at Pottstown, Pa., on a charge of assault with intent to kill. Baker was arrested as he alighted from a train at the railroad station.

**No Alarm Felt at Troy.**

TROY, N. Y., Sept. 16.—Although the water is rising fast, the State dam is pronounced perfectly secure and no alarm is felt. Storehouses along the river front have adopted precautions, The water is over the docks, and lower portions of the river front buildings are flooded.

**Chauncey Depew at a State Fair.**

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Sept. 16.—The State Fair is in full swing, with splendid weather, a large attendance and notable exhibits. Chauncey M. Depew delivers the semi-centennial address this afternoon. Five thousand school children are here to-day.

**Purchased a Big Tract of Land.**

GLENS FALLS, N. Y., Sept. 16.—The Lake George Pulp and Paper Company of Ticonderoga, have purchased a tract of land containing 150,000 acres, or about 235 square miles. The land is heavily timbered with spruce, pine and cedar.

**Freight Train Wrecked.**

MELDEN, Conn., Sept. 16.—A freight train on the New Haven & Hartford Railroad was wrecked about a mile south of Berlin shortly after 9 o'clock last night. Fifteen cars were piled in a heap and both tracks were torn up.

## WASHINGTON TOPICS

### The Tariff Bill Sent to a Conference Committee.

### NAMING THE HOUSE CONFEREES

The Speaker Expected to Announce the Committee This Afternoon.

**Chinese Unlawfully in This Country Must Return to Their Native Land. Mr. Kennedy's Speech Called Up Again. It is Generally Believed that the Money Stringency is Over.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 16.—The House received the Tariff bill with Senate amendments from the Ways and Means Committee, and after two hours' discussion voted to non-concur in the Senate amendments and send the bill to conference.

No little speculation is being indulged in as to who will be the House conferees upon the Tariff bill. It is expected that Speaker Reed will announce the appointments this afternoon. It is probable that the list will include Messrs. McKinley, Burrows or Dingley, Payne, of New York, and Gear, of Iowa, Republicans, and Messrs. Mills, McMillin and Flower, Democrats.

Inasmuch as the House committee has reported in favor of extending to February 1 the time when duties may be paid upon goods imported previous to the passage of the bill, it is anticipated that the House conferees will insist upon this provision. The Senators, too, are expected to concur.

The very strong probability that the Senate conferees will concur with the House in the amendment extending to February 1 the time within which goods imported before the enactment of the law may be taken from bond at the present rate will, in the opinion of the Treasury officials, do much toward quieting the flurry in the New York money market.

### TO RETURN TO CHINA.

**Chinese Unlawfully in this Country Must Go to Their Native Land.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 16.—The Treasury Department has informed the Collector of Customs at El Paso, Texas, that "the department has decided that the law providing for the exclusion of Chinese contemplates the return to China, as 'the country whence they come,' of Chinese found and adjudged to be unlawfully within the United States, whether they entered from China direct or from an intermediate country, and that such Chinese should be returned to China via the port of San Francisco, Cal., as the most convenient point of exit from your district."

**A Move Against Mr. Kennedy's Speech.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 16.—In the House Mr. Enloe of Tennessee rose to a question of privilege and offered the following resolution: "That the Clerk of the House be directed to communicate to the Senate the fact that the House reprobates and condemns the utterances of the Hon. Robert P. Kennedy, a Representative from the State of Ohio, delivered in the House September 3, reflecting upon the character and integrity of the Senate as a body." At the request of the Speaker, Mr. Enloe withdrew his resolution for the present.

**The Money Stringency.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 16.—It is thought here that the money stringency is over. The most potent factor is the prospective extension of the period for the withdrawal of goods from bonded warehouses to February 1. General Nettleton said that he thought this latter measure afforded fully 50 per cent. of the relief, and that the danger had been passed.

**Lynn's Gain in Population.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 16.—The Census Office announced the population of Lynn, Mass., to be 55,684. This is a gain in the last ten years of 17,410.

**Bigamist Utter Pleads Guilty.**

NEWBURGH, N. Y., Sept. 16.—In the county court, Judge Beattie presiding, Ernest V. Utter, the bigamist, was arraigned. Wives number one and two were in the court room. Utter changed his mind in regard to his guilt since last term and pleaded guilty. He was remanded for sentence. Seeley W. Utter, indicted for assisting Ernest to escape from Middletown jail in the attire of wife number two, was discharged.

**Canada and the McKinley Bill.**

OTTAWA, Sept. 16.—It is reported that the Dominion Government will shortly announce the abolition of export duty on pine logs, in order to meet the alternative provision in the McKinley bill relative to Canadian sawed lumber. It is calculated by officials here that the McKinley bill will reduce Canadian exports to the United States by at least $10,000,000 per annum and imports to a proportionate extent.

**A Railroad Station Agent Drowned.**

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Sept. 16.—F. W. Hunt, the New York Central station agent at Jordan, this county, was found lying face downward with his hands extended at the bottom of the stream known as the Skaneateles outlet. He was subject to heart disease, and it is supposed, that a sudden attack coming on he fell headforemost into the water.

**Struck by a Train and Killed.**

LANCASTER, Pa., Sept. 16.—Jonathan R. Wilson, a leading citizen of Rohrerstown, was struck by a passenger train while crossing the track at Swarr's Crossing, and instantly killed.

### BASEBALL GAMES.

**National League.**

AT CLEVELAND.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Pittsburg | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 5 |
| Cleveland | 1 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 8 |

Batteries—Day and Decker; Young and Zimmer.

AT BOSTON.

No game—rain.

AT CHICAGO.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Chicago | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 6 |
| Cincinnati | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 3 |

Batteries—Luby and Nagle; Rhines and Harrington.

AT NEW YORK.

No game—rain.

**Players' League.**

AT CHICAGO—FIRST GAME

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Chicago | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 9 |
| Buffalo | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 4 |

Batteries—Baldwin and Farrell; Stafford and Mack.

SECOND GAME.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Chicago | 2 | 2 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 7 | |
| Buffalo | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 3 |

Game called on account of darkness.

Batteries—King and Farrell; Cunningham and Clarke.

AT NEW YORK.

No game—rain.

AT CLEVELAND.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Cleveland | 1 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 8 |
| Pittsburg | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 |

Batteries—McGill and Brennan; Morris and Quinn.

AT PHILADELPHIA.

*No game—rain.*

**American Association.**

AT COLUMBUS.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Columbus | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | |
| St. Louis | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 |

Called darkness.

Batteries—Easton and Doyle; Neal and Munyan.

AT BALTIMORE.

No game—rain.

AT ROCHESTER.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Rochester | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | X | 6 |
| Syracuse | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

Batteries—Barr and Pitts; Titcomb and Grim.

AT TOLEDO.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Toledo | 1 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 |
| Louisville | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 6 |

Batteries—Smith and Sage; Meakin and Bligh.

**Atlantic Association.**

POSTPONED.

**Attendance at League Games.**

| | Players | League |
|---|---|---|
| Boston | ..... | ..... |
| Cincinnati | ..... | ..... |
| Chicago | 1,617* | *1,857 |
| Brooklyn | ..... | ..... |
| Cleveland | 700 | 200 |
| Totals | 2,317 | 2,057 |

*Two games for one admission.

**Standing of the Clubs.**

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

| | Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'ct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Brookl'n | 78 | 41 | .655 | Chicago | 74 | 49 | .602 |
| Boston | 74 | 46 | .617 | N. York | 56 | 64 | .467 |
| Philadel. | 73 | 47 | .608 | Clev'nd | 34 | 82 | .293 |
| Lincin'ti | 67 | 49 | .578 | Pittsb'rg | 21 | 101 | .172 |

PLAYERS' LEAGUE.

| | Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'ct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Boston | 73 | 43 | .629 | Philadel. | 64 | 55 | .538 |
| N. York | 68 | 50 | .576 | Pittsb'rg | 53 | 61 | .465 |
| Brookl'n | 71 | 50 | .587 | Clev'l'nd | 46 | 71 | .393 |
| Chicago | 67 | 57 | .540 | Buffalo | 31 | 86 | .265 |

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

| | Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'ct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Loui'v'le | 69 | 40 | .633 | Roch'st'r | 55 | 51 | .519 |
| St. Louis | 63 | 46 | .586 | Athletic | 56 | 55 | .505 |
| Col'mb'a | 62 | 49 | .559 | Syracuse | 43 | 63 | .406 |
| Toledo | 56 | 50 | .528 | Baltim'e | 30 | 81 | .270 |

ATLANTIC ASSOCIATION.

| | Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'ct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| N. Hav'n | 77 | 28 | .733 | Harrisb'g | 43 | 63 | .387 |
| Lebanon | 53 | 46 | .531 | Wilm't'n | 32 | 63 | .300 |
| Newark | 56 | 53 | .514 | | | | |

**Schedule of To-Day's Games.**

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Philadelphia vs. New York, at New York.
Brooklyn vs. Boston, at Boston.
Pittsburg vs. Cleveland, at Cleveland.
Cincinnati vs. Chicago, at Chicago.

PLAYERS' LEAGUE.

Brooklyn vs. New York, at New York.
Boston vs. Philadelphia, at Philadelphia.
Pittsburg vs. Cleveland, at Cleveland.
Buffalo vs. Chicago, at Chicago.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

Baltimore vs. Philadelphia, at Philadelphia.
Rochester vs. Syracuse, at Syracuse.
Louisville vs. Toledo, at Toledo.
St. Louis vs. Columbus, at Columbus.

ATLANTIC ASSOCIATION.

New Haven vs. Lebanon, at Lebanon.
Newark vs. Harrisburg, at Harrisburg.

### FINED $500.

**The Case Against Hale for Shooting Cowles at an End.**

MONTREAL, Que., Sept. 16.—When the case of C. C. Hale, of Cleveland, Ohio, charged with shooting with intent to kill his brother-in-law, Eugene H. Cowles, in this city, last June, was called in the court of Queen's Bench, the counsel for the prisoner said he wished to withdraw the plea of not guilty of the charge and substitute one of aggravated assault.

The opposing counsel accepted the plea and said they were unwilling to prosecute. Judge Cross summed up the case and said he would impose a fine of $500, which was promptly paid, and the case came to an end.

**Switchmen in Convention.**

BUFFALO, N. Y., Sept. 16.—The Switchmen's Mutual Aid Association of North America is holding its fifth annual convention in Central Labor Union Hall. The business sessions will be secret but a press committee will give out for publication such action of the convention as it may be deemed advisable to make known.

**Heavy Election Expenses.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—The Police Commissioners held a long secret session to consider how much money will be required for election expenses under the new ballot law. It was said that the election would cost the city about $450,000, or $150,000 more than last year under the old law.

## FIGHT IN THE CORTES

### A Priest Assaults Major Serpa Pinto in Parliament.

### GREAT EXCITEMENT AT LISBON.

Shops and Offices Closed to Hear the Debate on the African Agreement.

**Report of Wholesale Robbery and Murder in Cuba—An Insurrection Feared. Dock Masters May Advance Wages at Southampton—Bread Riots Expected in Italy—Moussa Bey Captured Again.**

LONDON, Sept. 16.—The reassembling of the Cortes caused great excitement throughout the city, as a stormy debate on the Anglo-Portuguese treaty was expected. Shops and offices were closed and thousands of citizens of all classes wended their way to the Parliament buildings, which were besieged by an enormous crowd, clamorous for admission, hours before the session opened. The authorities had taken precautions against disorder, but official interference was unnecessary, as the crowd was well behaved.

Soon after the opening of the Cortes Senhor Ribeiro, Minister of Foreign Affairs, moved the adoption of the Anglo-Portuguese treaty. He began to read the various modifications which the Government had adopted in order to assuage the public hostility to the treaty, but before he had gone far he was silenced by the progressist minority, the opposition members hissing and hooting so vigorously that the Minister could not make himself heard.

Amid the tumult Major Serpa Pinto arose and shouted to the progressists, "Hold your tongues!" Upon this a progressist priest named Brandao assaulted Serpa Pinto, and a lively pugilistic encounter ensued. The President was utterly unable to restore order, and finally suspended the sitting.

When the Cortes reassembled Senhor Ribeiro introduced the English convention, with several modifications.

The House referred the convention to the Committee on Foreign Affairs, whereupon the progressists moved that Lieutenant Continho, who seized the steamer James Stephenson at Chiromo, deserved the confidence of the country.

### TROUBLE IN CUBA.

**Sensational Report of Disorders, Open Brigandage, Pillaging and Murders.**

MADRID, Sept. 16.—The newspaper Imparcial of this city publishes an article in which a very sensational aspect is given to the affairs of Cuba, with the result of creating a good deal of a scare in some quarters, although many attribute the highly colored news of disorders in the Spanish dependency to political exaggeration.

The Imparcial describes the island as in a state which almost amounts to anarchy, and gives particulars of the disturbed condition of the country on what is apparently reliable authority.

It quotes the most flagrant cases of open brigandage, prints accounts of the pillaging of railway trains and the murdering of passengers by the highwaymen, tells of the burning of farms by desperadoes and overwhelms its readers with records of all sorts of crime, which it represents as rampant throughout Cuba. It states that commerce is ruined and that the public is hopeless of redress, and expresses the fear that unless Spain takes immediate and energetic measures she will find herself involved in another great insurrection.

It is generally believed here that there is ground for this alarming report, but how much is doubtful, while in diplomatic circles the account is received with considerable doubt, and later news is awaited with some concern.

**Moussa Bey Captured.**

CONSTANTINOPLE, Sept. 16.—Moussa Bey, the Kurdish Governor of Armenia, who was sentenced to exile for the outrages perpetrated by him upon Christians in that province, and who escaped from custody some time ago, has been captured near Brussa, fifty-seven miles southeast of Constantinople. He broke one of his legs in attempting to escape from the police.

**Bread Riots Expected in Italy.**

LONDON, Sept. 16.—A dispatch from Rome says that there is great industrial stagnation in Italy, particularly in the larger cities. The number of the unemployed in Turin, Genoa and Bologna is so large that the authorities are alarmed, and it if feared that unless some remedial action is soon taken bread riots and other disorders must ensue.

**The Dock Companies Come to Terms.**

SOUTHAMPTON, Sept. 16.—It is now announced that the dock companies are willing to grant an advance of wages to the firemen and seamen. This may lead to a speedy termination of the lockout.

**Betting on To-Night's Fight.**

NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 16.—Betting on the Bowen-Carroll fight, which will take place to-night before the Olympic Club, has been very lively to-day. The pool-rooms received several thousand dollars from the north and west to place on Carroll, and betting, which had been 11 to 10 in favor of the Englishman, rose to 5 to 4. Bowen's friends accepted the offers rapidly and bets were soon laid at even money until the Carroll money in the pool rooms was exhausted.

**Over 105 Years Old.**

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 16.—Mrs. Frances Constantine died at West Manayunk, last night, aged 105 years and 6 months. She was born in Philadelphia. Her first husband was killed in the war of 1812.

### AN EX-RABBI BEATEN.

**Attacked While at Prayer in the Synagogue and Thrown Into the Street.**

TRENTON, N. J., Sept. 16.—Ex-Rabbi Max Roden, of the Polish Synagogue, was beaten during the morning while at prayers, and thrown bodily into the street. He was deposed last week because he opened a butcher shop and tried to get the trade of the congregation. A new rabbi, Moses Skonwitschki, of New York, is now officiating.

Roden entered the synagogue with Harris Adolphus. Their right to remain in their seats was disputed. They resisted, and both were beaten and thrown into the street.

They have made complaint against seven members, who will be arrested. Adolphus charges Henry Feglestein of larceny of the buttons which the latter tore from his vest during the assault.

**The Murder of Councillor Rossi.**

BERNE, Sept. 16.—The killing of Councillor Rossi who was shot at Bellinzona, Canton of Ficino has been traced to a radical named Costijitone who has fled.

### NEWS OF THE DAY.

Vice-President Morton has returned to Washington.

The Puritan, of the Fall River line, met with an accident to her machinery off Watch Hill and was towed back to Newport for repairs.

Patrick Jones was sent to jail for 30 days in Bridgeport, Conn., because he would not tell where he bought a glass of whiskey on Sunday.

An Erie pusher engine struck four Italian quarry laborers at Germantown, Pa., instantly killing two of them and badly injuring the others.

McMahon and Wren, the liquor kings of Connecticut, will build a commodious hotel on Main street, Bridgeport, covering nearly an acre of ground.

The Chinese Government has commenced the construction of a railway from Kaipine to Guivine with the aid of British capital and British Engineers.

It is said that Secretary Blaine will accept the invitation extended to him a week ago to attend the formal opening of the Sioux City Cauru Palace and deliver an address.

Messrs. Walter Potter and W. D. Lovell, of the firm of Potter, Lovell & Co., of Boston have been arrested on warrants charging them with embezzlement and larceny.

La Normandie, just arrived in New York, reports speaking the American ship Challenger 275 miles out, dismasted, twelve of her crew lost overboard and four seriously hurt.

Hon. Henry Watterson, of Louisville, is to be the guest of the Massachusetts Reform club on the 26th inst. at the Hotel Brunswick. He will speak on the tariff and the sectional problem.

Mr. Newton Case, head of the Case Lockwood and Brainard Printing Company, of Hartford, Conn., is dead. He started in the printing business there in 1836. He was wealthy and had given much to the Hartford Theological Seminary.

The Gingan House, one of the summer hotels of the Catskill mountains, was damaged by fire last night to the amount of $10,000. There were forty guests in the house at the time, who all escaped in safety and were given refuge in the neighboring boarding houses.

During the morning an explosion of an oil still at Buffalo, N. Y., set fire to the Holmes oil refinery at the Nickel Plate Railroad tracks and Seneca street. The flames spread to a large tar tank and several explosions occurred. Four employes and two firemen were badly burned.

The Rev. Obed Eldridge, pastor of the Unitarian Society at Northboro, Mass., for six years, has resigned in consequence of having received from certain of his parishioners a letter in which it was asserted that the minister was not setting good examples by attending a horse trot, visiting a pool room and smoking. Mr. Eldridge is popular and his supporters claim that his actions have been respectable.

The sixty-sixth Sovereign Grand Lodge of the World, I. O. O. F., is in session at Topeka, Kan., and will not adjourn before the end of the week. The National Convention of the Rebekah degree is also in session. Several questions of vital interest to the order will come up at this session, and one of these is the qualification of members and another the eighteen-year amendment, which will be voted upon with a fair prospect of being adopted.

**Weather Indications.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 16.—For New England: Light local rains; stationary temperature; easterly winds.

For Eastern New York, Eastern Pennsylvania and New Jersey: Light showers; slightly warmer; southeasterly winds.

For Western New York and Western Pennsylvania: Local showers; stationary temperature; variable winds.

### NEW YORK MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Sept. 15.—Money on call to-day, ½ and interest for three days.

BONDS.

| | Closing Saturday. | Closing To-day. |
|---|---|---|
| 4½s, 1891 Reg | 104 | 104¼ |
| 4½s, 1891 Coup | 104 | 104¼ |
| 4 s, 1907 Reg | 124½ | 125 |
| 4 s, 1907 Coup | 125¾ | 125 |

STOCK MARKET.

| | Closing Saturday | Closing To-day |
|---|---|---|
| Canadian Pacific | 81¼ | 81 |
| Central Pacific | ... | ... |
| Chicago, Bur. & Quincy | 98¾ | 98¾ |
| Delaware & Hudson | 139¾ | 139¾ |
| Del. Lack. & Western | 144 | 143¾ |
| Erie | 25¼ | 25 |
| Erie pref. | ... | ... |
| Lake Shore | 103¾ | 103¾ |
| Louis. & Nash. | 85 | 85¼ |
| Michigan Central | 93¼ | 93¾ |
| Missouri Pacific | 79¾ | 79¾ |
| New Jersey Central | 119 | 118 |
| Northwestern | 108¼ | 107¾ |
| Oregon Navigation | ... | ... |
| Pacific Mail | 46 | 44¼ |
| Reading | 41½ | 40¾ |
| Rock Island | 83¼ | 83¾ |
| St. Paul | 69¾ | 69¼ |
| Union Pacific | 50¼ | 50 |

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## BY THE WAY.

—The Clerks' Association will meet to night in Jr. O. U. A. M., rooms.

—Hackman James McCormick paid a fine of $3 this morning for insulting hackman Thomas Burns in public.

—Wants and offers advertisements in the cent-a-word column of THE PRESS, last evening, numbered 24; in the *news*, 12.

—The furniture and fixtures of the Post Office are being removed to new quarters in Clarkson's building on Front street.

—A dramatic entertainment, followed by dancing, will be held in the Saenger and Turner Hall, on Monday evening of next week, commencing at 8 o'clock.

—A pleasant fraternal visit was paid by Wetumpka Lodge, Knights of Honor, to Easter Lodge last night. The attendance was large, and all had the happiest kind of a time.

—Henry Hess was arrested this morning on complaint of his wife for intoxication, and on complaint of Francis Bunner for assault and battery. He will be tried before Justice Hardy to-night.

—The household furniture of R. R. Fairchild will be sold at auction by H. Hand, at 29 Grandview avenue, North Plainfield, to-morrow afternoon at one o'clock, as advertised in another column.

—Messrs. S. F. Dudley and R. G. Leypoldt will be present at the Social Meeting of the Young Men's Auxiliary, to be held at the Y. M. C. A. rooms to-night. Every member is privileged to bring one boy eligible for membership in the society.

—W. J. Purdy, of the Pond Machine Tool Work, left his horse untied on Front street last evening, and the animal, finding itself free, started on a run and galloped to its stable on Somerset street, where it stopped of its own accord, with no damage done.

—The Hope Chapel Temperance Club decided last night to hold a public meeting this week Friday evening. The meeting will be conducted by the chapel pastor, the Rev. Mr. Newell of Fifth street, and will be of interest to all. Two new members signed the pledge of the Club.

—The Census Department in a recent communication to the Board of Fire Engineers asked how many acres of land there were in Plainfield. As nobody knew, Street Commissioner Robt. A. Meeker was asked to figure it up. The number he announced as the result of his labors was 3,800.

—The annual meeting of the Board of Officers of the New Jersey Division, League of American Wheelmen, will be held Thursday evening, September 18, at the club house of the Plainfield Bicycle Club. The meeting will begin at eight o'clock. Important matters are to come before the meeting.

—"Dixon's Tourists" will appear at the Amphion Theatre for one week, commencing Monday evening, September 22, and will present a list of well known plays, at popular prices. The list includes "East Lynne, or, The Elopement;" "Kathleen;" "Ten Nights in a Bar-room;" "Ticket of Leave Man;" "Uncle Tom's Cabin," and "Wild Rose."

—J. A. Garfield Pike, youngest son of Noah W. Pike, of East Front street, in the absence of his parents, yesterday, climbed the grape arbor, which gave way under his weight, and he fell about fifteen feet, striking on his head and arm and receiving a compound fracture of the wrist. Drs. Tomlinson and Jenkins set the fractured limb, and the patient is doing as well as circumstances will allow.

### New Jersey's Tax Commission.

The Commission appointed by the New Jersey Legislature last Winter, to visit the several counties of the State and obtain expressions of public opinion with regard to the best plan for arranging a general system of taxation, local as well as general, for the State, will sit at the Court-house in New Brunswick, September 18 at ten A. M. The Commission is composed of Messrs John P. Stockton, Frederick S. Marsh, J. Barker, G. O'Mears, John J. Gardner, Moses R. Everett, and Foster M. Voorhees. Messrs William F. Hoffman and William F. Abbett act as counsel to the Commission.


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## THE LATEST LIE OF ALL.

**John Kean, Jr., Has Not Bought the Plainfield Water Contract, but the Shoe May Eventually be Put on the Other Foot.**

It is not necessary to tell the people of Plainfield that any statement that the franchise of the Water Works Co., of Plainfield has been transferred to John Kean, Jr., or anyone else; or that the contract is sold to him or anyone else, for $30,000 or any other price; is false. The people did not see it in THE PRESS, so they know it is not so. But some of our contemporaries less wise than the people may copy the falsehood as a fact.

In the first place it is thoroughly impossible for Contractor Moore to sell out, or even transfer, the franchise, because it has been granted to the Water Works company of which he is only a representative. It would be as ridiculous to say that Carman Parse had sold the charter of the First National Bank to John Kean, Jr.

Then, too, the contract is absolutely unassignable without the consent of both parties; and probably the most important party to it is the city. Until the city gives permission the contract can not be sold or bought, and such permission has never been asked by Contractor Moore or the Water Works Co.

A PRESS reporter saw Contractor Moore this morning. He was busy explaining certain specifications to his foremen regarding the work now being done. In answer to the question whether he had heard the report that he had sold out his contract to John Kean, Jr., for $30,000, and that suits against him had been discontinued and judgments arrested as a part of such deal, he said: "I have not sold, assigned or turned over in any way, the Plainfield water contract or franchise to John Kean, Jr., or anyone else. I have not seen John Kean, Jr., for some time. There are no suits against me to my knowledge, to be discontinued; and there is no judgment against me anywhere. I did not meet John Kean, Jr., yesterday at any place or at any time.

"I could not sell or transfer the water contract if I wanted to, because it is not mine. It belongs to the Water Works company, and even they could not sell or transfer it without the consent of the city that gave it."

Inquiries elsewhere succeeded in discovering not the slightest foundation for the false report that John Kean, Jr., had bought the contract for $30,000, and the proceedings of the Council published elsewhere, show that the story was a lie. In fact future developments will probably show that the deal will go the other way. Instead of John Kean, Jr, and the Water Supply Co., absorbing Charles K. Moore and the Water Works Co., the latter combination will take in the former.

This is as it should be. The city's enemies through the *news* and by action brought before the Supreme Court, have cast a blot upon the contract of the city of Plainfield with the Water Works company. Until the legality of the contract is finally settled, the Water Works company (although possessed of all the money necessary to complete the contract) naturally do not want to continue the work under a contract that *might* be annulled, and thus leave them with the job half finished but with no authority to proceed under except the general law for corporations which has no provision to prevent every petty property owner along whose front the mains might run, from obtaining an injunction to stop the work.

Therefore a meeting was held in the office of the Corporation Counsel, last evening, and the Water Board heard the statements of both the Water Works Co., which has a contract amenable to a law that is questioned, and the Water Supply Co., which has a charter which is a law unto itself. The Water Works Co, is willing to let the latter in on the strength of the charter they hold, which in the possession of the Water Works Co., would give it all the standing and protection it may now lack. Then if the law is set aside the work can be continued under the charter.

THE PRESS has taken the position it has in this matter from purely philanthropic motives mixed with an appreciation of the credit due Contractor Moore for the gallant fight he has made against the money and power of one who endeavored to so financially cripple and choke him that he would be compelled to break his faith with the city and betray the friends who had formed the company back of him. It is consequently a source of congratulation that the position of things has been reversed. Instead of the very favorable contract that the City has secured through the efforts of Councilman Newhall and others, being wiped out and the works completed under the charter that is bound by no restrictions for the good of the people; the charter will be made use of only as a protection to the carrying out of the contract and its provisions. A few weeks ago, as stated in these columns, John Kean, Jr., was offering stock in the Supply Co., if the Water Works Co., would get down and out. Thanks to Contractor Moore's brave stand, the shoe is now on the other foot. The Supply Co., will be the one to step down and out, and its members will be permitted to come into the Water Works Co., upon the surrender of their charter thereto.


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## TWO CHILDREN POISONED.

**An Almost Fatal Illness Attributed to the Eating of Cheap Candies.**

Asa Collier's two children became violently ill, a few days ago, and for a time were considered in a dangerous condition. They gave every symptom of having been poisoned, either by arsenic or by some similar substance. Dr. T. S. Davis administered antidotes and saved their lives. No others in the family were ill, and the cause of the poisoning was a puzzle. It is surmised however, that the young people had eaten some of the cheap candies which school children get hold of, and which are often highly colored and flavored with poisonous substances.

## PARTICULAR MENTION.

The young son of Mr. and Mrs. Abram C. Hooley, has a little sister now.

James Allen Sangston is in town again for a short vacation before going on the road for the wholesale drug trade during the Winter.

John B. Sharp, of Newark, and Josephine Talliant, of North Plainfield, were married by the Rev. C. B. Mitchell at the M. E. parsonage on Grove street, last evening.

M. H. Brandon, of West Front street, has entered his black gelding Wichita in the races of Tuesday, Sept. 23, at Waverly, and J. H. Fosher has entered Frank F. for Wednesday, Sept. 24.

Miss Minnie French, daughter of L. M. French of Craig place, has entered the Freshman Class at the Woman's College at Baltimore, of which Dr. J. B. VanMeter, formerly of this city, is President.

The Rev. Father Connolly, parish priest of Montville, a suburb of New London, Connecticut, and well known in this city, where he had numerous relatives and friends, died very suddenly Thursday afternoon last from neuralgia of the heart. Funeral services were held in the church of which he had been the late pastor, on Sunday, at the conclusion of which the remains were conveyed to Meriden, Conn, his old home, and where his mother now lives. Yesterday morning services were held in the church of St. Rose of Lima, at Meriden, thirteen clergymen taking part in the ceremonies, and the singing being rendered by forty choristers. The edifice was crowded to its utmost capacity. The remains were interred in the family vault. He was thirty-six years of age, and out of the class of students that were ordained with him, but one now remains.

### Will the Crescents Beat the Yankees, Thursday?

Gregg and Jones will be the battery on Thursday against the Norwich team, and the rest of the nine will also be just the same as that which played against the West Ends, Saturday. The Connecticut men will come loaded, as they want to win this inter-State contest more than any game they have played during the season.

All who saw Saturday's game are satisfied that the Crescent team has more sand than any combination of ball players on the diamond today. They were deep in the mud of a strange ground, and the ball was being banged continually over their heads, yet they never broke but held the West Ends down to two scratch runs. Any other team under the same circumstances, would have gone to pieces in the fourth inning.

Consequently there is much hope that that same nine on Thursday will uphold the honor of New Jersey against Connecticut. A fine game is assured anyway. The Norwich battery, Ryan and Hackett, are said to be a "piece of work" that it is a great treat to look at.

### A Newark Wedding Adorned by a Plainfield Bridesmaid.

One of the largest social events and prettiest home weddings that ever took place occurred on Wednesday evening at Brick Church, N.J., at 7 o'clock, at the residence of Edward Wilde, No. 9 Prospect street, the contracting parties being his youngest daughter, Miss Edith Beatrice, and Luther Pomeroy Bryant, of Northampton, Mass. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. George W. Smith, of Hackettstown, brother-in-law of the bride. The ushers were Messrs Fred Robley and Elston French, of Orange. Misses Annie Belle Smith and Alice Cary, two little wee-tots carried baskets of flowers, which they strewed before the bride. They led the procession, wearing white mull dresses and white sashes, made Marguerite style; two bridesmaids followed, Miss Ida Wilde, the bride's sister, and Miss Harriet French, of this city. A very pretty and artistic feature was an aisle formed by six young ladies holding ribbons through which the bridal procession passed.

### The Carpenters and Joiners Present Bryant School With a Flag.

The American flag now waves over all Plainfield's schools when in session. Just after the noon hour of today, the pupils and teachers of Bryant school met in their assembly hall, where the Rev. A. R. Dilts, presented the school with a handsome flag from the Carpenters & Joiners Union of this city.

The exercises that ensued included the singing of national hymns and addresses. The Rev. Dr. Hurlbut accepted the gift on behalf of the Board of Education, and J. B. Probasco, M. D., another of the Trustees, made the closing address. The scholars passed a vote of thanks to the Union and closed by singing "My Country 'Tis of Thee."

### Two Handsome Chapels to be Ready in the Spring.

The foundations have been laid for the new $6,000 chapel of the Plainfield M. E. church on Monroe avenue, near the Irving school.

The plans for the North Plainfield chapel of the Methodist church are being completed, and the building will be inclosed before snow-time.

### A New Council at Somerville.

A new Council of the Junior Order of United American Mechanics will be instituted at Somerville, the latter part of this month by Franklin Council, No. 41, of Plainfield. This is the second Council Franklin will have the honor of instituting within the past few months.

### Wreckers Confess.

TROY, N. Y., Sept., 16.—All the prisoners implicated in the Central wreck at Castleton, with the exception of Kiernan, have made, it is reported from a reliable source, written confessions, which will secure indictment and conviction.

### Counterfeit $10 Bills.

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 16.—A large number of counterfeit $10 bills on the German National Bank of New Orleans are in circulation here. The police are actively searching for the gang uttering them.

### Benwell's Brother a Witness.

TORONTO, ONT., Sept. 16.—Charles Benwell of Cheltenham, England, brother of F. C. Benwell, for whose murder Birchall will be tried next week, has arrived here, being subpœnaed as a witness for the Crown.

### The Athletics Will Stick.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 16.—A secret meeting of the stockholders of the Athletic Baseball Club was held to take action regarding the financial difficulties of the club. Manager Barnie of the Baltimore club was present in the interests of the American Association. It is understood that assurances were given Mr. Barnie that the club's affairs would be straightened out and that it would play its scheduled games for this season. The indebtedness of the club was stated to be about $16,000. A committee was appointed to devise means whereby this sum could be raised and to report to-night.

### The Brick Boycott,

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—It is reported that the Brick Manufacturers' Association will adopt a resolution to shut down upon the shipment of all contract brick after this week, the tie-up to continue until the boycott at Verplanck's Point should be raised.

### Strikers' Pickets Arrested.

BINGHAMTON, N. Y., Sept. 16.—Nine striking cigarmakers, acting as pickets, were arrested here, the charge against them being the violation of a city ordinance in idling upon the streets.

### ANNUAL MEETING.

The annual meeting of the "New Jersey Game and Fish Protective Society" will be held at Force's Hotel, North avenue, Plainfield, N. J., at 3 o'clock in the afternoon of September 17, 1890, at which time officers to serve the ensuing year will be elected. By order, PERCY C. ORL,
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## TO FULFIL THE CONTRACT.

**The Water-Works Company to Consult With the Water Board in a Plan for Avoiding Litigation and Finishing the Works.**

Every member of the Plainfield Common Council was present at last night's special session. Besides the auditing and payment of several street laborers' bills only two matters came up—the street railway project, and the water-works question.

All that was done concerning street railway matters was the granting of the request of the Plainfield Street Railway Company to change their proposed route so as to go from LaGrande avenue through Richmond street, to Third and to Peace.

Concerning the water-works, Councilman Newhall, Chairman of the Water Board, reported that as a result of the consultation between the Board and Corporation Counsel Craig A. Marsh, the following notice had been served on the Water Company:

*To the Water Works Company of Plainfield:*

GENTLEMEN:—You are hereby notified that the corporate authorities of this city insist upon the full and entire completion of the contract between the inhabitants of the city of Plainfield and the water works company of Plainfield for the construction of water works in said city, in strict accordance with the terms thereof and within the time therein limited, and that in case of any default on the part of said company action will be taken forthwith both against said company and its sureties.

The city is advised that the writ of certiorari granted by the Supreme Court in the case of the State, Israel Lewis, Prosecutor, against J. Herbert Johnston, et als., does not operate to prevent the continuation of work under said contract, and the city hereby gives notice that it will resist any claim for extra allowance of time on account of said suit. Demand is hereby made for payment on or before September 15, instant, at 2 P. M., for the sum of $1,000 now due under clause 58 of said contract.

By order of the Water Board as empowered by the Common Council.

CRAIG A. MARSH,
Counsel to the Corporation.

Dated September 12, 1890, Plainfield, N. J.

Mr. Newhall added that no response had yet been received. In view of the legal proceedings and apparent delay in the progress of the works, he continued, the Water Board had thought it wise to suggest to Supervising Engineer Rudolph Hering that some arrangement be made by which the monthly payments to Hering could be discontinued for a time. In response Mr. Hering had sent the following:

*To the Plainfield Water Board:*

GENTLEMEN:—I of course consider that I am personally bound to supervise the construction of the water works until their completion, as per my contract with the city. But in view of the situation as stated by you, if the work is indefinitely stopped, I consider it but right and proper to have the monthly installments cease till work is resumed.

Yours truly,
RUDOLPH HERING.

Mr. Newhall further stated, that he had just received from the Water Works Company, the following letter:

*To the Honorable Council of the City of Plainfield:*

SIRS:—In view of the litigation now pending in the Supreme Court relative to the contract for a water-supply awarded to this company in December, 1889, and the probable delay consequent thereon, this company desires to place before your honorable body a plan for the practical carrying out of the essential features of said contract within a short time and without the embarassment of further litigation.

Through lack of time we are unable to present this plan in a formal manner at to-night's meeting, but we hold ourselves ready to explain the matter in open meeting this evening, by our counsel, or by a formal communication to your Board at some future time. We can only add that as the season for out-door work is rapidly passing away the negotiations should be entered upon at once.

THE WATER-WORKS COMPANY OF PLAINFIELD,
CHAS. K. MOORE, Attorney in fact.

On motion of Mr. Hetfield the entire matter was referred to the Water Board for the Board to report on at the next meeting.

### Hoerster Acquitted.

The charge of selling beer to a minor, made against Eugene Hoerster by Marshal Rutledge, was tried before Justice Hardy, last evening. There were four witnesses sworn for the complainant—Lewis Sprigg, Jr., to whom it is alleged the illegal sale was made; his brother and two others.

Mr. Jackson, of Jackson & Codington, was counsel for Hoerster. On cross examination by Mr. Jackson, Lewis Sprigg admitted that before Hoerster sold him the liquor he asked him if he was over 21, and that he informed Hoerster he was. Two of the other witnesses for the borough admitted young Sprigg appeared to be over 21, and one said he himself had offered him a ticket to vote at the last election under the impression he was of full age. On his own behalf Mr. Hoerster swore he honestly supposed young Sprigg was of full age, both from his appearance and statements. Under these circumstances Mr. Hoerster's counsel claimed he could not legally be convicted. Justice Hardy took this view of the law and discharged Mr. Hoerster.

### North Avenue and Peace Street Property Sold.

Among the recent transfers of real estate in this vicinity are recorded the following:

Central N. J. Land Improvement Co., to Charles P. Sebring of Plainfield, lot near Peace street, Plainfield, 6x25 feet, $200.

James R. Minugh and wife, of Seabright, to Charles P. Sebring of Plainfield, lot on Northeast side of North avenue, Plainfield, 70 feet Southwest from Peace street, 19x83 feet, $3,500.

The Central N. J. Land Improvement Co., to Charles P. Sebring of Plainfield, land on Northwest side North avenue, 50 feet Southwest from Peace street, 20x80 feet, $3,000.

## SHALL WOMEN BE ADMITTED?

**An Important Election to be Held Soon in Methodist Churches.**

An unusual event will take place in the Methodist churches throughout the New Jersey Conference, Wednesday, Oct. 29. An election will be held in every church of the conference, and men and women will be allowed to cast their ballots together for or against one object. Already the election has been announced in many of the churches, but many members do not understand its significance.

At the last session of the General Conference of the church in 1888 there was a lively discussion over the admission of women as delegates to the conference. There were two or three elected from the Pacific State, and they demanded seats with the other delegates. For several days the discussion waxed hot, one side declaring that to thus endow women with the legislative function was contrary to the teaching of scripture, and the other holding that as women were invaluable in the church work, they should be allowed to present their views as delegates in the conference. When the vote was taken there was only a majority of three in the lay delegation against admitting the women, but a majority of thirty-three in the clerical delegation. This was a close vote on a question that was looked upon as very important in church government. To settle the matter in the future, the conference decided to submit the question to the annual conference throughout the country, and through them to the individual churches. The New Jersey Conference last Spring fixed October 29 as the day for the election. The result will be important to the church. There are a great many women of the church who are opposed to the movement, and there are many men who favor it, so the voting will be not confined to women on one side, and the men on the other. The ministers of the various churches are required to announce the election several times from their pulpits.

### State Scholarships for Plainfield Pupils.

Notice has been read in the Plainfield public schools regarding the provision made by the last Legislature for scholarships in the State College, Rutgers Scientific School, at New Brunswick. In the college are maintained four full courses—civil engineering and mechanics, chemistry and agriculture, electricity, and a special course in agriculture. Appointment to a scholarship entitles the student to a full four years course. Under the law today there are scholarships for every Assembly district, which ambitious students in the public schools can try for.

The County Superintendents have charge of the examinations, and from them circulars may be secured setting forth the standard of knowledge required in candidates.

The law provides that if several properly-qualified candidates for appointment pass the examination from the same Assembly district all who are suitably qualified shall receive appointment to such free scholarships, excess from certain Assembly districts being counterbalanced (as they will be) by vacancies in other Assembly districts, provided only that the entire number of appointees shall not exceed the entire number of free scholarships created by the State.

### Popular and Appreciated Wherever He Goes.

*(From the Quincy, Ill., Journal.)*

Fred G. Wheatcroft, of Plainfield, has been in Quincy and about THE JOURNAL office for nearly two months. He was sent out by Potter & Co., to put up and start THE JOURNAL'S new machinery—and most excellently well has he done his work. Mr. Wheatcroft is a good mechanic. But he is something better than that—*he is a good man.* He is master of his business—and in a modest, patient, kind, obliging way he has taught us all that he could. Not many men are willing to do this. While looking out for his employers' interest, he has at the same time taken great interest in our welfare, and has done everything he could to make our start a successful one. Potter & Co. will never send out a truer man than Fred G. Wheatcroft, or one who will more creditably represent them. This acknowledgment is made because it is due to a deserving man. Mr. Wheatcroft has won the respect and esteem of every one about THE JOURNAL office, and will take back with him the sincere good will of us all.

### The Bookmakers' Juries to be Struck on Friday.

Judge VanSyckle, of Union county, on Friday will supervise at Elizabeth the drawing of struck juries to try the indicted bookmakers and the officials of the Linden Park Association and the New Jersey Jockey Club. A strong effort is to be made to secure convictions, if possible. The Union County Prosecutor is to have the aid of some noted lawyers of the State in the conduct of the trials, which promise to be decidedly interesting. Subpœnas have been served on all the indicted parties to appear on Friday at the jury drawing.

### Messrs Marsh and Newhall's Turn.

It is a matter of mystery why the *news* should make an attack upon the Corporation Counsel and Councilman Newhall in the Water Works matter. The paper states in effect that Contractor Moore "hoodooed" them into making a contract, all in his favor, under which the city has no protection nor rights that the water works company is bound to respect. So false a statement must be made through pure cussedness.

## WISE AND OTHERWISE.

NO WELL-BRED person ever jests or sneers at things which are sacred in the eyes of even the humblest person.

THE environments of earth are the scaffolding of character, through which man may build to the skies.

OLD Gentleman—"Have you Goldsmith's Greece?" Book Clerk (stiffly)—"You'll have to go to a harness-maker's for grease, sir."

WAITER (at the club)—"There's a lady outside who says that her husband promised to be home early to-night." All (rising)—"Excuse me a moment."

A HEARTY laugh, occasionally, is an act of wisdom; it shakes the cobwebs out of a man's brains and the hypochondria from his ribs far more effectually than either champagne or blue pills.

LONGEVITY—"Longevity? I should say longevity did run in the family," said Mrs. Spriggins. "Why, John was six foot two, Bill was six foot four, and George he had more longevity than any man I ever see. He was six foot seven if he was a foot."

"GRAND singer, isn't he?" said the hostess to one of the guests. "Unfortunately, the room is too small, and he can not let out his voice." "I think he ought to let it out; it would certainly sound better outside, and it would do it good to get the air."

PERCY, who was just out of skirts, was one day strutting around in his first suit of jacket and trousers, when a lady remarked: "Hello! I guess some one has some new clothes." With crushing force came the reply: "Them ain't clothes—them's pants!"

"WHERE does that new dentist reside?" Policeman—"You mean the one who extracts teeth without pain?" Stranger — "Yes." Policeman — "Go round the corner. You will have no trouble in finding his place. You can hear his patients yell a mile away."

A LEARNED man has said that the hardest words to pronounce in the English language are: "I made a mistake." When Frederick the Great wrote to the Senate: "I have just lost a battle, and it's my own fault," Goldsmith said: "His confession shows more greatness than his victories."

FIRST DUDE—"How is it that you get invitations to balls, parties, weddings, and like festivities?" Second Dude—"It is the simplest thing in the world, my dear fellow. When I suspect that any of my big-bug acquaintances are going to give a blow-out, I tell them that I shall be out of town. They imagine it is safe to invite me. They do so, and lo and behold, I bob serenely up. Strategy, my boy, strategy!"

ALL real progress is slow. Sudden jerks give a backward impetus and but little eventual gain. The lessons learned in youth, and seemingly forgotten, bear fruit in maturity. The struggles to do right that seem so hard and so often ineffective are steadily leading to the state where right-doing is a pleasure. The efforts we make for any worthy object may not seem successful to-day or to-morrow, but they are a part of the grand work that is going on slowly but surely, and no one of them can we afford to lose.

A FRENCHMAN was walking calmly along, when from behind he received a blow from a knife just between the shoulder-blades. The wounded man turned quickly round and displayed to the horrified would-be assassin a face quite unknown to him. "Oh, I beg your pardon, sir! I mistook you for some one else," he exclaimed, most politely, as, raising his hat with one hand, with the other he withdrew his weapon. The wounded stranger was not to be outdone in politeness by his mistaken assailant. "Oh, pray don't mention it," replied he, as with a low bow he hurried off to the nearest surgeon.

## TIPS FOR TIDY HOUSEWIVES.

FRUIT or rust stains on table linen or other white clothes may be removed by soaking in a weak solution of oxalic acid.

TO CLEAN mirrors, sponge them perfectly free from all dirt, drying with soft cloths, and when quite dry rub a little powdered blue over the glass, polishing it finally with a soft old silk handkerchief.

AFTER thoroughly sweeping a dingy carpet, wipe it with a damp cloth partially wrung out of a mixture of water and ox-gall in the proportion of two tablespoonfuls of the latter to a gallon of lukewarm water.

BRONZES may be plunged into boiling water until warm, then cleaned with soap-suds and dried with old linen cloths. If this is ineffectual try beeswax and turpentine, rubbed on and off with clean, soft cloths; sweet oil, and polishing with a chamois is another remedy.

THE smoked and dusty globes of chandeliers may be nicely cleaned by soaking them in hot water, to which a little sal soda has been added. Then put some ammonia into hot water, immerse the globes and scrub briskly with a stiff brush. Rinse thoroughly and wipe dry.

PAINTED furniture can be wiped off with a little milk and water, and look bright as new. Bamboo, rattan and reed furniture can be cleaned with a damp chamois. I do not believe in the use of furniture polish; it may do for a time, but better use a soft flannel with a few drops of kerosene for polished furniture.

I WANT to tell those who have fine specimens of coral which have become soiled by the dust settling in it, how they can clean them. I took mine and dipped them up and down a number of times in a pail of water. Then put them out through a good hard shower. If you have not a good grass plot, put them on plates, so the dirt will not spatter into them.

GILT picture frames may be brightened by taking sufficient flour of sulphur to give a golden tinge to about one and a half pints of water, and in this boil four or five bruised onions, or garlic, which will answer the same purpose. Strain off this liquid, and with it, when cold, wash with a soft brush any gilding which requires renewing, and when dry it will come out bright as new.

## POPULAR SCIENCE.

**Protection of Mine Timbers from Decay.**

The German Government mine Altenwald, near Saarbrucken, has, since 1888, conducted a series of experiments to ascertain the most effective means to prevent from decaying the pine timbering, which is subject to great pressure in the airways. Lime, coal tar, tar and carbolineum were tried in such a manner as to enable to compare their relative protective value. The results as published in Ztsch. f. d. Berg-, Hutten u Salinenwesen show lime to be the weakest. Coal tar preserved the outside of the timber, while the core was found completely decayed. Carbolineum proved by far the best, and is now being used on all the timbering of the upcast in that mine. The mine timbers, made of wood peeled and dried, are twice painted over with the carbolineum above ground and require each, when 2.5 meters long and 0.25 meter in diameter, in the first application 4-5 kilogramme and in the second 3-5 kilogramme, so that, at a price of 34.5 pf. per 1 kilogramme, the total cost was: For material 48.3 pf. and for labor 14 pf., or altogether about $0.15.

**The Phonograph as a Disseminator of Disease.**

It is reported that the Philadelphia park commissioners have ordered the disuse of the public phonographs heretofore in use in Fairmount Park, on account of the danger of their serving to disseminate disease. This danger is doubtless very slight, like that of injury to the ear, and probably neither danger is worth consideration if the instrument is kept reasonably clean and used properly; but its promiscuous use in a public park does not seem to admit of perfect security in this respect, and the announcement that the phonograph company intends to substitute a plate ear piece for the penetrating one now in use, avowedly for the reason that there are persons who object to the present form, goes to show that the Philadelphia commissioners are not the only people who entertain the idea of danger in the phonograph.—N. Y. Medical Journal.

**Improvement in Photo-Etching.**

The Papier Zeitung, of Berlin, announces that a discovery has just been made in etching, and especially in photogravure. As usual, the drawing is traced on a plate of zinc, either by an artist or by photography, with any suitable etching ground. This plate, backed with asphaltum, is laid in a bath of dilute acid. It is then put in circuit with a dynamo, the other pole being merely placed in the acid. When a current is allowed to pass, the acid attacks the metal with surprising rapidity. A few minutes suffice to bite the plate, and the depth of the etching can be easily controlled. It appears to us that the action is probably due to the depolarization of the surface of the metal, which in the ordinary method of etching becomes covered with a film of hydrogen, or, at all events, with a number of minute bubbles, which make the biting irregular unless the plate is incessantly rocked and brushed.

**Nervous Debility.**

**Weakness, Nervousness, Despondency and Depression of Mind.**

We are careless of our strength, vigor and energies in youth and early life. We use them up in business, work, pleasure or dissipation, and suddenly find ourselves old before our time, broken down in health, exhausted in brain and nerve power, and left without physical energies, nerve strength or ambition. Then follows that terrible despondency—that gloom and depression of mind which is a thousand times harder to bear than pain. It blots out hope, happiness and ambition, and makes life seem scarcely worth living, turns nights into sleepless, restless anxiety, and days into almost hopeless despair.

Luckily, there is a great and wonderful restorative which will give back to the weakened and exhausted system the strength it has lost; a marvellous remedy which imparts strength and vigor to the brain and nerves, vitalizes and invigorates all the physical powers, dispels, as if by magic, the despondency and gloom of mind, and restores us again to that grand degree of lusty strength, of bounding pulse and strong physical and nerve power which in ignorance or folly we have exhausted.

This wonderful discovery is Dr. Greene's Nervura, the great brain, nerve and strength restorer. It is purely vegetable and perfectly harmless, and can be procured at any druggist's for $1 per bottle. It is an absolute specific for nervous and physical debility. Persons with weakened nerves and exhausted vitality can regain perfect and complete strength by its use. It cures malaria, restores lost energy and invigorates the weakened vital forces in old and young. Try it, and you will never regret it.

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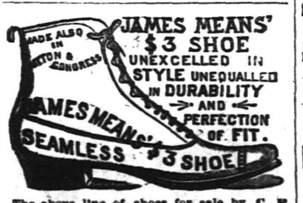


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A maiden who
Had none to woo
Her waiting heart's affection.
Upon her face
Displayed a trace
Of sadness and dejection.

"What charms," said
"Around us lie
In field and wood." Her forehead
Put on a scowl
I heard her growl:
"I think the place is horrid."

But later on
Across the lawn
I saw the self-same pouter,
With features gay
In gladness stray—
A lover's arm about her.

"Oh, is this not
A pleasant spot?"
I earnestly propounded;
With blushes red
She sweetly said:
'I'm pleasantly surrounded."

—Chicago Post.

### The Newsboy.

Joe was a newsboy, mister,
Differ'nt from all the rest;
Scarce a day over seven,
An' a weak little chap at best.

Timid an' bashful, sorter;
'Most like a gal in his ways;
Never would chaw terbacker,
An' cuss, an' take in the plays.

An' 'stead of tryin' to down him,
The fellers was kind to Joe;
An' lots bought papers of him, s'cause
Of the bump on his back, yer know.

An' I froze from the first right to him,
An' he somehow collared to me,
Till we parded it all 'cept night time—
Lived with his mother, you see.

She had worked till the fever took her,
An' nothin' was left to eat;
But the kid, you kin bet, was plucky,
An' so he struck for the street.

An' hustle? Well, now you're shoutin'!
Sallied right in like a brick!
All for that mother of his'n
Lyin' so weak an' sick!

Ketch him foolin' his money
Away like the other chaps,
Matchin' a feller pennies,
Or playin' a game of craps!

You could see him there with his papers,
Under his poor, thin arm,
If the day was a day of sunshine,
Or the day was a day of storm.

An' so at last, when I missed him,
You'd best believe I was quick
In gittin' around to his mother's
To see if the kid was sick.

An' I saw she was softly cryin';
He'd been took in the night, she said;
An' the poor little chap didn't know me—
Flighty an' out of his head!

Yer see, such knockin' about, sir,
'Ull do fur fellers like me,
But it wasn't the right thing, nohow,
For a babby as weak as he.

An' 'scuse me, but I can't help it;
I know that it ain't just right
Fur a great, big chap to be cryin',
But Joe—he died last night!

It ain't no use a talkin';
I tell yer, mister, it's hard
To think that I've got to lose him,
When I banked so much on my pard.

So I've come to you for some flowers—
A bunch to put in his hand—
An' up where he is, why, may be
He'll see them and understand!

—Echo.

### A Poet's Wooing.

In weaving rhymes about her name,
Her agile form, her rosy cheeks,
The beauty she could rightly claim,
I squandered hours, and days and weeks.

In weaving rhymes about her soul,
The subtle music in her speech,
The hours and days away did roll,
Yet she was ne'er within my reach.

I spent a year, it seems to me,
In weaving rhymes about her heart;
Yet I was deep in misery,
And from all happiness apart.

Alas! for the unhappy times
That come to mortals when they err—
While I was busy weaving rhymes
Another youth walked off with her!

—Nathan M. Levy, in Munsey's Weekly.

### Wouldn't You?

I'd like to stray through forest aisles
Where nature wears her sweetest smiles,
Where gentle zephyrs all the woodland blow
soms softly woo;
There where the wild bird ever stays
And brooklets trill their roundelays
I'd like to pluck a little sprig of heartsease.
Wouldn't you?

I'd like to go through meadows fair,
Where clover blossoms scent the air,
And wander hidden grassgrown paths and brush
away the dew;
I'd like to hide in tangled dells
And listen to the fairy bells,
And bathe my tired spirit in the music.
Wouldn't you?

Oh, I would quit the flurry
And the ceaseless haste and hurry
Of prisoned, wall-bound cities. I would go
where skies are blue.
I'd quite forget the grinding mart,
And, lying close to nature's heart,
I'd steal her sweetest, peace-begetting secrets
Wouldn't you?

—Chicago Post.

### My Wife.

She paints my meerschaums blue and gold
To decorate the wall,
And with my razor bright and keen
A lead pencil doth maul.

To light a lamp she oft will use
A fresh-receipted bill.
She is my own—my wedded wife,
And so I love her still.

This seemingly unchanging love
Deride you may, until
I say she always *always* talks.
That's why I love her still.

—Luctus H. Washburn, in Judge.

### A Recipe for a Day.

Take a little dash of water cold,
And a little leaven of prayer,
And a little bit of morning gold,
Dissolved in the morning air.

Add to your meal some merriment,
And a thought for kith and kin,
And then, as your prime ingredient,
A plenty of work throw in.

But spice it all with the essence of love,
And a little whiff of play,
Let a wise old Book and a glance above
Complete the well-made day.

—A. R. Wells, in Christian Union.

### Going for the Cows.

Come, Jennie, to the pasture lot
With me to bring the cows,
Just o'er the hill, a pretty spot,
Where Blink and Brownie browse;
The brook is glad; near by it grows
A lily here and there;
Beside it, too, there's bud and rose
To wear upon your hair.

The sun is going slowly down,
But there's no dew as yet;
No need to lift your Sunday gown
For fear of getting wet.
The thrush will sing his vesper song,
The blackbird spread his wings,
The swallow dip and fly along
The brook that for him sings.

We'll walk so light and talk so low
They'll never know we're near;
I'll at the bars the toll forego—
If that's the thing you fear!
So, Jennie, come this once for me,
Nor purse your dainty lips
To make the bud that tempts the bee
And birdies when he sips!

—W. S. Sayder, in Century.

## POLO PONIES.

### Where They Come from and How They Are Bred.

**Facts About a First-Class Animal—A Tussle Between a Pony and a Bronco Buster—"Cutting"—Ponies with Histories.**

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Some interesting and valuable facts in relation to polo ponies, where they are raised and procured, were obtained not long since by the writer from one of the most prominent pony-raisers in this country.

Polo was introduced into the United States about 1873, through the agency of James Gordon Bennett, Oliver Iselin, Schuyler Crosby, Delancey Kane and others.

The first ponies were procured without very careful selection at San Antonio, Tex., and upon their arrival here many of them broke their necks in being halter-broken, and in various other ways proved unsatisfactory. In a short time it was thought best to raise the standard height of polo ponies from thirteen hands, two inches to fourteen hands, and later another inch was added, making the present standard of fourteen hands one inch, which is just under the Westchester Polo Club rules, the object being to get a horse with low motion and great strength of back, so as to carry weight well and at the same time be of good size. From the fact that in late years only a few of the large number of ponies shipped to the East have been retained by polo clubs, particular attention has been paid to speed. An outcome of this is the Pony Racing Association recently formed. The inaugural meeting of the association was held at Meadow Brook, Long Island, in June last. Old ponies, as a class, are not particularly handsome animals, by reason of their coming from the plains where they are exposed to the chilling blasts of the winter, scantily fed and generously branded. The experienced polo player has but one object when mounted on his pony in a game and that is to "get there," hence, very little attention is given to the color, brand marks or appearance.

The age of a first-class polo pony ranges from six to ten years, and he must possess low action, his mouth must be like velvet, his temper good, he must be quick as a flash in movement and willing to throw himself five feet to the right or left by the simple pressure of the rein upon the neck. A pony of this description can be found only in the plains country of the South and West, where cattle are held on the open range. These ponies in times past were found in large quantities in Kansas, and later in Oklahoma and the Indian Territory. Owing to the fact that to-day the cattle in Kansas are held within inclosures, and that there is a man on every quarter section of ground in Oklahoma, the present

OUT IN A STORM IN THE CANONS.

generation of ponies in the above-named places are not bridle-wise in the least. Texas, particularly the Pan Handle district, Indian Territory and some portions of Colorado and New Mexico are still good fields from which selections can be made. The best ponies, from a point of desirability, are obtained beyond the Red river in Mexico, but the disposition of these upon arrival in New York precludes their usefulness. Ponies with the best dispositions are found among the Indian tribes, from the fact that the colts are brought up and handled around the camp; the mares, as a rule, do the hard work.

The requisites of a first-class cow pony are those of a polo pony. This can not be taught him unless he has an object in view such as a cow or steer.

Ponies that are bridle-wise on one side only are so from the fact that they have been in the hands of one cowman for a long while who was either right or left-handed as the case may be, or from the fact of his always using one hand to carry the whip or "quirt." In this connection it is gratifying to know that the practice of giving each cowman a twelve to fourteen-foot cattle whip has become obsolete, and he has now the end of his lasso or a whip two feet in length known as a "quirt." The long whip was in too active use, consequently the horses and cattle were worried and driven too much.

On his native heath a Western pony can take the conceit out of many a graduate of the riding schools. For instance, not long ago at Silver City, Ind. T., a gentleman selected eleven ponies out of a bunch of twenty-six with the proviso that any one of them could be ridden before the final purchase.

The order was given to rope a particular one of the herd, but the rope settled

A PONY THROWING A BRONCO BUSTER.

over the neck of another, which proved to be just what was wanted. The owner did not like the turn of affairs, but as he had made his promise he was obliged to stick to it. A bronco buster was called up, an extra stout double cinch saddle was adjusted and the man climbed on. Then the fun began, and for about three minutes was witnessed a veritable Wild West show. At the close of the first half of the exhibition the rider found himself about ten feet away and over a nine-railed staked and ridered fence. The pony was caught, the man braced up and he climbed on again. This time the pony made for a patch of wild plum bushes and pitched and tossed in them until he was almost exhausted and the clothes eradicated from the bronco buster, who had stayed there "just the same." The buster finally got him out of the patch and rode all over the prairie until the animal was effectually subdued. As so much trouble had been caused the owners the pony was purchased as a curiosity, if for nothing more.

In the course of time, and that at no great distance, it is going to be very hard to find a large assortment of ponies under fourteen hands one inch in height, because the owner of every bunch of stock horses from season to season puts a larger stallion at the head of his herd, and, if possible, one with

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better blood, principally of the thoroughbred strain. Blood tells, and the ponies are being rapidly bred up in size. People here in the East have erroneous ideas as to the value of a good cow pony in his own country. In the extreme Southern portion of Texas can be purchased a bunch of mixed stock—mares, young colts, yearlings, the aged and decrepit, by taking them as they come—for from ten dollars to twenty dollars per head. A bunch of from twenty-five to fifty broken-down, worn-out and culled-out cow ponies can be procured at from thirty dollars to sixty dollars a head. In ninety cases out of a hundred, if a person really knows what he wants and can get a cowman to turn him loose among his herd, the herder will not sell him the horse he picks out, because it will be one of his favorite cow horses or fancy cutting ponies. The word "cutting" can be explained as follows: If you should go to a cowman and buy two hundred head of cattle of a certain age or brand, and these cattle should be in the open range or a field of some eight or ten miles square, with others, for whom they have found attachments, by trying to set apart or cut out the ones you have purchased, you will very soon ascertain why certain ponies are held at such high figures. With a good cow pony or cutting horse all you have to do is to ride into a bunch of cattle and show your pony the animal you are after and he will do the rest. You are only obliged then to sit in the saddle and hold on; he will follow that animal right and left on a full run, keeping just at the right position at the animal's hip, watching with a trained eye every movement, and quickly herding him off when he has run out into the small bunch or cut. He is back and ready for another one as soon as you show him the one you desire.

A pony that gets mad, plunges and pulls on the bit; one that is stupid or makes you work your passage, would be of no use, as a steer would put his tail over his back and return to his former companions.

One of the largest pony farms is situated in Wabaunsee County, Kan., about twenty miles from Topeka, and contains about eight hundred acres. This is the general headquarters of the business. There are also other farms in Harper, Barber, Comanche and Stevens counties.

Some of the polo ponies at present in the vicinity of New York have very interesting histories. One of them, for instance, was ridden by a woman, manfashion, into Oklahoma when the rush was made, and he procured for his energetic owner a choice piece of bottom land in advance of the crowd. Another was driven to the wheel on a four-in-hand stage-coach, between Kingfisher and Fort Reno, in Oklahoma. X.

### Cost of an Introduction.

Brown and Smith step into a saloon and meet Jones. Brown and Jones salute each other and then Brown says: "Mr. Smith, let me introduce you to my friend, Mr. Jones."

Mr. Smith (who has had several social glasses)—Now, Brown, this introduction is not at all necessary. I've known Jones longer than you have. Jonesey, old boy, put it there! (They shake hands effusively.)

A while after Brown and Smith go out and Smith says: "Confound it, Brown, why did you introduce me to that man Jones? He borrowed ten dollars of me."

"You said you knew him better than I did," returned Brown.

"Oh, well, I said that just for effect."

"Well, it had its effect, you see."

"Yes, and I am out ten dollars."—Texas Siftings.

### Desperate Chances.

First New Yorker (to a friend)—Do you know some good life insurance company that you can recommend?

Second New Yorker—Yes, half a dozen. Any hurry about it?

First New Yorker—Yes; I want to get my life insured right away. And say, if any thing should happen to me won't you look out for my family?

Second New Yorker—Goodness gracious! man, what desperate step are you about to undertake?

First New Yorker (in solemn tone)—I'm going on a steamboat excursion.

Second New Yorker—If that's so get insured before you leave; you are taking desperate chances.—Texas Siftings.

### Death's Horrors Aggravated.

As they swung poor Rascokowski from the gallows an unfeeling wretch in the crowd remarked: "He's a Hungarian."—Munsey's Weekly

## FURGESON'S KICK.

### He Objects to Plaques as Disturbers of Domestic Bliss.

TROLLING one day last week in an aimless sort of way through Central Park, I saw Furgeson, a young gentleman with whom I am slightly acquainted. He was sitting on a bench wearing a linen duster and a look of unutterable woe. I naturally asked him what was the cause of his mental depression, and he replied candidly that it was his wife, to whom he had recently been married.

"The old story—too much mother-in-law, I suppose," I remarked.

"No, it's not that. I took good care to marry an orphan. The trouble is, my wife has taken to painting plaques, decorating china, etc. It seems that fad is reviving among the New York women, and my wife has got it bad," replied Furgeson, with a sigh.

I remarked that I thought painting china was a rather harmless sort of a fad.

"Yes, that's what I thought until I had some actual experience."

"How did your wife acquire the habit?"

"From a Mrs. Flam who lives in my neighborhood. Mrs. Flam has no children and nothing else to keep her busy, so she cultivates the various fads. I had noticed that my wife had something on her mind, and at last she told me that she was going to decorate some plates."

"You should have discouraged the idea at once."

"I did, but it was too late. I told her that in my opinion the proper way for a wife to decorate a plate was to first warm the plate and then decorate it with some nice roast turkey, a slice or so of the breast, and a second joint preferred with a little of the stuffing and some cranberry sauce, Irish potatoes, etc."

"What did she say to that?"

"She replied, bitterly, that men thought of nothing but their stomachs, and to keep a husband in a good humor the only way was to feed the brute;" and from the direction of her eyes I think she meant me.

"In what way did her painting china plates cause such disastrous results?"

"Well, in the first place, I remarked that her friend, Mrs. Flam, was kept so busy painting her face that I had not supposed she could find time to paint

THE FURGESONS DISCUSS THE MATTER.

any thing else, whereupon my amiable wife responded that some men spent more time painting their noses than a dozen women did in painting their faces. This was another dig at me because my nose is a little red on account of my defective circulation."

"Did she go to painting china plates?"

"Did she? When I came home to dinner on the very next day the table was decorated with the unwashed breakfast dishes and my wife was riveted to a chair painting away for dear life. I asked her why she was painting a cartwheel on a plate, and she said it was a passion flower and that I was a fool. I sank wearily into a chair, but I bounced three feet into the air because I had sat down on a freshly-painted plate on which were two blue and red butterflies, which did not match the new nine-dollar dove-colored pants I wore. And the way my wife lamented over those butterflies. I'll have to have a new ceiling made for those pants, but that was a mere trifle compared with what was coming."

"What other sufferings did you undergo?"

"My sufferings were simply indescribable. I am also a sufferer from dyspepsia, and nothing affords me relief except raw whisky taken internally. I was seized with an acute attack in the middle of the night, and groping my way to the sideboard I took a tremendous swallow. The supposed whisky felt like a red-hot porcupine going down my throat; but when the doctors got to work with their stomach-pumps, it felt like pulling the same porcupine back by the tail. I had got hold of a bottle containing some preparation for removing paint from the hands. It almost removed me from the face of the earth. Oh! no, there is nothing dangerous about these female fads," added Furgeson, sarcastically.

"Well, you managed to survive."

"I suppose so, but every day brings about a fresh crisis in the family. It was a week before I even partially recovered from the effects of that remedy for dyspepsia. This morning, just as I was beginning to crawl around, my wife, who had been painting steadily without turning a hair, all at once began to be very affectionate. She said: 'Charles, dear, you are looking so much stronger and better. All that you need now is a little fresh air and exercise.'"

"She was certainly very considerate."

"That's where I, too, was fooled, for she hung a basket containing two dozen heavy plates, gaudily painted, on my arm and told me to take them to a firm that bakes the china plates these fool women paint. What do you say to that?"

"That was pretty tough."

"However, I tottered off like a little man, when a flashily-dressed man stopped me and asked how much my boss charged a week to send meals to a family of two. He thought I was a waiter from a restaurant, seeing me with what he supposed was a basket full of dirty dishes. I used some bad language, and, before I knew what was coming, he had me down, bumping my head on the sidewalk. Just feel that cushion-shaped wen on the back of my head. We were separated, and, at first, I felt a thrill of bliss because all the plates were broken, but I thought of what my artist wife would say when I got back, and then I strolled into the park and was contemplating suicide when you came up. I expect I have lost my position. Oh, no, these female fads are perfectly innocent."

ALEX E. SWEET.

### Afraid to Pray.

The New Minister—Do you mean to say, madam, that you fear to pray?

Old Lady—Yes, I know the prayers will be answered, of course; but they're not always answered with discrimination. For years and years my husband had to get up before daylight in order to reach his work on time; and the long, slow rides in street cars were injuring his health. Well, I prayed that he might be relieved of this great trouble and danger, and in six months a great, big, ugly elevated railroad was run up our street and I haven't seen a ray of sunshine since.—Life.

### Mature Deliberation.

Friend—I understand you are going to stop publishing your Sunday edition because you are convinced that the religious sentiment of the times demands it.

Editor—Yes, sir.

Friend—Is this the result of a sudden change of thought on the part of the proprietors?

Editor—Oh! dear, no; we have been eleven years making up our minds.—Puck.

### It Has Reached the West.

Editor of Arizona Kicker (looking over some copy)—I wish I had that fellow within range of my old six-shooter.

New Reporter (nervously)—What fellow?

Editor—The man who sprung that French book on us. Can't you write up an account of a dog-fight or a lynching party without calling it a "Pastel in Prose?"—Light.

### Sizing It Up.

Mrs. Tangle (putting her head out of the window)—Who's that knocking at the door?

Man (below)—Here's yer ice, lady—a ten cent piece.

Mrs. Tangle—All right! Just pass it through the keyhole, please, to save me the trouble of coming down-stairs.—Light.

### Why Cronin Killed the Parrot.

Mrs. Cronin—Arragh fagballah! An' phot hov yez done?

Cronin—Oi says out loud t' mesilf phin Oi put down th' sped: "Cronin, yure th' chrazy fool;" an' so sev me, he repated it afther me. Oi'm dead shtuck an parrits, but Oi can't shtand mockin' bur-r-rds!—Puck.

### The Summer Girl Again.

McCusick (at summer resort, pointing to young lady surrounded by six or seven admiring young men)—I say, Jack, isn't that your affianced over there?

Jack (gloomily)—Yes—that is I don't know. She was before I came here!—Texas Siftings.

### A Very Serious Drawback.

"Why did you never marry, Major?"

"Well, it was a curious thing; but the only woman I could have been brought to marry labored under a very serious drawback."

"What was that?"

"She was never born."—Jury.

### The Same Old Stale Air.

Guest at Summer Hotel—I expected to find fresh air at this country place but I was disappointed.

Friend—How was that?

Guest—Why, as I got to the hotel the band was playing "Annie Rooney."—West Shore.

### Similarity of Tastes.

Miss Oldmaid (cultivated pianist)—Yes, I always play classic music; Mozart, Beethoven and Haydn, you know.

Little Boy—You're just like my mamma. She don't play any thing but the pieces that was new when she was young.—Puck.

### An Exception.

"I read the other day that Byron was club-footed," said Cholly. "That just shows that physical infirmities do not conflict with genius."

"No," said his friend, "unless one happens to be a block-head."—Munsey's Weekly.

### A Skeleton in the Closet.

"Yes," facetiously remarked the clerk in the president's office, while making an annual, "this is our pass time."

"Alas!" murmured the haggard-looking stockholder, "back of every worldly pleasure there is a dead-head."—Puck.

### He Wasn't Built for a Copper.

Neighbor—What would you like to be?

Johnny—Policeman.

Neighbor—You would never do for that. Whenever there is a fight you are always around.—Texas Siftings.

### Returning from the Picnic.

Ethel—There is Jack sitting on the other side of the boat. Doesn't he look tired?

Maud—Yes, have you been talking to him to-day?—The Continent.

### He Knew by Experience.

Wife—I hear that Cumso is rich now—that he has feathered his nest.

Husband (thinking of the milliner's bill)—Well, if he paid for the feathers he wouldn't be rich.—Munsey's Weekly.

### A Time for All Things.

She—Isn't it about time, Dick, that we broke our engagement?

He—Why is it?

She—Because every one has stopped talking about it.—Munsey's Weekly.


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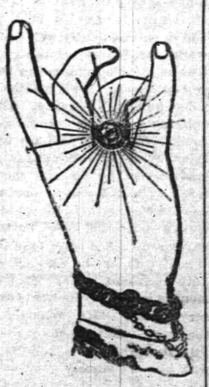
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Leave New York from foot of Liberty street, 4 20, 5 45, 7, 7 45, 8 45, 10, 11, A. M., 1, 1 30, 2 30, 3 20, 3 45, 4, 4 30, 5, 5 15, 5 30, 5 45, 6, 6 15, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 8, 8 30, 9 15, 10, 11 30 P. M., 12 15, night. Sunday—4 30, 7, 8 30, 9, 9 30, A. M., 12 M., 1, 1 15, 4, 5 30, 6, 7, 9 00, 10 00 P. M., 12 15 night.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield 5 58, 6 29, 6 59, 7 26, 8, 8 27, 9 32, 10 05, 11 09, 11 39, A. M., 1, 2 07, 2 30, 3 12, 3 51, 5 08, 5 31, 6 07, 6 54, 7 05, 8 31, 10 12, 11 28 P. M. Sunday—8 01, 8 52, 11 02, 11 16, A. M., 12 33, 1 39, 3 30, 5 16, 7 01, 7 10, 8 23, 8 32, 10 02 P. M.

Leave Newark 7 10, 7 56, 8 55, 10 10, 11 05 A. M., 1 05, 1 35, 2 40, 3 40, 4 02, 4 27, 5 05, 5 30, 5 55, 6 25, 7 15, 7 35, 8 20, 9 35, 10 10, 11 25 P. M. Sunday—7 20, 8 40, 9 05, 9 50, A. M., 12 05, 1 10, 4 10, 5 40, 6 05, 7 05, 9 35, 10 20 P. M.

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Leave Somerville, 6, 6 30, 7 03, 7 25, 7 35, 7 48 9 05, 9 47, 11 15 A. M., 12 35, 1 15, 1 48, 2 06, 3 2 4 05, 5 12, 5 35, 6 05, 8 40, 11 05, P. M. Sunday—8 25, 10 35 A. M., 12 08, 105, 4 50, 6 40, 8 03, 8 05, 9 30 P. M.

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Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7, 8 07, 9 42, A. M., 1 59, 4 54, 5 20, 6 38, 8 20 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 9 18 A. M., 2 03, 6 35 P. M.

Leave Easton 6 05, 8 44, 10 A. M., 12 32, 4 09, 6 42 P. M., Sundays—7 15, 10 52, A. M., 6 40, 7 30 P. M.

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5 45 A. M. for Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

7 A. M. for High Bridge Branch and Easton.

9 07 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 42 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Nanticoke, Drifton, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c.

1 59 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, &c.

4 34 P. M. for D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

5 20 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Schooley's Mountain, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, &c.

6 20 P. M. for Flemington.

6 38 P. M. for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg.

8 20 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8, 1d a. m. Sundays for High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, &c., 2 03 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua and Pettsville. 6 35 p. m Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

For Atlantic City, 9 37 a. m. 1 p. m.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c.

Leave Plainfield 3 37, 8, 11 09, a. m., 1, 3 51, 5 31, p. m. Sundays—(except Ocean Grove) 8 52, a. m., 3 30 p. m.,

For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 38, 8, 10 05, 11 09 a. m., 1, 3 51, 5 31, 7 08 p. m. Sunday—8 52 a. m., 3 30 p. m.

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## MR. BLAINE'S LETTER

### He Writes Again on the Subject of Reciprocity.

### VALUABLE TO WEST AS EAST.

### He Refers to Men Who Lock the Stable After the Horse is Gone.

**Several Bills Passed by the Senate—The Anti-Lottery Measure Now Goes to the President—Action on the Kennedy Speech—Congressman Quinn Says Gen. Grant's Remains Will Not be Removed.**

BOSTON, Sept. 17.—Mr. Blaine has written a long letter to Colonel Clapp, of the Journal, excusing himself from attending the annual banquet of the Boot and Shoe Club.

He declares that the reciprocity matter will be as valuable to the West as to the East. He insists that we can secure the trade for breadstuffs for 40,000,000 in Central and South America and the West Indies if we deal wisely with them in the matter of admitting their sugars under special reciprocity regulations.

"The worst proposition of all," he says, "is put forth by those who say, 'Let us put sugar on the free list now and next year we will take up the subject of reciprocity.' If I understand their logic, it is to make sugar free this year without condition, and next year to ask Spain if she will not kindly consent to grant us reciprocal trade? Holding the complete vantage grounds themselves, the proposed policy transfers the vantage ground to Spain.

"Instead of granting a favor to Spain to-day, we are to ask her for a favor to-morrow. Those who take this ground belong to that class of careful guardians of property who prepare a very strong lock for the stable after the horse is gone."

### THE ANTI-LOTTERY BILL.

**It Only Awaits the Signature of the President to Become a Law.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 17.—The Anti-Lottery bill having now passed both houses of Congress, it only awaits the signature of the President to become a law, and there is not likely to be any unnecessary delay on that account.

The postal authorities are prepared to enforce it vigorously, and it is therefore important that the public should understand its provisions.

The bill gives great power to the Postmaster-General, and after it becomes a law it will be very dangerous for any person to meddle with lottery tickets.

It forbids the carrying in the mail, or delivery at or through any post office or by any mail carrier, of any letter, postal card or circular concerning any lottery, or any list of drawings of the same, or any lottery ticket or part thereof, or any check, draft, bill, money, postal note or money order for the purchase of any ticket.

It forbids carrying any newspaper, circular, pamphlet or publication of any kind containing any advertisement of any lottery, or containing any list of prizes of any such lottery.

It forbids any person from depositing or causing to be deposited or knowingly sending or causing to be sent any such matter by mail. It provides that proceedings for the violation of this law may be instituted either in the district at which the mailing was done, or at the place which it is carried by mail for delivery, or at any place where it is delivered to the person addressed. It provides for preventing the delivery of mail containing registered funds or money orders addressed to lottery companies or their agents.

### WORK OF CONGRESS.

**The Senate Passes Several Bills and the House Acts on the Kennedy Speech.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 17.—The Senate agreed to the conference report on the Railroad Land Forfeiture bill—yeas, 30; nays, 13; the Democrats voting in the negative and the Republicans in the affirmative. The House Anti-Lottery bill was then taken up, read and passed. The House bill for marking the lines of battle and the positions of troops of the army of Northern Virginia at Gettysburg, Pa., was passed. Also the Senate bill appropriating $75,000 for a public building at Bar Harbor, Maine.

The House spent a long time in discussing Mr. Enloe's resolution censuring Mr. Kennedy for the language used in his speech on Sept. 3 reflecting on Senator Quay. The matter was finally disposed of by the adoption of a resolution offered by Mr. Bayne, referring the whole subject to the Judiciary Committee of the House for investigation.

**Mrs. Hartranft's Pension.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 17.—On motion of Congressman O'Neill, the House ordered a conference on the bill to pension the widow of General Hartranft. Morrill, Craig and Lewis were appointed conferees.

**The President at Cresson.**

CRESSON, Pa., Sept. 17.—To-day, after receiving the Grand Army Post from Tyrone, the President may take a trip to Johnstown to visit the district which suffered so greatly by the flood.

**News from Emin Pasha.**

ZANZIBAR, Sept. 17.—Emin Pasha arrived at Tabora on August 4th. He forwarded despatches stating that all the tribes along the route had submitted to the expedition.

**The Portuguese Cabinet Resigns.**

LONDON, Sept. 17.—The Daily News' Lisbon dispatch says that the Portuguese cabinet have resigned.

### MORRIS NOMINATED.

**Connecticut Democrats Select Their Former Candidate for Governor.**

HARTFORD, Conn., Sept. 17.—At the Democratic convention held here last night, Luzon B. Morris was unanimously selected as the candidate for Governor at the approaching election. The total number of votes cast were 396. Morris's only opponent, Hyatt, withdrew, leaving the former a clear field.

The ticket was completed as follows: Lieutenant-Governor, Joseph W. Alsop, of Middletown; Treasurer, Marvin H. Sanger, of Canterbury; Comptroller, Nicholas Staub, of New Milford.

The platform adopted says: "The Democratic party of Connecticut reaffirms its adherence to the platform adopted by the National Democratic Convention of 1888, and condemns the Republican party for its attitude upon the great questions affecting the welfare of the people as a revival of the most odious doctrines of that Federalism which has ever sought to establish in this country an aristocracy of wealth and despotism of legislation, etc.; declare for such a revision of the tariff as shall admit crude materials of manufacture free and lighten the burdens upon the necessities of life."

The platform "denounces Mr. Blaine's interpretation of protection, Speaker Reed's Czarism, and the Force bill."

### COSTLY MURDER TRIAL.

**Third Week of the Cal Wood Murder Case at Glens Falls.**

GLENS FALLS, N. Y., Sept. 17.—This is the third week of the Cal Wood murder trial and the evidence is still uncompleted.

Dr. Frederick Petersen, Dr. Matthew Field, of New York city, experts in cases of insanity, were sworn. When hypothetical questions were asked by the prosecuting attorney, the answer was "sane," and when asked by the defence, "insane."

Several relatives of Cal were put on the stand during the day. In nearly every instance the testimony showed that they had deemed Cal an odd character, but not insane. The people will not finish before to-morrow or Friday. The defence will examine several witnesses at the conclusion of the testimony for the people.

The tax payers are growling about the cost of the trial.

**A Wealthy Citizen Kills Himself.**

BOSTON, Sept. 17.—Dr. E. M. Ferris, a wealthy resident of Brookline, committed suicide in his office, No. 30 Summer street, this city, by shooting himself through the head. He came to his office in a carriage, accompanied by his wife and children, who remained in the vehicle while he went upstairs. He had only seated himself in his chair when a pistol shot was heard and the employes saw Mr. Ferris roll back in the chair. They ran to his assistance, but he was past help and died in a few minutes.

**Democratic Societies Elect Officers.**

READING, Pa., Sept. 17.—The Democratic societies adjourned last night after selecting Pittsburg as the next place of meeting. Officers were elected, as fallows: President, Chauncey F. Black; vice-presidents, Joseph P. Murphy, of Philadelphia; W. J. Brennan, of Pittsburg; E. J. Dunwoody, of Philadelphia; J. J. Maloney, of Philadelphia; J. H. Howard, of Harrisburg, and William J. Rourke, of Harrisburg; secretary, John D. Worman, Philadelphia; treasurer, Elliott P. Kismet, Hazleton.

**Will Count New York Again.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 17.—The Health Board canvassers of the Second Ward reported that they had found the population 1,196, against 922 as reported by the census enumerators of the United States. The Health Board thereupon passed resolutions declaring that the result indicated that the Federal census was "inaccurate and incomplete," and that an accurate census is necessary for the Bureau of Vital Statistics. The Mayor was accordingly authorized to make a complete enumeration.

**He Owned Perry's Ship.**

ERIE, Pa., Sept. 17.—Captain Leander Dobbins died here yesterday at the age of 75. Mr. Dobbins was the owner of Commodor Perry's flagship Lawrence, which he raised and sold to private parties in 1876, it having descended to his father, a pioneer vessel owner on the Great Lakes. He was also owner of the ship Niagara, with which Perry won the day over the British. The latter ship now lies embedded in the mud and sand in Misery bay, opposite Erie.

**Pennsylvania Firemen Meet.**

CHESTER, Pa., Sept 17.—The eleventh annual session of the Pennsylvania Firemen's Association is being held here. One hundred and five companies from 70 different cities are represented. Various reports were presented and adopted. Last night, Mr. Delamater, the Republican candidate for Governor, addressed the firemen.

**Rev. Dr. Ball's Case Dismissed.**

BUFFALO, N. Y., Sept. 17.—In the Supreme Court Judge Lewis granted an order dismissing an appeal taken in the case of Rev. Dr. Ball vs. the New York Evening Post, without costs to either party.

**Removal of General Grant's Remains.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 17.—Congressman Quinn, of New York, has finished a canvass of the House as to the sentiment on the Plumb resolution for the removal of the Grant remains, and states that he will beat it should Mr. O'Neill, of Philadelphia, who has it in charge, call it up. The new spurt the New Yorkers have recently taken has made a great change in the sentiment of the House in this matter

## ANOTHER CLUB OUT

### The Athletics Will Not be Able to Finish the Season.

### NO MONEY FOR THE PLAYERS.

### Much Indignation Expressed by the Men Who Have Accepted Releases.

**A Day of Rain Prevents Several of the Clubs from Playing—The Brooklyn League Team Defeats Boston—Anson's Pets Still Winning—Only One Game Played by Brotherhood Clubs.**

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 17.—The stockholders of the Athletic Baseball Club held an adjourned meeting last night, when it was announced that because of the inability of the financial committee appointed yesterday to raise the necessary funds, the club will not be able to continue the season.

The players, who had assembled in expectation of receiving the money due them, were notified that no money had been raised, and that those desiring their releases could have them. Much indignation was expressed by the men, and nearly all of them are said to have accepted releases. Sums ranging from $300 to $600 are due them. Robinson, Shafer and Seward have suits pending for their salaries, and on the issue of these will depend the action of the other players.

The players were asked to make a tour of the West and take chances of getting their money, but refused. The organization of a team to play out the schedule is a remote possibility.

### BASEBALL GAMES.

**National League.**

AT CLEVELAND.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Cleveland | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 |
| Pittsburg | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 |

Batteries—Viau and Zimmer; Anderson and Decker.

Game called at the end of the fifth inning on account of rain.

AT BOSTON.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Boston | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0—4 |
| Brooklyn | 4 | 4 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | x—12 |

Batteries—Getzein and Hardie; Lovett and Daly.

AT CHICAGO.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Chicago | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1—5 |
| Cincinnati | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0—2 |

Batteries—Hutchinson and Kittridge; Mullane and Harrington.

AT NEW YORK.

New York and Philadelphia game postponed on account of rain.

**Players' League.**

AT CHICAGO.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Chicago | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0—1 |
| Buffalo | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | x—3 |

Batteries—Barston and Boyle; Twitchell and Mack.

AT NEW YORK.

New York and Brooklyn game postponed on account of rain.

AT CLEVELAND.

Cleveland and Pittsburg game postponed on account of rain.

AT PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia and Boston game was postponed on account of rain.

**American Association.**

AT COLUMBUS.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Columbus | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0—1 |
| St. Louis | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0—0 |

Batteries—Chamberlain and O'Connor; Hart and Munyan.

AT TOLEDO.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Toledo | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0—1 |
| Louisville | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 0 | x—6 |

Batteries—Healy and Rogers; Stratton and Ryan.

SECOND GAME.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Toledo | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0—0 |
| Louisville | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | x—8 |

Batteries—Cushman and Sage; Ehret and Meckbecker.

AT ROCHESTER.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Rochester | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Syracuse | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |

Batteries—Miller and McKeough; Casey and Pitz.

Game was called at the end of the seventh inning on account of darkness.

AT PHILADELPHIA.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Athletic | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Baltimore | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 5 |

Batteries—Green and Robinson; German and Townsend.

Game called at the end of seventh inning on account of rain.

The second game was postponed on account of rain.

**Atlantic Association.**

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Lebanon | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0—5 |
| New Haven | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0—1 |

Batteries—Smith and McCaffrey; Gilliland and Hofford.

AT HARRISBURG.

Harrisburg and Newark game postponed on account of rain.

**Standing of the Clubs.**

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

| | Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'ct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Brookl'n | 79 | 41 | .658 | Chicago | 76 | 49 | .608 |
| Boston | 74 | 47 | .612 | N. York | 56 | 64 | .467 |
| Philadel. | 73 | 48 | .603 | Clev'l'nd | 55 | 82 | .299 |
| Cincin'ti | 67 | 50 | .580 | Pittsb'rg | 21 | 102 | .171 |

PLAYERS' LEAGUE.

| | Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'ct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Boston | 73 | 43 | .629 | Philadel. | 64 | 55 | .538 |
| N. York | 68 | 50 | .576 | Pittsb'rg | 53 | 61 | .465 |
| Brookl'n | 73 | 50 | .567 | Clev'l'nd | 46 | 71 | .393 |
| Chicago | 67 | 58 | .536 | Buffalo | 32 | 86 | .271 |

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

| | Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'ct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Loui'v'le | 71 | 40 | .640 | Roch'st'r | 58 | 49 | .542 |
| St. Louis | 65 | 46 | .575 | Athletic | 54 | 58 | .482 |
| Col'mb's | 62 | 49 | .559 | Syracuse | 44 | 68 | .411 |
| Toledo | 56 | 53 | .515 | Lastim'e | 31 | 81 | .277 |

ATLANTIC ASSOCIATION.

| | Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'ct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| N. Hav'n | 76 | 28 | .730 | Harrisb'g | 44 | 63 | .393 |
| Lebanon | 50 | 46 | .521 | Wilm't'n | 33 | 62 | .300 |
| Newark | 56 | 53 | .514 | | | | |

**$17,000 Stolen.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 17.—Seventeen thousand dollars belonging to Bookmakers Garland & Saunders was stolen from the Hotel Vendome safe.

### CRUELTY TO LUNATICS.

**A Woman Chained in a Smoke House for Fifteen Years.**

PITTSBURG, Pa., Sept. 17.—The State Board of Lunacy has become aware of the fact that in many different sections of the State lunatics are kept confined miserably in order to save their keep at a proper asylum, the number so kept in confinement being almost incredible.

The latest case unearthed is in Richland Township, Venango County. The victim is a woman named Margaret Orr, and she has been kept by her brother on a farm near Emlenton station on the Allegheney Valley railroad. She is about 40 years of age, and has been confined in chains in a smoke house for over fifteen years.

Superintendent Culph of the County Poor Farm, made the horrible discovery and it was with difficulty that he could induce the brothers to allow her removal to the Warren Insane Asylum, where she is now.

Stories are in circulation of another case, where a crippled lunatic is said to be confined in a small room without proper care, and officers are hunting it up.

### PASSENGERS IN PERIL.

**An Accident on the West Shore Road at Syracuse.**

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Sept. 17.—An accident occurred on one of the West Shore trains that run every few minutes between this city and the fair grounds.

The train, consisting of five cars crowded with passengers, was returning from the grounds, the engine moving backwards. On a steep embankment, 50 feet high; the tender left the track and rolled down the bank. The engine and three cars also jumped the track but stopped at the edge of the embankment. Daniel Hummel, a barber, was standing on the front platform of the first car and was crushed to death. None of the other passengers were hurt. The fireman was somewhat bruised.

The engine was badly damaged and the front part of the first car was crushed to pieces. The rails were torn up for a distance of 600 feet.

**$20,000 Damages Wanted by a Husband.**

OLEAN, N. Y., Sept. 17.—An action has been brought in the Supreme Court of this county for $20,000 damages against Daniel Ward, a druggist of this city, by Alfred L. Torrey for alienating the affections of the plaintiff's wife. The complaint charges that Ward conspired with Mrs. Torrey to induce Torrey to visit a house of illfame in Chicago, and thus provide the wife with lawful cause for divorce; also that Ward was intimate with Mrs. Torrey. The defense is a general denial.

**The Switchmen's Convention.**

BUFFALO, N. Y., Sept. 17.—Vice-Grand Master John Downey and Grand Secretary and Treasurer Simsrott presented their reports to the Switchmen's Convention. The receipts for the year amounted to $97,527.34 and the expenditures $92,331.92, $76,000 being paid for deaths and injuries. Grand Organizer Hall submitted a detailed report of his work for the year and the way lodges were being organized all over the country. His report showed that the order was rapidly increasing in numbers and influence.

**Governors to Meet at a Fair.**

TRENTON, N. J., Sept. 17.—Governor Abbett has accepted the invitation to be present with his staff on October 2 at the interstate fair at Trenton. Governors Beaver, of Pennsylvania, and Bigge, of Delaware, have accepted similar invitations. Governor Hill, of New York, has been invited to complete the quartet of Middle States Executives.

**Walking Delegates May be Indicted.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 17.—Recorder Smyth, District Attorney Fellows and the foreman of the grand jury were in consultation over the proposition to indict the walking delegates who instituted the boycott on the Verplanck's Point brick yards. One of the walking delegates was examined, but the result of the conference was not announced.

**Caught at Last.**

LYNN Mass., Sept. 17.—Wm. McAndrews was arrested here for burglary on Nov. 27, at the house of Henry R. Stowell, Athol, Mass. Several thousand dollars worth of jewelry, silverware, bonds, notes, etc., were stolen, and $1,000 reward was offered for the arrest of the thief, who has led the officers all over the country during that time.

**Suing for the Profits.**

BOSTON, Mass., Sept. 17.—Neil McNeil, contractor, has brought suit for $40,000 against the Boston Chamber of Commerce, that being the profit he claims he would have made if he had been awarded the contract for the new Chamber of Commerce building, his bid for which was the lowest. Norcross Bros. received the contract.

**Boston's 260th Anniversary.**

BOSTON, Mass., Sept. 17.—To-day the 260th anniversary of the establishment of Boston is being celebrated simply by the display of flags from the public buildings.

**Depew's Advice to Farmers.**

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Sept. 17.—In his speech at the State Fair grounds, Dr. Chauncey Mitchell Depew urged the farmers to take as their motto the three E's—Reciprocity, Retaliation and Revenue.

**Mrs. Seymour Seeks a Divorce.**

ASBURY PARK, N. J., Sept. 17.—Mrs. Seymour, nee Watts, wife of Dr. Lewis N. Seymour, who has disappeared since Mrs. Seymour announced her relationship, has instituted steps for a divorce.

## BOWEN KNOCKED OUT

### Whipped by James Carroll in Twenty-One Rounds.

### THOUSANDS SEE THE BATTLE.

### The New Orleans Boy Terribly Punished, but Had No Complaint to Make.

**Carroll's Victory Due to His Fine Defence Savage Fight Between Tommy Kelly and Tommy Russell Spectators Beg to Have the Battle Stopped—Slavin a Favorite for Monday's Battle.**

NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 17.—The great lightweight fight between Andy Bowen of New Orleans and Jimmy Carroll of San Francisco was fought last night at the Olympic Club rooms. About 3,000 people were present, and they paid an admission fee of $5 and $3 each.

The fight was for a purse of $3,000—$2,500 to winner and $500 to loser. Mr. John Duffy was chosen referee and the timers were C. J. Cousins, Billy Crittenden and M. F. Fitzfadden. Bowen was seconded by Arthur Upham and Jimmy Sweeny, and Carroll by Robert Fitzsimmons and Doc O'Connell. Bowen weighed 130½ pounds and, Carroll 132½.

The ring was pitched on river sand with a thirty-foot square enclosure, within which was marked off as neat a twenty-four-foot ring as was ever seen. A St. Andrew's cross was formed at 9 o'clock, and a good handshake marked the evening's performance at fisticuffs.

Bowen crossed over to Carroll to bet $500, which was promptly accepted, but the club refused to allow the bet.

Time was called at 9:29. Carroll was crowding Bowen and then drew him out. Carroll feinted and Bowen backed. Bowen landed lightly with his left on Carroll's shoulder, and followed it with a right hander on the jaw. Carroll tried with his right and failed.

In the second round sparring for wind seemed to occupy the men's time. A quick exchange followed and right and left handers followed and honors were even. Carroll hit Bowen and nearly knocked him down. Bowen hit Carroll, and repeated the performance with his left hand on Carroll's jaw. Bowen's round without a doubt.

The third, fourth and fifth rounds were given to Carroll. In the sixth Carroll smashed Bowen and got smashed with a right in return. Bowen knocked Carroll down with a right hand swing and staggered him a moment later with a strong right hander on the jaw. Carroll led and hit Bowen a right hand belly punch and got a right hander in the jaw for his pains. Bowen now hit Carroll a left hander on the shoulder, and time was called. This round was even, both men being very tired.

From the sixth to the fourteenth Carroll was the aggressor. In the thirteenth round Bowen landed on Carroll's stomach, and Carroll knocked Bowen down with a right-hander. Bowen was groggy and Carroll weak; too weak to knock out his man. Carroll knocked Bowen down with a terrible right. Bowen took awful punishment, and reeled all over the ring.

Bowen was virtually beaten in the 14th round, when he received two heavy blows which so seriously hurt him that he never fully recovered, but he showed the most remarkable spirit and fought seven rounds more, although he was so groggy he could scarcely stand on his feet.

He maintained his reputation for grit to the last.

When the men met for the twenty-first round Carroll forced Bowen, the latter led and missed. Carroll hit Bowen on the neck. Bowen landed a light one. Carroll landed right and left and Bowen fell exhausted. He rose and fell again and then was counted out. Bowen's gameness was applauded to the echo. Bowen was terribly punished, but he had no complaint to make.

Carroll's victory was due to his magnificent defence. Bowen hit out as well as ever, but he could never land his blows or break through the defence, and only got in a few blows.

### HAD TO STOP THE FIGHT.

**Tommy Russell Beaten So Badly that the Spectators Interfered.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 17.—Tommy Kelly, the "Harlem Spider," and Tommy Russell, also of Harlem, fought a rattling battle in New Jersey last night. The match was with hard gloves, ten rounds, the referee having authority to order additional rounds. Russell weighed 110 pounds and Kelly about 114. Kelly did nearly all of the leading, but Russell stopped many of his blows neatly. Kelly got in hard on Russell's face. Russell won first blood in the third round, but in the sixth Kelly hit Russell right and left all over the ring and finally knocked him down.

Russell was game, and fought as hard as he could in a groggy condition. At the finish of the tenth round Russell was still on his feet, but the beating he got in the sixth had taken away his strength. Two additional rounds were ordered. In the twelfth, Kelly landed blow after blow on Russell's mouth, nose and eyes, and had him bleeding so badly that the spectators asked the referee to stop the fight. This was done, and the victory awarded to Kelly.

**Tommy Warren Secures a Draw.**

BUFFALO, N. Y., Sept. 17.—The fight between Tommy Warren and John Van Heest for $500 a side, came off at about midnight, in the vicinity of the State line between New York and Pennsylvania. It resulted in a draw after 11 rounds had been fought, though the fight was fairly won by Van Heest.

### HAMILTON IS DEAD.

**No Doubt Now of the Unfortunate Man's Tragic Fate.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 17.—Letters have been received by Schuyler Hamilton, brother of Robert Ray Hamilton, from John D. Sargent, the keeper of the ranch where Hamilton was staying, and from Casimir De R. Moore, who was visiting there at the time, giving full particulars of the sad story.

Of course, all the details can never be known, for no one saw Hamilton die. He was miles and miles away from any living human being at the time, and his body was not discovered until more than ten days had elapsed after he met his terrible fate.

The letters state that the body was buried at a spot overlooking Mary Mere Lake and the Teton Mountains, where Mr. Hamilton asked to be buried in case he died in the West.

**No Suspicion of Foul Play.**

General Schuyler Hamilton, father of the drowned man, said to a reporter: "There is little room for hope now," he said sadly; "the two letters received by my son Schuyler end all uncertainty as to the truth or falsity of the report of my son's death. I have no doubt that he is dead, and that he died in the manner indicated in Mr. Sargent's letter. There is nothing in the details so far received to justify a suspicion of foul play. Mr. Sargent was well recommended to my son by Mr. Wendell Goodwin and other friends, and I see no object that any one out there could have in bringing about my son's death. Neither do I think he committed suicide. My son was too brave to take his own life, and had plenty of courage to live down the cloud which temporarily overshadowed his career."

Mr. Hamilton's fortune is estimated at $500,000. It was inherited from his grandmother chiefly, and consists of real estate in buildings.

The family of Mr. Hamilton announce that the body will be brought to New York and buried in the family lot in Greenwood Cemetery.

### ERICSSON AT REST.

**His Body Deposited in a Chapel Built to Receive It.**

STOCKHOLM, Sept. 17.—The train bearing the body of Capt. Ericsson arrived at Filipstad at 9 a. m. At many places there were appropriate decorations to mark the occasion. When the train reached Filipstad the whole population turned out.

Twelve miners carried the body into a church, where Bishop Rundgren performed the funeral service. The coffin was then deposited in a chapel which had been erected especially for its reception in the adjoining cemetery, which is the finest in Sweden.

The officers of the warship Baltimore are being feted on all sides. The King received them at noon, and they had prominent places at the gala operatic performance last night. When the American officers entered the opera house the orchestra played the American anthem, and the audience rose en masse.

**Princess Victoria's Marriage.**

BERLIN, Sept. 17.—The marriage of Princess Victoria of Prussia, sister of Emperor William, to Prince Adolph of Schaumburg-Lippe, is fixed for November 21st.

### NEWS OF THE DAY.

Henry M. Stanley and his bride have arrived at Milan.

F. P. Sargent was re-elected grand master of the locomotive firemen.

Yesterday's elections in Brazil insure a Republican majority in the Constituent Assembly.

Count Tolstoi, the Russian author, is seriously ill.

The Ancient and Honorable Company of Artillery of Boston has decided to celebrate their fall field day in Philadelphia.

The Gold Beaters of New York city who struck Monday for an advance of $2.50 on the fifty penny weight of gold, have nearly all returned to work, the employers having granted the demands of the men.

The Massachusetts Labor Party in State Convention have nominated the following ticket: For Governor, Charles E. Marks of Somerville; Lieutenant-Governor, George R. Peare of Lynn; Secretary of State, John F. Dowd of Hyde Park; Treasurer, George J. Moulton of Boston; Attorney-General, J. Johnson of Greenfield; Auditor, P. F. O'Neil of Boston.

**Weather Indications.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 17.—For New England: Rain; cooler; southerly winds, shifting to northwesterly; fair to-morrow.

For Eastern New York: Fair; preceded by light rains in southern portion; cooler; northwesterly winds; fair to-morrow.

For Western New York and Western Pennsylvania: Fair; preceded by light rain; stationary temperature; northerly winds; fair and warmer to-morrow.

### NEW YORK MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—Money on call to-day, 8 and 10 per cent.

BONDS.

| | Closing Monday. | Closing To-day. |
|---|---|---|
| 4½s, 1891 Reg | 104¼ | 104¼ |
| 4½s, 1891 Coup | 104¼ | 104¼ |
| 4s, 1907 Reg | 123 | 126 |
| 4 s, 1907 Coup | 123 | 127 |

STOCK MARKET.

| | Closing Monday | Closing To-day |
|---|---|---|
| Canadian Pacific | 81 | 40¾ |
| Central Pacific | | 32 |
| Chicago, Mar. & Quincy | 96¾ | 96¾ |
| Delaware & Hudson | 136½ | |
| Del. Lack. & Western | 143¾ | 141 |
| Erie | 25 | 25 |
| Erie pref | | |
| Lake Shore | 103¾ | 103¾ |
| Louis. & Nash | 85¾ | 86¼ |
| Michigan Central | 92¾ | 93 |
| Missouri Pacific | 78¾ | 67¾ |
| New Jersey Central | 118 | 117¾ |
| Northwestern | 107¾ | 108¾ |
| Oregon Navigation | | |
| Pacific Mail | 44¼ | 44¾ |
| Reading | 40¾ | 40¾ |
| Rock Island | 87¾ | 87¾ |
| St. Paul | 68¼ | 67¾ |
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A. DEMAREST, - - MANAGING EDITOR


## BY THE WAY.

—Read Boehm's advertisement in to-day's PRESS.

—Howard Hummer, night ticket agent at the North avenue railroad station, resigned last night.

—There will be plenty of seats provided for to-morrow's ball match, but you must go early to get the best.

—The Elizabeth Wheelmen will hold their ten-mile race Saturday, September 27, at four P. M., over the Rahway course.

—Admission tickets purchased for the ball match with the Trentons, Saturday, September 6, will be good for admission to the grounds to-morrow.

—To-morrow's game between the Norwichs and the Crescents, will not be called until four o'clock. The 2:30 train from New York will be in time.

—Street-Commissioner Meeker has turned his attention to the broken culverts at Eighth street and Arlington avenue, and elsewhere about the city.

—An adjourned meeting of the Board of Officers of the Children's Home, will be held to-morrow afternoon at three o'clock in the Y. M. C. A. parlors.

—Cyclers who are not anxious to spend a night in the lock-up, or to pay a fine, or suffer both inconveniences, are advised to keep off the sidewalks in Montclair.

—To-morrow at 4 o'clock P. M., the Crescents and Norwichs will play a match in this city for the inter-State Championship of New Jersey and Connecticut.

—The ladies will be especially pleased with the Norwich team, to-morrow. They are all gentlemen, handsome looking and fine players; and they will wear their best suit of clothes out of compliment to Plainfield's fair women.

—That migratory plague of fleas has now reached New Brunswick. It didn't stay long in Plainfield, nor in Newark, but from the way the troublesome insects have swarmed into possession of New Brunswick's houses the inhabitants fear that they have at last found a place which suits their fancy.

—Young men with a good common school education who want to better their condition in life are advised to consider seriously the opportunity offered by the Young Men's Christian Association in the short-hand class that is soon to be organized. Information concerning the class will be furnished at the rooms.

—Lillie Young, the merry maiden who caused a sensation last week Sunday by accepting the "dare" of her escort and leaping from the deck of a Coney Island steamboat into the waters of New York Bay, is one of the chorus girls who will appear in "The Pearl of Pekin" on the stage of Stillman Music Hall, to-night.

—Wilkinson, Gaddis & Co., are most fortunate in securing as a representative of their cigar department so experienced, affable and popular a salesman as Henry Louis Ryckman. He has made but one visit to this city, and that only to acquaint himself with the trade; yet he has at once created a favorable impression which together with the high esteem in which are held the goods he handles, will surely result in profitable custom for his firm, in Plainfield.

—The preparations which were in progress all day yesterday, to remove the post office from its old location in the Schorb building to new quarters in the handsome Clarkson edifice, were followed last night by the removal itself, and this morning Plainfielders found the doors of the old office closed, and Postmaster Pope and his staff of clerks hard at work in the new office, with the mail all properly distributed as usual, and the discipline of the service not one whit disturbed.

### Seven Successful Sister Societies.

Seven societies of Christian Endeavor—the Park Avenue Baptist, the Congregational, the First Presbyterian, the Trinity Reformed, and the Warren Mission, of Plainfield; the Baptist, of New Market; and the Presbyterian, of Dunellen—will hold their first meeting as a Local Union, in the Trinity Reformed church, to-morrow evening. Reports from each society will be read, showing their growth and giving a record of their prosperous work. Addresses will be delivered by the Rev. C. L. Goodrich, of Plainfield and the Rev. W. C. Stinson of Dunellen. Spirited Christian Endeavor hymns will be rendered by a chorus of fifty voices, under the leadership of M. Marvin Dunham. Everybody will be welcome. The service of song will begin at 7:45.

## FLOPS LIKE A WEATHER-COCK.

### What the Subsidized Tool Said, and What He Says He Said.

*(From the news of Monday.)* *(From the news of Tuesday.)*

THE DUBIOUS FRANCHISE FOLD TO EX-CONGRESSMAN KEAN.

A HITCH IN THE ARRANGEMENTS TO SELL.

Mr. Charles Moore Mr. Moore and his has finally given up the creditors were not able struggle of trying to to conclude arrangebuild without capital a ments amicably yesterwater works system for day. There is a hitch. Plainfield, and has it now transpires that turned the franchise the franchise of the over to his principal Water Works Company bondsman and cred- cannot be sold without itor, ex-Congressman the consent of the Coun-John Kean, Jr., who in cil. It can, however, be consideration thereof transferred.

has agreed to discon- It is also said that the tinue his suits against judgment against Mr. Mr. Moore, and to re- Moore was not docketed imburse him for the on Saturday, being withtrouble he has been to held on certain condias to the projector of tions to be complied the enterprise. with by him, but, we

Judgment was ob- understand, the judgetained against Mr. ment is ready to be at Moore last week when any moment. In case of it became evident that failure on his part. he could neither pay We intimated this the city or Mr. Kean, much in our article of who was the principal yesterday. creditor.

The time for the execution of the judgment was up Saturday, but it was not passed, since Mr. Moore decided to accept Mr. Kean's generous offer to help him out of his difficulty. It is understood that Mr. Kean gives him $30,000.

"We intimated this much," is good, but the ignorance of the man who wrote the above, and the vagary of his mind, is further accentuated by the fact that he spells judgment twice on Monday with one "e," and once on Tuesday with two.

## PARTICULAR MENTION.

Alfred Holmes, of East Fifth street, has gone to Princeton College.

Mrs. Alfred Osborne, of Post Oram, is visiting Mrs. George Firstbrook.

W. H. Lyon and family are back from Kinsico, Westchester county, New York.

J. Allen Sangston leaves today for Kunja-muck Inn, in the Adirondacks, where he will spend a long vacation.

Mrs. T. A. VanZandt has closed her Summer cottage at Ocean Grove, and with her family is at home again on Crescent avenue.

Mrs. A. C. Vail and family have returned to their home at Madison avenue and Eighth street, after a two months visit to Wiscasset, Me.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wilkisson and family, have given up their home at Seventh street and Madison avenue, and removed to Washington Territory, where they will join their son who has established himself in business there.

Cards are out for the marriage of Miss Mame E. Volk, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. B. Volk, of Cherryville, Hunterdon county, to A. M. Vanderbeek, of this city. The wedding will take place at the home of the bride's parents Wednesday afternoon, October 1, at one o'clock.

Miss Anna Ticknor, one of the most popular teachers at the Franklin school, has been compelled by illness to forego the pleasure of resuming charge of her class this month, and will spend the early Autumn at health resorts. She will return to Plainfield and her school probably in late October.

### The Crescents' Good Omen.

During the game of base ball which the Plainfield Crescent League team lost to the West Ends at Somerville, last Saturday, the skies above the field of the contesting nines were clouded, and lightnings were flashing and thunders were roaring near at hand. When the train load of Plainfielders, ruminating over their defeat, left Somerville behind them and sped away towards home, the sunshine came glimpsing through rifts in the cloudland, and a bit of rainbow was painted by nature's master-hand on the horizon just before them. The bow of promise grew larger and brighter as they neared the city of their home, and as the train dashed up the final stretch the perfected bow seemed to hover just overhead—an indication to the minds of the trustful souls who had lost their money, or had refrained from betting, that the day of storms for the Crescent League was past, and that the coming games against the West Ends would be all sunshine for the Plainfield boys.

### The Opening Ball of the Season.

The third grand ball of the Oriental Social club, to-morrow evening, at Amphion Hall, promises to be a great success. The music will be by Prof. Samuel D. Frazee. The officers of the club are: President, F. Talliant; Vice President, W. B. Sharp; Treasurer, E. I. Vroom; Secretary, G. MacIntyre; Sergeant-at-Arms, W. Marsh.

The dance will be in charge of General Director, Benj. F. Crane; Floor Manager, James T. Mullen; Assistant Floor Manager, Edward C. Searing, and Floor Committee, Edward McCann and Charles Keller.

### A Church Burned at Somerville.

The First Reformed church at Somerville was burned at five o'clock this morning. The firemen answered the alarm promptly, and saved the building from utter destruction, but the organ was considerably damaged by smoke and water, and the belfry and tower were destroyed. The fire is attributed to the spontaneous combustion of old rags in a closet filled with rubbish.

## IN THEIR BEST SUIT OF CLOTHES.

### The Norwich Team Will be Here To-morrow for Their Return Game With the Crescents.

A telegram to THE PRESS from Norwich says that the ball team will leave there to-night for Plainfield, and will consist of the same players that defeated the Crescents 7 to 0 in Connecticut, "They will wear their new uniforms," says the message, "and the batting order will be: O'Connell, third base; Quinn, first base; Ryan, pitcher; Hartnett, left field; Long, second base; Gardner, short stop; Hackett, catcher; Snow, right field; Moore, centre field."

The Crescents batting order will be the same as last Saturday: Hatfield, right field; Martin, short stop; Lufbery, second base; Wiegand, first base; McIndoe, left field; Lever, centre field; Gregg, pitcher; Jones, catcher; Lee, third base.

### Still a Chance for an Ice Famine.

The ice famine that has been threatening to visit us for the last few months is said to be on the point of realization. About the last of October, dealers say, the Maine and Lake Champlain ice crops will be practically exhausted. The small cities in central and Western New York are already suffering from a scarcity, and are competing for the visible supply. In Pennsylvania, too a considerable demand has sprung up recently for New York State ice, and the Westean cities are looking Eastward for supplies to make up the shortness of the crop on the inland lakes.

Ordinarily New York dealers get ice from the Hudson for about $2 a ton. The present price for large restaurants and hotels is approximately $12 a ton. Most dealers prophecy that prices will boom shortly to the starvation point, but there is a suspicion that this prophecy is in the interest of still higher prices

### Central Tennis League.

*(From the Elizabeth Journal.)*

The Westfield Tennis club on Saturday last were obliged to relinquish their claim to first place in the Tennis League, by losing a game to the Roselle Tennis club on the latter's courts. The Westfields were represented by Messrs DeWitt and Sansom, and the Roselles by Messrs Warner and Smith.

The Roselles, by rather indifferent playing, lost the first set 5 to 6, but their play in the next two sets greatly improved, resulting in their winning both sets by 6 to 3 and 6 to 2. The record to date is:

| | Won | Lost |
|---|---|---|
| Roselle | 4 | 1 |
| Westfield | 4 | 1 |
| West End | 1 | 3 |
| Fanwood | 0 | 4 |

### The Comic Opera This Evening.

"The Pearl of Pekin," a delightful comic opera, the scenes of which are laid in China, will be presented at Music Hall, this evening, by a company, under the management of Edward E. Rice, whose name alone should assure a fine performance. The opera admits of beautiful scenery and costumes, and its music is of the popular order, abounding in catchy airs and strong choruses. Although the "Pearl of Pekin" has never been sung here before, it has made great successes in the larger cities, and the company who will appear here includes many of the same people who have made it famous.

### A Dangerous Fall.

Mrs. E. Sheridan, a guest of the Netherwood Hotel, raised one of the windows at the end of the reading room, the other night, and supposing the piazza extended around that side of the Hotel, stepped over the sill into space.

She fell about sixteen feet and landed on a hard gravel driveway. She was found unconscious by one of the laundry girls. Her arm was broken in two places, but she luckily escaped internal injury although so bruised that she is still confined to her bed.

### The Owner the Bigger Beast.

Some criminal left his horse and wagon standing on Front street, near the post office, from eleven o'clock yesterday morning until after five, when S. E. Flower of the S. P. C. A., took the starved and thirsty animal to Seguine's stables, where it was fed and watered. When the owner turns up he can get his horse by paying its board bill. He will also get, probably, a warrant of arrest for cruelty to animals.

### A Strong Case Against Linke, Says Captain Grant.

Frank Linke, a wholesale liquor dealer on West Front street, was arrested yesterday afternoon on the charge of selling liquor to minors. Before City Judge Codington he pleaded not guilty, and his trial was set for Friday morning at ten o'clock. The complainant in the case is Police Captain Grant, who has been securing evidence carefully and judiciously, and who says he is sure of procuring Linke's conviction.


"Standing with reluctant feet
Where the brook and river meet,"

is a period of "maidenhood" which is perilous in the extreme to a vigorous, healthy womanhood. Reckless exposure at certain times, has wrecked many a fair young life. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is of inestimable value. It is the only medicine for women, sold by druggists, *under a positive guarantee* from the manufacturers, that it will give satisfaction in every case, or money will be refunded. This guarantee has been printed on the bottle-wrapper, and faithfully carried out for many years.


### Mrs. McKeown Tired of Her Husband.

Alexander McKeown, a rich coffee merchant living in Fanwood, has been sued by his wife for divorce. The case was before Chancellor McGill yesterday and he gave the defendant ten days to file an answer.


"Good for young and old. We know of no better tonic for the system than Hires' Improved Root Beer. It is delicious, effervescent, sparkling, appetizing, and a helper of temperance. Satisfying the thirst, enriching the blood, and fortifying the system against the advances of disease. A 25 cent package makes five gallons. Sold everywhere.


### Connecticut Republican Convention.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Sept. 17.—The Republican State convention met at the Hyperion Theater this forenoon A temporary organization was formed by selecting ex-Lieutenant-Governor Cook as chairman and appointing committees on credentials, permanent organization and resolutions.

### Sudden Death of Judge Dick.

CRESSON, Pa., Sept. 17.—News has reached here of the sudden death at Johnstown of Judge C. L. Dick. For several years past deceased has been prominent in railroad litigation. He was also the legal representative in this section of the Pennsylvania railroad.

### Killed by a Tramp.

MOUNT HOLLY, N. J., Sept. 17.—John Bonner, aged 45, was murdered by "Dublin Jim," a hard character of this place, who, in company with a band of tramps, attacked Bonner in the woods a mile from here. Bonner was stabbed many times, and fatally, in the breast. The accused pleads self defense.

### A Phonograph to Record on Two Cylinders.

A phonograph to record on two cylinders simultaneously, so that one may be retained as a file, or so that a message may be repeated from one cylinder to another, is one of the most recent improvements in this line. The construction is said to permit of listening to the record on one cylinder and simultaneously therewith dictating a reply to the other cylinder, or to allow two persons to dictate at the same time. It will also reproduce two like messages simultaneously, thereby greatly increasing the volume of sound, or a cylinder bearing a record may be placed in the phonograph with one having no record, and the record be reproduced on the plain cylinder while the operator listens. This phonograph is a patented invention of Mr. James P. Magenis, of North Adams, Mass.

### Corrosion of Zinc in Contact with Brick.

A German paper mentions the fact that under some conditions sheet zinc, when in direct contact with brickwork, suffers to an appreciable extent from rapid corrosion. In building the Berlin city market-halls a portion of the zinc-work which rested upon brick walls was found to be deeply pitted at a number of places, particularly where the metal was close to the bricks. Chemical examination of these resulted in showing that they contained as high as one and fourteen-hundredths per cent. of soluble salts, of which the destructive effect increases by moisture. The proportion of such salts varies with different kinds of brick, while in some there may be nothing to induce any such corrosion. As a preventive, roofing felt or similar material may be placed between the zinc and brickwork.


PRESERVALINE is the name of a preparation sold to milk dealers to enable them, by adding it to their milk, to palm off stale milk on the community. It is supposed to consist mainly of boric or of salicylic acid. Ten per cent. of the milk furnished to Brooklyn is said to have had this substance added to it. The persons concerned profess that the milk is not made injurious by this procedure, but it is very obvious that it may become injurious under certain circumstances, and the State Dairy Commission is quite right in declining to leave that question to the milkmen's discretion.—N. Y. Medical Journal.


### Manganese Plating of Iron as a Protection from Rust.

According to our Italian contemporary, Progresso, articles of iron can be protected against rust by sinking them near the negative pole of an electric bath composed of 10 liters of water, 50 grammes of chloride of manganese, and 200 grammes of nitrate of amm onia. Under the influence of the current the bath deposits on the articles a film of metallic manganese which prevents them from rusting.

A SMART school-boy has defined the word "Dormitory" as a place where you try to sleep and can't.


E. H. HOLMES,
DEALER IN
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OFFICE—With Adams Express, 25 NORTH AV
YARD—Madison Avenue, opp. Electric Light Station. 12-

DICKINSON, Jeweler and Optician,
18 PARK AVENUE, has a fine line of CHOICE GOODS, consisting of Gold and Silver Watches, Fancy Clocks, Diamond Rings, Lace Pins, Chains, Charms and Silverware. Sole Agent for Dr. King's Spectacles.
Don't forget the number. 12-14-tf

CLOSE FIGURES.

Strange to say, we have been in Plainfield only six months, and during that time our trade has increased wonderfully; but of course we don't want it to stop here; we are bound to double it this Fall, and to do it we have selected a very

Choice Stock of Shoes,

For Fall trade, that were bought long before the rise in stock, and will give you some

Very Good Goods at Very Low Prices.

We know the people appreciate what we are doing.

ROGERS BROS.,
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The Leading Manufacturing FURRIER
Has opened a BRANCH STORE at
124 W. 42d Street.
Convenient to the N. Y., N. H. and H., N.Y. Central, New York and Harlem and the West Shore R. R. His Wholesale Store, 108 Prince St., will be found more convenient for those residing in New Jersey, Staten Island, or on any road touching New York by the down-town ferries.
124 W. 42d St., or 108 Prince St., N. Y.
ILLUSTRATED FASHION BOOK MAILED FREE.
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EXPRESS.
OFFICE—39 North Avenue,
Opposite Railroad Station.
8-15 tf


### Democratic Primaries.

Pursuant to the call of the County Democratic Executive Committee, the Democratic electors of the city of Plainfield will elect seven delegates to the Third Congressional District Democratic Convention to be held at the city of Elizabeth on Monday, the 22d day of September, at 12 o'clock noon.

The times, places and apportionment of delegates of said primaries will be as follows:

1st Ward—2 delegates; Dem. Headquarters, 28 W. Front st., Friday, 19th inst., at 8 o'clock P. M.
2d Ward—1 delegate; Dem. Headq'rs, 28 W. Front st., Friday, 19th inst., at 8:30 o'clock P. M.
3d Ward—1 delegate; Dem. Head'qrs, 28 W. Front st., Saturday, 20th inst., at 8 o'clock P. M.
4th Ward—3 d legates; Dem. Head'qrs, 28 W. Front st., Saturday, 20th inst., at 8:30 o'clock P.M. by the Democratic Association.

JAMES E. MARTINE, Pres.
Louis F. Wadsworth. Sec'y.
September 17, 1890.

### Arrival and Departure of Mails

*NEW YORK MAILS.*
*Arrive*—7:30, 9 40, A. M., 12:15, 2:30, 5:30 P. M.
*Close*—7:30 and 9:30 A. M., 1:45, 5:30 and 8 P. M.
*SOMERVILLE AND EASTON MAILS.*
*Arrive*—8:40 A. M., 2:40, 6:30 P. M.
*Close*—7:30 A. M., 4:30 P. M.

Direct mail to Trenton and Philadelphia at 4:30 P. M.

*SUNDAY MAILS.*
Office open from 9:30 to 10:30 A. M.
Mail closes at 6:30 P. M.

E. B. POPE, P. M.

## DEATHS.

MEIER—At Samptown, N. J., Sept. 16, William Meier, aged 42 years.

Funeral services from his late residence, Clinton avenue, near Samptown, Thursday, Sept. 18, at 2:30 P. M. Friends and relatives are respectfully invited.

## WANTS AND OFFERS.

*Advertisements under this heading, one cent for each word each insertion.*

WANTED—Girl for general housework. References required Apply at number one Myrtle avenue, North Plainfield. 9 17 tf

LOST—Small female skye terrier. Liberal reward will be paid for return to Miller's Hotel, Plainfield, N. J.

GIRL wanted, general housework. Call corner Sycamore and Willow avennes. 9 17 2

LARGE pleasant room; good table board; 35 West 4th street.

ROOMS, with or without board. 21 West 2d street. 9 16 2w

FOR SALE—Lot of household furniture. No. 47 Plainfield avenue, Friday afternoon. 9 16 3

WANTED—A second floor, convenient to station; must have improvements; by a family of three. Inquire at THE PRESS office. 9 15 tf

WANTED—12 to 15 tons of cow hay. Half the purchase money paid in advance to responsible party. Inquire at PRESS office. 9 13 tf

RYE WANTED—Highest market price paid N. W. French, 7 E. 4th street 9 11 tf

A NEW Steinway upright piano for sale. Call 64 Madison avenue. 9 8 10

FOR SALE—A Restaurant, doing a good paying business. Reason for selling, illness of proprietress. Inquire at Boston Cafe, No. 7 Somerset street. 9 6 tf

STORAGE for furniture in separate rooms. Apply to C. Frank French, 69 Somerset st. 9 2 tf

WANTED—Jobbing at painting, glazing kalsomining and roof painting. Address Isaac Kennedy, 49 Chatham street, North Plainfield. tf

WANTED—Work cleaning Vaults and Cesspools. Satisfaction guaranteed. City Odorless Excavating Works, 206 Broadway. Mrs. David Jones, Proprietor. No connection with JONES & CO. 6-11-tf

OUR MOTTO:—LOWEST PRICES CONSISTENT WITH GOOD QUALITY AND HONEST QUANTITY
The choicest Creamery Butter that can be produced.
Apollinaris Water; pints, $1.50, quarts, $2 dozen; Belfast Ginger Ale, $1.40 dozen.
Excelsior Sugar Cured Hams are the best—15c.
The finest Java and Mocha coffee in town, and the prices are right. Won't be undersold for same quality of goods. P. M. DEWAARENT.
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Music Hall.
ONE GRAND PERFORMANCE!
TO-NIGHT
RICE'S universally conceded, most elaborate production of comic opera known to the stage—
"PEARL OF PEKIN,"
Staged, Scened, Costumed in the most extravagantly rich manner of any similar production known to the annals of the stage.
250 nights in New York, 100 nights each in Boston, Philadelphia and Chicago, and the past two years in all the principal cities.
Prices—35c., 50c., 75c., and $1. Seats on sale Monday. 9 11 td

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CHAS. H. HAND, - Manager.
One Week, commencing
MONDAY EVENING, SEPT. 22.
DIXON'S TOURISTS in a repertoire of favorite plays, as follows:
Monday evening, the beautiful play—"Kathleen."
Tuesday evening, the ever-welcome society play—"East Lynne; or, the Elopement."
Wednesday evening Tom Taylor's instructive drama—"The Ticket-of-Leave Man."
Thursday evening—"Ten Nights in a Bar room."
Friday evening—"Uncle Tom's Cabin."
Saturday matinee—"East Lynne."
Saturday evening, the New York local drama, by Richard S. Lyle, entitled "Wild Rose," introducing the clever soubrette, Miss Libbie Moore, in her songs, dances, etc.
An excellent Company.
PRICES—15c., 25c., and 35c. 9 16 tf

MOY.
8-11-tf

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Having purchased of Henry C. Drake the business known as the
AMERICAN STEAM LAUNDRY,
14 East Front St., I desire to inform the public that I will endeavor to serve them in the best possible manner, and respectfully solicit their patronage. Goods promptly called for and delivered, upon notice by postal.
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8-8-y

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REAL ESTATE
AND INSURANCE AGENTS,
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3-25-y

M. M. DUNHAM,
Real Estate and Insurance,
7 EAST FRONT STEEET.
3-13-y

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NORTH PLAINFIELD, N. J.
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Special attention paid to
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NEW FALL CARPETINGS!
JUST RECEIVED, including a few rolls of the 75c quality Tapestry Brussels, offered at 65c.
A few rolls of the 90c Tapestry Brussels, offered at 80c.
A handsome new Body Brussels, offered at $1 00 and $1 10.
NOTE.—Any one wishing to purchase Carpets will do well to "snap up" these RARE BARGAINS. They will not last long, and cannot be duplicated.
NEW FALL DRESS GOODS—All-wool Serges, new colorings, 60c quality at 50c.
HANDSOME New All-Wool Serges, beautiful colorings, at 75c.
ELEGANT New Stripes, in all wool, at 59c., and new all-wool Plaids, at 79c. Something very desirable.
A splendid assortment of BLACK GOODS, plain and fancy effects. The prices are VERY LOW.
Everything new and fresh and cheap, at
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FURNITURE, BEDDING, UPHOLSTERY.
Large Assortment!
New Goods!!
Low Prices!!!
——Manufacturing and Repairing a Specialty.——
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Scale and Shell.
ROGERS' MARKET,
42 WEST SECOND STREET.
3-13-tf

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IN PLAINFIELD.
FOR THIS WEEK ONLY
We will give to every purchaser of a pound of our famous 50c SPECIAL MIXED TEA, 3 lbs GRANULATED SUGAR, FREE.
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First Annual Clearing Out Sale of WALL PAPER!
The purpose of which is to dispose of our entire stock and renew it exclusively with the new patterns of the coming season. 20 Points worth considering:
FIRST—Our stock is very large, carefully selected, and all this season's goods.
SECOND—The first customers will have a larger stock to select from, and will get the choicest bargains.
THIRD—Prices will be the lowest ever offered—bargains being offered daily below cost. Sale closes September 1.
A. D. VAN SCIVER, 47 NORTH AVE.,
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## ENGINEER DUNHAM'S "BONANZA."

**Every Cent He Gets He Earns, and the Charges Against Him Are False.**

Charges which would be serious if true were published in *The World* this morning against F. A. Dunham, of Plainfield, Road Engineer of Union County. When a PRESS reporter called on Mr. Dunham to interview him regarding the matter, the busy engineer had not yet learned of the publication of the article, and was shown the following:

The annual report of the County Collector of Union County has been published in book form and it will now be in order for the Republican Board of Freeholders, who had the authorizing of the expenditures noted in it, to rise and explain for the enlightenment of the astonished taxpayers. It will be interesting to know how an official whose salary is fixed by the Board of Freeholders has been allowed to draw a sum nearly five times greater than what he was supposed to receive.

When the County Road bill was passed the Board appointed F. A. Dunham, of Plainfield, as Supervising Engineer of Construction on the county roads at a compensation of $8 per day. He had the privilege of hiring two assistants at a salary of $2.50 each per day. Collector Wood's report shows that Collector Dunham has received on account of county roads the following sums at various times during the year: $837 00, $1,048.13, $686.13, $767.50, $1,530.50, $1,020.12, $979.50, $758.50, $570.88, $1,360.87, $994.50. Total, $10,603.72.

He also drew on account of bridges $63.67, 88.50, 77.08, 253.50, 42 50, 105.72, 49.01, 35, 39. Total, $753.98. This would make a grand total of moneys received by Engineer Dunham for his services of $11,357.70.

Supposing he worked every-day of the year, including Sunday, he would be entitled, at the rate fixed by the Board, to 365 days' pay at $8 per day, a total of $2,920.

His two assistants, presuming they had also worked the same time, would receive 365 times $5, their combined salary, amounting to $1,825, or a total for the engineer and his assistants of $4,745, all they were legally entitled to receive, on the presumption that they were on duty every day in the year, a rather unlikely thing to believe, as Mr. Dunham must have put in some of his time in earning the $753.98 which he is credited with getting on account of bridges.

Collector Wood's report shows that Mr. Dunham drew $10,603.72 for county roads alone, or an excess of $5,858.72 more than the combined salaries of himself and his assistants.

The taxpayers are entitled to know by what process of mathematical calculation a man whose salary is fixed at $8 per day, and his two assistants at $2.50 each, can figure up that the county of Union owes them $16,603 72. It is to be hoped this will be answered by the Freeholders in a more satisfactory manner than was the query put to the Board recently by Franklin Leonard Pope as to why the mud and clay were mixed with the Telford used in the construction of certain of the county roads, under the supervision of this exceedingly well-paid engineer.

Without any hesitation Mr. Dunham opened his books in the presence of the reporter and exhibited his method of keeping the road accounts.

Instead of himself and two assistants being the only workers for whom he draws pay, the number approaches two score. He has twelve different county road contracts under way, and for each contract is obliged to provide a supervising engineer and from one to two inspectors. Each engineer is paid $8 per day, the same as himself, and each inspector is paid $2.50 per day—eight hours constituting a day's work. When one of his engineers works two hours the county is charged $2, for a quarter-day's labor, and when one works twelve hours the county is charged $12. This same method is employed in keeping the time of the inspectors. In every instance the county is charged for the actual work done—no more, no less. Any one of ordinary intelligence willing to recognize the truth can see that it doesn't take many months for twelve engineers and ten or fifteen inspectors, working from two to sixteen hours a day, to run up a considerable bill. The principal engineers have of necessity been working over time a great deal, while some of the others have put in many short days. A conscientious record has been kept of each man's time, Mr. Dunham and his right hand man, Andrew J. Gavett, going over the books carefully each evening, to see that every detail was correct. The books have been open to the entire staff in Mr. Dunham's office ever since the county road work was begun, and if there had been any crookedness it would have been immediately discovered.

Those who know Mr. Dunham and Mr. Gavett—and who in Plainfield does not?—do not credit them with any desire for illegitimate spoliation of the public treasury; but even if they had combined to pocket over-charges, and had successfully subsidized the dozen of office employes who from a thorough knowledge of the proper charges and of the entries on the books would have known all about it, they could not even hope that falsified accounts would pass successfully the scrutiny of the Auditing Committee of the Board of Freeholders and the examination of the Board itself. The Freeholders have investigated thoroughly every account that has been presented, and no money has been expended except for work actually done.

The payments that have been made to Mr. Dunham on the county roads account has included, besides the salaries of engineers and inspectors already mentioned, the earnings of the office staff constantly at work on maps and other preparatory matters and of the surveying groups who stake out and curb lines and the grades. Then there are numerous incidentals, such as livery hire, which run the monthly expenses up to considerably more than $1,000, and for all this outlay Mr. Dunham of course has to be recompensed. The only money which he receives from the county actually for himself is his regular salary of $8 per day; and this weak attempt of *The World* correspondent to show that he has been pocketing wholesale illegitimate gains must be credited to ignorance or viciousness.

Mr. Dunham himself does a great deal of over time work, and of course gets paid the regular rate of $1 per hour. Mr. Gavett worked sixteen hours a day till he nearly killed himself and had to take a vacation, from which he has just returned, with his weight still twelve pounds less than normal. The other engineers, inspectors and surveyors, are also worked hard. Engineer Dunham and his assistants have a great deal to do before cold weather sets in. They have been pushing matters for the best interests of the people. None of them has received a cent that was not his due, and none of them has attempted or desired to defraud the taxpayers. The Board of Freeholders have audited all accounts and have been satisfied in every instance with the honesty of the service and the thoroughness of the work. And Mr. Dunham's books are open for the inspection of every Doubting Thomas who is open to conviction.

## WOMEN WHO KEPT THEIR PLEDGE.

**Total Abstainers Removing Prejudice Against the Waters of Foreign Lands.**

Mrs. T. H. Tomlinson, of LaGrande avenue, says that the idea that when one goes abroad he must drink the wines of European countries in preference to the waters is altogether wrong. During her foreign trip this Summer both the Doctor and herself drank nothing but water, and were in the best of health, while those who were afraid of Adam's ale and who indulged exclusively in manufactured drinks were in many cases visibly affected by the liquors. At a recent meeting of the Women's Christian Temperance Union, of which she is President, she caused a profound impression among the members by announcing that on shipboard and during the journey abroad she was deeply grieved to see a pastor who is a great friend of the Union throughout the land and who is known personally to many of the members in this and other cities, drink fermented liquors freely, setting a pernicious example to young people whose lips had hitherto been guiltless of the bowl, and establishing within himself, apparently, a taste for that which he had taught others to shun. She deprecated earnestly this example of failing to practice purity as well as to preach it.

Miss Clementine Yates, who also had just returned from a long visit to foreign shores, indorsed heartily what Mrs. Tomlinson said concerning the drinks of other countries. The temptations, she said, were many, but if one had strength of will and faith he could withstand all arts and keep from violating his pledge. *During the many long months she spent* among strange nations she shunned all wines just as though she were at home, and drank nothing but native waters, and remained in perfect health.

*The women unite in declaring that good* water abounds in every clime, and no one need drink of anything else except from choice. Health and happiness, they add, attended the drinking of water in the old world long before the new world was discovered, and health and happiness still attend water-drinkers more than winebibbers, the world over.

**Good Fruits in Local Markets.**

Doubtless the best California grape now to be purchased is the Tokay. This grape is coming into the market in good order. It is most attractive in appearance, but will be in its best condition in about ten days. Tokays of excellent quality may be bought from the vendors for from 12 to 15 cents per pound. The best at present come in packages containing five pounds, and may be purchased from the fancy fruiterers for $1 per package.

Melons are no longer of good quality. The excessive rains have seriously affected the quality those grown near by, and the South Jersey crop is about all gathered.

Cranberries will be abundant this season, but growers, owing to the scarcity of apples and other fruits, expect to receive high prices.

Tomatoes will be abundant and comparatively cheap all this week. Long Island farmers have to sell them to the wholesale markets for not above 30 cents per box of 50 pounds each.

Reports from the sweet-potato producing sections are to the effect that a large crop will be gathered this season. There is a large crop of white potatoes, and most potato dealers and speculators are inclined to the opinion that the Government reports underestimate the potato crop. There is no doubt but that there will be a great State and Eastern crop.

**The Success of the Season.**

Although the Broadway theatre will accommodate thousands of patrons during the next two weeks, and though seats can now be purchased for any night of the engagement, yet Francis Wilson and Company will leave behind them thousands with an unsatisfied longing to see and hear more of the "Merry Monarch." There was never so decisive, deserving and distinguished a success in the history of light opera. There is not a mistake in it. Years of experience had taught Comedian Wilson and Manager Canby just what to leave out, and the result is perfection in all parts. The music is particularly pleasing, and the lines generally good. Wilson falls down stairs as an entrance, and is on the stage most of the time. He has now an opera all his own, that he has built to fit himself and his excellent company. The consequence is it is almost faultless.

—Ryan who pitches for the Norwich team is an Apollo. He can throw a ball all around a batter's neck, and he hits out of sight.

## THE ENGAGEMENT RING.

**Daring Exploit of a Lover in the Wild Ozark Region.**

The first one usually doesn't cost much; but it costs enough, for all that, says the St. Paul Pioneer-Press. You are about twenty when you begin looking over the jewelers' advertisements and find yourself wondering if she will be pleased with what you save and pinch so to get. At length you have bought it. Then comes the eventful evening; you stroll down the street feeling your importance at every step; with thumping heart you pass into your love's sweet presence; there she sits expectant; before you know any thing about it her hand is in yours. Over her taper fingers the jeweled band is slipped, and what follows immediately you remember so well it need not be recalled.

Hank Hilliard was born and reared away down in the wild Ozark region of Christian County, Mo., almost within gunshot of the famous Bald Knobbers of South Missouri. He had never been out of the county, much less out of the State, and his ideas of engagement rings were limited. When pretty Sallie Diggs—pretty in spite of her length, shambling walk and freckles—insisted upon a ring before she would consider the engagement binding, Hank was nonplused.

He expostulated without avail, scratched his head, thought a long while and finally went away. He came back the next afternoon, his brown face wreathed in smiles.

"I've got her," he exclaimed, and, reaching in his pocket, he drew out a great ring of brass.

Sallie smiled and reached out her hand. Hank slipped the ring over the girl's largest finger, and, leaning near the simple maiden, whispered:

"Now, Sal, air ye satisfied that weuns is engaged?"

"Yes, Hank," Sal whispered, shaking the ring around on her finger; "but say, Hank, whar did ye git it?"

"Ye won't tell?"

"Nope."

"Hones'?"

"Hones', Hank?"

"Ef ye must know, I cut it outen dad's Sunday galluses."

Sal slipped over into Hank's arms, and, as their freckled, sun-burned cheeks touched, the girl whispered:

"Say, Hank, ain't ye 'fraid yer dad'll lick ye when he finds his galluses busted?"

## A MODERN MUMMY.

**It Can Be Seen in the Establishment of a Kansas City Undertaker.**

There has been a great deal of valuable time lost and a considerable waste of paper by writers who have deplored at length what they termed the lost art of embalming—the art in which the Egyptians are said to have excelled every people since man's creation. There is an undertaker in Kansas City who, according to the Star, has demonstrated beyond a doubt that he can do better work in embalming than even the Egyptians did in their palmiest days of cultivating the art. Nor does he require the profuse use of oils and spices and bolts of linen goods to protect the subject from the ravages of time. No mummies are recovered with the features well preserved. The friends of Clarence Wagner can find no difficulty in tracing the familiar lines of his face, his perfect features and auburn hair and mustache, if they will only visit the undertaking rooms and request to see the embalmed body. Wagner was a native of Germany, and when he died, October 16, 1888, he was thirty years of age. He lived in Kansas City for several years, and was well known in many German societies. His death was due to quick consumption, and occurred in the German Hospital in this city. Sickness had absorbed all his means before he was taken to the hospital, and after his death no one claimed the body, which was prepared for burial and held for orders for its final disposal, but none came. The undertaker then conceived the idea of making some experiments with embalming fluids concocted by himself and the opportunity for a fair test as to their efficacy and durability was afforded. After the arteries were emptied about a half gallon of liquid preservative was injected in them. This liquid contained considerable salt, but the other component parts are kept secret. Every day for a month injections of the liquid were made and the skin thoroughly rubbed with another preparation. The body gradually decreased in size and in six months' time it was thoroughly prepared to retain its shape for eternity. Numerous experiments on this subject with the ordinary destructive fluids and with the elements of wind and weather have been made, but it remains intact.

**A Boy With Many Wives.**

A correspondent of the Indian Daily News has furnished the details of an extraordinary case of polygamy. A Brahman of Bengal gave away his six aunts, eight sisters, and four daughters in a batch in marriage to a boy less than ten years old. The ages of the brides of three generations varied from fifty years to three months, and the baby bride was brought to the marriage ceremony on a brass plate. Among the Kulin Brahmans, it is said, the man who receives in marriage the majority of the daughters of a family is also bound to have the rest, otherwise the minority must suffer a lifelong celibacy. The correspondent concludes: "Hundreds of instances like the above might be given if needed."

**No Cipher Was Needed.**

A remarkable telegram broke up the entire establishment in a big New York store recently. The head of the firm received a dispatch conveying this information: "A mosquito ill to-day. Can't come down." He called in the other partners and the chief clerks for a consultation. They had no cipher that fitted the telegram, but after awhile light dawned upon one of the party. A bright young man in the store rejoices in the name of Amos, and, being under the weather, his mother wrote this telegram: "Amos quite ill to-day. Can't come down." Business was suspended for an hour while the establishment was recovering its equilibrium.

## SECRET SOCIETIES.

**Masonic.**

The thirty-third or last degree in Scottish Rite Masonry will be conferred at Cleveland this month on a larger number of prominent Masons than ever before at any meeting of the Supreme Council. Applications for this grade are not received, but the honor is bestowed for special service and upon the recommendation of active members of the Supreme Council residing in the several States. The number that can receive the thirty-third degree is limited to one for every hundred thirty-second degree Masons in each State.

The picnic recently given in Illinois for the benefit of the Masonic Orphans' Home realized nearly three thousand dollars for that institution. An example of Masonic charity certainly worthy of imitation.

Thurlow Weed was perhaps the staunchest anti-Mason that ever lived, and yet when the Grand Lodge of New York recently began to pay off the debt of the Masonic Hall in that city the trustees found a large block of the seven per cent. bonds securely registered in the name of Thurlow Weed, on which his heirs drew a handsome income for many years. The efforts of the wily statesman to destroy Freemasonry did not seem to weaken his faith in its securities as a profitable investment.

**Odd-Fellows.**

The decoration of chivalry was conferred for the first time in Canada at a recent meeting of Rebekah degree members at Windsor, Ont. Mrs. Reid, the Noble Grand of Naomi Rebekah degree staff, was the recipient of the honor, which was bestowed in the presence of a very large audience.

An Odd-Fellows' temple at Grand Forks, N. D., is nearly completed and will be dedicated next month. It is a handsome structure, costing nearly $30,000.

The Veteran Odd-Fellows' Association of New York gave its first annual banquet last week. There were upward of a hundred members at the feast, although twenty-one years of active consecutive membership in the order is necessary for admission to the association.

**Improved Order of Red Men.**

The annual session of the Great Council of the United States will be held on the Boston reservation September 9. Great chiefs from all parts of the United States will attend and a great pow-wow will be held.

The Supreme League of National Chieftains of the United States will assemble in Boston September 3. This is the uniformed body of the order, and the citizens of Boston will be treated to a parade of noble adopted savages in full war-paint.

**Ancient Order United Workmen.**

The Supreme Recorder, M. H. Sackett, has just issued his monthly report for July, 1890. It shows a net gain of membership of sixteen hundred during the month. In some jurisdictions there was a material decrease of membership that month. Illinois seemed to suffer most, the loss being three hundred and thirty, principally due to suspensions for nonpayment of dues. Some of the other jurisdictions had a notably large increase, Kansas appearing in a particularly active and healthy condition.

**Knights of Pythias.**

The reports of the Grand Keeper of Records and Seal of Illinois, for the Pythian year just closed, shows a net increase of three thousand members in that jurisdiction, and thirty-seven new lodges organized. The Grand Lodge will meet in annual session at Bloomington, September 21, and a lively session is expected.

**Knights of Honor.**

The annual session of the Grand Lodge of Illinois will convene at Springfield September 16. During the past year the order in that State has been peaceful and prosperous, and an interesting session is expected. Some very important measures for the extension of the order in the State will come up for action, and no doubt cause a lively debate.

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**About Currants.**

E. P. Roe writes: "Currants are but half appreciated by the world. People rush around in July in search of health. Let me recommend the currant cure. If any one is languid, depressed in spirits, inclined to headaches, and generally 'out of sorts,' let him finish his breakfast daily for a month, with a dish of freshly picked currants. He will soon doubt his own identity, and may even think that he is becoming a good man. He will be more gallant to his wife, kinder to his children, friendlier to his neighbors, and more open-handed to every good cause. Work will soon seem play, and play fun. In brief, the truth of the ancient pun will be verified. 'That the power to live a good life depends largely upon the liver.' Out upon the nonsense of taking medicine and nostrums during the currant season. Let it be taught at the theological seminaries that the currant is a 'means of grace.' It is a corrective, and that is what average humanity most needs. They are fast growers. Every cutting of young wood six inches long, will make a new plant in a season; and they will thrive almost anywhere."

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And now in the wind's caress;
With song as sweet as at morn the starling
Is wont to the skies to trill,
Mollie, the farmer's daughter and darling,
Comes tripping adown the hill.

Purple and black are the braided tresses
Her dainty temples that crown;
Light is her step on the sward it presses,
As fall of the thistledown.
The squirrels peep from the wayside hedges,
As the maiden moves along,
And count it chief of their privileges
To list to her jocund song.

Down where the alders and slender rushes
Border the rivulet's banks,
And the widened sweep of the water gushes
Under a bridge's broad planks;
Whistling a love-song, in broken snatches—
His hat pushed back from his brows—
Robin, the miller, awaits and watches
For the coming of the cows.

Up to their knees in the stream, the cattle
Drink deep of its crystal flow;
Little they care for the lovers' prattle
Or the bliss the twain may know;
Their heaving sides with their draughts distended,
They enter the path again,
And crop the grasses, with heads low bended,
On either side of the lane.

The shadows deepen; the dew is sprinkling
With diamonds all the meads;
And faint and far, in the distance tinkling,
The sound of the bells recedes.
Still on the bridge where the water glistens,
As the moonlight on it falls,
The miller talks, and the maiden listens,
But the cows are in their stalls.
—William D. Kelly, in Ladies' Home Journal

## THE COUNTERFEITERS.

### How Patty Lockwood Discovered a Bogus Money Mill.

A few miles from the Connecticut river, boundary line between lower New Hampshire and Vermont, may still be seen the scattered remains of a tiny colonial settlement. There is a legend which tells of a school-master, who, reaching the little hamlet, footsore and weary, after an unavailing search for a place in which to open his school, exclaimed: "Eureka! I have found it!" as he saw before him a brick school-house, newly built and teacherless. Since then the small settlement, which had a school-house before it had a name, has been known as Eureky, and bricks from the original school-house, in proof of this christening, are carefully preserved. One June day in Revolutionary times a middle-aged man plodded along the Crown Point road, which ran through Eureky on its stony way across the Green mountains to Bennington, the chief high road from the New England coast to the State of New York. He was short and sturdy, and carried under one arm an iron box, secured by a padlock. As a lumbering ox-team or whistling wood chopper passed him, on their way home from a long day's work, he pulled his hat well down about his face the better to hide his beetling brow and deep-set eyes. Coming at length to a narrow bypath he struck off to the left of the Crown Point road, and, reaching a broad-faced, well-built house he looked sharply about, and finding that he was unobserved, tapped upon the window pane.

"Hello! McAndrew, is that you?" called a subdued voice from within.

"Black river," answered McAndrew, giving a private countersign, and the door was opened.

Although the rumble of thunder was in the air, a huge fire blazed in the mammoth fire-place of the room which McAndrew entered, and it was evident from the appearance of the two unkempt men present that they were engaged in some nefarious occupation. Their voices were lowered, and they moved noiselessly in their stocking feet from the fire-place to the table, filling coin molds with melted metal.

"How much did you use of it at Charlestown?" asked one of the men, lifting McAndrew's box and shaking it gently.

"A little is left," answered McAndrew. "But to-morrow will be our day, for Stark goes through here on his way to Bennington, and we will treat his soldiers to their fill with our illegal tender."

For a few hours all three worked like bees, melting, molding and stamping their bogus coin. Then they dropped it, still warm, into McAndrew's box, and placed it, for safe keeping, in a cave dug in the bank just back of the house.

This accomplished to their satisfaction, they returned to the house, threw wide the outside door in order to cool the rooms below, while they went upstairs to examine the treasure hidden there. Pushing back a secret panel in the wall, they stepped into a small, closely-boarded room, and opening a wooden box looked in.

"Those pesky rats have been at work again," exclaimed one of the men, taking out a handful of nibbled money.

"Let me see it," said McAndrew, and gleaning among the bits, he collected a quantity of counterfeit scrip, which he distributed equally among them.

"Remember, lads," he said, "no paper goes for less than three York shillings; there's a deal of work in making this," and he gathered up, and fondly looked at his share.

This paper currency was shorter and narrower than the "greenback" of today, and had upon its face a picture of an Indian, guiding his frail canoe down a reckless stream, illustrating the motto, "Pass me along," printed below it. Many of the good people of Eureky were not as ignorant as they seemed of the counterfeiters' "plant" in their midst, but in those troublesome times it was deemed the better part of valor to leave them undisturbed.

Patty Lockwood, the hardy daughter of a pioneer race in which the women were as fearless as the men, had been watching long past midnight with a sick neighbor (neighbors were then far apart), and regardless of flashing clouds and heavy thunder had already gone half a mile on her return home when the storm broke into a frenzy of wind and rain. Before her was the counterfeiters' house. The door was still open, throwing an alluring stream of light far into the storm-beaten pathway, and Patty stepped inside for shelter without any hesitation.

The counterfeiters, still upstairs, had grown merry over the contents of a brown jug, also kept in the panel-room, and become so unguarded in the fancied security of the late hour that Patty's quick ear caught the words: "Here's to our good luck." Another voice sang jovially:

"Our money bright
Buys rum at night
For the weary soldier boy;
For what cares he,
Or what care we,
If it is all alloy?"

And the others joined in the chorus:

"From daylight till dark
We'll cheat old Stark,
Yankee Doodle Do—"

"Hark!" cried McAndrew, as Patty ran out into the night, slamming the door after her, "what was that?"

"Only the wind shutting the door," answered the soloist; "you needn't turn pale."

"Hush-sh!" said the third, as they went down-stairs on tip toe.

The jingle rang so persistently in Patty's mind that it disturbed the three hours for rest still left to her upon reaching home. She was glad of the first rays of morning light, showing that it was time to dress and drive home the cows for their early milking.

"From daylight till dark
We'll cheat old Stark."

she hummed, alternately with "coo mooly, coo mooly," as she climbed the hills to the waiting cows and let down the bars to their pasture.

"Coo mooly, coo mooly," she called again; but they did not seem willing to come, and, following the direction of their raised heads she saw a large troop of soldiers coming along the Crown Point road under the leadership of General Stark, on an early march to Bennington. Never had Patty seen so many people at once. Standing one side as they passed she stared hard at them and at the heavy cannon dragged in the rear.

General Stark was not an entire stranger, for he had twice taken a meal at her father's house. Suddenly impressed with the idea that he ought to hear this rhyme, which seemed to indicate some trouble in store for him, she snatched off her sun-bonnet in order to run the faster, and overtook and stopped him.

"Benona Lockwood's girl, as I'm alive!" exclaimed General Stark. "What can we do for you?"

"Oh, nothing," answered Patty, her pink cheeks deepening many shades as she caught her breath. "You have enemies in that house yonder," and she pointed to the counterfeiter's house. "Late last night I heard them singing this about you," and she repeated the jingle.

"Here, my boys, into that boarding-house yonder," commanded General Stark, "and don't you let a man escape!"

The willing soldiers, many of them having overheard Patty's rhyme, fell upon the counterfeiters' house and raided it from cellar to garret, the panel room only escaping their invasion. Two of the counterfeiters were captured, and the third, McAndrew, "'tis said," hid in the cave for safety; as he was never seen to come out it is supposed he died there.

"Patty," said General Stark, handing her a piece of the cheat money as a memento of the occasion, "who knows but you've turned the poor colonists' luck, and the English may get a sound thrashing at Bennington? The flavor of a small success makes the boys hungry for a larger one. Three cheers for Patty Lockwood, my lads!" and the General waved his hat.

"Three cheers!" called the soldiers, lustily.

"Three cheers!" repeated the Eureky villagers, standing near in a small group.

"Three cheers!" echoed Mt. Ascutney a mile away, as the soldiers continued their march to victory and death.

The only perfect specimen of the counterfeiters' paper money may be found in the Boston Museum, and the coin and stamp molds are in the possession of the descendant of an old Eureky family.—M. Carrie Hyde, in Congregationalist.

## SHE OUTWITTED THEM.

### The Ancient Maiden Calmly Made Use of an Unfamiliar Tongue.

In a semi-fashionable boarding-house "on the hill," in Washington, resides, as a guest, a maiden lady, cultured and clever. Like some other nice people, she is rather sensitive on the subject of age, and this, of course, was the subject of some quizzing among the thicker-skinned boarders. The blank left at the house by the enumerator was spread out on the parlor table, and the inmates requested to fill in the various spaces as to their antecedents, etc. Secrecy was, of course, out of the question, and considerable curiosity was evinced as to how our ancient maiden would treat the query as to her age.

When her turn came she was equal to the emergency. She quietly filled in all the desired information, and when the eager eyes around scanned the "age column" they found they could make nothing of it. Every thing else was written out in a neat, clear hand, but here they were stumped.

"Why, Miss Arabella," said the landlady, smiling sweetly, "I am afraid the enumerator will not be able to make this out," pointing to the item in question.

"That?" said Miss Arabella, placidly. "Oh, that is written in German, you know, and if he can't read it they can at the office, of course." And she calmly retired, well aware that not a soul in the house but herself understood a word of German.

### A Heavenly Expression.

An Episcopal clergyman of Indiana tells this as a true story: Recently one of the prominent members of his parish died. After the funeral the widow found great comfort in telling her neighbors about the many virtues of her late husband, even mentioning that he took the greatest delight in playing cards as an innocent pastime. She must have been thinking of him as he appeared in his "customary attitude," for she said: "Jacob looked so well when they opened the coffin at the church. He had not changed one particle. There was, oh! such a heavenly expression on his face! He looked just as though he held four kings."

## A SPOOL OF TWIST.

### A Screaming Farce, with a Moral, in Two Acts.

DRAMATIS PERSONÆ.
Mr. Chauncy Purseproud.
Mrs. Chauncy Purseproud.
Miss Kitty Gumchaw (Saleslady).
Mr. Bill Gall (City Expressman).

ACT I.

SCENE I.—(Dry and Fancy Goods Emporium of Messrs. Linnen & Dolly. Mrs. Chauncy Purseproud at small-wares counter, presided over by Miss Kittie Gumchaw).

Mrs. Purseproud—A spool of twist, please.

Miss Gumchaw (busy arranging her

bangs, with aid of hand-mirror)—Beg pardon.

Mrs. P.—A spool of twist.

Miss G. (leisurely giving finishing touches to her bangs)—Yes'm; in a moment. What shade?

Mrs. P.—Mauve.

Miss G.—I don't think we have that shade. We have had it, but—light or dark?

Mrs. P.—Light.

Miss G.—Ah, here it is! I knew we had had it, but I thought it was all gone. Will you take it with you?

Mrs. P. (haughtily)—Certainly not. Send it. (Gives Michigan avenue address.) I want it to-day, sure.

Miss G.—Yes'm, certainly. Cash! Cash!! Cash!!! Where are you, Cash? Here, Thirteen! you take this. Come a-runnin'! What you're busy? I'll report you to the floor-walker if you don't come and take this right off! Don't you make any mouths at me, you sassy thing, you! Hurry right back, now—get out, quick!

ACT II.

SCENE II.—(Mr. and Mrs. Purseproud's bedroom at eleven p. m. Mr. and Mrs. Purseproud asleep. House dark. Servants all in bed.)

Mrs. Purseproud (starting up suddenly)—Mr. Purseproud! Chauncy!

Mr. Purseproud (gruffly) — Hey? Whacher want?

Mrs. P.—There's some one ringing the door-bell.

Mr. P.—Well, let 'em ring. It won't hurt the bell any.

Mrs. P.—But there's no one to go to the door. The servants are all in bed in the attic rooms, where they can't hear any thing.

Mr. P.—They wouldn't budge if they did hear. (Bell rings furiously).

Mrs. P.—Do get up and go to the door. It may be something important. A telegram, perhaps. May be mother is ill, and has sent for me. (Screeches out). Y-e-e-s; in a moment. Hurry, Chauncy.

Mr. P. (more anxious than he seems)—Where in thunder's the matches? Never can find one when I want it. (Bell rings loud and long). Yes—yes. Good Lord, don't jerk the bell wire out! I'm coming!

Mrs. P.—Chauncy! You're not going down to the door looking like that!

Mr. P.—Well, I *am*. You want me to go and make a full dress toilet for some messenger boy, or some idiot, who wants to know where John Smith lives? Humph!

Mrs. P.—Well, I'd put something on, anyhow. What if it should be a lady?

Mr. P. (scornfully)—A *lady!* Queer lady, to go racing round, banging doorbells at midnight. I'd go down, just as I am, if I knew there were forty ladies there! (Goes down. Falls over chair in hall. Swears. Can't find door knob. Swears some more. Mrs. P. calls out for him to "stop that." Opens door, so as to scrape one of his bare feet. More swearing).

Mr. P. (standing in vestibule, clad in

virgin white, and calling to some one outside)—What you want?

Mr. Bill Gall (city expressman, greatly belated)—Is this Mr. Chauncy Purseproud's house?

Mr. P.—Yes, it is.

Mr. Bill Gall—Package from Linnen & Dollys'.

Mr. P. (icily)—This is a *nice* time of night to come around with *packages!* If I had my gun I'd *shoot* you!

Mr. Bill Gall—Ye needn't jaw me, old man; I couldn't help it. I had orders to leave it, *sure*, and I had to come a mile out o' my way; and—

Mr. P.—Oh, shut up. Gimme the package.

Mr. Bill Gall—Here it is.

Mr. P.—Where?

Mr. Bill Gall—How

Mr. P.—*Where*, fool?

Mr. Bill Gall—Here, chump!

(Mr. Purseproud paws around in the darkness, trying to feel the package, which Gall suddenly flings into the vestibule, and runs down steps).

Mr. P.—I'll report you, young man!

Mr. Bill Gall—Report and be ——!

(Purseproud bangs and locks the door, and then gets down on all fours in vestibule, and feels around for package, using awful language. Finds package, and flies upstairs with it between his thumb and fore-finger.)

Mrs. P.—What is it, dear?

Mr. P. (rudely and vulgarly mimicking his own wife)—What is it, d-e-a-r? I'd ask, if I were you! It's *that!* (Unrolls paper, and throws spool of mauve twist at Mrs. Purseproud. She catches it, deftly, in one hand, and says, calmly) Why, it's my spool of twist!

Mr. P. (fiercely)—Your spool of twist! I'll just be ——!

Mrs. P.—Chauncy!

Mr. P.—Well, by—

Mrs. P.—*Mr.* Purseproud!

Mr. P. (gritting his teeth)—Well, I—I—I—

Mrs. P.—I'd be ashamed to make such a fuss about nothing.

Mr. P.—Nothing! You call it nothing to have a man and a horse raiding the streets of Chicago at midnight, with *a spool of twist*, that you could have carried home in your pocket. You call it "nothing," to have your worn-out husband wakened out of his sleep to prance around after an infernal little spool of *twist!* Hang me, if you *wimmen* can't be the blamedest—

Mrs. P. (coldly)—*Mr.* Purseproud, remember that you are talking to your *wife!* I decline listening to any more such language, and will pass the remainder of the night in the guest chamber. Good night, *sir!*

(Exit Mrs. Purseproud. Mr. Purseproud flings himself into his bed, rolls

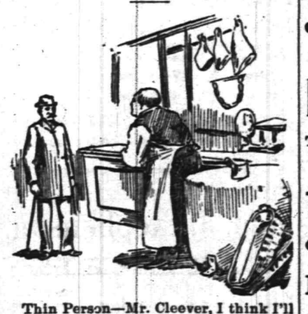
himself up in the bed-clothes, and mutters often in his sleep)—A *spool of twist!* Humph!—Light.

### A Loving Menage.

Mr. Cræsus Bullion (aged seventy-five)—I notice, Evalina, that you have been lately calling me "dearest swan." It's a very pretty term; what is the allegory?

Mrs. Cræsus Bullion (aged twenty, one year married)—You know a swan lives one hundred years, and it seems as though you might live to that age, doesn't it?—Jewelers' Circular.

### JUDGING BY APPEARANCES.



Thin Person—Mr. Cleever, I think I'll trade with you hereafter. I've been buying my meat from the butcher across the way.

Cleever—Well, you look it!—Munsey's Weekly.

### Breaking It Gently.

Lynching Party (whispering before knocking)—Break it gently to her, Ike!

Alkali Ike—You bet! (as the lady of the dug-out appears) Howdy, *Widder* Hosley?

Mrs. Hosley—What do you mean? I'm no widow. Where's Hank?

Alkali Ike (triumphantly)—Yes you air! See that thing hangin' on the jack oak limb, over thar in the edge uv the tall timber? That's Hank!—Munsey's Weekly.

### A Slur on the Singers.

"Yes," said the minister, "I have bade farewell to my congregation. I have determined to go and try to convert the heathen."

"Then surely, Mr. Whanger," said the soprano, reproachfully, "you won't forget to visit your choir."—Philadelphia Times.

### His Vacation.

Foggs—Did you enjoy any vacation this year?

Talbot—Oh, yes.

Foggs—I'm glad to hear that. Where did you go to?

Talbot—Oh, I did not go away; but my wife did—savey?—Munsey's Weekly.

### A Good Guesser.

A—I'll bet that Jones has got a red-headed wife.

B—Yes, he has. But how do you know, as you say you never saw her?

A—Nothing, only I saw him yesterday with his head tied up, and he was looking for a place where they mended furniture cheap.—Texas Siftings.

### Scriptural Authority.

"No, Johnny," said Mrs. Cumso, decisively, "you can not go fishing."

"But the Bible says I ought."

"What do you mean?"

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| 2d trip | 8.15 A. M. | to meet | 8.33 A. M. | train. |
| 3d do | 9.15 | do | 9.32 | do |
| 4th do | 10.00 | do | 10.37 | do |
| 5th do | 11 00 | do | 11.24 | do |
| 6th do | 11.45 | do | 12.06 P.M. | do |
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| 9th do | 3.30 do | meet 3 51 P. M. | train. | |
| 10th do | 5.00 do | do 5.39 | do; | |
| 11th do | 5.45 do | do 6.07 | do | |
| 12th do | 6.45 do | do 7.03 | do | |

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PLAINFIELD AND NEW YORK.

Leave Plainfield 3 37, 5 24, 5 38, 6 29, 6 59, 7 26 7 30, 7 58, 8, 8 15, 8 31, 8 37, 9 32, 10 05, 11 09, 11 39, A. M., 1, 1 43, 2 07, 2 30, 3 12, 3 51, 5 08, 5 31, 6 07, 6 54, 7 03, 8 31, 10 12, 11 28 P. M. Sunday—3 37, 5 24, 8 01, 8 52, 11 02, 11 16 A. M., 12 33, 1 33, 3 30, 5 16, 7 03, 7 10, 8 23, 8 32, 10 02 P. M.

Leave New York from foot of Liberty street, 4 30, 5 45, 7, 8 45, 10, 11, A. M., 1, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4, 4 30, 5, 5 15, 5 30, 5 45, 6, 6 15, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 8, 8 30, 9 15, 10, 11 30 P. M., 12 15, night. Sunday—4 30, 7, 8 30, 9, 9 30, A. M., 12 M., 1, 1 15, 4, 5 30, 6, 7, 9 00, 10 00 P. M., 12 15 night.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield 5 38, 6 29, 6 59, 7 30, 8, 8 37, 9 32, 10 05, 11 09, 11 39, A. M., 1, 2 07, 2 30, 3 12, 3 51, 5 08, 5 31, 6 07, 6 54, 7 03, 8 31, 10 12, 11 28 P. M. Sunday—8 01, 8 52, 11 02, 11 16, A. M., 12 33, 1 33, 3 30, 5 16, 7 03, 7 10, 8 23, 8 32, 10 02 P. M.

Leave Newark 7 10, 7 50, 8 05, 10 10, 11 05 A. M., 1 05, 1 35, 2 40, 3 40, 4 02, 4 37, 5 05, 5 30, 5 55, 6 25, 7 15, 7 35, 8 20, 9 35, 10 10, 11 25 P. M. Sunday—7 20, 8 40, 9 05, 9 50, A. M., 12 05, 1 10, 4 10, 5 40, 6 05, 7 05, 9 25, 10 20 P. M.

Passengers for Newark change cars at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7, 8 07, 9 42, 11, 11 58 A. M., 1 59, 2 32, 3 45, 4 34, 5 20, 5 34, 6 20, 6 38, 7 03, 7 12, 7 34 8 20, 9 43, 11 15, 12 43 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 13, 9 48, A. M., 2 03, 2 30, 5 14, 6 35, 10 15, 11 14 P. M.

Leave Somerville, 6, 6 30, 7 03, 7 25, 7 35, 7 48 9 05, 9 47, 11 15 A. M., 12 35, 1 15, 1 48, 2 05, 3 2 4 40, 5 12, 5 36, 6 05, 8 50, 11 05, P. M. Sunday—8 25, 10 35 A. M., 12 08, 1 05, 4 50, 6 40, 8 03, 8 05, 9 30 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7, 8 07, 9 42, A. M., 1 59, 4 34, 5 20, 6 38, 8 20 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 13 A. M., 2 03, 6 35 P. M.

Leave Easton 6 05, 8 44, 10 A. M., 12 32, 4 09, 6 49 P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 02, A. M., 6 40, 7 30 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 7, 9 42 A. M., 1 59, 5 20 P. M. Sunday—8 13 A. M.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

LEAVE PLAINFIELD.

5 45 A. M. for Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

7 A. M. for High Bridge Branch and Easton.

8 07 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 42 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Nanticoke, Drifton, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c.

1 59 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, &c.

4 34 P. M. for D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

5 20 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Schooley's Mountain, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, &c.

6 20 P. M. for Flemington.

6 38 P. M. for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg.

8 20 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8 13 a. m. Sundays for High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, &c., 2 03 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua and Pottsville. 6 35 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m. 1 p. m.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c.

Leave Plainfield 3 37, 8, 11 09, a. m., 1, 3 51, 5 31, p. m. Sundays—(except Ocean Grove) 8 52, a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 38, 8, 10 06, 11 09 a. m., 1, 3 51, 5 31, 7 08 p. m. Sunday—8 52 a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8, 11 09 a. m., 1, 3 51, 5 31, p. m.

BOUND BROOK ROUTE.

Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia, 1 17, 5 48, 8 29, 9 48, 11 58* a. m., 1 59*, 3 25*, 4 08, 5 34*, 6 38*, 8 20 p. m. Sundays—1 17, 9 48, a. m., 2 30* 4 08, 5 14*, 6 55 p. m.

For Baltimore and Washington at 1 17, 9 48, 11 58* a. m., 2 45, 4 08, 5 34* p. m. Sundays—1 17, 9 48 a. m., 2 47, 4 08, 5 14* p. m.

RETURNING—LEAVE PHILADELPHIA.

Ninth and Green streets, 7 30*, 8 30*, 9 30, 11 05 a. m., 12 45, 1 30, 3 15, 5 15, 6 15, 8 02, 8 45, 12 p. m Sundays—9 a. m., 12 50, 3 10, 5 15, 6 10, 8, 12 p. m.

From 24th and Chestnut—8 10, 8 20*, 11 08, a. m. 12 52, 3 20, 6 18, 8 05, p. m. Sundays—8 10, 9 55 a. m., 12 52, 3 20, 5 15, 8 05 p. m.

Leave Trenton, Warren and Tucker sts., 1 30, 4 00, 7*, 8*, 9*, 10 30, 11 55 a. m. 1 25, 2 15, 3 40*, 5 15, 5 55 6 50, 8 47, 10 p. m. Sundays—1 30, 4 00, 9 55 a.m., 1 25, 4, 5 55, 7, 8 47 p. m.

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## TRAGEDY IN CHURCH

### An Angry Father Attempts to Stop a Marriage.

THE CEREMONY INTERRUPTED.

Shot at His Son While Standing in Front of the Altar.

The Bullet Missed and the Old Man Was Disarmed by the Priest—Objection to the Bride's Creed the Cause of the Tragedy—The Father Attempts Suicide and Then Disappears.

JERSEY CITY, Sept. 18.—Henry Cassel, of 170 Clendening avenue, attempted to kill his son last night while the latter was about to marry Miss Mary Deely, aged 19, in St. Patrick's Roman Catholic Church. The bridal couple were standing before the altar and the Rev. Father Sheehan was in the act of performing the ceremony when Cassel, who had got into the church without being seen, jumped up and, pointing a pistol at his son, deliberately fired. The ball failed to hit the young man and lodged in the wall.

As Cassel was about to fire a second shot Father Sheehan sprang towards him and disarmed him. The priest's hand was severely scratched in the struggle.

There was great excitement for a time among the large crowd. The bride fainted and was taken in charge by some of her friends. During the excitement Cassel, the father, made his escape from the church and had not been arrested up to this morning. It is believed he killed himself. His reason for attempting to assassinate his son was that he opposed the marriage because he did not want Miss Deely for a daughter-in-law.

The bride and her parents are Catholics and are communicants at St. Patrick's Roman Catholic Church, where the marriage took place. The groom and his parents are German Lutherans and are members of St. John's German Lutheran Church on Fairview avenue.

The father of the groom was opposed to the marriage because of the differences of creeds. He stormed and swore, but to no purpose. The young man would not submit, and declared he would marry the girl of his choice.

The son's name is Alfred Cassel, and he is 21 years of age. He said that his father had warned him not to marry Miss Deely.

When the excitement had died out the couple again stood up before the altar and Father Sheehan went through the ceremony without further interruption.

### THE CENTRAL STRIKE OFF.

D. A. 246 Gives Up the Battle on Account of Lack of Funds.

ALBANY, N. Y., Sept. 18.—The New York Central & Hudson River Railroad strike is off.

The Executive Board of the Knights of Labor, D. A. 246, held a meeting at 10 o'clock and after looking the matter over carefully decided to declare the strike off. Accordingly, they issued a manifesto directed to the different districts ordering the strike at an end.

"Not that we do not still maintain that what we contended for was just," said Treasurer Price, "but because of lack of funds to carry on the contest."

**Is It a Double Elopement?**

MAY'S LANDING, N. J., Sept. 18.—This place is excited over the disappearance of Annie Baker, 18, and Mamie Robinson, 17, the first the daughter of Colonel Baker, a wealthy resident, and the latter daughter of Contractor Daniel Robinson. The girls packed their clothing and concealed it in Mr. Robinson's barn. Yesterday they told their parents they were about to visit friends. They have not been seen since.

**The Two Emperors Kiss.**

BOHNSTOCK, Sept. 18.—Emperor William received Emperor Francis Joseph at the depot here last evening. The two Emperors repeatedly embraced and kissed each other. Count Kalnoky was cordially greeted by Chancellor von Caprivi. The Emperors, escorted by a guard of honor, drove to the Castle, Count Kalnoky and Chancellor von Caprivi following.

**Brazil's Republic Safe.**

RIO JANEIRO, Sept. 18.—The official announcement is made that the elections are finished and that the majority secured by the Government proves conclusively that the people are in favor of the maintenance of Republican institutions. The Minister of Finance, the Minister of the Interior and many former Senators and Deputies have been elected.

**The Australian Labor Troubles.**

MELBOURNE, Sept. 18.—The Mayor of Sydney having offered to act as mediator between the workmen and their employers, the Labor Congress has consented to suspend the calling out of the shearers and refrain from any aggressive steps for forty-eight hours.

**Irish Bakers Grow Violent.**

CORK, Sept. 18.—The striking bakers have become violent. Their pickets have been hooting at and molesting persons who have made purchases at the stores, and in some cases have stolen bread from them. Several arrests have been made.

**Russia Rejects Gen. Butterfield's Terms.**

ST. PETERSBURG, Sept. 18.—The terms proposed by General Butterfield for the construction of a railway to Siberia have been rejected by the Russian government.

**Michael Davitt's New Paper.**

LONDON, Sept. 18.—Mr. Michael Davitt's new weekly paper, the Labor World, in which considerable interest is already taken, made its first appearance to-day.

### URGED TO REVOLT.

The Contents of an Inflammatory Circular Found in Chicago.

CHICAGO, Sept. 18.—The Arbeiter Zeitung, the organ of the German Socialists, prints a translation of a long circular which, it alleges, was picked up in the city. It says it must have been issued at the instigation of John Bonfield for the purpose of raising an Anarchist scare and assisting him in the effort with which he is credited to get the appointment of chief of police. It is also suggested that it may have been issued to influence Governor Pifer to refuse the petition for the pardon of Oscar Neebe.

References in the circular to recent occurrences at Bohemian coal mines, and the general tenor, however, rather indicate that the circular was not intended to have any bearing on affairs in this country.

It is addressed "to the oppressed and disinherited." In bloodthirsty language it pictures the alleged intolerable conditions of society, the "monster of capital" which sheds "rivers of blood" in its greed for wealth.

It speaks of tyranny as "fastened to the breast of the people and sucking out its vitality." The chains of slavery are made to clank, the "police monster" flourishes the whip and club and helps tear one by one members from the body of the people.

The people are urged to destroy the capitalistic system and establish a society based on love, fraternity and equality. "Your duty calls upon you to take dynamite and the dagger against your innumerable murderers," says the circular. "Never appear with empty hands."

It concludes with the statement that Anarchy is the only system which can satisfy all wants of human society. "Then arise brothers and sisters of the laboring class," is the last sentence. "Arise up in arms; arise for the social revolution; destroy the existing system of robbery which threatens to crush you, and found the system of Anarchy."

### THE BIG BATTLE.

Interest in the McAuliffe-Slavin Fight Increasing in London.

NEW YORK, Sept. 18.—The following special cable was received from London: The interest in the McAuliffe and Slavin battle is increasing. The fight is the main topic in sporting circles. A well known bookmaker has received a commission from a syndicate of Australian bookmakers to back Slavin. Betting rules at 6 to 5 on the American, but the Australian money may change this.

Several of the English bookmakers have laid heavily against Slavin, and Lords Churston, DeClifford and Lonsdale have also backed the American. McAuliffe's trainers are satisfied with his condition and are sanguine that he will win.

Sporting men are in a quandary over the date of the fight, but it is expected to take place on the 22d. It has not been definitely settled who will second the American.

**Complaint Against "Men About Town."**

NEW YORK, Sept. 18.—J. L. Ward, the keeper of a boarding house directly in the rear of the building occupied by the well known Lambs Club, a resort of actors and "men about town," appeared before Police Justice Reilly to-day and applied for warrants for members of the club, alleging that the club is a nuisance, and especially complaining of the noises emanating therefrom in the early hours of the morning. Justice Reilly issued summonses for the club's house committee.

**Four Million People Homeless.**

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 18.—The steamship City of Rio Janeiro, just arrived, brings advices from China and Japan. The Yellow River flood and other floods continue to absorb all attention in China. Four million people are homeless in the province of Chihi and in Shantung the misery is almost as great. Cholera is prevalent in Shanghai and also in the northern districts. Seven Europeans have succumbed to the disease.

**Grand Master Sweeney Blames Lee.**

BUFFALO, N. Y., Sept. 18.—In an interview with Grand Master Sweeney regarding the Central strike, he scored the local leaders of the switchmen for calling the men out here. He was particularly severe on Major McGowan of Albany and District Master Workman Lee. He said that Lee was at the bottom of the whole trouble, and he wished it was in his power to punish him.

**Set on Fire by Lightning.**

JERSEY CITY, N. J., Sept. 18.—The Fleming Building here, which is occupied by the New York and New Jersey Telephone Company, was struck by lightning and set on fire during the morning. Before the flames could be subdued $20,000 damage was done and all telephone communication with that city and New York cut off. The employes all escaped in safety.

**Cellars Flooded in New York.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 18.—In this city for the twenty-four hours preceding 8 a. m., the rainfall was 2.31 inches. The streets in the lower parts of the city along the river front were flooded with water and the cellars in the neighborhood had to be pumped out.

**Looking for a Cabinet.**

LISBON, Sept. 18.—The King has accepted the resignation of the entire cabinet. He will confer with several leading statesmen with a view to the selection of a new ministry.

**Protecting the St. Gothard Tunnel.**

BERNE, Sept. 18.—Italy has sent troops to the frontier to protect the St. Gothard railway. A second Federal Commission has been sent to Ticino to assist Colonel Kuenzli.

## CLOSE BALL PLAYING

### Three National League Clubs Nicely Bunched.

BROOKLYN HAS A CLEAR LEAD.

Philadelphia, Chicago and Boston Fighting Hard for Second Place.

Kelly's Brotherhood Team Almost Sure of the Championship—New York and Brooklyn Stopped Again by the Rain—Chicago and Cincinnati Play Twelve Innings Without Breaking the Tie.

NEW YORK, Sept. 18.—Brooklyn's defeat of Boston counts for a good deal more than it appears at first glance. These clubs are the National League leaders, and the result just about insures the championship to Brooklyn. There is but little doubt of that now. Brooklyn has a clear lead of 46 points over Boston. The latter and Philadelphia and Chicago are beautifully bunched. Boston is four points ahead, while the latter leads Chicago by only three points.

Kelly's Brotherhood club continues to win while New York and Brooklyn have been stopped by rain.

### BASEBALL GAMES.

**National League.**

AT CLEVELAND.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Cleveland | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 10 | 0 | —17 |
| Pittsburg | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | —4 |

Batteries—Beatin and Zimmer; Anderson and Decker.

SECOND GAME.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Cleveland | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —6 |
| Pittsburg | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | —2 |

Batteries—Vlau and Zimmer; Phillips and Decker.

AT CHICAGO.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Chicago | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0—6 |
| Cincinnati | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 2 0—6 |

Game called at the end of the twelfth inning on account of darkness.

Batteries—Stein and Kittridge; Duryea and Keenan.

AT NEW YORK.

New York and Philadelphia game postponed on account of rain.

AT BOSTON.

Brooklyn and Boston game postponed on account of rain.

**Players' League.**

AT CHICAGO.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Chicago | 3 | 0 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | —11 |
| Buffalo | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | x | —4 |

Batteries—Baldwin and Boyle; Cunningham and Mack.

SECOND GAME.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Chicago | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | |
| Buffalo | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | |

Called on account of darkness.

Batteries—King and Boyle; Stafford and Mack.

AT PHILADELPHIA.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Philadelphia | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —3 |
| Boston | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | x—4 |

Batteries—Sanders and Milligan; Radbourn and Kelly.

AT CLEVELAND.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Cleveland | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 2—6 |
| Pittsburg | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —1 |

Batteries—Gruber and Sutcliffe; Staley and Quinn.

AT NEW YORK.

New York and Brooklyn game postponed on account of rain.

**American Association.**

AT COLUMBUS.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Columbus | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 3 | —5 |
| St. Louis | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 3 | 0 | x | —6 |

Batteries—Knauss and Boyle; Stivetts and Munyan.

SECOND GAME.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Columbus | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | | —6 |
| St. Louis | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | | —1 |

Game called at the end of eighth inning on account of rain.

Batteries—Easton and O'Connor; Ramsey and Munyan.

AT TOLEDO.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Toledo | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —3 |
| Louisville | 3 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 4 | x | —13 |

Batteries—Smith and Sage; Daily and Weckbecker.

AT SYRACUSE.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Rochester | 2 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 4 | —10 |
| Syracuse | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 | —8 |

Batteries—Barr and McGuire; Marr and Pitz.

**Atlantic Association.**

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Lebanon | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 0 | —8 |
| New Haven | 0 | 4 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 2 | —12 |

Batteries—Wenlieman and Koons; Homer and Holford.

AT HARRISBURG.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Harrisburg | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | —7 |
| Newark | 1 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —2 |

Batteries—Gamble and Jennings; Fitzgeraldand Murphy.

**Attendance at League Games.**

| | Players | League |
|---|---|---|
| Philadelphia | 2,278 | |
| Chicago | 840 | 1,541 |
| Cleveland | 500 | 500 |
| Totals | 3,718 | 2,041 |

**Standing of the Clubs.**

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

| Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'ct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Brookl'n 70 | 41 | .853 | Chicago 76 | 49 | .608 | |
| Boston 74 | 47 | .612 | N. York 56 | 64 | .467 | |
| Philadel. 73 | 48 | .603 | Clevl'nd 37 | 82 | .311 | |
| Cincin'ti 69 | 50 | .580 | Pitts'rg 21 | 104 | .168 | |

PLAYERS' LEAGUE.

| Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'ct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Boston 74 | 43 | .632 | Philadel. 64 | 59 | .520 | |
| N. York 68 | 52 | .576 | Pitts'rg 53 | 62 | .461 | |
| Brookl'n 71 | 53 | .557 | Clev'l'nd 44 | 71 | .397 | |
| Chicago 69 | 56 | .543 | Buffalo 32 | 88 | .267 | |

**Found the Man Who Buncoed Him.**

WINDSOR, Ont., Sept. 18.—Farmer Land arrived here from Kentucky with Detective Norris and went to Sandwich jail where he identified Haynes as one of the men who buncoed him out of $5,000 on May 1. Land claims to be worth $30,000.

**Liquor Dealers Meet.**

ALBANY, N. Y., Sept. 18.—The State Liquor Dealers' Association met here and adopted resolutions stating their position on high license, prohibition, Sunday closing and other matters affecting their trade.

## THE TRIP TO JOHNSTOWN.

The President and Party Enthusiastic Over the Beautiful Scenery.

CRESSON SPRINGS, Pa., Sept. 18.—Upon the arrival of the President's train at Johnstown, the distinguished travelers were met at the station by Mayor Rose and a committee of citizens. The drive through the city and up a winding road to the top of the mountain, some 1,600 feet above the level of the sea, was enjoyed very much by the President.

At the summit of the mountain, a scene of great magnificence was afforded the party, the sides being the location of the Grand View cemetery where upwards of 700 unknown dead, who met their fate during the Johnstown flood, are buried. There is a vast expanse of mountainous country splendidly cultivated, stretching out in all directions as far as the eye can reach.

Private Secretary Halford was quite overcome when he was shown the 700 pure white tombstones which dotted the area set apart for the unknown. Speaking with the representative of the United Press in regard to the matter, Mr. Halford said that the very narrow escape of his wife and daughter from the rushing waters during the eventful night of the flood was vividly portrayed before his eyes as he gazed upon the sorrowful picture of the monuments directed to the memory of these, less fortunate than his family, who at that time lost their lives. The party left Johnstown at 1 p. m., *en route* for Greensburg, where they had been invited by State Senator and Mrs. George Huff of Westmoreland County. The President gave a public reception for about half an hour. After an elegant lunch the party returned to Cresson.

### $2,000,000 FAILURE.

A Prominent Firm in Boston Forced to Make an Assignment.

BOSTON, Mass., Sept. 18.—S. Gardner Chase & Co., bankers and brokers, No. 146 Devonshire street, have failed, and an assignment for the benefit of the firm's creditors has been made to James T. Phelps, general agent of the National Life Insurance Company, No. 159 Devonshire street.

The firm is one of the most prominent in that line of business in Boston, and the failure is a surprise. No exact figures of the liabilities can as yet be given, but the assignee states that they will amount to $2,000,000. The members of the firm are G. Gardner Chase and Charles E. Legg. The business was started by Papendick, Chase & Co. Mr. Papendick died in 1869 and Mr. Chase conducted the business alone until 1880, when Mr. Legg was admitted as partner.

A statement of liabilities and assets will be prepared as soon as possible and a meeting of creditors called.

The failure is generally regarded as the result of a misfortune that could not be averted, and the kindliest expressions are heard on all sides for the crippled house. The impression is strong, also, that the trouble will not be far-reaching, and that its effects on the market will be only temporary.

**Secretary Windom Will Not Resign.**

WILLIAMSTOWN, Mass., Sept. 18.—Secretary Windom was asked regarding the truth of the report that his resignation is contemplated, and stated that he had not heard the rumor and had no intention of resigning, being satisfied with the present condition of affairs. Twenty-one million in bonds were purchased yesterday, and in the past thirty-two days the Treasury has spent in bond purchases $65,000,000 above its receipts.

**Bridge Bandits Sentenced.**

NEWBURGH, N. Y., Sept. 18.—In the county court Judge Beattie sentenced George Sarvis, the notorious captain of the "bridge bandits," to nine years and four months in State prison, and John Purcell, another of the gang who pleaded guilty to burglary in the third degree, to five years. Ernest V. Utter, the bigamist, was sent up for four years.

**An Inventor's Lucky Escape.**

NEW BRITAIN, Conn., Sept. 18.—Captain Connell, 55 years old, a well known inventor of Kensington, boarded the 5 o'clock train here. When he got off at Berlin he proceeded down the track and was struck by a train and thrown between the rails, where he lay in an unconscious condition. The train passed over him, but he was not badly hurt.

**Veterans from Six Counties Meet.**

SUSQUEHANNA, Pa., Sept. 18.—The veteran soldiers of six counties of Pennsylvania and of Broome County, N. Y., held their annual meeting here. Three thousand soldiers were fed by the citizens in the Erie shops. There was a parade, followed by a mass meeting in the opera house, addressed by District Attorney Painter of Binghamton.

**Congressmen Congratulated.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 18.—Representative O'Neill is being very generally congratulated by both Republicans and Democrats upon his renomination for the sixteenth time, he, as well as Bingham, Harmer and Reyburn, having received telegrams notifying them of their nominations.

**The Reading's Latest Purchase.**

READING, Pa., Sept. 18.—The Reading Railroad has purchased the entire Union Canal property. The canal has been abandoned for the past 10 years. It cost a million dollars to build it 75 years ago. It is not known what the railroad will do with the property.

**The Army of the Cumberland.**

TOLEDO, O., Sept. 18.—The twenty-first annual reunion of the Society of the Army of the Cumberland is on. Decorations have been put up all over the city upon private and public buildings, and flags can be seen fluttering in the breeze at almost every turn.

## MURDER AND SUICIDE

### Domestic Troubles Cause a Terrible Tragedy.

A WRONGED HUSBAND'S CRIME.

He Shoots the Man He Suspected of Ruining His Life.

Returning Home He Kills His Two Daughters and Then Takes His Own Life—The City of Portsmouth, N. H., Excited—A Mob Around the House During the Shooting.

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., Sept. 18.—A terrible tragedy occurred here last night and there is great excitement. A mob of several hundred people surrounds the house where the bodies of three dead persons partially attest the extent of the crime.

Fred H. J. Hein, aged 45 years, a cooper in the employ of the Eldredge Brewing Company, has a family of three daughters, the eldest, Carrie, aged 15 years, keeping house for him, his wife, who it is said was unfaithful, having left him several months ago. Since she left it is reported the girl Carrie has become wayward.

Hein's troubles preyed upon his mind until he resolved to end them, and remove from temptation the three female members of the household. Two of them and the murderer himself lie dead in his home, while in the hospital the third daughter lies dying with a bullet in her neck, and at his home Chas. W. Taylor, a well known hardware merchant, whose name has been connected with that of Mrs. Hein, lies with two bullet holes in his back. Before the discovery of Hein's dead body officers and citizens were scouring the city in search of him, and had he fallen into the hands of the mob he would have been lynched.

**Story of the Murder.**

Charles W. Taylor, a stove dealer on Market street, while entering his residence at State and Union streets at about 7:30 last night, was rushed upon by Hein, who fired two shots in rapid succession, both of which took effect in the small of Taylor's back. Taylor's wife and neighbors heard the report of the revolver, and he was taken into the house. A large crowd gathered around the house and the police were obliged to force them back. The physicians were successful in extracting one ball, but were unable to find another. In reply to questions Taylor said that he does not know what prompted Hein to shoot him.

**Shot Three Times.**

Shortly before 8 o'clock people in the vicinity of Hein's house heard five pistol shots fired in rapid succession, and Maud, the 18 year old daughter of Hein, ran out of the house and down the street. She proceeded but a short distance when she fell on the pavement, saying: "Father has shot me." The girl was taken to the hospital, where she now lies in a critical condition. Three shots were fired at her, all taking effect.

**The Murderer's Horrible Work.**

The lower part of Hein's house was the scene of the murderer's most horrible work, and it shows evidence of a desperate struggle. The kitchen was covered with blood and everything was in great disorder. Just outside the back door of the house lay two bodies, Carrie, the oldest girl, lay with her face covered with blood, the bullet having entered the left side of the face, passing upward toward the brain, death having resulted instantly. Across her prostrate form lay Bertha, the youngest daughter. When found she was unconscious and she expired in fifteen minutes, the bullet that caused her death having entered her head just behind the left ear.

**An Excited Crowd.**

Sheriff Coffin arrived at Hein's house at 8:15, and detailed men to search for the murderer. Meanwhile Marshal Joy and a force of officers arrived and it was decided to closely examine the chambers. As they entered the front chamber they found the dead body of Hein stretched on the floor. A bullet had passed through his head from the revolver which lay by his side. The crowd which had gathered about the house were highly excited and had the murderer been taken alive he certainly would have been killed by them.

**Sudden Death of a Rabbi.**

HUNTINGDON, Pa., Sept. 18.—Rabbi T. A. Moses, of New York city, died of apoplexy here last night. He had been conducting the services of the Hebrew congregation during the past week, and had just dismissed the audience when he was stricken down. He was 60 years old, and leaves a widow and several children.

**The Bottom Fell Out.**

HUFF'S CHURCH, Pa., Sept. 18.—Owing to the late heavy rains, an iron ore mine at Rittenhouse Gap sprung a leak, and 10,000 tons of ore disappeared in a sink hole 200 feet deep, carrying with it two engines and all the machinery. The mine is supposed to have been situated over a subterranean cavern.

**To be Expunged from the Record.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 18.—The House Committee on the Judiciary decided to introduce a resolution as a substitute for Mr. Enloe's, providing that the language used by Mr. Kennedy be expunged from the "Congressional Record" and censuring Mr. Kennedy for his unusual proceeding.

**$8,000 for Dempsey and Fitzsimmons.**

NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 18.—The Metropolitan Club has made an offer of a purse of $8,000 for a fight between Dempsey and Fitzsimmons.

## THREE STATE CONVENTIONS.

Samuel E. Merwin Nominated for Governor by Connecticut Republicans.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Sept. 18.—United States Senator Platt was elected permanent chairman of the Republican State convention. When nominations were in order, H. G. Benton of New Haven placed the name of Samuel E. Merwin of New Haven before the convention, and prolonged applause followed his efforts. General Dwight of Hartford moved the renomination of the ticket of two years ago, but the motion fell flat.

The informal ballot resulted: Merwin, 388; Bulkely, 51. The ballot was made formal and Mr. Merwin was declared the nominee amid great applause.

The ticket was completed as follows: George Augustus Bowen of Woodstock, for Lieutenant-Governor; George P. McLean of Hartford, for Secretary of State; Stevens Henry of Rockville, for Treasurer; Lyman S. Catlin of Bridgeport, for Comptroller.

**Massachusetts Republicans Nominate.**

BOSTON, Sept. 18.—Governor Brackett, Lieut.-Governor Haute and Treasurer Marden were renominated by acclamation by the Republican State Convention.

The platform indorses the administration, congratulates Speaker Reed on his conduct of affairs in the House and the indorsement he received by his reelection in Maine; recapitulates with praise the work of legislation done by the present Congress; demands the passage of the Force bill; supports the Civil Service Commission and recommends the extension of its methods.

**New Hampshire's Republican Convention.**

CONCORD, N. H., Sept. 18.—The ballot for a candidate for Governor in the Republican State Convention resulted as follows: Whole number of votes cast, 587; necessary to choice, 294. John A. Carter of Concord, 1; David W. Goodsell, 3; Martin L. Munson, 4; John B. Smith, 95; Joseph A. Walker, 72; Hiram A. Tuttle, 412. The nomination of Mr. Tuttle was made unanimous.

**Ex-Gov. Foster for Congress.**

CAREY, O., Sept. 18.—Ex-Gov. Charles Foster was nominated by acclamation in the Eighth Republican Congressional District.

## NEWS OF THE DAY.

Ex-President Cleveland shot a deer in the Adirondacks.

Conrad Petzold, a merchant of Elizabeth, N. J., is missing.

Sir Edward Arnold denies that he intends to wed a Japanese woman.

It is rumored in Albany that the detectives are on the track of a sixth train wrecker.

Secretary Tracy has gone to Annapolis to witness the armor tests during the next two days.

The Tariff bill conferees have begun work on the Senate amendments and may be able to report on Monday.

The examination of the alleged train wreckers at Troy, N. Y., was again adjourned until two o'clock to-morrow afternoon.

The tin box stolen from the Hotel Vendome safe in New York was discovered, but the $17,000 which it contained is still missing.

A servant employed by Rev. Dr. Wood of Yonkers, N. Y., received a severe shock from lightning which struck Dr. Wood's house.

The President has sent on to Washington the nomination of William C. Braisted of Michigan, to be an assistant surgeon in the navy.

It is officially announced from Rome that four Cardinals will be created at the December Consistory. Two of them will be foreigners.

Charges of misappropriating funds and of concealing a marriage are made against the Rev. C. Graham Adams, D. D., late rector of Christ Church, Lockport, N. Y.

A coaching party from Morristown, N. J., arrived at Lake Mohonk, N. Y. en route to the Catskills, Cooperstown and Richfield Springs. They expect to return by way of Albany and stop at Lenox, Mass. The whip is Dr. A. E. M. Purdy of New York.

The Sovereign Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows in session at Topeka, Kansas, yesterday elected the following officers: Grand Sire, C. M. Busbee, of Raleigh, N. C.; Deputy Grand Sire, C. D. T. Campbell, of London, Ont.; Grand Secretary, T. A. Ross, New Jersey; Grand Treasurer, Isaac P. Sheppard, Pennsylvania. The only office for which there was a contest was the Deputy Grand Sire.

**Weather Indications.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 18.—For New England: Rain; clearing in Connecticut and Western Massachusetts; stationary temperature; westerly winds; fair to-morrow.

For Eastern New York and New Jersey: Clearing weather; stationary temperature; westerly winds; fair to-morrow.

For Western New York: Fair; warmer; variable winds, becoming southeasterly.

### NEW YORK MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Sept. 17.—Money on call to-day, 6 per cent.

BONDS.

| | Closing Yesterday. | Closing To-day. |
|---|---|---|
| 4½s, 1891 Reg | 104¼ | 104¼ |
| 4½s, 1891 Coup | 104¾ | 104¾ |
| 4 s, 1907 Reg | 126 | 125¾ |
| 4 s, 1907 Coup | 127 | 126¾ |

STOCK MARKET.

| | Closing Yesterday. | Closing To-day. |
|---|---|---|
| Canadian Pacific | 40¾ | 40 |
| Central Pacific | 34 | 35 |
| Chicago, Bur. & Quincy | 90¾ | 90¾ |
| Delaware & Hudson | 156 | 157¼ |
| Del. Lack. & Western | 141 | 141¾ |
| Erie | 25 | 25¼ |
| Erie 2d | | |
| Lake Shore | 107¼ | 107¼ |
| Louis. & Nash | 80¾ | 80¾ |
| Michigan Central | 93 | |
| Missouri Pacific | 67¼ | 69¼ |
| New Jersey Central | 117¾ | 119 |
| Northwestern | 108¾ | 108¾ |
| Oregon Navigation | | 86¼ |
| Pacific Mail | 44¾ | |
| Reading | 40¾ | 41¼ |
| Rock Island | 90¾ | 91 |
| St. Paul | 97¾ | 97¾ |
| Union Pacific | 56¾ | 56¾ |

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## BY THE WAY.

—At Sebring's you will find a large stock of children's clothing at moderately low prices.

—The regular meeting of Franklin Council, No. 41, Jr. O. U. A. M., will take place this evening.

—Thomas King, for drunkenness and disorderly conduct, was fined $5 by Judge Codington, last night.

—MacDonald, the uptown grocer, has started a special sale of mixed tea, as low as 15 cents per pound. His announcement is on the third page of today's PRESS.

—The man who set the first act of the Pearl of Pekin last night probably meant well; but Mr. Mattox ought to know that those deep-sea flats of his will hardly pass for a "view of city in distance."

—Good singing, interesting reports and instructive addresses will be features of the Local Union meeting of the Christian Endeavor societies at Trinity Reformed church, to-night. Everybody welcome.

—At a meeting of the Crescent League, last evening, it was announced by the Committee on Subscriptions that almost $2,000 had already been pledged by a part of the members towards the building fund for a new club house.

—On one of its docks at Jersey City the Central Railroad has seen fit to place a sign which says:

BOATSNOTTOLANDHERE.

He who runs has no show at all with an inscription like this, and it is said that vessels from all parts of the world daily put in at the dock while their crews endeavor vainly to get at the meaning of the sign.

## PARTICULAR MENTION.

Wm. M. Stillman has returned from Castine, Maine.

H. Frank, of Newark, is the new night ticket agent at the North avenue railroad station.

The Fourth Congressional District Democratic Convention, which was held at Belvidere yesterday, and to which John Vetterlein, John Bodine, Lewis R. Blackford and Henry Woodland, of North Plainfield, were delegates, renominated Samuel Fowler of Sussex county, for Congress.

The Fourth Congressional District Republican Convention, which was held at Somerville today, and which H. K. Carroll, J. H. Cooley, Chas. P. Sebring and S. B. Woolston, of North Plainfield, attended as delegates, nominated Richard F. Goodman, editor of the Newton *Register*, Sussex county, for Congress.

**A Lesson For the Plainfield Management.**

In an article published in one of the Somerville papers, regarding the recent trivial and fleeting victory of the West Ends over the Crescents, occurs this brief but comprehensive expression of tribute to those to whom the credit is due:

The West End management should be complimented on the team it has secured.

That is the story in a nutshell. The praise belongs to those who laid off Conklin, Frelinghuysen, Cuff and Black; not to fill their places with better players in O'Rourke, Reilley, Farrell and Bowes, but with men who with the stick could bat out a victory over their betters in the field.

In view of such a scheme—which was understood and undenied for many days before the series commenced—the Crescent managers should have strengthened their nine accordingly. They should never have entered a pony battery against a team of stallions. The day before the game THE PRESS told them what to expect. That Festive Five, Reilley, Bowes, O'Rourke, Farrell and Harkins, kept the Crescent fielders guessing all the afternoon where the next hit would drop, and if the ball had not been water-soaked some of their hits would not have dropped yet.

Let the shrewdness of the West Ends' managers be a lesson to the Crescents', to the end that accounts may be balanced, that honors may be easy, and that THE PRESS may say next Monday, in the words of the discerning Somervillian—"The Crescent League management should be complimented, etc."

Good for young and old. We know of no better tonic for the system than Hires' Improved Root Beer. It is delicious, effervescent, sparkling, appetizing, and a helper of temperance. Satisfying the thirst, enriching the blood, and fortifying the system against the advances of disease. A 25 cent package makes five gallons. Sold everywhere.

## SAID THE JUDGE WAS BOUGHT.

**And Now the Slander Will be Sifted Out, and the Originators Punished.**

A crowd of excited people thronged the City Court room this morning anxious to hear Bridget Newman, a neighbor whose bibulous ways and foul tongue have repeatedly made her familiar with court methods. Their desire to testify against the woman concerning the latest disturbance she has caused suffered disappointment, however, for she pleaded, through her lawyer, *non vult*, and threw herself on Judge Codington's mercy.

It was quite evident that Mrs. Newman had been guilty of gross breaches of the peace. Besides getting intoxicated, she had taken possession of the entire section of the Boulevard which is known as her neighborhood and defamed the wives and mothers, living and dead, of the inhabitants, and paraded up and down the street, her sleeves rolled up, and her arms flourishing, daring the men to come out and fight, declaring her ability to knock them all to smithereens in three short rounds.

The last time Mrs. Newman had appeared before Judge Codington she was fined $15, so in this instance the Court doubled the penalty and made it $30.

This sentence seemed very just, to the minds of the complaining witnesses and others, while Mrs. Newman's lawyer thought it excessive and gave notice that his client would appeal to a higher Court.

"Do so,"—said Captain Grant—"and we'll knock your case higher than a kite. We have a score of witnesses, and the higher Court will probably double the penalty, for appealing."

But if Mrs. Newman wasn't satisfied, and thought she had been fined too heavily, the crowd of witnesses against her were of the indignant opinion that she had been let off lightly. They seemed to have an idea that her offense called for solitary confinement for six or eight years, and howls of protests rent the air. The "women folks took on dreadful," as an observant colored gentleman remarked, and said that Mrs. Newman would be only too happy to pay even a $100 fine as long as she was permitted to go free and abuse decent people who didn't drink, while a gentleman named Harding approached the judicial bench, shook his forefinger in the air, and shouted forth this pronunciamento:

"I think this Court has been bought long enough!"

Then he went on to declare that it was impossible to get justice at Judge Codington's hands, that the Court had been bribed at different times, to "let up" on Mrs. Newman and other "friends of Paddy Day's," and that he and others would "take the case further," where justice could be obtained against the woman who had "called his mother out of the grave" and assailed her memory with vile words.

Instead of committing the excited Mr. Harding for contempt of court, Judge Codington very patiently heard him through and then quietly made an announcement that frightened the man and drew a slim apology from his lips.

"I have heard," said the Judge, "of charges similar to this before, and I shall trace them to their source and punish severely those who have instigated such a slander."

Harding said that he hadn't intended his statement as an insult to the Court. He "had only repeated what others had told him."

"You just made the charges yourself," was the reply, "on your own responsibility."

Harding said the story was common talk in the Boulevard, and he thought Mrs. Newman and Patrick Day had started it.

"I have heard of the story," said the Judge significantly, "and have been told that you yourself had invented it. It is a gross insult to the Court, a wrong for which there was no cause, and I shall see that the proper parties are dealt with as they deserve."

Still protesting that he didn't mean the Court any harm, Mr. Harding left the room, accompanied by others whom Mrs. Newman was said to have slandered, and avowed their intention of visiting the Grand Jury and getting their bibulous and belligerent neighbor indicted.

**Short-Hand Free.**

The Young Men's Christian Association announces that a goodly number of applications have been received for entrance into the short-hand class. The Association is of course gratified that its efforts to help young men in this educational and practical way is so much appreciated, but it would remind all young men that the advantages to be derived from the study of this art are inestimable and any who have the necessary foundation of a common school education and who are going to enter business or any of the professions or who want to improve their minds should seriously consider this opportunity that is so generously placed before them. The class will open on October 11, and all who want to study short-hand should be enrolled before that date. As is well-known the cost is merely nominal—being simply the price of a membership in the Association.

"Standing with reluctant feet
Where the brook and river meet,"

is a period of "maidenhood" which is perilous in the extreme to a vigorous, healthy womanhood. Reckless exposure at certain times, has wrecked many a fair young life. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is of inestimable value. It is the only medicine for women, sold by druggists, *under a positive guarantee* from the manufacturers, that it will give satisfaction in every case, or money will be refunded. This guarantee has been printed on the bottle-wrapper, and faithfully carried out for many years.

## NO LAMENTATION FROM SOMERSET ST.

**Plainfield's Damage Not Considered When a Few Cents May be Made by It.**

The only other honest paper in Plainfield falls into line with THE PRESS in the following expression of opinion concerning those irresponsible scribblers who have been, and still are, such a curse to this city:

Inaccurate accounts of local events, written by irresponsible pens and published by New York papers, are again doing harm to the best interests of Plainfield. The stories which have recently gained currency of the imaginary work of incendiaries, has had the effect, so a local insurance agent tells *The Times*, of bringing instructions from the various insurance companies to insure no more barns here. It required the most energetic work on the part of the agents to convince the companies that the stories were untrue, and in every way unreliable. One carelessly written story can work more injury to the well being of a city than the writer may think. It is the property owner who feels the effects of this the quickest. That the insurance companies were convinced of the accuracy of their agents' statement is for Plainfielders a matter of congratulation. —*Central Times.*

This paper, some weeks ago, fought day after day against the enemy of the city who was damaging its good name and good fame by sending all sorts of lies and sensational stories to the New York *World* for the sake of fifty cents or so. The result was that the editor of the *World* discharged the man—writing the discharge in the presence of a representative of THE PRESS, and showing it to him. The man discharged was one by the name of Morrison.

The *World* editor explained that he had not known the man was irresponsible until he had been overwhelmed with personal complaints and letters from most of the best citizens of Plainfield protesting against the way the city was being misrepresented. The name of the scribbler explains why only THE PRESS and *The Times* protest against Plain[illegible] bad treatment abroad.

## THE COLORED CONTINGENT IN COURT.

**Tenants Under the Same Roof Fall Out and Tell the Court Their Troubles.**

The colored people had an inning before the City Court this morning, when Isaac Jones, his wife Lucretia, and various relatives, appeared to inform Judge Codington what a bold bad man James O'Neill was. James isn't an Irishman, if his name has a Celtic twang. He is a brunette of the same type as Jones, who has none of the Hebraic attributes which the preliminary part of his title would indicate.

Isaac's complaint was that James had visited the apartments of Lucretia by violence, had heaped gross insults on her good name and had hurled foul blots at the escutcheon of her family. The story of this turbulent time was graphically told by Isaac, and Lucretia, and Dorcas the grandmother, and others of the Jones contingent, who all agreed that James had "talked wretched" and had made scandalous charges.

O'Neill cross-examined the witnesses to the best of his ability, and besides airing a prolific vocabulary succeeded in getting the women to give details, still more convincing against him, which they had forgotten till he prodded them up.

In his own defense O'Neill had no witnesses but himself. Two others had promised to come, he said, but it was evident that they had carelessly omitted to note down on their visiting lists this important engagement. As James seemed to think it necessary for him to give a verbal autobiography of his entire career he soon convicted himself of acts of immorality which had not hitherto been disclosed. The trouble with the Joneses was all brought about because they harbored the woman who was not his wife, after he had cast her off in spite of her seven years' faithfulness to him.

In the midst of an extended conversation in which the complainant and all the witnesses took part Judge Codington managed to squeeze in the announcement that O'Neill's fine was $5. Then O'Neill told the Court what a deeply-wronged man he was.

## RED MEN ENTERTAIN.

**The Plainfield Tribe Hospitably Received in New Brunswick.**

The Ahwaga Tribe of Red Men, of New Brunswick, spent a most enjoyable time in entertaining twenty-one members of the Miantomo Tribe of Red Men, of Plainfield, Tuesday evening.

Owing to the unpropitious weather, the local warriors were under the impression that their visitors would defer their intended visit, but in this they were in error, as the Plainfield men arrived in town by the road leading from the Landing, while a delegation from Ahwaga were searching for them on the road from Highland Park. Their arrival, although somewhat unexpected, was thoroughly enjoyed, and the incident of missing the committee of welcome was made the butt of many spicy jokes during the evening.

The guests were received by Sachem Goodwin, who introduced them to the other members, after welcoming them in a neat speech. After the transaction of general business and the conferring of the third or Chief's degree upon five members, the company, numbering sixty-one, repaired to the Bradley cafe, where a sumptuous banquet of dainty morsels was served in grand style under the charge of Brother Snedeker, the caterer of Ahwaga Tribe.

After full justice had been done to the good things provided, and the inner man's cravings were appeased, they returned to the wigwam, where songs, speeches and recitations passed the hours until midnight.

Previous to leaving the Council room, the Haymakers' degree was conferred upon twenty persons.

The Plainfield Red Men returned home to their squaws at an early hour yesterday morning. They were well pleased with their visit and promised to go again.

**Killed on the Pennsylvania Road.**

LANCASTER, Pa., Sept. 18.—A young man, in whose pocket was found a card bearing the name Anthony Ryan, Savannah, Ga., was killed by a freight train on the Pennsylvania Railroad near Conestoga bridge. Both legs were broken and his skull crushed, death resulting instantly.

THE best class of life insurance companies prefer not to take risks on drinking men, and some of them absolutely decline to issue policies to men who habitually use alcoholic or malt liquors in the form of drams.

IT is evident that, so far from being a conservator of health, alcohol is an active and powerful cause of disease, interfering as it does with the respiration, the circulation and the nutrition; nor is any other result possible.—Prof. Youmans.

THE word toxical means poison and originally signified the poison in which arrows had been prepared for battle. The poisoned arrow was not more certainly an instrument of death than is the poisoned cup of the modern saloon.

ONE hundred and fifty times as much as is annually paid to the clergymen of the United States, and one hundred and eighty times as much as is paid every year by the whole world for the cause of missions, is annually expended to support the liquor traffic.

"O MADNESS, to think use of strongest wines
And strongest drinks our chief support of health,
When God, with these forbidden, made choice to rear
His mighty champion, strong above compare,
Whose only drink was from the liquid brook."
—Milton.

THE consequences of the vice of intoxication are so many and so fearful that it is difficult to enumerate even the outlines of them; and to pursue them in all their melancholy details would require a volume.... The mere pecuniary loss to the Nation may be fairly estimated at a little short of fifty millions of pounds sterling per annum.—Report of a select committee appointed by the House of Commons in 1834, and including Lord Althorp and Sir Robert Peel.

AS I LOOKED at the hospital wards today and saw that seven out of ten owed their diseases to alcohol. I could but lament that the teaching about this question was not more direct, more decisive, more home-thrusting than ever it had been.... It is when I think of all these, that I am disposed to give up my profession, give up every thing and go forth on a holy crusade, preaching to all men—"Beware of this enemy of the race."—Dr. Andrew Clark, one of the physicians to her Majesty, the Queen, and to Gladstone.

CORPORATION NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the report of Edward C. Mulford, Jeremiah Manning and Joseph A. Hubbard, the commissioners appointed by the Common Council of the city of Plainfield to make an estimate and assessment of the damages that any owner of land and real estate, with the appurtenances necessary to be taken for the purpose, will sustain by the extending, laying out and opening of Orchard place from its present termination to New street in said city, was on the day of the date hereof filed in the office of the subscriber, the city clerk of the said city of Plainfield, and is open to the inspection of the public, and will be presented to the Common Council at its next regular meeting on the sixth day of October, 1890.

Dated September 17, 1890.

J. B. COWARD,
City Clerk of the city of Plainfield.
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## Democratic Primaries.

Pursuant to the call of the County Democratic Executive Committee, the Democratic electors of the city of Plainfield will elect seven delegates to the Third Congressional District Democratic Convention to be held at the city of Elizabeth on Monday, the 22d day of September, at 12 o'clock noon.

The times, places and apportionment of delegates of said primaries will be as follows:

1st Ward—2 delegates; Dem. Headquarters, 26 W. Front st., Friday, 19th inst., at 8 o clock P. M.
2d Ward—1 delegate; Dem. Head'qrs, 28 W. Front st., Friday, 19th inst., at 8:30 o'clock P. M.
3d Ward—1 delegate; Dem. Head'qrs, 28 W. Front st., Saturday, 20th inst., at 8 o clock P. M.
4th Ward—3 d legates; Dem. Head'qrs, 28 W. Front st., Saturday 20th inst., at 8:30 o'clock P.M.

By the Democratic Association.
JAMES E. MARTINE, Pres.
Louis F. Wadsworth, Sec'y.
September 17, 1890.

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WINCHENDON, MASS., Feb. 19, 1890.
*F. E. C. Medicine Co.:*
I had been afflicted for a long time with a severe kidney trouble. I was so bad I was unable to work more than three months in the year. Had used a good

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many medicines but failed to get any relief. At last, about two years ago, I commenced using the F. E. C. Kidney, Blood and Liver Remedy. From the first

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it commenced to help me, and with the use of three bottles I was cured and am now well and able to do the heaviest kind of work. My business is moving pianos

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and heavy boxes. To any one suffering with Kidney trouble, I say, by all means try the F.E.C. Remedy. LORING GALE.

The F. E. C. Remedy is taking the lead of all others, wherever introduced. It is the only remedy for Sour Blood. Send for circulars. All druggists; $1 per bottle; six for $5.

BEWARE OF PARALYSIS!

Dr. Comfort's little "Compills" are a sure preventative. Do you have dizzy spells or a feeling of numbness, or want of circulation? Do not delay; get "Compills." They are made from roots and herbs. If not kept by your druggist, send 25 cents to the F. E. C. Medicine Co., Rochester, N. Y., and the "Compills" will be sent by mail.

For sale by R. J. SHAW, Druggist, Sole Agent.
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Largest package, greatest usefulness of any cereal
Equally delicious and wholesome in porridge and mush (hot, cold or fried), Gems, Griddle Cakes, etc.
Better than drugs as a hot weather tonic and regulator.
For young or old.
At leading grocers.
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CLOSE FIGURES.

Strange to say, we have been in Plainfield only six months, and during that time our trade has increased wonderfully; but of course we don't want it to stop here; we are bound to double it this Fall, and to do it we have selected a very

Choice Stock of Shoes,

For Fall trade, that were bought long before the rise in stock, and will give you some

Very Good Goods at Very Low Prices.

We know the people appreciate what we are doing.

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Shaving and Hair Cutting Parlors,
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Opposite Railroad Station.
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*NEW YORK MAILS.*
*Arrive*—7:30, 9 40, A. M., 12:15, 2:30, 5:30 P. M.
*Close*—7:30 and 9:30 A. M., 1:45, 5:30 and 8 P. M.
*SOMERVILLE AND EASTON MAILS.*
*Arrive*—8:40 A. M., 2:40, 6:30 P. M.
*Close*—7:30 A. M., 4:30 P. M.

Direct mail to Trenton and Philadelphia at 4:30 P. M.

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Office open from 9:30 to 10:30 A. M.
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E. R. POPE, P. M.

## WANTS AND OFFERS.

*Advertisements under this heading, one cent for each word each insertion.*

WANTED—A competent girl for general house work. Apply 57 East 9th street.

WANTED—Capable young woman, will recommended, for general housework in private family; no washing; $16. Inquire PRESS office.

WANTED—A young girl 14 to 16 years of age to take care of children; one who can sleep home preferred. Call at 66 Willow avenue, North Plainfield.

WANTED—A small girl for general housework. 35 Madison avenue. 9 18 2

75 CARPENTERS wanted at the Linden Race track, Elizabeth. Apply to John E. Pender, 31 Geneva street Elizabeth, or at the race track after Monday, 22d. 9 18 3

WANTED—A situation to do light housework or chambermaid. Apply Mary Roberts, 61 West 7th street.

WANTED—Girl for general housework. References required. Apply at number one Myrtle avenue, North Plainfield. 9 17 tf

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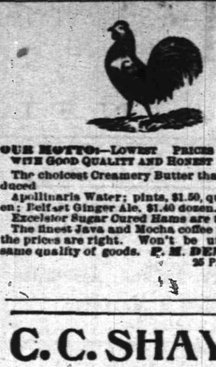

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The choicest Creamery Butter that can be produced.
Apollinaris Water; pints, $1.50, quarts, $2 dozen; Belfast Ginger Ale, $1.40 dozen.
Excelsior Sugar Cured Hams are the best—15c.
The finest Java and Mocha coffee in town, and the prices are right. Won't be undersold for same quality of goods. E. M. DEMAREST.
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The Leading Manufacturing FURRIER
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The BEST GRADES OF EVERYTHING at the MOST LIBERAL PRICES. 9-4.

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BUYS GOODS AT
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JUST RECEIVED, including a few rolls of the 75c quality Tapestry Brussels, offered at 65c.
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A handsome new Body Brussels, offered at $1 00 and $1 10.
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NEW FALL DRESS GOODS—All-wool Serges, new colorings, 60c quality at 50c.
HANDSOME New All-Wool Serges, beautiful colorings, at 75c.
ELEGANT New Stripes, in all wool, at 59c., and new all-wool Plaids, at 79c. Something very desirable.
A splendid assortment of BLACK GOODS, plain and fancy effects. The prices are VERY LOW.
Everything new and fresh and cheap, at
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Large Assortment!
New Goods!!
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FOR THIS WEEK ONLY
We will give to every purchaser of a pound of our famous 50c SPECIAL MIXED TEA, 3 lbs GRANULATED SUGAR, FREE.
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Leading Tea, Coffee and Grocery Store, 29 WEST FRONT ST. 9 9 tf

First Annual Clearing Out Sale of WALL PAPER!
The purpose of which is to dispose of our entire stock and renew it exclusively with the new patterns of the coming season. 25 Points worth considering:
FIRST—Our stock is very large, carefully selected, and all this season's goods.
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THIRD—Prices will be the lowest ever offered—bargains being offered daily below cost. Sale closes September 1.
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N. B.—ALL BRANCHES OF PAINTING A SPECIALTY. 1-17-t

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## VIEWED FROM THE INSIDE.

**The "Central Times," Which Speaks for the Water Charter Owners, Sets All Anxiety at Rest—in Its Own Mind.**

Recent developments, although accompanied with much that is not clear, have established two or three important facts. One is that the organization of the Water Works Company is of such doubtful validity that capitalists, after careful examination, are unwilling to invest money in the enterprise. Another is that work upon the plant is practically at a standstill, and it is now impossible for the Company to comply with the terms of their contract, at least in respect to the time when the works should be finished.

The litigation now pending, in the natural course of such events, will probably delay all further proceedings on the lines formerly laid down, for more than a year. If the decision should be favorable to the Company, work might be resumed and the plant completed sometime in the future; but if the ultimate decision should be otherwise the whole thing would collapse. It is true a bond for the faithful performance of the contract is held by the city, and has been signed by responsible parties; but whatever the law may be it does not seem sensible to say that the bond could be enforced if the contract is adjudged to be illegal. Unless, therefore, some important change is shortly made in the situation of the matter, litigation and delay will ensue for an indefinite period, and no one can predict the outcome.

It was, no doubt, in view of these facts that the Water Company sent a communication to the Councilon Monday evening, asking permission to present a plan for carrying out the essential features of the contract in some other manner than that heretofore contemplated. The matter was prudently referred to the Water Board and no doubt that body will give it careful and intelligent consideration. The object to be attained is the construction of water works without delay by an energetic and solvent company. No theoretical notion or pride of opinion should be allowed to stand in the way of this desirable consummation. Government by litigation, even at its best, is but a poor way to transact public business, and never has been a favorite method with the conservative people of Plainfield.

It is to be hoped, therefore, that the change in the method of completing the works now proposed, will be examined with a view to obtaining some important, practical results, and not for the purpose of scoring some minor point, or turning a sharp corner here and there. The absence of water works and a sewer system is a very serious detriment to the growth and prosperity of our city, and an effort to supply this want should be made in the manner tested by successful experience elsewhere. We have no time or money to waste in experimenting with unheard of schemes or novel methods, nor is noisy controversy desirable.

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The Times is able to inform its readers that the Plainfield Water Works Company has disposed of its property to a new company which will continue the construction of the works. After arrangements have been made and matters satisfactorily adjusted, the work will be rapidly finished with the idea of giving to Plainfield the most complete and thoroughly equipped system of water works possible. The organizers of the new company are men of undoubted financial and executive ability. The people of Plainfield may rest assured that the interests of their property and the public health will be amply protected by this disposal of a matter of such vital importance to the community.—*Central Times.*

But just hold on a day or two, Mr. Times, if you will. It is a piece of presumption, of course, on the part of THE PRESS to have anything more to say after you have finally arranged and settled the matter; but you might allow the Common Council to have a finger in it.

You repeat what THE PRESS said days ago—Plainfield's two companies will amalgamate. The Water Works company with its contract, will take in the Water Supply company with its charter; and the name and title of the latter will absorb the name and title of the former, for business purposes.

"This is as it should be," said THE PRESS of Tuesday. This new combination will submit a proposition for completing the Plainfield water works that, judging by the standing of the Plainfield men connected with the deal—whose names have been published exclusively in these columns—will be all that can be desired. In fact, they will even agree to the $15 hydrant rental, and free water to schools, churches, municipal buildings and two public fountains.

But before you can assure the people, Mr. Times, that the work will be finished by the new company, you should wait until you read in THE PRESS the report of the special meeting of the Council which the Water Board will call in a few days to hear the new company's proposition.

Suppose they decide to do what should have been done before—make a contract for water and sewer to be both put in at the same time.

And then suppose they decide to throw the whole matter open to bidders again?

Possibly some other company would, under such circumstances, underbid the Contract-Charter combination.

Wait, and watch, and read THE PRESS.

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**Changes in Borough Real Estate.**

Among the recent real estate transfers in this vicinity are recorded the following:

Mary E. and David I Smalley to Nicholas Van Winkle, property in North Plainfield, $2,500.

Zachariah Wilson et ux to Hippolyte Texier, property in North Plainfield, $1.

Mary P. and John M. Bettman to Otto Ebel, property in North Plainfield, $3,400.

Betsy Frazee to Samuel Radin and Benjamin Clark, lot in North Plainfield, $400.

Lambert Heyniger et ux to Edward H. Sebring, property in North Plainfield, $650.

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**The Unexplainable.**

*For THE PRESS.*

There are still in the midst of this wonderful nation,
Some souls who are stuck on the administration,
For reasons that no one can tell;
And it's also beyond mortal mind to explain,
Why that limited—Howard—car—5:30 train
Stops twice a week at Roselle.

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—The feature of the "Pearl of Pekin" company at Music Hall, last evening, was the little Chinaman.

## AN EQUINE PARADOX.

**Critique Talks Horse, and Makes Some Rambling Comments on the Treatment Which Man's Best Friend Receives at the Hands of His Masters in Plainfield.**

TO THE EDITOR OF THE PRESS:—One of those so-called "odoriless excavating" flotillas we all know so well was at work in the Park the other day when the S. P. C. A., ought to have been on deck. These caravans, whose "connection with ——— & Co.," is only too obvious, like farce-comedies always go in three parts: two sections favoring the tank play, and the other one resembling the legitimate drama, carrying the pumping apparatus which is inimical to the success of the entire outfit. Before the latter engine, on the occasion in question, was assembled what might have been described in a general way as a live horse, although it wore a disheartened aspect and seemed to care very little about living. When the task upon which the concern had bent its energies was completed, the man who had this animal in charge besought it to move, but the poor beast remained as cheerless and stiff as the new Music Hall curtain. Whether this lack of interest and animation was to be attributed to *ennui*, nervous prostration or spring halts was an open question, and its answer was apparently beyond the man I have mentioned, for he at length becoming weary of persuasion, produced a good-sized rope and flayed the unlucky animal without mercy until some one in the next yard protested and got a promiscuous fusillade of profanity for his trouble. The horse was pretty badly abraided in places, and, although he took his punishment patiently, seemed to feel thoroughly discouraged. There are too many ill-natured drivers in Plainfield who let their bad impulses get away with them on the slightest provocation. The horses are, as a rule, better than their masters from a moral point of view, and do not always deserve one-tenth of the bad treatment they receive. "Professor" Gleason, who was here in the Summer, said that the only way to handle a horse was to treat it kindly, and then he proceeded to contradict himself by frightening every horse he "tamed" within an inch of its life. His policy may be the best one, but it is generally safe to try the other way and be genuinely respectable to the animal kingdom. The good people who were giving away copies of "Black Beauty" to the end that the condition of our hack-horses might be ameliorated, may also do well if they turn the light of their benevolence upon the lot of horses in other walks of life.

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**To Offset Hired Batters With a Hired Battery.**

*(From the New York Sun.)*

New Jersey is probably the most enthusiastic State in the country as far as base ball is concerned. There is hardly a hamlet, village, town or city that does not boast of its superiority at the national game. Between no places in the State is the rivalry more pronounced than between Plainfield and Somerville. Both towns have had for several years superior teams, but the strangest thing in connection with their organizations has been that their nines in the main have been made up partly of professionals. Both teams consider themselves as amateurs, and upon this basis the games are played. This year the two towns are making unusual preparations to beat each other. A series of three games has been arranged to decide the question, and Umpire Quinn has been engaged to officiate at the three games. Last Saturday the Somervilles won the first game by a score of 2 to 1. Next Saturday the second game will be played at Plainfield.

Upon the Somerville team are such players as Pitcher Harkins of the Clevelands and Brooklyns; Cuff, an old professional catcher; Tom O'Rourke, who caught for Jersey City and subsequently went to the New York (N. L.) team; Jack Farrell, who stood at one time the equal of any second baseman in the country, and Al. Williams. On the other hand, the Plainfields are making an extra effort to strengthen their team for next Saturday's game. They want a good battery, and are willing to pay for it. An offer has been made to Rusie and Buckley of the New York (N. L.) Club. To get them for next Saturday they would be willing to pay as high as $100 apiece. If they can't get Rusie and Buckley they would likely offer equally as clever a battery the same amount. The Plainfields' cry is "Anything to beat Somerville!"

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**Dunellen Has a Congress.**

A local congress of the North American Endowment Associates, the first outside of New England, was organized at the W. C. T. U. room, Dunellen, last evening, through the efforts of C. W. Oley. The following officers were elected:

President—Frank Wynkoop.
Vice President—H. M. Champney, M. D.
Secretary—W. H. Milliken.
Treasurer—J. D. Dunham.
Conductor—Maurice L. Barick.
Sentinel—A. S. Runyon.
Guard—M. E. H. Gise.

The Congress, which numbers over 40 members, a growth of less than three weeks' canvassing and which is in a most promising condition, was christened the Dunellen Congress, No. 30. J. W. Flaherty, of Boston, Mass., Supreme Vice President of the North American, was present, and explained the principles and workings of the organization. The next regular meeting will be Tuesday evening, October 6, when the charter will be closed.

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—All will be welcome to the meeting in Reform Hall this evening.

## TEMPERANCE NOTES.

### CALIFORNIA WINES.

**They Are Very Strong of Alcohol, and Hence Quite Intoxicating.**

Passing through Southern California recently, and being introduced by a mutual friend to the proprietor of one of the wineries there, a person who had come over from Europe, I learned some things about California wines that may be of general interest and help toward a correct understanding of their nature. The "mission grape" of which the wines are made, probably so named from its introduction by persons connected with the early Romish missions to California, is not found in France, but is found in Spain, Portugal and a part of Italy. It is sweeter, however, as it grows in Southern California than it is in Europe. For this reason it is not suitable for making "dry wines." By this term the gentleman appeared to understand wines made from grape-juice, containing only so much grape-sugar as would be entirely changed in its fermentation. He stated that in fermentation we can get only sixteen or seventeen per cent. of alcohol, which statement agrees with those of others, the alcohol then becoming strong enough to arrest further fermentation by its preserving the remaining sugar from decomposition, as it preserves other substances immersed in it.

The grapes are put into a machine which cleans out all the stems, crushes the grapes, and filters out all the pulp, seeds and skins. It has three filters through all of which the first flow of juice, if not the whole of the liquid, runs. Other persons acquainted with the working of the winery spoke of there being three runs of the grape-juice, the first run being used for making the wine called "angelica," the second for making sherry and port wine, and the third for claret. They stated also that water is sometimes poured on the pulp and skins for the third run, which reminds one of the ancient custom of doing the same thing to make the *posca* or sour drink of the Roman soldier.

The proprietor did not seem inclined to give any information about selling the grape-juice as unfermented wine, though others affirmed that he sometimes sold the sweet juice. He boils down quantities of it, but insisted that it should be called "grape molasses," and not wine, although he was referred to the Roman custom of calling such wine *defrutum* and *sapa*.

As to the making of the wine called "angelica," he said it was the sweet grape-juice mixed with twenty per cent. of "the spirit of wine." By this term he meant the alcohol he distills from inferior grades of wine. At the time of my visit he was said to be distilling brandy, as the season for gathering the grapes and making wine had passed. He poured out a little of his angelica for me to test its character, and the simple smelling of it showed that it was strong with alcohol. He stated that no such wine is made in Europe, but that there is a sale for it in America, and that it will not ferment, which all will understand to be true who are familiar with the nature of alcohol. The twenty per cent. of alcohol is strong enough to preserve the eighty per cent. of sweet juice from any decomposition by vinous fermentation.

He also spoke of making other "sweet wines," as sweet sherry, etc., and said they were fermented wines, but that after fermentation had taken place and they were fortified so as to contain eighteen to twenty per cent. of alcohol a portion of unfermented grape-juice was then added to give them a sweet taste. Of course, in this case, as with the angelica, after the wine has been fortified so as to contain eighteen to twenty per cent. of alcohol, the sweet juice introduced into the wine will be preserved from all change and give the wine a sweet taste.

Speaking of the California claret, he said that the European clarets contain seven or eight per cent. of alcohol, but the California clarets have eleven or twelve per cent. of it. The gentleman who introduced me afterward said that the clarets made in California sometimes contain as much as fifteen per cent. of alcohol.

Thus it will be seen that the California wines are very strong of alcohol, and hence must be quite intoxicating. And we should be careful not to be deceived by their names. It is evident that the angelica may with propriety be spoken of as an unfermented wine. But still, from this we must not imagine that it is an unintoxicating wine, as is generally understood, when we speak of unfermented wine. And again, this wine is manifestly very different in its nature from ordinary wines, so far as its nourishing properties are concerned. Ordinary fermented and yet pure wines contain but a mere trifle of nourishment, but the angelica, if made as described, must be very nourishing, although the nourishment can be obtained only with great accompanying evil and danger from its being mixed with so much alcohol. The best grape-juice is said by chemical authorities to contain as much or more nutriment than an equal quantity of the best milk. And as the California grapes are exceptionally fine, if the angelica contains eighty per cent. of the best grape-juice, it must have a large amount of nourishment. And in respect to the other sweet wines which are fermented, if they have any considerable quantity of grape-juice put into them after fermentation has ceased, in proportion to the amount of this which they contain they must be nourishing also. Apparently, therefore, some of the California wines should be spoken of with discrimination, and not be regarded as of the same nature as ordinary European wines, even though these wines may be pure and manufactured from European grapes, and yet we should not ignorantly or foolishly delude ourselves with the idea that the California wines are not very harmful intoxicating drinks.—Rev. C. Hartwell, in National Temperance Advocate.

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EVERY dollar spent in the saloon is a blow at the family, and the family is the defense of our Nation.—Northwestern Mail.

## DECLINING A TREAT.

**An Interesting Conversation Between a Couple of Collegians.**

The following conversation was heard between two collegians, who were discussing a class dinner:

"Of course," said one (with a consequential touch of self-complacency and patronage students call "fresh," and which only length of days can cure) "if a fellow hasn't wit enough to know when to stop, he'd better be careful at first. Some heads are built weak, you know."

"Careful in what?" interrupted I, and both laughed.

"Why, drinking, of course," said the first speaker. "A fellow has to take his seasoning sooner or later. Some can stand it. Some can not; at least for a while."

He was, as I have intimated, a freshman. His friend, a bearded senior, the only son of a rich man, slapped him good-humoredly on the shoulder.

"When I was your age, old fellow, my father said to me: 'If I had my life to live over I would never take a glass of wine or smoke a cigar.' I answered: 'It would be foolish not to profit by what such a sensible man says.' I have never tasted wine or touched tobacco, and I am glad of it—gladder every day I live. I might have been 'built' with a strong head—and then, again, I might not."

"What do you say when you are offered a 'treat?'"

"I say: 'No, thank you, I never take it.' Generally that settles the matter quietly."—Better Day.

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IN the late night operations conducted by Sir Evelyn Wood, in England, to test the value of electric light in war, it was found that there was considerable difficulty in controlling the action of the light. It was dazzling for those advancing on it, but it could be gazed at through field glasses without inconvenience. It also enabled a fine sight to be taken on rifles at the heads of the gunners in the redoubt. It was also discovered that capes should be worn at all night operations by attackers, and scabbards should be dulled, as the glitter of scabbards and red coats rendered discovery easy.

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## BOY BLUE AND I.

When Dick was ten and I was eight,
Life's morning sweet and early!
While he wore aprons checked with blue,
And yet my hair was curly;
We used to read the livelong day
Strange tales and old romances;
Dick liked the Indian stories best,
But I had softer fancies.

I clung to fairy tales, alas!
And books with yellow covers;
I thought myself a heroine,
And went in search of lovers.
In my young heart in those fond days
Of bright, unclouded weather,
Imps, soldiers, ogres, ghosts and war
Were all linked in together.

We had one play called Bunker Hill;
Dick always wished to play it.
I liked dolls better, though, of course,
I was ashamed to say it.
Dick had a company of boys,
The name of one was Mosca;
I made him once a soldier's cap
And trimmed it round with roses.

I followed in the ranks myself,
Their only banner bearing;
Dick fastened to my father's cane
The apron I was wearing.

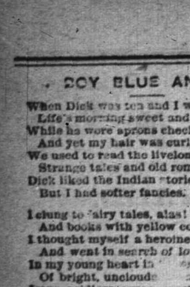
O happy days, too briefly bright!
O memories quaint, but pleasant!
I can not bear to link to-day,
The glad past with the present!
My childhood's visions seem to mock
My lone heart, sad and smitten;
In dearer life-blood than my own
The page of war is written!

I know not where in death he sleeps—
Far distant from each other
I watched and wept, he fought and fell,
My brave and generous brother!
'Tis all we know. O no! not all—
He died as heroes perish:
He left a memory for our hearts
To fondly, proudly cherish.

N. Y. World.

## MISS BECKY'S HOME.

### Why She Went to Live With an Old Gentleman.



MISS BECKY was going to the "Old Ladies' Home" at last. It was a sorry fact, but there was nothing else for her to do, it seemed. Who would think of offering any other home to a poor, almost helpless old woman who had out-lived her usefulness? Having passed her days in other people's houses, so to speak, she might not mind it as much, perhaps, as a more fortunate being.

"Yes," she said, "there's a vacancy in the 'Old Ladies' Home,' and the hundred dollars that Parson Amory left me will pay my way in, but it wouldn't last me long if I began to spend it, you know, and I shall have a warm bed and my regular meals without worrying about where the next one's coming from. I'm 'most tired worrying about ways and means. Seems as though I had been about it all my life, ever since father was taken with heart disease hearing the class in algebra. Now that the rheumatism has got the better of me, so that I can't work in cold weather, and the doctor says it'll draw my fingers up so that I can't use them, soon, it doesn't seem as if there was any thing left for me in this world but the Home—and I ought to be thankful for that!"

Miss Becky had had other expectations in her heyday, when young Larry Rogers met her and carried her basket; when his strong arm paddled her down the broad river to church on Sunday mornings; when they sang together in the choir from the same hymn book; when they loitered homeward in the fragrant summer dusk, and heard the whip-poor-will complain, and startled the fire-flies in the hedges as they brushed by. It sometimes seemed to Miss Becky as if all this had happened in another planet. She was young then, with a bloom on her cheek; but, although the rheumatism had bent her figure, and rendered her more or less helpless at times, yet her dark, velvety eyes looked out like soft stars, and the ghost of a dimple still flickered on cheek and chin in spite of her sixty-odd years. Miss Becky's father had been the district school-teacher in those far-off days of her girlhood. He had taught her the simple lore at his command, but it was Larry Rogers who had taught her music, hour after hour, in the empty old school-house; they had practiced together, while he wrote the score on the blackboard. But all this had not sufficed to enable her to earn a live-

THE BRIDE PLANTED A YOUNG TREE.

lihood. Her education, musical and otherwise, had stopped short of any commercial value. In those days she had never expected to earn her living by the sweat of her brow. Larry was going to give her every thing. How trivial the little quarrel seemed to-day which circumvented this fine resolve of his! But what magnitude it had assumed at the time! On his return from a trip to a neighboring city, some busybody whispered to Larry that Miss Becky had been seen driving with Squire Eustis' son, Sam, behind his trotters. Sam was just home from college, a harum-scarum fellow, they said, who made love right and left, and gambled a bit; and when Larry reproached her with it she had not denied; she had simply said: "What then? If you choose to listen to gossip rather than wait till I tell you—"

"But you *didn't* tell me; and I've been home a week."

"I had forgotten all about it till you reminded me," said Becky.

"It's such an every-day affair for you to drive with Sam Eustis!"—which incredulity so stung Becky that she would not condescend to explain that she had carried some needlework up to Squire Eustis' which she had been doing for his wife, and, that as she left to walk home, Sam was starting off with his smart chaise and new dapple-grays, and the Squire said: "Take Miss Becky home, Sam, and show her their paces;" and how she had been ashamed to refuse the kindness, although preferring to walk a thousand times; and how, once in the chaise, Sam had been the pink of courtesy, and had begged her to drive over with him to Parson Amory's, three miles out of her way, "that Lucy Amory may see that you don't disdain my company. For you see," said Sam, who was not as black as he was painted, or as many liked to link to-day, "Lucy can make me what she will; without her I shall be nothing and nobody; but they've told her all kinds of wild things about me; they've told her she might just as well jump into the river as marry such a scapegrace. And perhaps if I made her a little jealous—you know there's no harm in *that*, is there? all's fair in love—and perhaps if the old folks see me driving about with Miss Becky Thorne my stock may go up, and I may be 'saved from the burning,' as Parson Amory says." And Becky had consented; how could she refuse to do a service for such a true lover? So slight a thing, too! She had often traversed the same road since, on foot, on her daily rounds of toil or mercy. Sam Eustis had married Lucy Amory years ago, and was the foremost man in the county to-day. Strange, how that friendly drive had interfered with Miss Becky's prospects; how the simple fact of carrying home Mrs. Eustis' needlework should have determined her fate, and devoted her to a life of hardship and the "Old Ladies' Home" at the end! Talk of trifles! Poor Miss Becky! she remembered that once or twice the opportunity had offered when she might have made it up with Larry; but pride, or a sort of fine reserve, had locked her lips—Larry ought to know that she was above silly flirtations. Once, when they had met at Lucy Amory's wedding, when they all went out into the orchard while the bride planted a young tree, and the guests looked for four-leaved clovers, she had found herself—whether by accident or design she could not tell—on the grass beside Larry; their fingers met over the same lucky clover, their eyes met above it, and for an instant she had it on her tongue's end to confess all about the drive and its result, to put pride in her pocket, but just then Nell Amory called to Larry.

"Oh, a horrid spider!—on my arm, Larry! Kill him, quick—do! Oh—oh—oh! I shall die—I shall faint!" and that was the end of it.

The old orchard, with its fragrant quince bushes, its gnarled apple trees, its four-leaved clovers, was a thing of the past; a cotton-mill roared and thundered there all day long where the birds built and the trees bourgeoned thirty odd years ago. It no longer blossomed, except in Miss Becky's memory. She had turned her thoughts to raising plants when she was left to her own resources, but one cruel winter's night killed all her slips and the capital was lacking by which she might renew her stock. Since then she had gone out for daily sewing, had watched with the sick, had been in demand for temporary housekeeper whenever a tired matron wished an outing; but latterly her eyes no longer served her for fine work, and sewing-machines had been introduced; she was not so alert in the sick-room as of yore; she moved more slowly and her housekeeping talent was no longer in request; added to this, the bank where her little earnings had been growing one day failed and left her high and dry. Some of her friends had traveled to pastures new, some had married away, some had ignored and forgotten her. As for Larry Rogers, he had been away from Plymouth this many a year. Somebody had sent him abroad the year after Lucy Amory's marriage, to develope his musical genius. He had grown into a famous violinist, playing all over the country to crowded houses, before the finest people in the land. It was a beautiful romance to Miss Becky to read in the Plymouth Record about our "gifted townsman;" she seemed to hear the echo of his violin when the wind swept through the pine boughs. She had no bitter thoughts; she did not blame him because she sat in shadow, because her life had been colorless. She sang again the old tunes he had taught her, and made a little sunshine in her heart. All of happiness she had ever known he had brought her. Why should she complain? And now she was going to the "Old Ladies' Home."

"It isn't exactly what I expected in my youth," she said to the old doctor's widow.

"No; but you'll have a nice room and a bright fire, and the neighbors will drop in to see you and make it seem home-like. Now, there's old Mrs. Gunn; nothing can persuade her to go to the Home. She says it's only a genteel almshouse after all; and so she rubs along with what little she can earn and what the neighbors have a mind to send in; and they have to do it mightily gingerly, too, just as if they were asking a favor of her. Lor'! she doesn't earn her salt."

"I dare say," returned Miss Becky. "Now, if it hadn't been for the rheumatism I could earn my living for years yet, and, may be, get something ahead again. But it seems as if the rheumatism laid in wait for the poor and friendless."

"You ought to have married when you were young, Becky," said the doctor's widow, who had forgotten all about Becky's love affair, and labored under the impression that she had never had a chance—an impression which matrons are apt to entertain concerning their single friends. Miss Becky had been spending some weeks with Mrs. Doctor Dwight, who had moved away from Plymouth after her husband's death. She was there chiefly to put some stitches into the widow's wardrobe, which nobody else would do so "reasonably," that lady's grief having incapacitated her for holding a needle, or giving her mind to the material details of "seam and gusset and band." But during the visit Miss Becky had been seized with her sharpest attack of rheumatism, which had kept her in bed for weeks, till her wages were exhausted by drugs and doctor's fees. It was at this time that she made up her mind to go into the Home on her return to Plymouth.

Mrs. Dwight saw her off at the station. "I hope you'll find the home cozy," she said, outside the car-window. "It's lucky Parson Amory left you that hundred dollars, after all. He might have doubled it."

"Yes, I suppose so," Miss Becky answered, meekly. Perhaps she was thinking that if *she* were Mrs. Dwight no old friend of hers should go begging for a refuge at an alms-house door, were it ever so genteel an alms-house. Perhaps she was thinking of the pretty, comfortable home waiting for her friend, and wondering why their fortunes were so unlike.

"Write when you reach Plymouth and let me know how you're suited," said Mrs. Dwight, and just then the cars gave a lurch and left her behind, and Miss Becky turned her glance inward. Somebody had taken the seat beside her.

"Your friend was speaking of Parson Amory, of Plymouth," said he. "I couldn't help hearing. I was born in Plymouth myself, but I haven't met a soul from there these twenty years. I'm on my way down to look up my old friends."

"Twenty years is a long time," answered Becky. "I'm afraid you won't find many of your friends left. You'll hardly know Plymouth."

"I suppose not—I suppose not. Have you lived there long?"

"I? I have lived there all my days."

"Good! I am hungry for news of the people. Tell me every thing you can think of. Did Parson Amory leave a fortune? He was called *close*. Where's Miss Nell—married or dead? I can see the old place in my mind's eye; and the parsonage under the elms, and the orchard behind it, where Lucy Amory planted a young tree on her wedding day, and the gown little Becky Thorne

"I AM BECKY THORNE."

wore—by the way, is she alive? Do you know her?"

Miss Becky hesitated an instant.

"Yes," she replied, "I know her—more or less. She's alive."

"And married?"

"Well, no, she never married."

"She must be sixty odd; she was a pretty creature, such dimples—I suppose they are wrinkles now! Where have the years gone? Is her home in the old place still?"

"Her home?" said Miss Becky, flushing a little, "she has none. She is on her way to the Old Ladies' Home."

"To the Old Ladies' Home! Becky Thorne!" he gasped; "and I—"

"You seem to have known her pretty well," said Miss Becky, who was beginning to enjoy the incognito.

"I should think so! I've loved Becky Thorne from my cradle; we had a silly quarrel, which parted us—such a trifle, when I look back. Do you ever look back, madam?"

The twilight was falling about them; Becky's face had grown a shade or two paler all at once; she turned her dark, velvety eyes full upon him with a startled air.

"You—" she said, "you must be Larry Rogers." Then the color swept to her cheeks in a crimson wave. "Do you know I never thought you had grown old like myself? Don't you know me? *I* am Becky Thorne!"

Just then the train thundered through the tunnel, and they forgot that they were sixty-odd.

"On the way to the Old Ladies' Home," she wrote Mrs. Dwight, "I was persuaded to go to an old gentleman's, instead."—Mary N. Prescott, in the Domestic Monthly.

### The Color of Trout.

The color of a trout's back depends on the color of the bottom of the river, but the trout which grow rapidly differ greatly in spots and color from those which grow slowly and thrive badly, and a middle-aged trout differs in color from an aged trout. Speaking generally, the young, healthy, fast-growing fish will have silvery sides, white belly and plenty of well-defined spots. The poorly-fed fish will have few or no spots, a drab belly and muddy-yellow sides. The old trout will be much the same in appearance, only more so, and will be particularly lank and large-headed. This accounts for those trout which have access to salt water being brighter and more beautiful than others which do not. The variety and abundance of their food make them so.—American Angler and Hook and Line.

### Good at Arithmetic.

Lady (in employment office)—As there is only my husband and myself in the family I think you ought to be willing to come for less than you ask. There are only two persons to cook for.

Domestic—But, mum, when I'm wid you there 'ud be three.—N. Y. Weekly.

## STUDY IN BROWN AND WHITE.

### A Sensibly Chosen Summer Dress for Little Folks.

HAT shall be bought for the every-day wear of the small pedestrian who indoors is just able to walk into mischief of varying kinds, but shows a decided preference for the wash-basin, the shoe-blacking and the ink bottle, and out of doors rejoicing in nothing so much as a sand heap and unlimited water? The pure white and delicate pinks and blues, a first choice for only darlings and children of ample incomes, must be passed reluctantly over by the mother of many, of moderate means, and something that will wash, something that will wear, and something that will not be expensive are the requisites demanded for morning or "mud pie" dresses in families not a few.

This spring, calico, cambric, percale and the fancy ginghams were all tried in the balance and found wanting; calico and cambric fade and grow thin before the summer is half ended; percales, when pretty in design, soil almost as quickly as white, and when dark enough to be useful are somewhat unattractive in design. The ginghams, while tasteful and admirable for afternoon wear, do not possess the staying qualities called for in the dress worn during the forenoon. Denim, suggested by reading "Ascutney Street," seemed a last resort, but also an unmistakably ugly one, until a pile of kitchen aprons, still fresh and clear-looking after some months' hard service, suggested a material that would meet most of the requirements of baby's dresses.

Nine yards of a clear dark brown and white in quarter-inch checks were chosen from a great variety of apron ginghams at eight cents a yard, offered for a selection, the nine yards making three dresses of the following pattern, which was decided upon after much deliberation: A very short, plain waist, with a sleeve puffed from the shoulder to the elbow, plain and tight-fitting from the elbow to the wrist; a plain, full skirt, containing three breadths, finished with a four-inch hem, and reaching to the ankles.

Around the neck is a frill of embroidery, half a yard long, and two inches deep, which gives the finishing touch to a little dress that is quaint and comfortable looking, and when its wearer is crowned with a broad-brimmed brown sailor, or better still a little sun hat of white pique, the effect is very pleasant, almost picturesque. This, at least, is the verdict of the mothers of a little hill-top colony where the dress has been chosen, by general consent, for their two and three-year-olds, boys and girls, who are to revel in sunshine and sand gardens, during the coming long summer mornings.

Two dollars will buy materials for six dresses, including embroideries and buttons, and one dress, cut and fitted perfectly, will serve as a pattern for the others, any one of which can be made on the machine in three hours, an easy piece of work for a morning or afternoon. When economy is the first consideration, the material can be made up Mother Hubbard fashion, and the neck finished with a frill of the same, but the first pattern is, otherwise, well-worth the difference which would thus be saved.—Good Housekeeping.

### The White House Silver.

Women all over the land know how it is not to have enough silver knives and forks to go around, and they have all felt the anguish of seeing the most distinguished guest get the plated one by mistake. But who would dream that the White House would not have enough knives and forks to go around, and yet it is true. Every time fifty people sit down to a state dinner there two of them take their bouillon from plated spoons, their terrapin from plated forks and cut the fillet of beef with plated knives.

It is a horrible thought, but there are only four dozen genuine silver knives, forks and spoons in the butler's pantry, and by the most skillful ingenuity they can not be made to do duty for fifty people. There is one set of knives and forks in the sideboard which has a history, for it cost a President his re-election. These are the gold knives and forks which Van Buren added, and when the people learned that the public moneys were being taken to put gold spoons in Presidents' mouths they promptly defeated him.

Now, the truth of the matter is that they are not gold at all, and the people were hasty in their judgment. They are solid silver washed with gold, and it was only a few years ago—in President Arthur's day—that they began to wear off and disclose the hoax. He had them rewashed, and they are still used on state occasions. They are small, fine bladed and much more delicate than those commonly in use in this day. Many of the larger pieces of silver date back to Madison's day, although no memoranda have been kept, and it is hard to tell when things were purchased.—N. Y. World.

### Action of Mildew on Cotton Fabrics.

Owing to its comparative freedom from impurity cotton may be stored for a long period without undergoing any change, more especially if it is bleached and kept dry. When, however, it is contaminated with added foreign organic matter, such as starch, gum, etc. (as in finished calicoes), and then exposed to a moist, warm atmosphere, it is very liable gradually to become tender or rotten. This is owing to the growth of vegetable organisms of a very low order called mildew. These fungi feed upon the starchy matters present, inducing their decomposition, and after some little time the cotton fibers themselves are attacked. The simultaneous production of crenic, humic, ulmic and other organic acids may possibly assist somewhat in the tendering process.—N. Y. Telegram.

## IN OUT OF THE WET.

### With No Apologies to Some Lady Writers of Fiction.

NATURE, in her great laboratory, can work wonders with very poor instruments. The instruments she used with which to mold the fair form of Leonora Scruggs were the world, a belle of the sacrilegiously Leonora was a child of nature, and likewise of Peter and Betsey Scruggs.

one of those feeders of farmer's hired man, and culinary department yclept a hash-jerker.

The years go fleeting by with their cargoes of hopes and joys, of "nights out painting the town," of toil and moil, of Budweiser beer, of unpaid bills, of heart burnings and other physical ailments, and Leonora Scruggs has changed

from the budding convolvulus of sweet girlhood to the redder and full-blown paeonia of womanhood, and all unknown to her, her fate is coming toward her, relentlessly, surely, sent by his employer to collect the price of a copy of "Samantha at Saratoga," which Leonora, in a moment of abstraction, forgetting that her wages was only four dollars a week and Sunday nights out, had ordered.

Seated in the pantry, the outlines of her fair young form rather promiscuously revealed by her loose-fitting Mamma Hubbard, was Leonora, bathing her guileless young feet in a dishpan, when the door-bell was rung savagely and a reformed salvation army major called for Miss Scruggs.

If I had a little more time to devote to writing this, I would now work in several exclamatory sentences about the shadow of the destiny that was falling upon Miss Scruggs, and upon the dishpan and pantry, but tempus is skipping and I must on.

The voice of the stranger sounded to Leonora like the sweet gurgle of boiling mush and the sacred hour that comes to

women nominally but once, was upon her, and she knew that she heard the voice of the man who was to walk by her side, and put up with her kicking, and pay her millinery bills through all the shadowy years of the misty subsequently.

Peeping coyly from behind the door, and at the same time gracefully inserting her innocent feet in an old pair of carpet slippers, Leonora bashfully lisped: "Ah, there! my size."

Andronicus O'Vanderpeel raised his hat, thereby showing his wealth of carrot-hued hair, took a hitch at his pants, which were supported by an antique belt, stood on one foot, and in rich, manly tones, replied:

"Morning, lady; fine day; gotcher Smanthy at Sairtoga; two dollars, please."

Fairly carried away by the emotions the voice of Andronicus set stirring in her bosom, Leonora could only murmur, while the tell-tale hair-oil trickled across her forehead and down her nose:

"Come, now, McGinty, don't be a chump; I won't pay for no dad-binged book, but the folks is away from home, and if you want to come in and help me pare these taters we'll have more fun than some people have sheep."

And thus were two more heaven-born souls warmed by the glorious sunshine of love; thus did the only true secret of happiness come to two lives; thus did two full-grown people grow so spooney upon each other that in thirty minutes he was calling her The Pride of His Life, and ere the lagging hour-hand had circled once around its course she was sitting on his lap and calling him "baby." And ere the ruddy sun had buried his radiant features behind the western hills Andronicus had experienced the rich, I might even say opulent, pleasure of holding a one hundred and forty-pound girl on his knees for four mortal hours, and when, in a voice choked with emotion, he asked her if she would "get hitched" to him, she buried her fat young face between the lapels of his vest, and murmured: "Bet yer neck."—V. Z. Reed, in Texas Siftings.

### In His Track.

Inspector (in a detective office)—You men have been out for several days on this search.

Detective—Yes, sir.

Inspector—Did you come across any thing?

Detective—Yes, sir; several bridges.—Washington Post.

### Short But Sweet.

Jinks—Why, Binks what's become of your watch?

Binks—Sat in the train next to a man who asked me ten times in one hour if I had the time.

Jinks—Well?

Binks—Gave him the watch.—Jewelers' Circular.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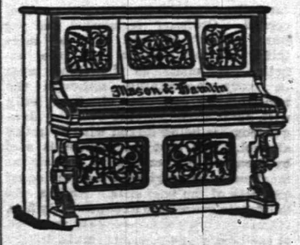


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PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7, 8 07, 9 42, 11, 11 58 A. M., 1 55, 2 22, 3 45, 4 34, 5 20, 6 36, 8 20, 7 03, 7 12, 7 54, 8 20, 9 43, 11 13, 12 43 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 13, 9 48, A. M., 2 03, 4 35 P. M.

Leave Somerville, 6, 6 30, 7 05, 7 25, 7 35, 7 48 9 00, 9 47, 11 15 A. M., 12 35, 1 15, 1 48, 2 05, 3 2 4 40, 5 12, 5 35, 8 05, 8 50, 11 05, P. M. Sunday—8 25, 10 35 A. M., 12 08, 1 05, 4 50, 6 40, 8 09, 8 05, 9 30 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7, 8 07, 9 42, A. M., 1 59, 4 34, 5 20, 6 36, 8 20 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 13 A. M., 2 03, 4 35 P. M.

Leave Easton 6 05, 8 44, 10 A. M., 12 22, 4 06, 6 40 P. M. Sunday—7 15, 10 53, A. M., 6 40, 7 30 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 7, 9 42 A. M., 1 59, 5 20 P. M. Sunday—8 13 A. M.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

LEAVE PLAINFIELD.

5 45 A. M. for Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

7 A. M. for High Bridge Branch and Easton.

8 07 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 42 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Nanticoke, Drifton, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c.

1 59 P. M. for Flemington, Bordentown, High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, &c.

4 34 P. M. for D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

5 20 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Schooley's Mountain, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, &c.

6 36 P. M. for Flemington.

8 20 P. M. for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg.

8 20 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

6 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8 13 A. M. Sundays for High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, &c., 2 03 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua and Pottsville. 6 35 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

For Atlantic City, 9 37 a. m. 1 p. m.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c.

Leave Plainfield 3 37, 8, 11 09, a. m., 1, 3 51, 5 31, p. m. Sundays—(except Ocean Grove) 8 52, a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 38, 8, 10 05, 11 09 a. m., 1, 3 51, 5 31, 7 03 p. m. Sunday—8 52 a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8, 11 09 a. m., 1, 3 51, 5 31, p. m.

BOUND BROOK ROUTE.

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## MR. KILGORE'S KICK

### Disorderly Scenes in the House of Representatives.

DOORS LOCKED BY THE SPEAKER

One is Burst Open by the Member from Texas and Mr. Dingley Injured.

**Several Democrats Leave the Chamber on Account of the Virginia Contest. The Republicans Hold a Caucus—Telegrams Sent to Absent Members to Return Immediately to Make a Quorum.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 19.—The House has furnished another sensation. The Democrats have been trying for several days to prevent the unseating of Mr. Venable of Virginia and giving his place to Professor Langston, the colored contestant.

The Democrats opened the ball by filibustering against the proposition to approve the journal. In pursuance of this policy the greater number left the hall in order to break the quorum. A call of the House was ordered. This brought the Democrats back again. Then followed the usual motion, which was that further proceedings under the call be dispensed with. While the yeas and nays were being taken on this proposition a score or more of Democrats started to leave the Chamber.

This brought Mr. Burrows, of Michigan, one of the Republican leaders to his feet with a suggestion to the Speaker that the departing members ought to be obliged to remain. The Speaker replied that the rules were intended to secure that end, and looking about him he espied Mr. Houk, the assistant doorkeeper, whom he instructed to lock all the doors leading into the corridor.

At this moment Mr. Kilgore of Texas essayed to pass through the door at the Speaker's left. The doorkeeper in charge refused permit him. In peremptory tones the Texan demanded that the door be opened, and that too, without delay. Still the doorkeeper refused.

Mr. Kilgore thereupon drew back one foot, and administering a vigorous kick to the frail baize structure, broke its fastenings and shot it quivering outward.

Mr. Dingley, the journalist Representative from Maine, all unconscious of impending trouble, came along the corridor at that instant and received the flying splinters from the shattered clock full in his face. His nose was badly brnised, but with this exception he escaped unhurt.

While this scene was being enacted Representatives Amos Cummings of New York and Coleman of Louisiana went to the door on the other side of the presiding officer's desk. The messenger attempted to stop them, but the two members coolly turned the key and unlocking the door stepped out without further opposition.

### THE HOUSE DEADLOCK.

**The Republicans Decide in Caucus to Telegraph for All Absentees.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 19.—A caucus of Republican members was held to determine on means to break the deadlock now prevailing in the House. After a short discussion about amending the rules to prevent a quorum from being broken when once secured, it was decided to call the roll to ascertain how many members were present. The call showed that 145 Republican members were in the hall. To make a quorum 19 more members would be required.

Several Republican members who were not present are in the city and it was stated that these and a number of others, who are out of town, sufficient to make a quorum, could be secured for attendance. It was decided that telegrams should be sent out to all absentees to return to Washington without delay.

The statement is authorized by prominent Republican members that the House will refuse to allow Congress to adjourn until the Langston-Venable case is disposed of. Several Republican Senators were present at the caucus but took no part in the proceedings.

**Fled on the Eve of Marriage.**

MORRISTOWN, N. J., Sept. 19.—Nothing has yet been heard of William Lynn, the young barber who disappeared in a peculiar manner. He was to have been married yesterday morning to the daughter of a saloonkeeper, and the friends of both parties were present in large numbers in the Catholic Church. No wedding party appeared, however, and the affair has since been worked up to a regular sensation. The young girl is heartbroken over the affair.

**In Memory of John Boyle O'Reilly.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 19.—A meeting was held here last night of Catholics and Irish sympathizers at which resolutions deploring the death of John Boyle O'Reilly were adopted and a committee appointed to co-operate with the Boston committee in erecting a monument to his memory. Addresses were delivered by Capt. O'Meagher Condon and others.

**The Morocco Strikers on Guard.**

LYNN, Mass., Sept. 19.—John T. Moulton opened his morocco factory as a "free shop" and has secured several men. The factory is guarded by about 50 pickets, who attempt to persuade all asking work to desist. Mr. Moulton has been assured ample protection to the new men.

**Fell Into a Threshing Machine.**

OLEAN, N. Y., Sept. 19.—At the farm of Charles Reynolds, in the town of Allegany, a boy named Kaiser fell into the cylinder of a steam threshing machine and was instantly ground to pieces.

### THE PORTSMOUTH TRAGEDY.

**The Coroner Finds that Hein Attempted to Add Another Victim to His List.**

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., Sept. 19.—It was learned by Coroner S. C. Whittier that Fred H. J. Hein attempted to add to his list of victims his mother-in-law Mrs. Lucas, whom he never liked.

It is known that he went three times to her house in Hill street, near his own, and tried to force an entrance, but failed to do so, because Mrs. Lucas, alarmed by his frequent threats to take her life, always kept her door locked.

Mrs. Lucas told a reporter that Hein was a perfect brute; that his own mother, whom he had shamefully abused, warned Alice Lucas not to marry him; that, although Hein never struck his wife, he frequently threatened her life; that he denied her proper clothing and pocket money; that he had kept a mistress, by whom he had a child, and that his cruelties forced his wife to leave. The talk against her daughter's character, Mrs. Lucas says, is untrue.

On the other hand, Hein is spoken of by those who knew him as being a sober, industrious fellow, who was made desperate by his wife's unfaithfulness.

### MAY BE A REPUBLIC.

**A Mob Threatens the King, but the Troops Are in Control.**

LONDON, Sept. 19.—Reports from Lisbon are to the effect that serious fighting has occurred between the people and the authorities, and the Government has established a state of siege. The Government forces are at present in full control. The mob shouted for Serpa Pinto, and "Down with the English and the Braganzas," meaning the King.

Senhor Magahoes Lima, the editor of La Secula, said in an interview to-day: "The idea of a Portuguese Republic was born of the success of the Brazilian revolution, which gave the impetus.

"Large funds are supplied to us by wealthy Brazilians, and one week after we install the republic we shall not have a single adversary; even the clergy are on our side. We fear no foreign intervention, but, on the contrary, our republic will shortly lead to the establishment of a republic in Spain."

### HE GIVES $1,000,000.

**John D. Rockafeller's Munificent Gift to the Baptist University.**

CHICAGO, Sept. 19.—John D. Rockafeller has just given $1,000,000 more to the new Chicago Baptist University, in addition to the $600,000 which he contributed previously.

This munificent offer was laid before the board of trustees of the institution and was quickly accepted. Success, at least so far as it depends upon financial considerations, is already assured to the new university.

The board of trustees elected Professor W. R. Harper of Yale College president of the new institution. Mr. Harper has not yet signified his acceptance, but it is thought he will do so.

**Dion Boucicault Dead.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 19.—Dion Boucicault, the celebrated playwright and actor, died last night at his residence, No. 103 West 54th street, in the 68th year of his age. He caught a cold which developed into pneumonia on Tuesday afternoon, and rapidly became worse, although he was conscious up to the time of his death. His physician, Dr. Delafield; his wife and the nurse alone were present when he died. No arrangements for the funeral have yet been made.

**The President at Cresson.**

CRESSON SPRINGS, Pa., Sept. 19.—The President and Mrs. Dimmick took a long walk over the mountains and afterwards were joined by Mrs. Harrison in a ride to Ebensburg, a village seven miles distant, from which point the scenery is very fine. William H. Dill brought a pressing invitation to the President from the miners of Phillipsburg and vicinity to visit them during his stay in the mountains.

**Great Bicycle Meeting.**

CHICAGO, Sept. 19.—A great bicycle meeting is being held here to-day and will continue to-morrow on the track of the Chicago Cricket Club grounds at Parkside. All the fastest riders of the East and West and several from England will compete. The prizes are some of the most valuable ever offered at any tournament.

**East Pennsylvania Lutheran Synod.**

LANCASTER, Pa., Sept. 19.—At Columbia, the first business session of the 49th annual session of the East Pennsylvania Synod of the Lutheran Church was begun at 9 o'clock. Rev. W. D. Dunbar, of Lebanon, the president of the synod, presided. Over 100 ministers and lay delegates are present.

**Goldbeaters Win Their Strike.**

BOSTON, Sept. 19.—The strike of goldbeaters in this city, as well as in Philadelphia, New York and Chicago, has been settled in favor of the men, they having obtained their demand, which enables them to earn from $13.50 to $23 per week.

**Professor O'Conor Killed.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 19.—A dispatch from Dallas, Texas, says that Prof. Thomas O'Conor, nephew of the late Charles O'Conor, of New York, was struck by an engine last night and died later in the hospital from the injuries.

**Gibbs Expelled.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 19.—Assemblyman Frederick S. Gibbs, the leader of the Republican party of the 13th district, was expelled from the County Committee last night.

**Congressional Nomination.**

LACONIA, N. H., Sept. 19.—D. Arthur Taggart of Groffstown was nominated for Congress by the Republicans of the First District.

## WON BY WARD'S MEN

### Ewing's Giants Defeated by the Brooklyn Wonders.

THE LAST GAME IN THE EAST.

The Clubs All Go West to Wind Up the Season.

**The Bridegrooms Hold Their Lead for the League Pennant—Anson Won and Lost a Game—Cleveland's Brotherhood Team Defeats Pittsburg—Louisville at the Head in the Association Race.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 19.—The League baseball season here came to an illustrious end in Brotherhood Park. The contest between the nines of Ewing and Ward, which marked its death, was a monument of pleasure and excitement.

As good a game was never played in Brotherhood Park, and a better one never anywhere. Brooklyn divided with New York the numbers and enthusiasm of the grand stand, and New York divided with Brooklyn the honors of the field.

Ward's men in the early the game had the best of it. At the end of the fifty inning the score was five to two in their favor. In the sixth they scored another run on a wild pitch by Crane. Ewing in trying to stop the ball, injured his hand, and Bill Brown took his place.

The game was interesting throughout, the winning run for Brooklyn being made by a bunt hit by Joyce in the ninth inning.

### BASEBALL GAMES.

**National League.**

AT CHICAGO—FIRST GAME.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Chicago | 2 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0— | 8 |
| Cincinnati | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0— | 4 |

Batteries—Luby and Kittredge; Mullane and Keenan.

SECOND GAME.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Chicago | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0— | 5 |
| Cincinnati | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | x—10 | |

Batteries—Stein and Kittridge; Rhines and Keenan.

**Players' League.**

AT NEW YORK.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| New York | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 3— | 7 |
| Brooklyn | 2 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1— | 8 |

Batteries—Crane and Ewing; Hemming and Cook.

AT CLEVELAND.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Cleveland | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 7 | 0 | 1 | 1 | —10 | |
| Pittsburg | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 4 | 0— | 5 |

Called on account of darkness.

Batteries—McGill and Brennan; Maul and Quinn.

**American Association.**

AT TOLEDO.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Toledo | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0— | 5 |
| Syracuse | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0— | 1 |

Batteries—Keefe and Pitz; Healy and Sage.

**Atlantic Association.**

AT LEBANON.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Lebanon | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0— | 5 |
| Newark | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0— | 0 |

Batteries—Smith and McCaffrey; Staib and Murphy.

AT HARRISBURG.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Harrisburg | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0— | 5 |
| New Haven | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0— | 1 |

Batteries—Cox and Jennings; Gilliland and Hofford.

**Attendance at League Games.**

| | Players | League |
|---|---|---|
| New York | 3,642 | .... |
| Chicago | .... | 2,382 |
| Cleveland | 1,000 | .... |
| Totals | 4,642 | 2,382 |

**Standing of the Clubs.**

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

| | Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'ct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Brookl'n | 79 | 41 | .658 | Chicago | 76 | 50 | .603 |
| Boston | 74 | 47 | .612 | N. York | 66 | 64 | .467 |
| Philadel. | 73 | 47 | .608 | Clev'nd | 57 | 62 | .311 |
| Cincin'ti | 70 | 51 | .579 | Pittsb'rg | 31 | 104 | .168 |

PLAYERS' LEAGUE.

| | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Boston | 74 | 43 | .632 | Philadel. | 64 | 56 | .533 |
| N. York | 68 | 51 | .571 | Pittsb'rg | 53 | 63 | .457 |
| Brookl'n | 72 | 50 | .590 | Clev'l'nd | 48 | 71 | .403 |
| Chicago | 69 | 56 | .543 | Buffalo | 32 | 88 | .267 |

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

| | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Lou'v'le | 72 | 40 | .643 | Roch'st'r. | 56 | 51 | .522 |
| St. Louis. | 66 | 48 | .579 | Athletic | 55 | 56 | .495 |
| Col'mb'a. | 64 | 50 | .561 | Syracuse. | 43 | 65 | .398 |
| Toledo | 57 | 53 | .518 | Baltim'e. | 31 | 81 | .277 |

ATLANTIC ASSOCIATION.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| N. Hav'n. | 77 | 28 | .733 | Harrisb'g. | 45 | 63 | .417 |
| Lebanon. | 50 | 47 | .515 | Wilm't'n. | 33 | 62 | .300 |
| Newark | 56 | 54 | .509 | | | | |

**Schedule of To-Day's Games.**

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Pittsburg vs. New York, at Pittsburg.
Chicago vs. Brooklyn, at Chicago.
Cleveland vs. Boston, at Cleveland.
Cincinnati vs. Philadelphia, at Cincinnati.

PLAYERS' LEAGUE.

Pittsburg vs. New York, at Pittsburg.
Cleveland vs. Brooklyn, at Cleveland.
Chicago vs. Boston, at Chicago.
Buffalo vs. Philadelphia, at Buffalo.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

Columbus vs. Baltimore, at Columbus.
Toledo vs. Syracuse, at Toledo.
St. Louis vs. Rochester, at St. Louis.

ATLANTIC ASSOCIATION.

Lebanon vs. Newark, at Lebanon.
Harrisburg vs. New Haven, at Harrisburg.

**Receipts from Revenue Licenses.**

BOSTON, Sept. 19.—The revenue of the city from revenue licenses this year is $1,023,441, against $961,841 last year. The increase on account of new licenses resulting from the increased population under the new census is $66,600.

**Gen. Rosecrans Re-Elected.**

TOLEDO, O., Sept. 19.—Gen. W. S. Rosecrans was re-elected President of the Army of the Cumberland. The meeting closed with a banquet.

### SULLIVAN AS A STAR.

**The Champion Signs a Contract for a Tour Through Australia and England.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 19.—A contract was signed in this city between John L. Sullivan, Duncan B. Harrison and Jack Barnitt on one hand, and J. C. Williamson, the Australian manager, on the other, by which the first named three agree to place themselves under the latter's management during a tour through Australia and England.

A new play is to be written for Sullivan and Harrison, and Barnitt is to hold about the same position that he now occupies with the "Honest Hearts and Willing Hands" combination—that of a sort of companion to the champion. They will receive a guarantee and a percentage of the profits. Twenty-four weeks will be spent in Australia and the Colonies and twenty-six in England.

It is possible that all of the members of the present company will be engaged for the tour. They will leave San Francisco on July 1 next.

The success of Sullivan's present venture seems to have induced John L. to definitely abandon the prize ring.

### LIVES REPORTED LOST.

**A Disastrous Cyclone Said to Have Struck Manning, Iowa.**

DES MOINES, Ia., Sept. 19.—Alarming rumors came from about Manning to the effect that the storm there assumed large proportions, tearing down houses and killing and injuring many people. Up to this time these reports have not been verified, but the latests reports are that six people have been killed and an indefinite number injured.

At Council Bluffs there was a heavy rain storm, accompanied by lightning. Many cellars in that city were flooded, and the damage to goods in the basements of busines houses will be heavy. The large volume of water on the streets caused a suspension of trade for over an hour. Several buildings were struck by lightning and three people were seriously injured.

Considerable damage was also done in the neighborhood of Emmetsburg.

**New York Police to Take the Census.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 19.—Mayor Grant sent a letter to the police commissioners enclosing the report of the Board of Health arraigning the work of the Federal census enumerators in this city. The Mayor says that such an enumeration as the Board of Health suggests is, in his judgment, necessary for the purposes of vital statistics and other public matters, and asks that a sufficient number of policemen be detailed to make a complete count of the population.

**A Dam Gives Way.**

TROY, N. Y., Sept. 19.—The dam at the outlet of the reservoir, six miles northeast of the village of Poestenkill, known as the Bonesteel Pond, gave way during the morning. The water rushed down the narrow valley, tearing up trees and carrying away everything standing. Six new bridges on the Poestenkill and Columbia highway were washed away. The barns and sheds of George Cottrell were wrecked and three sawmills washed away.

**Surprise in London.**

LONDON, Sept. 19.—The one topic in London to-day is the arrest of Dillon and O'Brien. The general feeling is one of profound surprise. No explanation of the reasons for the Government's course has as yet been given. On all sides doubts are freely expressed as to the political wisdom displayed, but it is too early to estimate the effect of the arrests on public opinion in England.

**Indicted for Train Wrecking.**

ALBANY, N. Y., Sept. 19.—The grand jury at Troy indicted Cain, Buett and Reed under section 635 of the Penal Code, charging them with misplacing a cabbage switch two miles above the point where the train was wrecked. It is said that Cordial and Kiernan's cases were considered and no evidence against them was found, and they will be discharged.

**More Trouble Over the World's Fair Site.**

CHICAGO, Sept. 19.—It is said that the World's Fair National Committee will reconsider the vote by which Jackson Park and the Lake Front were selected as a site for the Fair. There seems to be a great deal of dissatisfaction among the members of the commission over this matter, and a number of them expressed regret yesterday that they had ever voted for a dual site.

**Died While Visiting Friends.**

BENNINGTON, Vt., Sept. 19.—First Lieutenant Fred. D. Holton, of the Second United States Cavalry, stationed at Fort Whipple, Arizona, died here of Bright's disease. He was a graduate of West Point, Class '80, and this was his first visit home since then, having arrived Saturday. Fatigue incident to the long journey home probably precipitated death.

**McKee Rankin's Domestic Troubles.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 19.—McKee Rankin, the actor, has been served with a summons and complaint at the instance of his wife, formerly Kitty Blanchard, who alleges that her husband has not supported her in three years. Mrs. Rankin does not seek a divorce, but merely demands that her husband shall support her.

**The Slavin-McAuliffe Mill.**

LONDON, Sept. 19.—The excitement in sporting circles is hourly increasing with regard to the Slavin-McAuliffe set-to. The men are in splendid condition, and as the price of entrance tickets has already risen to £25 ($125), it may be inferred that the occasion will be one of unusual interest.

**Sunol and Guy at Cleveland.**

CLEVELAND, O., Sept. 19.—At the Driving Park here Sunol trotted a mile in 2:13¼, and Guy was sent the same distance in 2:12¾. The track was heavy.

## A GREAT SENSATION

### Over the Arrest of Dillon and O'Brien in Ireland.

THEY CANNOT COME TO AMERICA

Balfour Charges Them With Inciting Tenants Not to Pay Rents.

**They Are Released On Bail—More Arrests Expected—Davitt Says It Will Help the Irish Cause—Parnell May Visit This Country—The Arrests Cause Surprise in London.**

DUBLIN, Sept. 10.—No event has occurred here in years that has caused the widespread excitement and indignation as the arrests of John Dillon and William O'Brien, and the general opinion is that the arbitrary action of the Government will prove a boomerang.

There is no doubt that the arrests of the Irish leaders were made for the purpose of breaking up the American mission, as Dillon and O'Brien were booked to sail on the Teutonic for New York on October 1.

**How the Arrests Were Made.**

Mr. Dillon, when arrested, was in his uncle's house at Ballybrack. The police inspector, accompanied by two constables, entered without knocking or notice and rudely ordered Mr. Dillon to accompany him. The latter asked for the inspector's authority, whereupon the officer produced his warrant, accusing Mr. Dillon of inciting the tenants of Smith-Barry, in his recent speech at New Tipperary, to not pay their rents.

Without waiting for Mr. Dillon to take a change of clothing, the police hurried him to a car and took him to Dublin and thence to Tipperary, to be arraigned before Colonel Caddell, the magistrate whom Dillon a few weeks ago most severely denounced in a speech in Parliament.

**Mrs. O'Brien Accompanies Her Husband.**

Editor William O'Brien was taken in custody later at the Glen Gariff Hotel. His wife was with him. Without calling him to one side, the officer presented his warrant, and told Mr. O'Brien to come along immediately. "Another attempt to keep me from telling Americans the truth about Ireland," said Mr. O'Brien as he accompanied the officer.

The charge against Mr. O'Brien was the same as against Mr. Dillon, that of inciting tenants not to pay rent, and of advocating the boycott in speeches at Limerick and New Tipperary.

**Released on Bail.**

O'Brien and Dilion were taken to Tipperary. There was a slight disturbance outside the court house before they entered. Mr. Ronan, who conducted the prosecution, asked that the prisoners be remanded until Thursday. They were admitted to bail.

Mingled surprise and indignation are the predominant feelings in Dublin today.

Dispatches from various parts of Ireland indicate that the Nationalists are everywhere greatly excited at the arrests.

### DILLON INTERVIEWED.

**He Says the Nationalists Are More Stronger To-Day Than Ever Before.**

DUBLIN, Sept. 19.—In an interview after his arrest Mr. Dillon said he was mystified as to the object of the Government, unless it was to prevent Mr. O'Brien and himself and others from proceeding on their intended mission to America. He was certain, however, that the American friends of Ireland would not in any event withhold needed support from the unfortunate tenants on the Tipperary and other estates. The unjust and arbitrary action of the Government would injure the opponents of the tenants' rights more than a dozen public meetings would have done.

He called attention to the coincidence of Father Conway denouncing him and his colleagues from the altar in the Tipperary church at the very moment when the warrants of arrest were being drawn, and appealed to the people to say whether this could have been merely accidental, or whether it did not indicate collusion between certain members of the priesthood and the Tory enemies of Ireland.

He had satisfied himself that all reports of dissensions in the ranks of the Nationalists were unfounded. He had traced these malicious stories to a drunken renegade Member of Parliament. The Nationalists were stronger to-day than ever before, and would only be more firmly united on account of the arrests.

**Carroll Declines Myer's Challenge.**

NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 19.—Billy Myer, the Streator cyclone, offered Jimmy Carroll, the winner of the late Bowen Carroll fight, a match for $2,500 and a good outside bet. Carroll declined, and he said he had no idea of fighting for six months, and that if he fought anybody it would be McAuliffe, whom he is anxious to meet. Carroll expects to go to Boston on Sunday.

**Parnell May Visit America.**

Mr. Parnell has been counting upon great results from the proposed American stumping tour, as he is nervously anxious to have a large fund raised for the important elections of 1891, and it is thought possible that he will go to America and deliver a series of appeals himself if Messrs. O'Brien, Dillon and others who had expected to go are imprisoned or kept at home by legal proceedings. Mr. O'Brien is in fairly good health, and could stand prison life better than he could during his last severe experience of that kind. Mr. Dillon, however, is quite delicate. Both of them expect that they will be forced to serve the maximum term of six months.

### ROMANTIC SUICIDE.

**Two New York Lovers Fulfill Their Promise and Die Together.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 19.—The romantic suicide of Miss Emilie Rossi, a German actress, and Gustav Koch, a crayon artist, is still wrapped in deep mystery. Both deaths had been premeditated, and were the carrying out of an insane resolve. The suicide of each was a most dramatic one.

At 5.20 both ended their lives. Koch stepped out on the platform of the elevated railroad station at Canal street. No one paid any particular attention to him. After pacing up and down the station platform several times, he stopped at the south end, when a woman put her head out of the third-story window of the Bowery building. He said to her: "Yes, I have come, Emilie, are you ready?" She replied in the affirmative and a pistol shot rang out in the air. Koch fell dead on the platform. Immediately a second shot was heard in the room occupied by the young woman. The police rushed into the room and discovered the dead body of a beautiful lady. A black hole in the breast showed where a bullet had entered.

Emilie left a letter addressed to her aunt, Mary Knoon, with whom she boarded, in which she spoke about her lover, Koch, a quarrel with her mother, a determination of Koch and herself to commit suicide and asking that her body be cremated.

**Massachusetts Democratic Nominations.**

BOSTON, Sept. 19.—The were 1,675 delegates present at the Democratic State Convention. The following nominations were made: For Governor, William E. Russell, of Cambridge; Lieutenant-Governor, John Corcoran, of Clinton; Secretary of State, Elbridge Cushman, of Lake Village; Treasurer, William D. Treferey of Marblehead; Auditor, Edward L. Munn of Holyoke; Attorney-General Elisha B. Maynard, of Springfield. The following are the members at large of the State Committee: P. A. Collins, Boston; C. D. Lewis, Framingham; Michael M. Cunniff, Boston; J. H. French, Gloucester; G. S. Willis, Pittsfield; T. J. Coolidge, Jr., Manchester; John W. Corcoran, Clinton, Edward A. Harris, Worcester; John J. Donovan, Lowell; H. Naphen, Boston; M. C. Meaney, Wareham; N. Matthews, Boston; John H. McDonough, Boston; Jeremiah W. Coveney, Cambridge.

**Wire Tappers Arrested.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 19.—W. J. Wade and Frank Edmunds, operators, William Johnson, lineman, and Mary Bayson, who was to place the money, all from New York, were arrested here on the charge of attempting to swindle the bookmakers who keep places in the northern portion of the city designated as "Monte Carlo," by tapping the telegraph wires. They all gave their residences as from New York, and intimated that they were in the employ of New York parties. They were caught tapping the wires, and but for the bungling work of the lineman would have made a rich haul.

### NEWS OF THE DAY.

Consul General John C. New is on his way home.

Governor Burleigh's official plurality in Maine is 18,940.

Edward Golden of Newark, N. J., was crushed to death by the wheels of a beer wagon in that city.

Millionaire Hilgard of New York gave 120,000 marks for the erection of an orphanage in his native town of Zweibrucken, Bavaria.

G. T. Smith has been appointed a postmaster at Hubbs, Saratoga County, and Mrs. I. M. Keene at Trumbull Corners, Tompkins County, N. Y.

The public has just learned that Secretary Blaine became a grandfather on August 30, when a baby was born to Mr. and Mrs. Emmons Blaine.

The J. H. Salter Silk Company, at No. 38 Bedford street, Boston, Mass., has assigned to A. O. Marden of Boston and W. W. Coolridge of Salem. The liabilities are estimated at from $20,000 to $25,000.

Judge Bradstreet of Waterbury, Conn., rendered a decision that the Sunday Herald was not guilty of publishing a paper "chiefly or entirely devoted to deeds of lust and crime." The Judge in deciding said that while the paper contained many articles of a low key of morality it could not be said to be within the meaning of the statute. The case was tried last week, but the court reserved decision to look up the law.

**Weather Indications.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 19.—For New England: Fair; warmer; winds generally southerly.

For Eastern New York and New Jersey: Fair; followed by light rain in Northern New York; warmer; southerly winds; rain to-morrow.

For Western New York: Rain, preceded by fair; warmer; southeasterly winds; rain and cooler to-morrow.

### NEW YORK MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Sept. 18.—Money on call to-day, 5 per cent.

BONDS.

| | Closing Yesterday. | Closing To-day. |
|---|---|---|
| 4½s, 1891 Reg | 104¼ | 104¼ |
| 4½s, 1891 Coup | 104¼ | 104¼ |
| 4 s, 1907 Reg | 125½ | 125½ |
| 4 s, 1907 Coup | 127 | 121½ |

STOCK MARKET.

| | Closing Yesterday. | Closing To-day. |
|---|---|---|
| Canadian Pacific | 80 | 79¾ |
| Central Pacific | 33 | 33 |
| Chicago, Bur. & Quincy | 96¾ | 96¾ |
| Delaware & Hudson | 137¼ | .... |
| Del. Lack. & Western | 141¾ | 141 |
| Erie | 25¾ | 25 |
| Erie pref | .... | .... |
| Lake Shore | 107¼ | 107¼ |
| Louis. & Nash | 80¾ | 80 |
| Michigan Central | .... | 92¾ |
| Missouri Pacific | 69¾ | 69¾ |
| New Jersey Central | 119 | .... |
| Northwestern | 108¾ | 108¾ |
| Oregon Navigation | 80¾ | .... |
| Pacific Mail | .... | 46¾ |
| Reading | 41¼ | 41¾ |
| Rock Island | 92¾ | 92¾ |
| St. Paul | 67¾ | 67¾ |
| Union Pacific | 56¾ | 56¾ |
| Western Union | 84 | 83¾ |

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## BY THE WAY.

—A very enthusiastic meeting was held by Franklin Council, No. 41, Jr. O. U. A. M., last evening.

—The postoffice at Bloomfield was robbed Wednesday night by exactly the same methods which were employed in robbing the Bound Brook postoffice.

—There is offered at Mme Getti's, Park avenue and Fourth street, a large line of the celebrated Perrin gloves for ladies. These gloves excel most of the higher grades, while their price is much lower.

—The camp meeting in Hyde's grove will be continued this Sunday afternoon and evening. Good singing and speaking. Preaching by a colored female evangelist. The camp will positively be broken after Sunday.

—A public meeting will be held in Hope chapel this evening at eight o'clock under the auspices of the temperance club. The club promises a good time and all are cordially invited to be present. Young and old will be welcome.

—The guests at Hotel Netherwood are brought regretfully to the realization of the fact that the close of another happy and successful season is at hand, by the notification that the last meal served this year will be the Saturday morning breakfast of September 27.

—The suggestion has been made that more attention should be paid to the teaching of local geography in the public schools. There are too many school children well posted in the geography of Montenegro who can't tell whether the Millstone River empties into the Raritan or the Delaware, and the same condition of ignorance prevails all over, not only in this State but in many others.

—The New Jersey edition of the New York *World* continues to harp on its charges against F. A. Dunham, engineer of the county roads—charges which THE PRESS has exclusively shown to be false. The accusations can do Mr. Dunham no harm, however, even where he is not known, as the article in refutation of them has been copied from THE PRESS and published in the local papers throughout the State.

## PARTICULAR MENTION.

Miss L. E. Miller, of West Third street, is visiting at Harrisburg, Pa.

W. J. Stephenson, the caterer, has returned from a ten-days' rest at Seaside Park.

James C. Pope is slowly but steadily recovering his former health although not yet able to be out.

Mrs. S. Randolph and her sister, Miss Grace Johnson of Duer street, have returned from a visit with friends at Mortown.

Miss Anna L. Borst has gone to Highland, N. Y., for a few weeks, where she will be the guest of her sister, Mrs. Seymour Halt.

Mrs. George Patterson of Westfield, and Mrs. F. F. Beals of Plainfield, are among the recent arrivals at Tunnicliff Cottage, Richfield Springs.

F. A. Church has set an example for the property owners on his side of Craig place. He has curbed his gutters and taken down his front fence.

Charles Blake, who has just closed a successful season as manager of the Lake Hopatcong Hotel, is the guest of his brother-in-law, James Heath.

Donald Dowlie, the eminent traveler who delighted the guests of Hotel Netherwood with one of his charming lectures a few nights ago, will repeat the lecture at Reform Hall Monday evening.

The Rev. Dr. Lewis, of the Seventh Day Baptist church, will return from his vacation in the West next week. His pulpit will be occupied to-morrow morning by the Rev. Geo. W. Lewis, of Louisiana.

Colored society is on the *qui vive* over the approaching marriage of Edward Alfred Martin and Miss Anna Johnson. The wedding will occur Thursday, Sept. 25, at the home of Peter Gordon, 70 East Fourth street.

The Misses Etta Krymer and Etta Howland were highly complimented last evening for their tasteful arrangement of the floral decorations at the Christian Endeavor meeting in the Trinity Reformed church, and Messrs C. P. Wheeler, Andrew Carpenter, Chas. Wheeler and Whitfield Frazee were deservedly praised for their excellent instrumental music.

Lucy P. Myers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Myers, of East Front street, died at Colorado Springs, this morning after a lingering illness. She was a niece of ex-Councilman J. K. Myers and of the late Joseph Myers, Cashier of the City National Bank, and was a sister of Mrs. Frederick J. Mead, whose husband, a prominent official of the American Bank Note Company, died a short time ago. The funeral services will be held Monday at Colorado Springs.

You sturdy oak whose branches wide
Boldly the storm and wind defy,
Not long ago an acorn, small,
Lay dormant 'neath the summer sky.

Not unlike the thrifty oak in its germ, development and growth, is consumption. But even this mighty foe of mankind, positively yields to the wonderful curative properties of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. Don't be blind to your own interests and think yours a hopeless case. That remarkable remedy has rescued thousands. It is the only medicine of its class, sold by druggists, under *a positive guarantee* that it will benefit or cure in all cases of disease for which it is recommended, or money paid for it will be promptly refunded.

## A PET CAT'S TREACHERY.

**Pussy Bites Her Master, and Fears of Hydrophobia are Raised.**

John P. Stockton, Jr., of Seventh street, son of the Attorney-General of New Jersey, was bitten by a cat yesterday, and the wound is such a severe one that the aid of Dr. Gibier, of the Pasteur Institute, may yet be required to prevent blood poisoning or hydrophobia.

Mr. Stockton's cat had for several days been indulging in queer antics, and a superstitious servant declared that 'twas possessed with witches. Yesterday the cat became such an object of terror to a child who had been trying to play with it that Mr. Stockton picked it up to put it out doors. Without an instant's warning the cat made a savage snap at Mr. Stockton's hand, and imbedded its teeth again and again in the flesh. The hand was terribly lacerated, and Mr. Stockton at once bundled the cat up in a basket and went to New York, where Dr. Gibier dressed the wound and took charge of the now vicious but hitherto pleasant and petted pussy.

Dr. Gibier will keep the cat long enough to determine whether or not it has hydrophobia, and meanwhile he gives Mr. Stockton daily precautionary treatment.

**The Crescents Hold Down the Norwichs.**

Yesterday's attendance at the Crescent League's ball grounds was a remarkably large one for a mid-week day, fully 1,000 being present. It was also remarkable because of the presence of so many of the clergy of the city, and so many who were strangers to the game. But probably the most remarkable thing about the attendance was its unanimity of feeling in favor of its home team. Even Umpire Berriman was accused by some, but without reason, of "roasting" the Crescents.

There had never been witnessed such a fine fielding game on the grounds before as that put up by the Crescents. The Norwich men were astonished and loud in their praise of it. They said that against all other teams they had met, such balls as Martin, Lee and Lufbery stopped, would have been safe hits.

McIndoe was not able to be present and his place was filled by Carbonell of Somerville. He dropped a fly (the only error made by the home team), made a hit, a sacrifice, and a strike-out. The rest of the positions were played by the regular team, and played to perfection. Gregg puzzled the professionals. Hackett was the only one who could find Gentle Michael's curves. Outside of him but four of the Norwich batters hit the ball safe, and they only once each. O'Connell was the only man who stole a base on Jones.

The Crescents' run was made in the ninth inning. Jones got to first on O'Connell's only error. Lee followed and filed out to right field. This with Carbonell's sacrifice helped Freddie to third from whence he stole home on a short passed ball. The score:

CRESCENT LEAGUE.

| | AB | R | BB | SB | SO | LB | PO | A | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Carbonell, lf | 4 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Hatfield, rf | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Martin, ss | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 4 | 0 |
| Lufbery, 2b | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 0 |
| Wiegand, 1b | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 11 | 0 | 0 |
| Lever, cf | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Gregg, p | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 |
| Jones, c | 3 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 1 | 0 |
| Lee, 3b | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 0 |
| | 1 | 3 | 1 | 9 | 3 | 24 | 14 | 1 | |

NORWICH.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| O'Connell, 3b | 2 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| Quinn, 1b | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 9 | 2 | 0 |
| Ryan, p | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| Long, 2b | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 7 | 4 | 0 |
| Hartnett, lf | 4 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Hackett, c | 3 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 9 | 2 | 0 |
| Clark, ss | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Shea, rf | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 |
| Moore, cf | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| | 4 | 7 | 1 | 4 | 4 | 17 | 12 | 3 | |

SCORE BY INNINGS.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Crescents | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | —1 |
| Norwichs | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | * | —4 |

Earned run—Norwichs, 2. First base on errors—Crescents, 2; Norwich, 1. Base on balls—Crescents, 1, Norwich, 3. Two base hits—Long, Hackett. Three base hit—Hackett. *Double play*—Lufbery to Wiegand. *Flies caught*—By Crescents, 6; by Norwichs, 5. Time of game—1:40. Umpire—Wash Berriman.

**The Next Show at Music Hall.**

Manager W. S. Cleveland announces some strong engagements for his Consolidated Minstrels, which appear at Music Hall Thursday evening of next week. Among the names are those of Billy Emerson (who is still "happy as a big sunflower"), Hughey Dougherty, Barney Fagan, Luke Schoolcraft, Griffin and Marks, Fields and Hanson, Signor Benedetto, the marvelous male soprano (an importation), Raymond Shaw, the phenomenal alto, Charles Noble and J. Marcus Doyle. The Cragg troupe of gentlemen acrobats, another reigning novelty from Europe, will be featured in the olio; Eddie Fox will conduct the grand orchestra.

Fagan's two productions will be put on elaborately, and will cost, it is said, not less than $15,000 for scenery and costumes. Cleveland seems to be developing into something of a monopolist, who takes his pick of available talent and leaves what he doesn't want for his rivals. It is even rumored that he would decline to accept the earth with a fence around it, unless the donor should guarantee that the fence would be high enough to display his four-sheet-high lithograph stands. And yet he has been accused of fastidiousness.

—Joe, the peripatetic Amboy clam man who you all know, was heard to inquire of a friend the other day: "Shimmey! How vill I go by Third East street."

## UNION COUNTY'S W. C. T. U.

**They Have Grown So, They Now Have a National Delegate.**

Mrs. M. D. Tomlinson was re-elected President of the Union County Woman's Christian Temperance Unions at yesterday's convention, and Miss Clementine Yates was elected Corresponding Secretary. Miss Thirza Greaves, of Westfield, was again chosen Recording Secretary, and Miss G. T. Underhill, of Rahway, was elected Treasurer.

The convention was attended by 105 delegates from the 10 local Unions, all of whom thought it the best one ever held.

The membership was reported to be 516, which entitles Union county to a delegate to the National Convention to be held this Fall in Atlanta.

The 14 departments have expended in their local work $4,978.97. They have held 704 meetings, 108 of which have been public meetings. The sum of $27.19 has been sent to Nebraska. There are ten W. C. T. Unions, and three "Y" Unions in the county.

The devotional exercises at the opening of the convention at 10 A. M., were in charge of Miss Yates, after which the reports of the Secretary and Treasurer were given, followed by those of the Superintendents of the different branches of work which are carried on by the Unions. Among the Superintendents' reports were those of Mrs. P. H. Bennett, of Craig place, on Juvenile Work; Mrs. J. W. Yates, of East Seventh street, on Literature; Mrs. J. H. Coard, of Putnam avenue, on Hygiene and Heredity; Mrs. S. R. Krom, of Madison avenue, on Press Work; Miss May Tomlinson, of LaGrande avenue, on the Kitchen Garden; and Mrs. T. C. Bodine, of Dunellen, on Tobacco and Narcotics.

A very nice lunch was served at 12:30 by the Willard Union of Westfield, after which the reports were finished, and the President's address, which was listened to with rapt attention by all, was given. The election of officers concluded the afternoon exercises.

There were five visiting delegates present from other states, two of whom—one from Kansas and one from Ohio—gave earnest accounts of the work of their Unions.

The evening service consisted mainly of an address by Miss Greenwood, the National Superintendent of Evangelistic Study.

**The Pæons of the Enemy.**

*(From the Somerville Gazette.)*

Speaking of mascots, what's the matter with the blue shirt Harkins has recently donned?

Thanks, brother Demarest, for the real nice account of the game in the *Press*. The West End players have not yet overcome the effects of it.

What a mighty yell arose when the West Ends scored their two runs! And how much mightier was the yell when the Crescents were released from the prospects of a coat of whitewash.

Poor fellow! He had it. After Saturday's game he asked ticket clerk Reger at the station for a ticket. "Where to?" he was asked. "West Ends 2—I mean Plainfield," was his mournful reply.

Umpire Quinn's decisions on Saturday gave very general satisfaction. It was he who umpired the Yale-Princeton games. He will umpire the remaining games of the West End-Crescent series.

A comparison of the strength of the two clubs as indicated by the game last Saturday is unquestionably favorable to the West End club. It is conceded by competent judges of both clubs that Gregg's pitching was simply pie for the West Ends, and all that saved him from being knocked out of the box was the condition of the weather. For instance: Riley's two-base hit in the sixth inning and O'Rourke's long fly which immediately followed would, with a dry ball, have gone over the left field fence. Gregg had better command of the wet ball than Harkins, yet he struck but one man out; Harkins struck out seven and gave three bases on balls. As to fielding, the clubs are fairly matched; the errors on both sides were partly excusable by reason of the wet grounds and ball. As to players, both clubs have recently made valuable acquisitions, the Crescents securing Hatfield and Lever, and the West Ends Riley, O'Rourke and Bowes. It is rumored, however, that the Crescents have secured "Cyclone" Ryan of the Norwich club for the remainder of the series. If this be true the game on Saturday will be closer if possible than the one here, but given a dry day, the West Ends should win.

**Sold Liquor to a Minor.**

Frank Linke was today convicted of illegal liquor selling. He was tried before City Judge Codington and a jury, on complaint of Police Captain Grant, who produced evidence to show that Linke's assistant, fifteen-year-old Garret Kiely, had sold six bottles of beer to fifteen-year-old Wm. Wilson. As it is against the law to sell liquor to minors, and as Captain Grant and the other city officials are determined to make all liquor sellers live up to the letter of their licenses, this transgression was speedily followed by Linke's arrest. The jury found Linke guilty, and Judge Codington announced that sentence would be pronounced Monday morning.

—Ex-Postmaster Littell, of Bound Brook, while at Mr. Combes' house near the Presbyterian cemetery at that place, yesterday, was attacked by a dog, which sank its teeth into his right leg, leaving imprints, but drawing no blood. Mr. Littell's wife died of lock jaw a few weeks ago.

**Engineers at Gettysburg.**

GETTYSBURG, Sept. 19.—The 15th and 50th New York Engineers dedicated their massive granite monument here. The monument represents a castle, the badge of the engineers corps, and stands on Meade avenue, on the field of the second and third days fight.

**Germany Opposed to Slave Trading.**

BERLIN, Sept. 19.—The Reichsanzeiger says that Germany is determined to continue as hitherto to relentlessly oppose slave hunting and professional trading in slaves, and she reserves the choice of the proper movement to further restrict slavery.

**Postoffice Robbed.**

BLOOMFIELD, N. J. Sept. 19.—Burglars broke into the postoffice in this place early in the morning and stole a quantity of stamps, stamped envelopes and registered letters. It is not known how much cash they secured.

**What Davitt Thinks.**

LONDON, Sept. 19.—Mr. Michael Davitt was interviewed in regard to the arrests. He took a very hopeful view of the situation, and thought the effect would be entirely favorable to the Irish cause. "If Messrs. Dillon and O'Brien," he said, "had deliberately set out to devise plans for increasing the popularity of the plan of campaign and heightening the prestige of the Land League, they could not have accomplished their purpose in any way more successfully than by inducing Mr. Balfour to take precisely the step that he has taken.

**Parnellites Expect a General Raid.**

LONDON, Sept. 19.—The Parnellites anticipate a general raid following the arrests of O'Brien and Dillon, with a view to suppressing the League in all directions. Mr. Parnell has arranged for an early meeting of his followers in London. Messrs. T. P. O'Connor and James J. O'Kelly will probably take the berths on the Teutonic engaged for Messrs. O'Brien and Dillon.

**Republican Nominations.**

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Sept. 19.—The Republican convention of Monroe County nominated Burton H. Davy for sheriff, Philetus Chamberlain for special county judge, Alexander McVein for treasurer, and Harrison C. Fuller for justice of sessions.

**Saw Schlitz Cut His Throat.**

PATERSON, N. J., Sept. 19.—Some men who were in Rogers' woods saw a German draw a razor from his pocket and cut his throat from ear to ear. The man staggered and fell. As he lay dying he managed to gasp out that his name was Jacob Schlitz and that he lived at College Point.

If report is to be relied on, the Chinese have still a long way to go before they will be in a position to avail themselves of the benefits of modern scientific progress. It is stated that the Imperial palace, by order of the young Emperor, was fitted throughout with electric lights. The Imperial Cabinet was called together to witness the formal opening of the new system of illumination. Instead, however, of their expressing admiration of the brilliant light, they stood aghast. This wonderful sheen, which came and went at the touch of a button, could only be the offspring of supernatural powers and was probably a machination of evil spirits. Thus in solemn conclave the mandarins decided, and in a few days the electrical plant was removed.

Good for young and old. We know of no better tonic for the system than Hires' Improved Root Beer. It is delicious, effervescent, sparkling, appetizing, and a helper of temperance. Satisfying the thirst, enriching the blood, and fortifying the system against the advances of disease. A 25 cent package makes five gallons. Sold everywhere.

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Choice Stock of Shoes,

For Fall trade, that were bought long before the rise in stock, and will give you some

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We know the people appreciate what we are doing.

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CORPORATION NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the report of Edward C. Mulford, Jeremiah Manning and Joseph A. Hubbard, the commissioners appointed by the Common Council of the city of Plainfield to make an estimate and assessment of the damages that any owner of land and real estate, with the appurtenances necessary to be taken for the purpose, will sustain by the extending, laying out and opening of Orchard place from its present termination to Park street in said city, was on the day of the date hereof filed in the office of the subscriber, the city clerk of the said city of Plainfield, and is open to the inspection of the public, and will be presented to the Common Council at its next regular meeting on the sixth day of October, 1890.

Dated September 17, 1890.

J. R. COWARD,
City Clerk of the city of Plainfield.
9 18 2w

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| Burnton, Mrs | Kingman, Miss Susie |
| Burgess, Mr | Kelly, Miss Delia |
| Burnett, Henry | Kreick, Miss Mettie |
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| Bolding, Samuel T | Kniffer, R S |
| Clark, Mrs Susie E | Meehan, Miss Mary |
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| Cullen, Miss Mary | Manson, Eliza |
| Conklin, Coley S | McCafferty, Bridget |
| Cuff, Mrs Louis | Nellson, C |
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| Davenport, Wm | Pilkington, Mr |
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| Dunham, Miss Manda | Townley, Horace |
| Davis, A D | Tyler, Miss Cornelia |
| Davis, E F | Voorhees, Mrs Carrie |
| Griggs, Samuel | Wilson, Mrs S T |
| Garretson, Samuel | Wicks, Miss Sallie |
| Green, Wm E | Watkins, Miss Alice |
| Hughes, Mrs M | Wheeler, Miss Anna |
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Persons calling for the above, please say advertised. E. B. POPE, Postmaster.

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*NEW YORK MAILS.*
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Mail closes at 6:30 P. M.

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## DEATHS.

MYERS—At Colorado Springs, Friday morning, Sept. 19, 1890, Lucy P., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Myers.
Funeral Monday, Sept. 22, at Colorado Springs.

## WANTS AND OFFERS.

*Advertisements under this heading, one cent for each word each insertion.*

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STORAGE for furniture in separate rooms. Apply to C. Frank French, 69 somerset st. 9 2 tf

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Monday evening, the beautiful play—"Kathleen."
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Wednesday evening, Tom Taylor's instructive drama—"The Ticket-of-Leave Man."
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Friday evening—"Uncle Tom's Cabin."
Saturday matinee—"East Lynne."
Saturday evening, the New York local drama, by Richard S. Lyle, entitled "Wild Rose," introducing the clever soubrette, Miss Libbie Moore, in her songs, dances, etc.
An excellent Company.
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A handsome new Body Brussels, offered at $1 00 and $1 10.
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NEW FALL DRESS GOODS—All-wool Serges, new colorings, 60c quality at 50c.
HANDSOME New All-Wool Serges, beautiful colorings, at 75c.
ELEGANT New Stripes, in all wool, at 59c., and new all-wool Plaids, at 79c. Something very desirable.
A splendid assortment of BLACK GOODS, plain and fancy effects. The prices are VERY LOW.
Everything new and fresh and cheap, at

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FIRST—Our stock is very large, carefully selected, and all this season's goods.
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THIRD—Prices will be the lowest ever offered—bargains being offered daily below cost. Sale closes September 1.

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## THE CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR UNION.

**A Successful First Meeting, Preliminary to the Great Revival.**

A large and interested audience attended the first meeting of the Local Union of Young People's Societies for Christian Endeavor in Trinity Reformed church, last evening. The seven societies composing the Union were handsomely represented, and delegates were present from outside branches of their popular and flourishing organization.

The meeting was conducted by the Rev. Asa Reed Dilts, the President of the Local Union. The early part was devoted to a service of song and prayer. Special music was rendered by a union choir of fifty voices, under the leadership of M. Marvin Dunham, and there was congregational singing also. The choir music was very good, and evidenced careful preparation. The individual parts were pleasing and effective. Prayers were offered by various members of each Society, and passages of Scripture were read by Mr. Dilts. Two-minute reports from the Secretaries of the seven Societies were read. The Society of the First Presbyterian church was organized in April, 1887, with 18 members; it now has 41. The Congregational Society, which was organized December, 1885, with 49 members, now has 62. The Trinity Reformed had 41 members at its organization in October, 1885, and now has 164. The especially notable feature of this society is its remarkable hot weather record. The average attendance at the Monday night meetings in June was 108 each evening; in July and August, 104. The Park Avenue Baptist Society is a re-organization of the Young People's Association, which was as enfeebled as the present Society is strong. In November, 1888, when the Society was formed, the number of members was only 12; now it is 49. The Warren Union Mission Society began its existence in May 1888, with 25 members; it now numbers 57. Three members were converted last month. The Society of the New Market Baptist church has now 54 members, a gratifying growth over the single dozen of September, 1889. The Presbyterian Society of Dunellen counts 40 members. It had only 22 in October 1886, when it was founded. The total membership of the Local Union is therefore 467, as shown in an excellent report by Miss E. C. Benedict, the Local Union Secretary. It was organized April 24, 1890. The result of its organization has been to infuse new life and enthusiasm into the individual work.

Before introducing the two speakers of the evening, Mr. Dilts impressed upon the members of the Union the value of loyalty. He urged them to be loyal to Christ, loyal to the church universal, loyal to the church individual, loyal to the Christian Endeavor Society, loyal to the Local Union, and loyal to every one who needs Jesus Christ.

The Rev. W. C. Stinson, of Dunellen, and the Rev. C. L. Goodrich, of the Plainfield Congregational church, had been invited to speak on the subject, "How to Prepare for a Revival," and both made highly interesting addresses.

Mr. Stinson explained the different methods of different evangelists, and praised the local churches for their enterprise in securing the services of the Rev. B. Fay Mills, who will begin his great work in Plainfield in November. We must do more, however,—he said—than send for the man. We must send for the Master. We must pray for the baptism of the Holy Ghost and of fire. There were too many ecclesiastical ice-houses. We must arouse every energy, heap on the anthracite, and develop an undying fervor. We must each realize the importance of our individual responsibility, and must work and pray unceasingly, to bring about glorious results through the aid of our evangelistic leader.

Mr. Goodrich said that the greatest revival in Plainfield's history—that of Mr. Earl, years ago—had been preceded by weeks of special prayer; and Mr. Mills, in his conferences with the local pastors relative to his coming work here, advised that the clergymen and their congregations keep the revival constantly in mind, and think over it, and pray earnestly for its success. There must be personal work; each Christian, each member of the Union, must devote himself to assisting in the work of salvation. Let each one try to convert, by prayer and personal effort, such of his acquaintances as had not professed Christianity. During the weeks intervening between this meeting and the coming of Mr. Mills let each one be thinking, thinking, thinking, of ways to aid the work. The unity of this personal effort could not fail of marvelous results.

**Caught The Hotel Breaker.**

Officer Marsh yesterday arrested Bernard Bently, for breaking and entering Frederick Coombs' Hotel, Westfield, the night of September 5, last, and for stealing one gold watch, three boxes of cigars and the contents of the money drawer consisting of a dollar or two in silver; as told in THE PRESS at the time.

The officer recovered the watch, Bently having pawned it. He was taken before Justice Hart and committed to the county jail to await the action of the Grand Jury in October next.

**It Was a Rainy Day, Anyway.**

The boy who writes baseball news for the Westfield *Leader*, thinks Manager Lent has a claim against the Plainfield managers for losses incurred by the canceling of last Wednesday's game at Westfield. But the fact is the contrary is the case, because the Plainfield managers are out their $75 guarantee while Mr. Lent only loses the six or seven dollars that is Westfield's total expenditure at the gate.

## PEACHES AND OTHER FRUIT.

**The Late Peach Crop Damaged by Rain—Apples Very Scarce.**

With the exception of a few small lots of peaches to come from the Hudson River Valley, the season's supply of fine table peaches is about at an end. All varieties of peaches are ripening this season a week or ten days earlier than usual. The recent rains, which extended all over those sections from which peaches are now coming, have seriously damaged the fruit. Had the weather been altogether favorable the supply this week would not have been very attractive to the eye. The storms cause all of them to crack in spots and ripen unevenly. This is the week to secure smocks, the variety so popular among housekeepers. There will be possibly a thousand or more baskets of these peaches from New Jersey. The best will sell at wholesale for nearly or quite $4 per half-bushel basket, and the commonest of them may be sold for as low as $1 per basket. There are some nice looking peaches on the fruit stands—white, red, and yellow. Upward of a thousand boxes of California clingstones have been sold at from $1.30 per box to $1.52. These boxes contained about eighty peaches each. They looked very much like peaches and tasted very much like something else, but they were handsome and sold well There are many white peaches from New Jersey that does not present a very attractive appearance, but purchasers will find them to be very good. From Western New York along the Lewiston Mountains, in Niagara county, quite a crop of Crawford Late, a variety planted very largely there, was expected. The first of them have made their appearance in the market. They are very sweet and of delicious flavor, but scarcely much larger than Seckel pears. No good peaches will come from there, and the Niagara peach crop may also be counted a failure.

The California Bartlett pears are the best of that variety to be had this year. This variety, grown anywhere in the East this season, is of very inferior quality, and it is out of the question to get any of the variety that are clear-skinned and free from worms. Yet the best Boston Bartletts, notwithstanding their many defects, now sell at wholesale for even a higher price than they were sold for last week, when in many cases they brought upward of $5 per bushel. Western Bartletts are of very poor quality, and nothing good is hoped for from them this year. Any good table pear will wholesale for upward of $6 per barrel, and fine quality Seckels will readily sell for upward of $10 per barrel.

Good apples are scarce. In the vicinity of Albany, along the Upper Hudson, there are a good many apples—for the season—and some good ones, but the Missouri apple crop must furnish almost the entire supply of fine grade apples this year. One of the dealers in apples, who buys and sells more apples probably than any other dealer in the country, who has spent several weeks in that State securing apples for this market, and for Europe, says the Missouri apples this season are nearly perfect. It is a very common apple that does not wholesale this week for upward of $2 per barrel, and any good-style apple wholesales for upward of $3 per barrel, while many barrels of choice apples wholesale for upward of $4. Grapes are abundant, good and cheap. From New York State the kind that will be most abundant is the Moore Favorite, Concords, and Hartfords, of the black variety, the Niagara and Marthas of the white variety, and Delaware of the red grapes. Good sound grapes—the Jersey Ives—can be had at wholesale for 3 cents per pound, while the best Niagaras and Delawares are wholesaled in some cases for as high as 15 cents per pound, and only the very best Concords (in fancy style of packages) can be wholesaled at above six or seven cents per pound.

**To Crush Out Amateur-Professionals.**

Plainfield bicyclists will be interested to learn that the League of American Wheelmen and the Amateur Athletic Union are likely to join hands to crush out the rising tendency among amateur wheelmen to enjoy the privileges of professionals and at the same time retain their amateur standing. The Racing Board of the League of American Wheelmen over a year ago were brought to recognize the need of such a change in their constitution as would prohibit this tendency, and a feeble attempt in this direction was made at the meeting of the League; but the opposition of the Union forced the League so to amend the new clause as really to make it the same as before. Now that the large athletic clubs are having trouble of this sort, it is probable that a law will be passed at the next meeting of the Union in Washington, October 11. Prominent wheelmen who have been interviewed on the subject express themselves as greatly in favor of such an amendment, now that both sides have decided to treat the matter; and the only reason that it was not attempted before was that it was next to impossible to obtain the proof necessary to a conviction, although it was known to be a fact that some of the best athletes in the various associations were drawing pay under the name of actual expenses.

**Plainfield Choral Society.**

Only a few more subscriptions can be received for the series of concerts to be given by this Society. As the number of subscriptions is necessarily limited, those wishing to subscribe should send their names promptly to H. O. Newman, Treasurer.

Ten dollars payable Oct. 1, secures four seats to each of the three concerts.

## THE DANCING PROCESSION.

**Description of a Quaint Annual Religious Fete at Echsternach.**

While the Passion Play is going on at Oberammergau there has been going on in the Grand Duchy of Luxemburg the annual dancing procession of St. Willibrord, says the Brussels correspondent of the New York Tribune. It occurred at the small town of Echsternach on May 27, the Tuesday after Whitsuntide. St. Willibrord, who lived in the seventh century, was to the Netherlands, Femish and Lower Countries what St. Patrick was to Ireland. He carried the Christian faith to those regions, civilized them as much as it was possible in those barbarian times, and finally sought rest for his last day at Echsternach, where he founded an abbey. The legend says that when the saint died the marble tomb prepared for receiving his body was found to be too short; but that it was miraculously lengthened so that the saintly corpse could be laid in it. Tradition claims that when St. Willibrord returned at last from his holy pilgrimage to Echsternach the villagers could not restrain their joy, and demonstrated it by the sacred dances, which are renewed every year, two days after Whitsuntide. Only during the French revolution was the custom interrupted. It is now more than ever kept up, and 20,000 people took part in the latest ceremony. The peasants believe in the legend, according to which the saint punishes the indifferent and incredulous by inflicting their cattle with an epidemic, the efforts of which are like epilepsy.

The pilgrims arrive from all places within a radius of forty miles. Most of them come on foot, camping wherever they can, in open air or in barns. All among them who possess and can play upon musical instruments bring them along, such as fifes, drums, cornets, etc., and play on them as an accompaniment to the dance. In the morning all this crowd forms itself on the German territory, beyond the bridge which crosses the Sure, the river frontier between the Grand Duchy and Germany. A priest, who must have been born at Echsternach, addresses the crowd, places himself at its head, and the pilgrims begin to tramp on the bridge in the direction of the old church. The advance guard; preceded by a sexton dressed in red clerical robes, sings praises or litanies of St. Willibrord in a calm, dignified religious tone which strangely contrasts with the clamor of the thousand instruments which accompany the extraordinary dances of the people forming the bulk of the procession. Those dances are nothing but repeated jumps; and the highest jumps are considered the greatest evidence of devotion. The pilgrims advance slowly in rows, blocking up entirely the streets, women holding children in their arms, old people being supported on both sides by friendly assistants, peasants with satchels on their backs, containing provisions to last during the pilgrimage. All these people never cease for a moment to dance or rather to jump as high as they can until they reach the old church, where the priests bless the many articles they want to place under St. Willibrord's invocation. The pilgrims spend the remainder of the day in the streets of Echsternach, where a regular fete, somewhat like a Flemish kermesse, is held. They then take up again their tramp to their homes.

## CASHING FORGED CHECKS.

**A Sharp Practice That Has Become Very Common in New York.**

The most curious criminal trade in this country is that of certain moneylenders who advance cash at usurious rates of discount on paper which they know to be forged. There are several of these miscreants among the habitues of Delmonico's, where they are as well known as their victims themselves. They rely for security on the fact that his family will take the forged paper up rather than allow the young scapegrace to be criminally exposed and punished.

One of the most notorious is now threatened with the loss of part of his plunder at least. His victim in this case was the son of a retired merchant of large means and unblemished social record. He secured from the usurer an advance of nearly $10,000 on three checks, apparently drawn by the father of the negotiator to his son's order. The forgery was, I am told, so flagrant that it might have been detected by a child. The money was paid on the checks, less a savage rate of interest, and was lost in a couple of days at the race-track. Then the young scamp became alarmed and made a clean breast of it to his father. The latter promptly shipped him out of the country to either Africa or South America — exactly where, however, is not currently known.

Then the family lawyer was called in and the usurer was summoned. He boldly demanded payment of the checks in full, under thre at of sending them in to the bank and so bringing the forgeries to light and securing the indictment of the forger. He was notified to go ahead, with the assurance that he would also be arrested for entering into a criminal conspiracy. Then he proved more amendable to a compromise, and it is believed that he will be paid the actual amount of cash he disbursed, about sixty per cent. of the alleged face value of the checks, for their surrender.—N. Y. World.

—The Germans say that much of the leather sold in London and other English cities is manufactured in Germany—trunks and purses particularly. England is still recognized as the market in which to secure the best boots for men and boys, but the footwear manufactured for ladies is simply atrocious, being neither cheap nor comely nor durable. The French women have pretty feet and shapely ankles, and they insist upon hosiery and boots that fit and are pleasing to the eye. So it is in France that these articles are to be found in the choicest quality and styles —in fact, in Paris you find that objects de vertu are unique only among womankind.—Chicago News.

## FOREIGN GOSSIP.

—The white rose is the favorite flower in France this summer.

—There are from 30,000 to 40,000 German colonists in South Australia, and the number of German-born residents of South Australia equals the native-born residents.

—Longevity is no uncommon thing in Russia. In one year the deaths were reported of 858 persons between 100 and 105 years old; 130 petween 115 and 120 years old; and 3 between 150 and 156.

—The most monotonous city in its buildings is Paris, the houses there being almost all alike. An attempt is now being made to vary this by building houses of the style of the Renaissance and Louis XI., and hope is expressed that the example will be followed generally.

—During a recent thunderstorm in Paris, three flashes of lightning are said to have reached the top of the conductor of the Eiffel Tower simultaneously, resulting in a remarkable display and considerable vibration on the part of the big iron frame, but no apparent damage was done.

—A woman has been arrested in Liverpool who makes a business of robbing the state-rooms of Atlantic steamers. Her name is Catherine Wood, and she has crossed the Atlantic twenty-five times. Every crossing has resulted in misfortune to some passenger, who has brought up at the end of the journey short in money or jewels.

—The clove tree was introduced into Zanzibar about the year 1830, and its cultivation now forms the chief industry of the islands of Zanzibar and Pemba. The chief supply of cloves is obtained from these islands. Consul Pratt, who has lately written a report on the clove-culture of Zanzibar, says that a ten-year-old plantation should produce an average of twenty pounds of cloves to a tree. Trees of twenty years frequently produce upwards of one hundred pounds each.

—In Southwestern France a great population is supported upon the once barren, drifting sands, now fixed by means of plantations of the maritime pine. This yields resin and a cheap illuminating oil distilled from it, besides railway ties, pit props, telegraph poles and fuel. The pit props go to England mainly, 175,000 being the annual shipment to that market. The ties and telegraph poles are mostly used in France. Considerable of the young pine is sent to England to be made into paper.

—A curious misdemeanor has lately developed at Manchester, England, that has been adjudged a crime by the courts. This new wrong-doing is called "scuttling," and consists in a body of young men, and even girls, lying in wait for obnoxious fellow-workmen or for "scabs," and hustling, beating and kicking them upon the public streets. It has become so common in that city that the magistrates have inflicted severe sentences upon several girls and young men, for the purpose of breaking up the practice.

—New American "buyers" in Paris are invariably astounded at the supremacy of the French woman in wholesale business. Monsieur may display the goods and descant on their virtues and beauty, but when the sale is finally to be negotiated he calls in madame. He would not dare to risk her certain displeasure by agreeing to a price on his own responsibility. Every wholesale millinery house in Paris and many other branches of the dry goods business are completely in the hands of women. They prove themselves the shrewdest of bargainers and build up colossal fortunes, like merchants of American cities.

## THE BRITISH EMPIRE.

**It Contains an Area Exceeding Eleven Millions of Square Miles.**

Up to a few weeks ago the British empire comprised an area of a little more than 9,000,000 square miles, or a small fraction in excess of the dimensions of the domain over which is extended the sway of the Czar. To-day British territory reaches an area exceeding 11,000,000 square miles. The treaty with Germany, by which the British "sphere of influence" extends from the eastern coast of Africa at Zanzibar as far back as the great lakes and from the first degree of south latitude to the southern boundary of Egypt, exclusive of the Congo Free State and the region over which Italy presumes to exercise a sort of protectorate, adds about 2,000,000 square miles to the domain of the Queen of England and Empress of India, and puts that potentate well in advance of Alexander III. in the game of territorial acquisition.

It is only when a comparison is made with some of the great States of Europe and of the Western Hemisphere that the enormous dimensions of the British empire can be appreciated. The extent of European Russia is slightly in excess of 2,000,000 square miles, that of Brazil is about 3,000,000, while the United States, including Alaska, is about 3,600,000 square miles. China is still larger that any of the nations last mentioned, having an area exceeding that of the United States by nearly 500,000 square miles. But the British empire, within its new and enlarged boundaries, is three times as capacious as the United States. Out of that domain could be carved a territory as large as this country, Brazil and China combined leaving enough over to make up two or three little states like France, Germany or Austria. The empire of course is not as homogeneous as any of the nations mentioned, and the ties which bind its widely-separated branches together are far looser and more shadowy than those which hold the vast possessions of Russia in allegiance to the Muscovite. Yet the domain over which Victoria rules in theory at least is vastly broader than that over which Alexander exercises supremacy, and is more widely extended and diversified than the world of civilized, semi-civilized and barbarious states which in the days of Julius and Augustus acknowledged allegiance to Rome.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.


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There have been evenings, I dare say, when the pleasure of putting baby to sleep has been yours. Your wife has had a sick headache, or she has wanted to "run over to mother's," or into one of the neighbor's houses for something, and you have said: "Oh, no, of course not," when she has asked if you would mind getting baby to sleep after she has undressed him.

Perhaps, if it is a first experience, you are rather glad of the chance to convince your wife that she has fallen into the habit of wasting a deal of time in getting that youngster to sleep evenings. You have always felt and said that you could get him to sleep in a *fourth of the time your wife spends.* All it requires is a little firmness. The baby wants to simply be made to understand that it is bed-time and that he *must* go to sleep. That is your theory, and now you'll put it into practice, particularly as there is a long editorial in the evening paper and an article in the magazine you brought home with you that you want to read this evening.

Well, mamma departs, and you take the baby, robed in his little white "nighty" — the nearest thing to an angel there is on this earth, no matter how he may cut up and tear around in the hour to come.

You pick him up and say fondly, but firmly:

"Now papa's little baby must go right to sleep."

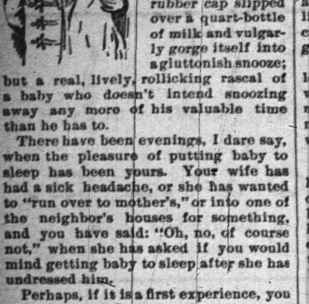
"Goo, goo," he says, which is his way of saying "good-night," and also his way of saying forty other things.

"Now, baby, shut his little eyes," you say as you cuddle him up in your arms.

"Goo, goo," he says, with his eyes wide open and a sort of intimation in them that he will shut them when he gets ready to do so, and not before.

"Baby," you say a little more severely, "papa wants to read his paper and baby *must* go to sleep."

If ever a baby said "I won't do it" with his heels yours says it about this time



ON THE ONE HUNDREDTH LAP.

for the way he lets his little pink heels fly into the air means nothing less than a distinct and positive "I won't."

You then hold him firmly in your arms, and he begins to squirm. He writhes and wriggles with unexpected strength and pluckily contends for freedom, until you let him go through sheer admiration of his grit.

"Goo, goo," he says, which this time means, "Ah, ha! I'll show you a thing or two."

"Baby, dear," you say plaintively, "won't papa's baby go to sleep now?—that's a good baby."

Then the good baby manifests his intention of getting down and crawling all over the floor. Foiled in this, he concludes to crawl all over you. His little fingers clutch your beard and you haven't the heart to shake him off, not even when he pulls so hard that your eyes are full of tears. Then he pokes his fingers into your nose, eyes and ears, giving the result of his investigations in a series of gurgling "goo-goos," indicating that he is as wide-awake as he ever was in his life, and he thinks he can hold out three or four hours yet. You haul him down into your arms and say:

"Now, if baby don't go right to sleep papa will have to whip. Shall papa whip baby?"

The "goo, goo" he now screeches out means: "Do so at your own risk." Whip him! There is more or less of the brute in every man, but you inwardly thank God that your brutal tendencies dont run in the direction of pounding babies. If they did your wife is deserving of a divorce free of charge and every thing you have on earth as alimony.

You simply cuddle him up in your arms and begin rocking him to and fro in such a manner that he couldn't go to sleep if he wanted to, no more than you could if lashed to a trip-hammer. Then you sing every thing you know, from "Rock of Ages" down to "Annie Rooney," all in one key, for, ten to one, you can't sing a note correctly to save your life.

This concert lasts an hour and a half and baby lives through it all and has vitality enough to pop up at the close of it with a cheery:

"Ya, ya! Goo, goo!"

Then you shake him a little and say:

"Now, young man, I've had just about enough of this. You're simply *got* to go to sleep! Go to *sleep!*"

Now you've made him cry. He slips limply down into your arms and opens his mouth in one prolonged yell, followed by another and another until he has emitted about a thousand of them. You walk the floor with him; you bounce him up and down; you coax and wheedle and scold and fume and, I dare say, swear a little.

By and by his cries grow weaker and fewer; you feel his little form relaxing in your arms, his little limbs hang limply, his curly head lies heavily on your shoulder, his eyelids droop slowly, and, with that most pitiful of sounds, the sobbing of a child in its sleep, the little fellow wanders into dreamland. You are free to lay him down now and take up your book or your paper, but you don't always do it. Sometimes you simply sit down gently with the baby still in your arms and your eyes fixed on his flushed little face. You are sorry you made him cry. Every one of those sleeping sobs goes right to your heart.

There you sit for an hour, may be, looking into his face with a sort of divine tenderness in your heart that makes the troublesome little bit of humanity in your arms a treasure for which you would lay down your life.

P. S.—I forgot to say that after you have very carefully laid him down and crawled away from his cradle on your hands and knees so as not to awaken him, you are paralyzed by a loud and distinct "Ya! ya! *ya!*" and you have to do it all over again.—Detroit Free Press.

### SORRY SHE SPOKE.

Miss Gushy (as Snagby prepares to rise)—Oh! don't get up! Don't get up! Please keep your seat!

Snagby (slightly bewildered)—Like to oblige you, madam, but I get off at this street.—The Jury.

**Hope Long Deferred.**

Prominent Kansan (cautiously)—Gimme—gimme—

Original Package Dealer—How many bottles will it be to-day?

Kansan—Do I haf to swear it's fer the ague or general debility, or—

Dealer—Nope! Just pay and take all you want.

Kansan—Don't haf to let down no string through a hole in the ceilin', or sneak in the back way, or call fer soapsuds, or swear afterward that I didn't know what I was drinkin', or—

Dealer—No! no! You buy just the same as you would potatoes or flour.

Kansan—This is too good to be true! I—I—Whoop! The end uv the world is at hand! Who-o-o-op!!! (Goes insane.)—Puck.

**More Than One Sort of Bench.**

"There goes a man who is said to have amassed a fortune while on the bench."

"Whoever said that is utterly ignorant of the possibilities of watchmaking. One's happy if he can make a living at it."

"Oh, he's not a watchmaker; he's a judge."—Jewelers' Circular.

### TOO MUCH FOR HIM.

Fruit Dealer—What's the matter, old man; are you blind?

Uncle Jake (with a gulp)—No, boss; but I reely doan' dare to open my eyes till I git by dat big pile ob watermillions!—Puck.

### THE SUMMER GIRL.

Charley Ribbons—Are you going to make a collection of leaves this fall?

Minnie Mittens—Yes. You shall be one of them.—Puck.

**He Was No Pedestrian.**

Old Gentleman—That young man stayed pretty late last night, Louise.

Louise—He didn't intend to, pa.

Old Gentleman—Didn't intend to?

Louise—No; he would have gone earlier, but he said that by waiting a little longer he could get a ride home with a milkman and save himself a long walk.—The Jury.

## HOOFNACKLE.

*How Hot Weather Caused Hard Feelings Between Two Citizens.*

[Translated for this paper from the St. Louis German Laterne, by Alex. E. Sweet.]

N my opinion, Mr. Editor, this has been an awful tough summer on fat people like myself, although I can stand it better than some others I know. I am used to having things made hot for all the year around. I have been married to Mrs. Hoofnackle now twenty-seven years. If it wasn't for that I would not be able to stand 100 degrees in the shade as well as I do.

The coolest place I have been able to find in St. Louis is Zweibeer's saloon, which is quite convenient to my place of residence. A few choice spirits hold a regular session there every day, and occasionally we have an extra session. Among them is Mr. Smiley, the undertaker, who has a studio on the next block; Mr. Yawper, an auctioneer, and several others. All of them suffer more or less from the heat and at times the conversation drifts into that channel. Such original remarks as "Is this hot enough for you?" "What do you think? It is 104 in the shade right now;" "I perspire very much in this weather—how is it with you?" Then they all say in chorus, "Fearfully! I'm just covered with prickly heat. I look like a boiled lobster." Perhaps another member of the little coterie comes in and says: "Gentlemen, it is 104 in the shade. Is this hot enough for *you?*" etc.

However, one day we had a little change in the programme. Zweibeer has had an enormous ice-box or refrigerator built in his back yard. It is almost as big as a freight-car. On one side he keeps his kegs of beer and in the other all his eatables. And may be he ain't proud of that refrigerator. He does not talk of much else. I believe he would rather lose his wife than that refrigerator. It is almost impossible for anybody to come near the saloon without his compelling them to inspect that refrigerator and listen to what he has to say about its many advantages.

Well, there happened to be a couple of elegantly-dressed Germans from Texas in Zweibeer's saloon. They were drinking bottled beer, and somebody suggested some lunch. One of the Texans remarked that he didn't care for lunch this hot weather, as meats were so liable to spoil; besides there were so many flies. This put a keen edge on Zweibeer, regarding it as a reflection on his ice-box, so he stretched forth his hand, like a prophet of old, and spoke:

"I vill concede, schentlemens, dot on de average mebbe you vas right, but in my case you vas mishtaken. I have at great exsphense had constructed a palace ice-box vich vas simply incomprehensible. Every ding vat is put in it remains choost so sweet and fresh ash it never vas pefore. I dells you schentlemens ven you chost shticks your nose refrigerator in you gets you will get an appetite choost de same ash ven you dakes a tonic. Kom mit me, schentlemen!" and he was not satisfied until he dragged them out into the yard and pulled open the door of the palace ice-box. Then Zweibeer started back, for sitting on a chair in the cool interior of the ice-box was Undertaker Smiley, taking a quiet snooze. Zweibeer reached in seizing the startled undertaker by the neck, jerked him into the yard, and shook him as a terrier does a rat, saying:

"Vot you means mit dot shabby trick. I'll preak every pone in your body. Vy don't you go into your own ice boxes mit your corpses ven you vants to schnooze?"

The exasperated saloon keeper and his former friend Smiley, the undertaker, were separated by the gentlemen from Texas who, for some reason or other, did not care for any lunch. The insulted undertaker subsequently took me aside and said:

"Mr. Hoofnackle, isn't it an outrage the way that animal treated me this morning? There is no trace of gentlemanly instinct, no refinement about the brute. If I didn't know that in a short time he is going to die from Bright's disease anyhow, and that he is liable to drop dead any minute from this heat and apoplexy, I'd never put my foot inside of his saloon again, but I don't propose to cut off my nose to spite my face. Sooner or later, I'll have him in my ice box, the low pitiful scoundrel. That will be my satisfaction for his brutality to me this morning." Your friend, JACKSON P. HOOFNACKLE.

**Not His Boots.**

A—Did you hear that the thief and desperado, Buckshot Jack, had been killed?

B—No. Died with his boots on, I suppose.

A—No, indeed. He died with another man's boots on. Robbed a shoe store.—Texas Siftings.

**Praise Indeed.**

Father—I tell you, young man, it is pretty hard for a father to see his daughter leave home and take up life's burdens with a young man.

Young Man—Well, Emily is an especially good girl.

Father—Good! Why, sir, she's worth her weight in ice.—Judge.

**Overtopped.**

"Am I still the dearest thing on earth to you, George?" asked the young wife, sentimentally.

"No," replied George, who was at that moment inspecting his ice bill.—Figaro.

**A Paraphrased Order.**

Toothless Guest—If you've got some extremely tender steak, you may bring me some.

Hardened Waiter—Slab 'f yearling fer a gummer.—Judge.

## OUR YOUNG FOLKS.

### HOW GRIZZLIES ARE TRAPPED.

**A Very Dangerous Business—The Fiercest Wild Animal in the World.**

It is safe to maintain that the grizzly bear is the fiercest wild animal in the world. The tiger has the advantage that it can climb a tree, but otherwise the grizzly is far superior in strength and ferocity. It has also greater tenacity of life, and the man who kills a full-grown grizzly in single-handed combat must have exceptional skill and daring, whereas thousands of tigers have been killed by ordinary sportsmen.

There is nothing the hunter, miner or prospector of the West dreads like the grizzly, and he kills or traps him at every opportunity. There is more danger in trapping the grizzly than there is in chasing him with the rifle.

The traps are ponderous iron things, weighing forty or fifty pounds. The jaws are worked with springs so stiff that it takes two good, strong men to set them. To the trap a long chain is firmly secured, which is in turn fastened to one end of a heavy piece of timber by driving an iron ring in the wood until it is six inches or so from the end, so it can not be pulled off.

This piece of timber serves as a hindrance to the bear when the trap is sprung on his foot and he retreats to, or tries to retreat to, his tangled haunts.

A great deal of cunning has to be used in setting a trap for a grizzly, for he is as suspicious as a fox, and will frequently pass by a tempting morsel that has been used for bait for a trap, because he has made up his mind that danger is lurking beneath it.

The grizzy never hesitates to risk danger that confronts him openly, like a hunter, dog or other enemy, but a suspicious-looking object, the nature of which he does not understand, will quickly start him off about some other business.

The men who make a business of trapping grizzlies set their traps miles back in the great, gloomy forests, where the animals like have their lairs among the fallen timbers, over which no one can pass except on foot, and then only with great difficulty.

To come upon an ugly grizzly in such a region, an animal weighing as much as an ox, and not only ready but anxious for a fight, is something that means business to the hunter. A grizzly bear will get out of a trap nine times out of ten, if he is not overtaken within three hours after he is caught.

It is to lessen the danger of this that the wooden clog is fastened to the trap, and always with the chain at one end of the stick. Thus it follows the bear endwise as he makes his way and clears obstructions that would catch and hold it if it were pulled along with the chain fastened at the middle. A grizzly is nearly always caught in the trap not far from the tip end of one of his fore paws.

On being caught he rushes with all the speed he can summon, and in a tremendous rage, for the nearest swamp,

BRUIN CAUGHT.

which is never far away in a region where successful grizzly trapping is to be expected.

The hold the trap has on him is not one that will withstand every resistance, and the bear's exertions to get away are great and persistent. He seems to know that his life depends on ridding himself of his incumbrance.

As he tears onward through the forest he mows great swaths in the underbrush. He drags the trap against trees, logs and rocks, and whenever it holds fast to them for a few seconds he jerks and tugs his imprisoned foot, trying to tear it loose. If the clog were tied in the middle it would soon catch crosswise between two trees, and then the bear would tear loose with one or two lunges forward of his great body and escape to the swamp.

The further a grizzly bear goes on his furious march without ridding himself of the trap, the greater his rage becomes. He will rush against obstructing trees and tear them with his teeth, sometimes biting the trunk half away.

A trapped grizzly's trail has been followed through the thick timber, revealing sapling after sapling chewed to the ground as completely as a chopper could have felled it, by these infuriated beasts. To come up with a half-ton grizzly bear while he is in such a temper is like standing on the edge of a cyclone.

The trail of a trapped grizzly generally leads the trapper a long way through the forest, and more than likely a mile or so into a swamp, where he can see but a few feet in any direction.

He is constantly expecting the bear to rise up somewhere about him and charge upon him like an avalanche. There have been times when trappers have come up with the bear at the very moment when it had succeeded in tearing loose from the trap, and in such cases the hunter's life is not worth a moment's purchase.—Basil Restern, in Golden Days.

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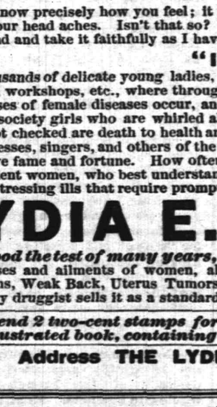

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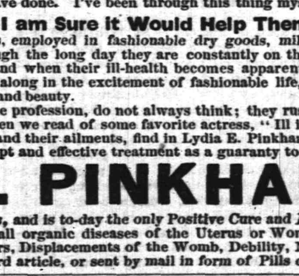


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| 5th do | 11.00 | | do | 11.34 | do |
| 6th do | 11.45 | | do | 12.39 | P. M. do |
| 7th do | 1.45 | P. M. | do | 2.15 & 2.39 | P. M. do |
| 8th do | 2.45 | do | To the Post Office. | | |
| 9th do | 3.30 | do | meet 3.51 | P. M. | train. |
| 10th do | 5.00 | do | do 5.22 | do | |
| 11th do | 5.45 | do | do 6.07 | do | |
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For Lambertville and Phillipsburg only, 1 39 P. M.

For Flemington—2 54 P. M.

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PLAINFIELD AND NEW YORK.

Leave Plainfield 3 37, 5 24, 5 38, 6 29, 6 59, 7 26 7 30, 7 58, 8, 8 15, 8 31, 8 37, 9 32, 10 05, 11 09, 11 39, A. M., 1, 1 41, 2 07, 2 30, 3 12, 3 51, 6 08, 5 31, 6 07, 6 54, 7 03, 8 31, 9 28, 10 12, 11 28 P. M. Sunday—3 37, 5 24, 8 03, 8 37, 11 02, 11 16 A. M., 12 32, 1 35, 3 30, 5 16, 7 01, 7 10, 8 23, 8 32, 10 02 P. M.

Leave New York from foot of Liberty street, 4 30, 5 45, 7, 7 45, 8 45, 10, 11, A. M., 1, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4 30, 5, 5 15, 5 30, 6 45, 8 15, 9 30, 11 30 P. M. Sunday—7 30, 8, 8 30, 9 15, 10, 11 30 P. M., 12 15, night. Sunday—4 30, 7, 8 30, 9, 9 30, A. M., 12 M., 1, 1 15, 4, 5 30, 6, 7, 9 00, 10 00 P. M., 12 15 night.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield 5 38, 6 29, 6 59, 7 30, 8, 8 37, 9 32, 10 05, 11 09, 11 39, A. M., 1, 2 07, 2 30, 3 12, 3 51, 5 08, 5 31, 6 07, 6 54, 7 03, 8 31, 10 12, 11 28 P. M. Sunday—8 01, 8 52, 11 02, 11 16, A. M., 12 32, 1 35, 3 30, 5 16, 7 01, 7 10, 8 23, 8 32, 10 02 P. M.

Leave Newark 7 10, 7 50, 8 55, 10 10, 11 05 A. M., 1 05, 1 35, 2 05, 3 40, 4 02, 4 37, 5 05, 5 30, 5 55, 6 35, 7 15, 7 35, 8 20, 9 25, 10 10, 11 25 P. M. Sunday—7 20, 8 40, 9 05, 9 50, A. M., 12 05, 1 10, 4 10, 5 40, 6 05, 7 05, 9 25, 10 20 P. M.

Passengers for Newark change cars at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7, 8 07, 9 42, 11, 11 58 A. M., 1 59, 2 32, 3 45, 4 34, 5 20, 5 34, 6 20, 6 38, 7 03, 7 12, 7 34, 8 20, 9 43, 11 15, 12 43 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 15, 9 05, A. M., 12 55, 2 34, 5 15, 6 37, 10 15, 11 14 P. M.

Leave Somerville, 6, 6 30, 7 03, 7 25, 7 35, 7 48 9 05, 9 47, 11 15 A. M., 12 35, 1 15, 1 48, 2 05, 2 2 4 40, 5 12, 5 35, 8 05, 8 50, 11 05, P. M. Sunday—8 25, 10 25 A. M., 12 05, 105, 4 50, 6 40, 8 03, 9 05, 7 30 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7, 8 07, 9 42, A. M., 1 59, 4 34, 5 20, 6 38, 8 20 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 13 A. M., 2 03, 6 35 P. M.

Leave Easton 6 05, 8 44, 10 A. M., 12 32, 4 09, 6 40 P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 02, A. M., 6 40, 7 50 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 7, 9 42 A. M., 1 59, 5 20 P. M. Sunday—8 13 A. M.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

LEAVE PLAINFIELD.

5 45 A. M. for Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

7 A. M. for High Bridge Branch and Easton.

8 07 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 42 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Nanticoke, Drifton, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c.

1 59 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, &c.

4 34 P. M. for D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

5 20 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Schooley's Mountain, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, &c.

6 38 P. M. for Flemington.

6 38 P. M. for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg.

8 20 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8, 13 a. m. Sundays for High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, &c., 2 03 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua and Pottsville. 6 35 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m. 1 p. m.

**Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c.**

Leave Plainfield 3 37, 8, 11 09, a. m., 1, 2 51, 5 21, p. m. Sundays—(except Ocean Grove) 8 32, a. m., 5 20 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 38, 8, 10 05, 11 09 a. m., 1, 2 51, 5 21, 7 06 p. m. Sunday—8 32 a. m., 5 20 p. m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8, 11 09 a. m., 1, 2 51, 5 21, p. m.

**ROUND BROOK ROUTE.**

Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia, 1 17, 3 45, 8 20, 9 45, 11 58* a. m., 1 59*, 2 32*, 4 08, 5 34*, 6 39*, 8 20 p. m. Sundays—1 17, 9 45, a. m., 2 30* 4 08, 5 16*, 6 58 p. m.

For Baltimore and Washington at 1 17, 9 45, 11 58*, a. m., 2 45, 4 08, 5 34* p. m. Sundays—1 17, 9 45 a. m., 2 47, 4 08, 5 16* p. m.

RETURNING—LEAVE PHILADELPHIA.

Ninth and Green streets, 7 30*, 8 50*, 9 30, 11 05 a. m., 12 45, 1 30, 3 15, 5 15, 6 15, 8 02, 9 45, 12 p. m Sundays—9 a. m., 12 50, 3 10, 5 15, 6 10, 8, 12 p. m.

From 24th and Chestnut—8 10, 8 20*, 11 08, a. m. 12 02, 2 20, 6 18, 8 05, p. m. Sundays—8 10, 8 56 a. m., 12 02, 3 20, 6 18, 8 05 p. m.

Leave Trenton, Warren and Tucker sts., 1 20, 3 00, 7*, 8*, 9*, 10 10, 11 55 a. m. 1 28, 2 10, 3 40*, 5 15, 5 55 6 20, 9 47, 10 p. m. Sundays—1 30, 4 00, 9 55 a. m., 1 25, 4, 5 55, 7, 8 47 p. m.

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## TERRIBLE DISASTER

### A Reading Express Train Plunges Into the River.

### MANY PEOPLE WERE KILLED.

A Scene Never to be Forgotten by Those who Survived.

Two Carloads of Injured—Ghastly Search for the Dead and Wounded—Bodies Still in the Schuylkill—Workmen Hunting for Victims—Partial List of the Killed and Injured.

READING, Pa., Sept. 20.—The Williamsport express train left the main Philadelphia and Reading station in this city at 5:55 o'clock last evening, ten minutes late, with two baggage cars, one Pullman parlor car, four day coaches and one sleeper attached to the engine in the order named. The train was packed with people, every car being crowded.

The train was running at a high speed, thirty-eight or forty miles per hour, when, without a moment's warning, it dashed around a sharp curve into the rear of a coal train that had been wrecked but a few minutes before.

There was an awful crash, the passenger engine leaped high in the air and then toppled over and rolled fifty feet down the steep embankment in to the Schuylkill River, dragging with it four cars.

The collision of the trains was instantaneous. The engine was plunged beneath the surface of the rushing waters, and the engineer, John White, of Pottsville, Pa., and John Templin, his fireman, of the same place, were pinned beneath the frightful wreck. The cars turned over three times and two were submerged at the first crash.

**Heartrending Shrieks.**

The air was immediately filled with heartrending shrieks and pathetic cries, then in a moment all was silence. Not a passenger escaped from the first Pullman car.

The cars were crushed into splinters and do not bear a semblance of their original shape.

Very few, if any, of the ill-fated passengers escaped without some injury—the wreck was complete.

The doctors on duty at the wreck estimate that at least forty dead bodies are still under the wrecked cars in the river and that it will be impossible to get them out before this afternoon.

**The Killed and Injured.**

The following is a list of the dead that have been identified:

William D. Shomo, Reading; John White, engineer, Pottsville; James Templin, fireman, Pottsville; Harry Logan, conductor, Pottsville; David Augstadt, Mahanoy City, died after being taken from the wreck; E. W. Logan, baggage master, Shenandoah.

The injured are: Harrison Rimand, Philadelphia, leg broken and internally injured; Joseph Southwood, Centralia, badly cut and injured; James F. Merkel, Bethlehem, badly cut about head and internally injured; John Thornton, Leesport, badly cut about head and body seriously injured; Joseph Noll, Shenandoah, cut about head and left shoulder broken; Frank B. Holl, manager of Frank Mayo's dramatic company, cut about head and body and bruised about arms and legs; John Carroll, St. Clair, back hurt and internally injured; Joseph Ashfield, Mahanoy City, bruised about body and legs; William Glassmayer, Port Clinton, badly cut about breast; Thomas Cooney, Philadelphia, head and legs injured; Robert Cotton, Pottstown, injured internally; Samuel Shellengerger, Hamburg, legs injured; B. W. Cithler, Girardville, foot and leg mashed; John Doolick, Mt. Carmel, hurt internally and hand smashed; W. W. Johnston, Shenandoah, head badly cut and leg broken; George Sanders, Reading, badly hurt about back and neck; Benjamin Franklin Beecher, Shenandoah, left hip badly cut and leg hurt; James Bernhart, Shenandoah, left hip crushed and legs hurt; John Hess, Mahanoy City, legs badly hurt; David G. Young, Mahanoy City, head badly cut and legs sprained; Lyman Dick, Hamburg, both legs broken; Dr. B. F. Salade, New Ringgold, right arm badly hurt; Jacob Ulmer, Pottsville, both legs broken; Samuel Coomb, Mahanoy City, badly hurt about body and leg broken; William Simmers, Ashland.

**Robbing the Dead.**

Two Italian laborers working on a contract near by were detected in robbing the dead and dying, and they were arrested by Detective Wunch of this city.

The scene was one of great horror, and can be better imagined than described. The cries of the imprisoned passengers were heartrending. It was a scene never to be forgotten by those who participated and survived. Some of the passengers managed to crawl out of their prison and arouse the neighborhood.

**Caring for the Injured.**

The injured had their wounds dressed on the bank and those who live near were taken to their homes and those who reside in this section were brought to the Reading hospitals. The company put about 200 men at work in getting out the dead and dying.

Mr. Shome, who was killed, was worth over half a million dollars, being a large owner of real estate and one of the directors of the Citizen's Bank and one of the owners of the Academy of Music.

Engineer White took Engineer Lew Heller's run, the latter having been killed at the Tuckerton wreck a few months ago.

### CONVICTS ON A SPREE.

They Find a Cask of Whiskey and Get Intoxicated.

SING SING, N. Y., Sept. 20.—A number of convicts in the prison were employed in unloading a carload of rags in the prison yard yesterday afternoon, and while they were taking the rags out they discovered a small cask filled with whiskey.

They kept the matter quiet and placed the keg at one side of the car. The prisoners one after another paid frequent visits to the interior of the car, and suddenly, to the surprise of the guards, the men became hilarious.

The guard investigated the matter, and entering the car found that the keg of whiskey had been opened and almost drained of its contents. The men were having a glorious spree.

They were immediately brought into line and despatched to their cells.

Michael Brown, a 10-year convict for burglary, was helplessly drunk and had to be carried to his cell. The remainder of the whiskey was poured into the Hudson River.

### BELL BOYS CONFESS.

How the Bookmaker's Money Box was Spirited Away.

NEW YORK, Sept. 20.—Nearly all the money taken from the box at the Vendome Hotel has been recovered. The bell boys, Oscar Matthews and Henry Cassen, have confessed. During the excitement caused by the loss of Helen Dauvray's dog the clerk placed the box on the counter. One of the bell boys took it, handed it over to the other and together they broke it open with a chisel and threw the empty box away.

The accused boys were brought to the Jefferson Market Police Court, where they were remanded back to police headquarters at the request of Inspector Byrnes, and who will probably make public the full confession of the boys. Just how much of the money or bonds have been recovered is known only to the police.

**The Dempsey-Fitzsimmons Meeting.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 20.—Jack Dempsey is out with a statement that he will fight Fitzsimmons with skin gloves at either the Puritan Athletic Club of Long Island City or the Olympic Athletic Club of New Orleans, whichever offers the largest purse, or in a fist fight to a finish on neutral ground for $10,000 a side and whatever purse is made up. At present the Puritan purse, $11,500, is the largest one offered, but it is probable that the fight will be at the Olympic Club's house, as Fitzsimmons is under promise to fight nowhere except at the California Athletic Club or the Olympic.

**Left His Cell in Prison.**

TRENTON, N. J., Sept. 20.—Richard W. Goodchild, of Bayonne, a patient in the State Lunatic Asylum, committed suicide. An attendant had seven mild patients out walking. Goodchild being one of the number, and in the rear of the line. A hay wagon passing at the moment, he threw himself under the wheels and his neck was broken. He died instantly. Goodchild was a wealthy real estate broker, and had been in the institution eight months.

**Poisoned at a Marriage Feast.**

PITTSBURG, Pa., Sept. 20.—Forty guests were poisoned at the wedding supper of W. G. Berry Hill and Miss Margary McCarroll, near Monongahela City on Wednesday night. The repast was made up principally of canned goods, of which the guests ate heartily. Next day all were taken ill, and the physicians in the neighborhood were kept busy applying remedies. All are now out of danger.

**Tried to Die in a Cell.**

JERSEY CITY, N. J., Sept. 20.—Lizzie Lee was arrested last night charged with being drunk. She was put in a cell in the Grove street station and attempted to commit suicide by choking herself to death by tying a belt around her neck. Death would have resulted in a short time had she not been discovered. She was sent to Snake Hill for thirty days.

**Great Rejoicing at Galveston.**

GALVESTON, Tex., Sept 20.—The receipt of the news that the President has signed the Deep Water bill, which practically gives Galveston $6,200,000 for the improvement of her harbor, has caused the wildest enthusiasm here. The city was illuminated last night with pyrotechnics, torchlight processions crowded the streets, and brass bands and tin horns added to the general din.

## BIG BASEBALL DEAL

### The Brotherhood May Buy the Cincinnati Club.

### PRESIDENT STERN WILL SELL.

The Rival New York Teams Play With the Pittsburgs.

The Giants Win and the National League Clubs Have a Draw Game—Kelly Defeats the Chicago Players—Anson Pets Win the First Game With the Bridegrooms.

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 20.—The scheme of the Players' League to take in the Brooklyn and Cincinnati clubs of the National League is gradually developing. President Stern, of the Cincinnati team, is here, and will meet Secretary Brunnell soon. Mr. Stern said last night: "I am a National Agreement man to the last, but if these men give me my price they can take the club."

**BASEBALL GAMES.**

National League.

AT CHICAGO.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Chicago | 0 | 0 | 4 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | — | 10 |
| Brooklyn | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1 | — | 2 |

Game was called at the end of the eight inning on account of darkness.
Batteries—Luby and Nagel; Terry and Daly.

AT PITTSBURG.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Pittsburg | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 3 | 0 | 0 | — 7 |
| New York | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | — 7 |

Called on account of darkness.
Batteries—Terry and Wilson; Rusie and Clarke.

AT CINCINNATI.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Cincinnati | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | — 5 |
| Philadelphia | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | — 4 |

Batteries—Duryea and Keenan; Gleason and Clements.

At Cleveland—Wet grounds prevented the Cleveland and Boston teams from playing here.

**Players' League.**

AT PITTSBURG.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Pittsburg | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | — 0 |
| New York | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | — 5 |

Batteries—Staley and Quinn; O'Day and Vaughn.

AT CHICAGO.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Chicago | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | — 6 |
| Boston | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 1 | — 7 |

Called on account of darkness.
Batteries—Baldwin and Doyle; Gumbert, Keily and Murphy.

AT BUFFALO.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Buffalo | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 2 | — 5 | | | | |
| Philadelphia | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | — 0 | | | | |

Called on account of darkness.
Batteries—Cunningham and Mack; Knell and Crons.

At Cleveland—Ward's Wonders and the Forest City lads were unable to play this afternoon, owing to wet grounds.

**American Association.**

AT COLUMBUS.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Columbus | 2 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | — 9 |
| Baltimore | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | — 4 |

Batteries—Gastright and O'Connor; McMahon and Robinson.

AT ST. LOUIS.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| St. Louis | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | — 8 |
| Rochester | 0 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | — 7 |

Batteries—Hart and Munyan; Titcomb and Grim.

AT LOUISVILLE.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Louisville | 2 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | — 9 |
| Athletic | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | — 4 |

Batteries—Meakin and Bligh; O'Neil and Daily.

At Toledo—Wet grounds prevented the Toledo and Syracuse teams from playing here.

**Atlantic Association.**

AT LEBANON.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Lebanon | 1 | 3 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | — 7 |
| Newark | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | — 2 |

Batteries—Swift and Coons; Serod and Childs.

AT HARRISBURG.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Harrisburg | 1 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | — 6 |
| New Haven | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | — 4 |

Batteries—Gamble and Jennings; Horner and Cahill.

**Attendance at League Games.**

| | Players | League |
|---|---|---|
| Chicago | 1,246 | 923 |
| Buffalo | 1,086 | ..... |
| Pittsburg | 894 | 200 |
| Cincinnati | ..... | 1,248 |
| Totals | 4,226 | 2,371 |

**Standing of the Clubs.**

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

| | Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'ct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Brookl'n | 79 | 42 | .653 | Chicago | 77 | 50 | .606 |
| Boston | 74 | 47 | .611 | N. York | 56 | 64 | .467 |
| Philadel. | 73 | 48 | .603 | Clevl'nd | 37 | 82 | .311 |
| Cincin'ti | 71 | 51 | .582 | Pittsb'rg | 21 | 104 | .168 |

PLAYERS' LEAGUE.

| | Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'ct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Boston | 75 | 43 | .635 | Philadel. | 64 | 57 | .529 |
| N. York | 69 | 51 | .575 | Pittsb'rg | 53 | 64 | .453 |
| Brookl'n | 72 | 50 | .590 | Clev'l'nd | 48 | 71 | .403 |
| Chicago | 69 | 50 | .539 | Buffalo | 33 | 88 | .272 |

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

| | Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'ct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Louis'v'le | 72 | 40 | .646 | Rock'st'r. | 56 | 52 | .519 |
| St. Louis | 67 | 46 | .583 | Athletic | 55 | 57 | .490 |
| Col'mb'a | 65 | 50 | .565 | Syracuse | 43 | 65 | .398 |
| Toledo | 57 | 53 | .518 | Baltim'e | 31 | 82 | .274 |

ATLANTIC ASSOCIATION.

| | Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'ct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| N. Hav'n | 73 | 31 | .716 | Harrish'g | 46 | 62 | .403 |
| Lebanon | 55 | 47 | .539 | Wilm'g'n | 32 | 63 | .300 |
| Newark | 56 | 56 | .500 | | | | |

**Schedule of To-Day's Games.**

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Pittsburg vs. New York, at Pittsburg.
Chicago vs. Brooklyn, at Chicago.
Cleveland vs. Boston, at Cleveland.
Cincinnati vs. Philadelphia, at Cincinnati.

PLAYERS' LEAGUE.

Pittsburg vs. New York, at Pittsburg.
Cleveland vs. Brooklyn, at Cleveland.
Chicago vs. Boston, at Chicago.
Buffalo vs. Philadelphia, at Buffalo.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

Columbus vs. Baltimore, at Columbus.
Toledo vs. Syracuse, at Toledo.
St. Louis vs. Rochester, at St. Louis.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—U. S. Gov't Report, Aug. 17, 1889.
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### EXCITEMENT AT A FAIR.

Hot Chase for an Italian Who Assaulted a Little Girl.

NORTH ADAMS, Mass., Sept. 20.—Considerable excitement was occasioned at the Fair grounds here by the arrest of the Italian who made a criminal assault on a little girl near Blackington some two weeks ago. The girl saw him on the grounds and pointed him out to an officer. The man ran, but after a hot chase through the woods and wading the river he was captured.

A crowd attempted to take him from the officers in an attempt to lynch him, and a terrible struggle ensued, during which the Italian's clothing was torn from him. Finally the officers locked him up. He was thoroughly identified.

A merry-go-round on the grounds when in operation carrying a large crowd of women and children broke down, owing to the gearing giving way. One woman's leg was severely crushed and about twenty others were more or less injured.

### A MINISTER'S WAYWARD SON.

He Steals into the Pastoral Residence and Escapes with Diamonds.

JERSEY CITY, N. J. Sept. 20.—Pastor Freund, of the German Lutheran Independent Church in Hoboken was awakened ae an early hour at his home on Hudson street by the presence of some one in his room.

He found his son Charles, twenty years old, who had been leading a wild life away from home for a year past, searching the room for valuables. The pastor grappled with the young man, who broke loose and made his escape.

The father found that about $500 worth of diamonds and valuables had been taken. The son had forced an entrance through a cellar window and had arranged a rope from the bedroom window to facilitate his exit. The police are looking for him.

**Not Tasted Food for 173 Days.**

WHITEHALL, Pa., Sept. 20.—Mrs. Adam Wuchter has passed her 173d day since she tasted food or drink in any form. This is vouched for by her physicians, who cannot account for her wonderful tenacity of life except that she is possessed of a phenomenally strong constitution. Her condition is gradually growing worse, her lower extremities are cold like those of a dead person, and her vitality is at an exceedingly low ebb.

**Escaped from State Prison.**

AUBURN, N. Y., Sept. 20.—Benjamin Muldoon of Syracuse, who was serving an eighteen years' sentence for burglary, escaped from the prison at 1:30 in the morning. Muldoon was assisting in repairing the engine in the hollow ware shop and on a pretence of going to the closet sneaked from the shop and by means of a ladder scaled the wall and let himself down outside by means of an iron hook and rope.

**Cal Woods to Die by Electricity.**

LAKE GEORGE, Sept. 20.—The jury in the case of Cal Woods, tried for the murder of Pasco, brought in a verdict of guilty of murder in the first degree. The jury was out only fifteen minutes. The prisoner was immediately sentenced to be executed by electricity at Dannemora Prison during the week of November 3rd. Wood was totally unconcerned, but his wife wept and broke down upon hearing the sentence.

**Approved by the President.**

CRESSON, Pa., Sept. 20.—The President has approved the Anti-Lottery and River and Harbor Appropriation bills. He also attached his approval to the resolutions adopted by Congress in eulogy of Hon. Samuel J. Randall and David Wilbur and N. W. Nutting. The President has recognized Francisco Lambertinghi as Consul-General for Italy at San Francisco.

**Superintendent Porter's Illness.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 20.—Superintendent of the Census Robert P. Porter, who has been suffering for several days with an attack of pleurisy, is better. While his illness was serious, it is thought that the critical point has been safely passed. He took some nourishment to-day for the first time in five days.

**Birchall Indicted for Murder.**

WOODSTOCK, Ont., Sept. 20.—The Grand Jury rendered a true bill against J. Reginald Birchall for the murder of Fred C. Benwell at Niagara Falls. Unless something extraordinary happens, the case will be taken up Monday morning. Birchall's wife visited him in jail to-day. She is fast failing in health.

**The Slavin-McAuliffe Fight.**

LONDON, Sept. 20.—Both Slavin and McAuliffe are in the finest trim. The committee last night examined the gloves brought by McAuliffe from America and voted them superior to any of English make. There is no doubt that the referee will pass them. The ring will be enlarged to nineteen feet.

**Killed while Eating Supper.**

THREE RIVERS, Que., Sept. 20.—Mrs. Gervais, of Pointe du Lac, nine miles from here, was shot and killed while sitting at the supper table with her husband, last evening. The shot was fired through the window. There is no clue to the party who did the shooting, and no cause can be ascertained for the act.

**Large Barley Exports.**

TORONTO, Ont., Sept. 20.—In anticipation of the McKinley bill coming into force on October 1st, barley is being shipped from here to Oswego in great quantities. Several schooners have been chartered. The grain is being taken across for two cents a bushel, and some shippers would be willing to pay three cents.

## DILLON AND O'BRIEN

### The Irish Leaders Think Balfour Has Blundered.

### SIR CHARLES RUSSELL'S VIEWS.

He Believes the Accused Will be Able to Have the Proceedings Quashed.

Two Other Members of Parliament Arrested—Five Hundred Turks Drowned—Osman Pasha Among the Lost—France Receives a Big Order for Rifles from Russia—Another Decoration for Caprivi.

LONDON, Sept. 20.—A study of the warrant upon which Messrs. Dillon and O'Brien were arrested shows that it fails to specify with any particularity the offences for which the arrests were ordered. The document is verbose and clumsy in style and matter.

Mr. Healy believes that it is fatally defective, and that if the accused are granted an appeal they will be able to have the proceedings quashed.

Sir Charles Russell, the eminent barrister, apparently takes the same view, for in a speech at Darlington last night he referred to the shadowy nature of the charges and said that similar writs had been set aside in the past. This being so, he asked, "Why might not a like fate await the present proceedings?"

The raising of this question by lawyers of repute has caused some uneasiness among the Conservatives. The Globe, for instance, expresses the hope that a step so certain to concentrate attention upon Irish affairs and to rekindle the flames of passion which were gradually expiring, has not been taken without ample legal evidence as a basis. A blunder in a matter of this importance would have deplorable results.

### MORE IRISHMEN ARRESTED.

Dillon Says the American Mission Is What Bothered the Government.

DUBLIN, Sept. 20.—The proceedings against Messrs. Dillon and O'Brien were on warrants of arrest, but in the cases of the other accused Nationalists only summonses have been issued.

Mr. Dillon, in an interview dwells upon this fact as proving that the Government's object was to prevent Mr. O'Brien and himself from going to America.

Mr. Patrick O'Brien, Mr. Dalton, Members of Parliament, and Mr. John Cullinan were arrested last night at Kingstown on the warrants issued at the same time as those for William O'Brien and John Dillon.

Leading members of the Nationalist party are constantly calling at the office of the League and much satisfaction is expressed at the turn affairs have taken, and there is great rejoicing over the signal advantage the course pursued by the Government has given the cause.

The "Freeman's Journal" commenting on the arrests of Messrs. Dillon and O'Brien say: "If they were intended to stop the visit of those gentlemen to the United States they were a shameful confession of weakness and discomfiture and a piece of imbecility." "The arrests," the Freeman's Journal says, "will give the Irish campaign a most invigorating and exhilarating stimulus."

### OVER 500 DROWNED.

A Turkish Man-of-War Sinks—Osman Pasha Perishes.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Sept. 20.—There is great excitement here over the foundering at sea of the Turkish man-of-war Ertzogroul and the drowning of the crew of 500.

Osman Pasha, whose victory over the Russians at Plevna gave him a high rank as a fighting general, was on board and was lost. He had been on an official visit to Japan, having been intrusted with a special mission from the Sultan to the Mikado.

The progress of the Ertzogroul since she left Constantinople for the East, many months ago, has been a most dignified and ludicrous one. Leaving Turkey short of money, it was understood that supplies were to be sent for her use to the ports at which she was to call, with the result that her sojourn in those countries was indefinitely prolonged, as the officers at home were not able to keep their promises.

In this way she lost some of her crew, and her officers were many times on the verge of rebellion, induced by starvation, while the governors of the cities visited refused to remit harbor dues and grant other privileges that were of right due her as a Turkish man-of-war, on the ground that she was not sailing in that character. There was not powder enough on board to enable her crew to fire the regulation salutes.

**War Signs in Time of Peace.**

PARIS, Sept. 20.—France has entered into a contract to supply the Russian Government with an enormous number of rifles. According to the terms of the contract 500,000 of the weapons will be delivered within eighteen months.

**The Public Excluded at Buckingham.**

LONDON, Sept. 20.—The Queen has declined to allow the public admittance to the gardens of Buckingham Palace during the concerts of the Guards' band.

**Another Decoration for Caprivi.**

BERLIN, Sept. 20.—The Emperor of Austria has personally conferred upon Chancellor von Caprivi the decoration of the Grand Cross of St. Stephen.

**Two Families Evicted.**

DUBLIN, Sept. 20.—Four families were evicted from the Glensharrold estates last evening. There was no resistance.

### MILLIONS PAID OUT.

Largest Balance Ever Received by the New York Clearing House.

NEW YORK, Sept. 20.—Assistant Manager Sherer, of the Clearing House, received from the Sub-Treasury, in balance of the regular daily accounts, the extraordinary sum of $11,500,000.

This balance was in payment of checks drawn on the United States for interest, bonds, pensions and other liabilities of the Government, paid into or deposited at the various city banks. This money will go into circulation through the banks and will help to relieve the monetary stringency.

The bureau of the Deputy Assistant Treasurer of the United States, stationed in this city, was crowded to-day with persons desirous of disposing of their 4½ and 4 per cent. bonds at the rates offered by the Government.

### LOUISE MICHEL RESTING.

The Noted Agitator Glad of an Opportunity to Recuperate.

LONDON, Sept. 20.—Louis Michel, the noted Anarchist agitator, who is residing in a quiet southern suburb of London, is in very poor health and her friends are anxious over her condition.

Her prolonged imprisonment seriously impaired her energies, and she is glad of the opportunity to recuperate afforded by her present retirement. She has no desire to return to France for some time to come, and is very emphatic in her denunciation of the French Government, which she says is less liberal than a monarchy. In fact, she declares that she would throw her influence on the side of the Monarchists if they should openly enter the field against the Republicans.

**Conferrees Cannot Agree.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 20.—The Tariff bill conferees continued in conference until noon and then adjourned. A number of minor points of disagreement in the House and Senate bill were adjusted, but when the conference broke up they were evidently no nearer an agreement on the three main points of difference—on binding twine, the extension of the bonded period and the sugar schedule than when they met.

**Action on Pension Bills.**

WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 20.—The House postponed until Wednesday next the bill granting pensions to the widows of Generals McClellan, Fremont and Crook. Seventy-two private pension bills were passed.

### NEWS OF THE DAY.

Cholera is making frightful advances in Spain.

An epidemic of diphtheria prevails at Bridgeton, N. J.

King Oscar of Sweden, visited the Baltimore at Stockholm.

Fire at South Haven, Mich., destroyed property valued at $60,000.

Mrs. Mary Metz of Union Hill, N. J., bled to death by the bursting of a vein in her leg.

Benjamin Sweetzer, a prominent citizen of Lynn, Mass., was killed there by a Boston and Maine train.

Enumerators Sitzold, Tomlinson and Bolis have been indicted by a United States Grand Jury at Minneapolis.

Ex-President Cleveland and wife have arrived at Point Bluff, N. Y., and are stopping at the Hotel Champlain.

Vice President Webb, of the New York Central, said that none of the late strikers would be taken back to work.

The ship Challenger, which had such a disastrous experience in a recent hurricane, has arrived in Boston in a disabled condition.

Billy Meyer and Andy Bowen have signed articles for a fight for a purse of $3,000. The battle will take place in New Orleans in February.

Bradstreet's reports 167 failures in the United States during the week, against 163 in the preceding week and 190 in the corresponding week of 1889.

Mrs. Lucy Morgan Goodwin, wife of Major James Goodwin and sister of the late Junius S. Morgan, the eminent London banker, died at her home in Hartford, Conn., last night aged 79 years.

**Weather Indications.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 20.—For New England: Rain; stationary temperature, winds shifting to southerly and becoming brisk to high on the coast; cooler to-morrow.

For Eastern New York, Eastern Pennsylvania and New Jersey: Rain; cooler; southeasterly winds, brisk to high on the coast, shifting to cooler northwesterly to-morrow.

For Western New York and Western Pennsylvania: Rain; cooler; northwesterly winds high on the lakes.

### NEW YORK MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Sept. 19.—Money on call to-day, 3 and 5 per cent.

BONDS.

| | Closing Yesterday. | Closing To-day. |
|---|---|---|
| 4½s, 1891 Reg | 104½ | 104½ |
| 4½s, 1891 Coup | 104½ | 104½ |
| 4 s, 1907 Reg | 124½ | 124 |
| 4 s, 1907 Coup | 124½ | 124 |

STOCK MARKET.

| | Closing Yesterday. | Closing To-day. |
|---|---|---|
| Canadian Pacific | 79½ | 80 |
| Central Pacific | 35 | 35 |
| Chicago, Bur. & Quincy | 90¾ | 91¼ |
| Delaware & Hudson | ..... | ..... |
| Del. Lack. & Western | 144 | 144½ |
| Erie pref | 25 | 25¼ |
| Lake Shore | 107½ | 107¾ |
| Louis. & Nash | 83 | 83¼ |
| Michigan Central | 93½ | 93½ |
| Missouri Pacific | 69¾ | 70¼ |
| New Jersey Central | ..... | ..... |
| Northwestern | 108¾ | 109¼ |
| Ontario Navigation | ..... | 84½ |
| Pacific Mail | 46½ | 46¾ |
| Reading | 41¾ | 41¾ |
| Rock Island | 85½ | 85¾ |
| St. Paul | 97¼ | 97¼ |
| Union Pacific | 50¾ | 50¾ |
| Western Union | 83½ | 84¼ |

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J. A. DEMAREST, - - Managing Editor.

## BY THE WAY.

—Read J. F. MacDonald's adv. The price of tea will astonish you.

—Seventy-five carpenters are wanted at the Linden race track. See the Want column in today's PRESS.

—Mayor Male, yesterday, signed the contract with the Gamewell company for an electric fire alarm service in this city.

—Recent real estate transfers and other local items of importance, are crowded out of this issue, yet THE PRESS presents quite a paper today.

—The young woman who left the clean clothing in Bryant school yard, last night can have the same by applying to Janitor Hope, and proving property.

—All ladies wishing to become members of a Women's Bicycle Club are requested to send their names and address to Mrs. G. F. Opdyke, 16 West Eighth street.

—The rooms of the Young Men's Christian Association will continue to be closed during the hours of church service, but will hereafter be open Sunday afternoons from 2 to 6 P. M. All young men will be welcome.

—The regular monthly meeting of shareholders of the Plainfield Building and Loan Association will be held in Cutter's Hall Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock, for the payment of dues, etc. The issue of a third series of shares will commence at that time.

—An entertainment of more than ordinary interest will be presented in Reform Hall next Monday evening, when Donald Downie, a delineator of acknowledged ability, will rehearse and illustrate the eventful history of the great Napoleon. It is a thrilling narrative, and worthy of a crowded house.

—The Oriental Social Club held their third annual ball at Amphion Hall Thursday evening, and scored their usual success. The music for the occasion was by Samuel D. Frazee. The General Director was Benj. F. Crane, and the Floor Managers were James T. Mullen and Edward C. Searing. The order of dance, twenty-eight numbers long, was highly appreciated throughout, but the number calling for especial frolic was the schottische "Leave me Shake the Hand that Shook the Hand of Sullivan."

—The public meeting of the Hope Chapel Temperance Club last night was well attended. W. G. Gray presided in the absence of the Rev. G. K. Newell, the pastor. Messrs Gray, Martin and Fountain made interesting addresses. Mr. Fountain gave graphic illustrations of the way the liquor habit impoverishes its victims. He said that at the homes where he went to collect rent many object lessons would be given; there the occupants will stand and tell him they have no money, but there on the table stands the beer.

—The feast of Yom Ha Kippur, a Hebraic celebration, will occur next week Wednesday, Sept. 24. It is a musical feast of expiation and penance in the Jewish synagogues and at the hearthstones of the people. It is the success of the New Year period and Day of Atonement. During Atonement Day a rigid fast is kept from sunset to sunset. The services of the day following the evening of the Atonement are solemn in the extreme. Prayers by the rabbis and the chazan will be interchanged with orchestral music in the synagogues, and appropriate hymns and the reading from the scroll of the law will be portions of the service. The concluding feast of the month, five days later, is the feast of Succoth, or the thanksgiving day.

## PARTICULAR MENTION.

Mr. and Mrs. Pliny Fisk and family are at Woodstock, Vt.

Councilman Dunham is confined to his room by an attack of illness.

Dr. and Mrs. Endicott have been enjoying themselves at Atlantic City.

The Rev. Cornelius Schenck and Mrs. Schenck returned today from a visit to Roxborough, Pa.

Miss Minnie Force, of North avenue, is visiting her young friend Jennie Voorhees, of Brooklyn, N. Y.

Freeholder Wm. E Jones, ex-Fire Commissioner of this city, and one of the most prominently known and highly esteemed men in the counties of Union and Somerset, is lying very low at his home in North Plainfield. Very little hope is had of his recovery.

An address on the C. L. S. C. will be delivered by the Rev. J. L. Huribut, D. D., of this city, under the auspices of the Hope Circle of Westfield on Tuesday evening, September 23, at 7:45 P. M., in the Scudder school house at that town. All interested in the C. L. S. C., are most cordially invited to attend.

The Rev. Mr. Mitchell will preach two sermons to men—merchants, mechanics, clerks or laborers—in the M. E. church, to-morrow and the following Sunday evening. Although the attendance will not be confined exclusively to men, yet it is hoped that the seating capacity of the church will be mainly accorded them.

Good for young and old. We know of no better tonic for the system than Hires' Improved Root Beer. It is delicious, effervescent, sparkling, appetizing, and a helper of temperance. Satisfying the thirst, enriching the blood, and fortifying the system against the advances of disease. A 25 cent package makes five gallons. Sold everywhere.

## HER SECOND CENTURY OF LIFE.

### The Happy 100-Years of Mrs. Nancy Baker, the Oldest Woman in Union County.

Not often has a community the opportunity of rejoicing in the fact that one of its residents has attained the honorable distinction of being a centenarian; and it was a noteworthy assemblage which gathered at the home of George A. Moore, 45 East Front street, Sunday afternoon, as the cause of the gathering was the presence of Mrs. Nancy Baker, the oldest woman, in years, in Union county, who is now advancing on her second century of human life.

The event was more of a pleasant family re-union than a centennial celebration, and it was correspondingly an esteemed privilege for an outsider to be admitted to the circle. Four generations were represented by those who kept the parlors sparkling with mirth and joyousness, yet all graciously yielded the seat of honor to the especially invited guest, a PRESS reporter.

The glow of an open fire shone around the room, its genial heat drawing attention to the old-fashioned fire-place, with its spice of antiquity; and with the back logs snapping and crackling not far from his left elbow the writer found it no difficult task to fall into the dreaming mood with which old story-books and twilight fireside tales invest one's mind, especially as the pleasantly talkative centenarian seated at his right recounted just such incidents as one never hears of except in connection with that Past whose misty individuality is so remote that its veil partakes of the distant hue of the far-off sky.

This bright little old lady, whose mind as well as frame has outlasted a century of joys and cares, and whose laughing eye and cheerful smile still defy the stern old Time on whose territory she is so bold a trespasser, had scarcely a flaw in her memory, and her talk dwelt complacently and accurately on events from one end of her century to the other. She could tell, in her peaceful, quiet way, of incidents of the days when Washington's name was preeminently on everyone's lips, as precisely as she could of the present era of Benjamin Harrison and Baby McKee. Born within twelve months after Washington became President of the United States, her life comprises almost the entire history of the organized form of this government, and she has witnessed its growth in population from less than four millions to more than sixty-four millions. As the first census of the country was not ordered until five months after she was born, her name was recorded in the first enumeration made of the population of the United States, and she is one of the very few whose names have never left that national roll-call. What the period of her life has comprised in history would be difficult to enumerate in the space at command, and what it has seen in human and material progress would be still more hard to compass. She was a girl of nearly ten years when Washington died, the wife of several years before the war of 1812 broke out, and the mother of a growing family long before steamboats and railroads were known. Events of importance that are now considered as belonging to days of long ago were enacted after she had passed a half-century of life; the Mexican War, for example, which in these progressive days is scarcely a modern recollection, occurred when she was nearly three-score years of age.

Her own life has been one of domestic tranquillity, unmarked by events of public concern, but its record is one of usefulness and goodness that must be as pleasant for her own contemplation as it is gratifying to her descendants. Amid home scenes, and in the church and social affairs of the community where her life has been spent, she has exerted a moral force beyond that of many women, and the number of her years is only proportionate to the amount of good she has been able to accomplish. This force, it may be added, has been extended far beyond the period when most of human kind are incapacitated by the infirmities of old age.

Mrs. Baker's maiden name was Nancy Williams. Her father's name was John, and her mother's Phœbe. One year after her birth, which took place March 10, 1790, her father died, leaving her neither brother nor sister. Under the nurture and admonition of her widowed mother she grew to be a thriving little miss of seven Summers, when, at the second marriage of Mrs. Williams, she was adopted into the home of John Roll, a Springfield Mountain farmer, where she learned all such old-time household duties as spinning and weaving flax, cheese-making, butter-making, and fashioning homespun garments. In those times boys went barefoot to "meeting;" schools were taught in Winter by stern masters, but in Summer, when the unruly boys had to hoe corn, women teachers taught the girls. A spirit of harmless prankishness prevailed. Jack-o-lantern parties and apple-parin' bees were the ruling diversions. That she thoroughly enjoyed this life the sparkle of her eye and the ring of her laugh as she tells of the many merry moments of those years unquestionably indicate.

Eighty-three years ago, when only seventeen years of age, Nancy Williams became Mrs. Stewart Mills. She had six children—four daughters and two sons. The eldest daughter died at the age of sixty-one, and one of the sons at seven. Those still living—the oldest 74 years, and the youngest 56—are Joseph Mills, of Decatur, Ills.; Mrs. Phœbe Fowler, of Liberty street, Plainfield; Mrs. Hannah Williams, of Westfield; and Mrs. Electa Lyon, of Westfield, with whom she now lives. Two of her fourteen grandchildren are Miss Mabel Fowler, of Liberty street, and Mrs. Geo. A. Moore, of East Front street. She has eighteen great-grandchildren, some of whom have reached the age of maturity. Among them are the two children of James and Annie Connors at South Plainfield.

Stewart Mills died in 1858, leaving Mrs. Mills a widow in her sixty-eighth year. Six years after her first husband's death she re-married, and became Mrs. Wm. Baker. Her second husband died in 1871.

Mrs. Baker is as hale and hearty as many a younger woman. Judging from her features one would think her about eighty. She can walk a mile quite confidently; she can see and hear as well as ever in her life, and she has never used glasses. She has been toothless twenty years, but now declares that her third set of teeth are showing themselves. She drinks tea or coffee at her pleasure, and is a hearty eater. She still insists on doing some of the smaller household employments, and up to two years ago milked her owned cows and attended to various farming duties. Only last Summer she showed a "green" farm hand how to swing a scythe properly. She is a staunch Presbyterian, and can tell the names of all the ministers who have had charge of the church where she has for seventy-five years been a member. She has never been forty miles away from her Springfield birthplace, and has never lived more than four miles distant from the home of her nativity. Her eyes have never feasted on the ocean, but she can hold the seaside Summer visitor spellbound with tales of the period of the War of 1812. One of the best of her stories concerns an old time mowing frolic—a species of amusements which resulted in the harvesting of aged farmers' grass crops and gave country people no end of fun. The favorite dish of these events was a great pot-roast. Whole sheep would be cooked over gypsy fires in tremendous caldrons, and a sumptuous feast would result. At one of these frolics, while the whites were merrymaking, with no thought of hostility, an Indian crept out of the woods and up to the huge kettle and upset the contents into the fire. Before he could hide he was caught, and killed on the spot, and the festivities went on as before. The man who killed the copper-colored chieftain was pursued for months by a revengeful tribe, and had many hair-breadth escapes, but finally purchased pardon with a barrel of hard cider, an incident which speaks volumes for the comparative worth of redskin and applejack.

Although Mrs. Baker's one-hundredth birthday anniversary was celebrated appropriately last March, her descendants could not forego the pleasure of a reunion celebration when opportunity afforded last week. Hence the felicitous gathering of Sunday afternoon, which will be long and happily remembered by those who were present. The attendance was limited almost strictly to family members because it was not deemed prudent to expose one whose life, especially of late years, has been of such a quiet character, to the unusual excitement that would naturally attend the visits of any considerable number of those with whom she has not been familiar.

### Democratic Primaries.

Following are the results of last evening's Democratic primaries.

First Ward—Louis F. Wadsworth, Chairman; Lewis H. Brown, Secretary. Delegates to Congress and Convention—Louis F. Wadsworth, Sidney E. Flower.

Second Ward—James E. Martine, Chairman; Louis M. Stover, Secretary. Delegate to Congressional Convention—William K. McClure.

### A New Church Building in Prospect.

At the meeting of the First Church of Christ, last evening, a brother offered to contribute the stone to build a meeting house, and Mr. Cleaver, the pastor, said he knew of another who would present a lot.

—Plainfield Council, Royal Arcanum, will have an "informal clam chowder," Monday evening next.

### Temperance Wine for Invalids.

It is well known that there are cases when the most strict advocates of temperance are obliged to use some sort of wine, especially those who are old and infirm. Many weakly females as well as invalids and debilitated persons in warm weather need a little strengthening wine. The great difficulty has been in procuring a rich wine that is reliable. There are many cases where wine would be used to great advantage in place of alcoholic drinks, if only a genuine article could be had, and upon which physicians could rely as being strictly pure. The Wine of Alfred Speer, of Passaic, New Jersey, and his Unfermented Grape Juice have been analyzed by chemists in nearly every State, and have always been proved strictly pure and beneficial. These wines are now being used in hospitals and by families for medical purposes, also by churches for communion service. It is principally sold by druggists. Mr. Speer's mode of preserving is such as to retain the rich flavor and sweetness of the fruit.—*Transcript.*

### Dion Boucicault's Funeral.

NEW YORK, Sept. 20.—No arrangements have yet been made for Mr. Dion Boucicault's funeral, but it is probable that it will take place to-morrow. The pall-bearers will be selected from the members of the Actor's Fund.

### Designed the Modern Grain Elevator.

BUFFALO, Sept. 20.—Robt. Dunbar died here yesterday, aged 77 years. He was an expert mechanical engineer, proprietor of the Eagle Iron Works, and was the father of the present system of grain elevators.

### Return of Consul General New.

NEW YORK, Sept. 20.—General John C. New, the Consul General of the United States at London, arrived here on the Inland line steamship City of Berlin. A number of notable persons were on hand to receive the general, and many were the hearty congratulations extended him.

### Director-General of the World's Fair.

CHICAGO, Sept. 20.—George R. Davis, of this city, was elected Director-General of the World's Fair. On an informal ballot he received 50 votes; only 47 being necessary to choice. On motion of a Pennsylvania member the ballot was made formal and Mr. Davis declared the unanimous choice of the commission.

### Fiendish Attempt to Wreck a Train.

SPRINGFIELD, O., Sept. 20.—A fiendish attempt was made last night to wreck the C., S. & C. passenger train of twelve cars returning from the State Fair and laden with passengers. Ten ties were piled on the track between London and Lilly Chapel. The engine struck them and was badly damaged, but kept the track.

### A Steamer Burned at Her Wharf.

CHESTER, Pa., Sept. 20.—The passenger steamboat Norwood, owned largely by Mr. Hogan of Philadelphia, was burned early in the morning while lying at her wharf in this city. No one was injured.

### Cholera Raging in an Ohio Town.

HARLEM SPRINGS, O., Sept. 20.—Cholera has become epidemic in the village of Bergholz, six miles east of here. The people are leaving the place to avoid the dread disease. W. S. Loeper, the resident physician, is taxed to his utmost.

Recently when two hundred or more drunkards were gathered in a meeting by the Breakfast Association, a speaker asked that all who had begun to drink after the age of twenty-one would raise their hands. A sea of hands were raised. By saving the boys from the saloon we can go far to save the next generation. It is not the drunkards who sustain the saloons. The real drunkard earns nothing, and has nothing to spend. The saloon is sustained by the moderate drinker, the man who works six days that, between Saturday night and Monday, he may pour his earnings into the gorged till of the saloon. It is sustained by the young man, just beginning to drink, who, in his new-found enjoyment, is eager to treat all his friends, and to be in turn treated by them. It is these that sustain the saloons.—National Baptist.

### The Folly of Some Girls.

There is no more infatuated folly in the world than the idea that a woman can reform a man by marrying him. The only case we ever heard of where it worked well was one in which a sensible and resolute girl did actually cure a man of drinking by *not* marrying him—until he had broken off the habit and stood a probation of five years without a lapse. If more women would have the pluck and patience to take that course, there would be fewer drunkards' wives and families. And yet how many people encourage the notion that a man who won't stay sober in order to win a life will keep sober after he gets her! That was a sound, if homely, philosopher who said that he "didn't believe in usin' up gals for the salvation of fellers."—N. Y. Examiner.

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| Bennett, Mr | Inman, Miss Mary |
| Burke, Mrs Margaret | Johnson, Miss L L |
| Butler, Mrs | Johnson, Will |
| Burnton, Mrs | Kingman, Miss Susie |
| Burgess, Mr | Kelly, Miss Della |
| Burnett, Henry | Kreick, Miss Mettie |
| Bartes, Mrs V I | Kingsbury, G |
| Bolding, Samuel T | Kniffer, K B |
| Clark, Mrs Susie E | Meehan, Miss Mary |
| C O Y, | McFadden, M F |
| Carter, Miss Nannie | Meyers, Herman |
| Cullen, Miss Mary | Manson, Eliza |
| Conklin, Coley S | McCafferty, Bridget |
| Cuff, Mrs Louis | Neilson, C |
| Drake, Phœbe P | Oakley, Charles |
| Davenport, Wm | Pilkington, Mr |
| Dow, Mrs Susanna L | Randolph, E S |
| Dunn, Miss Marianna | Strant, Mrs George |
| Dunham, Miss Manda | Townley, Horace |
| Davis, A D | Tyler, Miss Cornelia |
| Davis, E F | Voorhees, Mrs Carrie |
| Griggs, Samuel | Wilson, Mrs S T |
| Garretson, Samuel | Wicks, Miss Sallie |
| Green, Wm E | Watkins, Miss Alice |
| Hughes, Mrs M | Wheeler, Miss Anna |
| Hartpence, John | Watkins, M |

Persons calling for the above, please say advertised. E. B. POPE, Postmaster.

### Arrival and Departure of Mails.

*NEW YORK MAILS.*
*Arrive*—7:30, 8 40, A. M., 12:15, 2:30, 5:20 P. M.
*Close*—7:30 and 9:20 A. M., 1:45, 5:30 and 8 P. M.

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*Arrive*—8:40 A. M., 2:40, 6:30 P. M.
*Close*—7:30 A. M., 4:30 P. M.

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*SUNDAY MAILS.*
Office open from 9:30 to 10:30 A. M.
Mail closes at 6:30 P. M.

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### DEATHS.

MYERS—At Colorado Springs, Friday morning, Sept. 19, 1890, Lucy P., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Myers.
Funeral Monday, Sept. 22, at Colorado Springs.

### WANTS AND OFFERS.

*Advertisements under this heading, one cent for each word each insertion.*

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WANTED—A girl for general housework. 35 Madison avenue. 9 18 2

75 CARPENTERS wanted at the Linden Race track, Elizabeth. Apply to John E. Pender, 31 Geneva street, Elizabeth, or at the race track after Monday, 22d. 9 18 3

WANTED—Girl for general housework. References required. Apply at number 226 Myrtle avenue, North Plainfield. 9 17 tf

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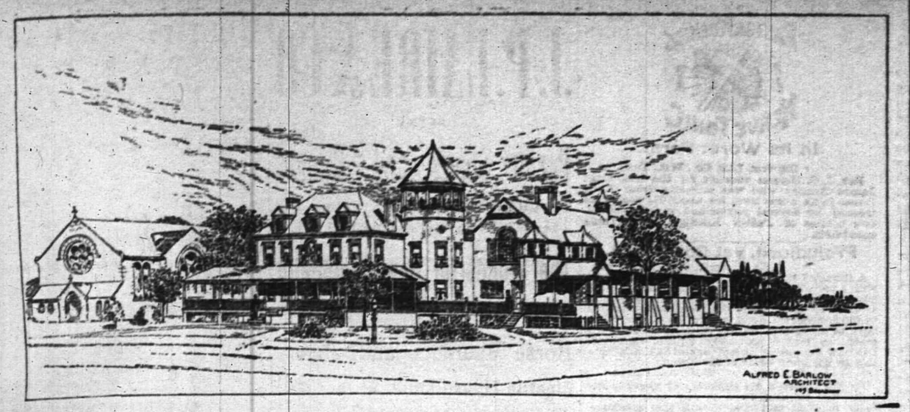


The Home of THE UNION COUNTY COUNTRY CLUB Now Building.

**Eventually No Club House Will Equal It.**

In addition to the complete and exclusive description already given in these columns of the rise, progress and intentions of the Union County Country Club, THE PRESS today presents a picture of the club's home and Casino as it will all appear when completed at the corner of West Seventh street and Arlington avenue. The work is rapidly progressing and the contractors have agreed to have the building ready for occupancy by November 1.

The building committee includes—Chairman Pliny Fisk, and Messrs Rowland Cox, D. C. Ivins, W. P. Smith, W. Bloodgood, H. M. Stockton and H. P. Talmage. To them is due much credit for the good taste of the building without and within. The architect Alfred E. Barlow, of New York, is renowned for the beauty and appropriateness of his work. The Berkeley Lyceum, N. Y. city, of which he is the architect, is one of the most admired buildings in that metropolis. To him is due also the praise so universally expressed, for the artistic remodeling of the Pliny Fisk residence on West Seventh street.

The exterior of the club house is described above by THE PRESS' artist. The description of its interior is as follows, written by Architect Barlow himself:

The purposes of this Club are to promote social intercourse among its members and to provide them with the conveniences of a club house and casino.

With this object in view the Governors have purchased the Arnold property, situated on the northwest corner of Seventh street and Arlington avenue, being 140 feet on the front and 288 feet deep.

Extending across the front and rear of the house are verandas 12 feet wide, the former being extended at an angle to provide ample carriage entrance.

The Reception Hall is 23 feet long by 15 feet wide, with heavy beam ceiling, with a large fireplace at west end. Beyond is the Reading Room, 15 feet square, which with rear veranda overlooks the tennis courts.

To the right on entering is the Parlor, 15 feet square, opening into the Dining Room, 19 by 15 feet. These rooms, with offices for service and staircase, constitute the ground floor. Above, on the second story, are to be found the billiard room, three card rooms, toilet, service room, and private dining and committee rooms, with large balcony in rear commanding the outdoor games.

Accommodation for servants is provided in the third story, and in the basement are the baths, toilet, coat room and ample store rooms and kitchen facilities. The buildings throughout will be heated by steam in the most approved manner. The decorative treatment is to be simple and appropriate.

Attached to the northeast angle of the club house and extending parallel with Arlington avenue, is the Casino. With the intent of a sufficiently convenient connection with the club house by temporary means when needed, no direct communication between the two has been provided, and the connecting lines are the open terrace on the front and covered veranda on the side.

The main entrance is by the Arlington avenue porch to foyer, 19 feet long by 9 feet wide, to Hall and to the ladies' room, 19 by 14 feet.

Over these rooms is a balcony, seating 200, communicating with second story of club house.

The Hall is 78 by 40 feet, provision being made at the north end for stage and dressing rooms. Total seating capacity will be about 900. The ceiling is semi-circular in outline, with especial reference to the best acoustic effects, and with the three easterly bay windows and large hooded fireplace at the south end, will doubtless afford for the higher class of entertainments, the quietly picturesque and comfortable room so long needed in Plainfield.

The Casino will be heated by steam and effectually ventilated in the best manner.

In the basement four of the best planned bowling alleys are to be built for the convenience of club members and their families.

In the angle formed by the junction of Club House and Casino are to be placed one double and two single tennis courts, with sufficient remaining space for croquet games. On the rear line of lot provisions will be made for ladies' dressing rooms and lockers, and for wagon sheds.

In the course of time other desirable features will be added as the resources of the association justify, and eventually no similar organization will possess a more completely equipped Club House and grounds.

John Chandler has the contract for the carpenter work, Isaac Pangborn the masonry, and A. M. Griffen the plumbing. Contracts for the steam heating and electric lighting are not yet awarded. Additional particulars of all this were published in THE PRESS of August 9.

The membership of the club is limited to 100. That number is almost filled. Besides the assembly balls and the club's own receptions, the Melopoia will give its musicales in the new Casino, and possibly the Monday Afternoon women will lease it for their lectures on art, social ethics, etc.

The Board of Governors consists of the following officers and members:

President—Harry G. Runkle.
Vice President—William Bloodgood.
Secretary—William T. Kaufman.
Treasurer—Pliny Fisk.
DeWitte Clinton Ivins, William Palmer Smith, W. B. Post, Charles E. Brooks, Henry P. Talmage, Harry M. Stockton, H. S. Mason, and Charles J. Fisk.

**How Jimmy McKee Got His Horse Back.**

Some days ago James McKee, the well-known trainer and driver of trotting horses, so long a resident of this city, sold his fast gray gelding John M. to a swell resident of Asbury Park at figures not far from $2,500.

The buyer posed as a rich fancier of trotting stock, and McKee unhesitatingly accepted a check on a New York city bank for the purchase money. The check was dishonored by the bank. McKee interviewed the buyer, who was profuse in apologies and explanations and promises. McKee secured a small payment and another check fortified by a chattel mortgage on the horse. The second check likewise failed to materialize in money. Thereupon McKee started into Jersey on a still hunt for his horse. He found it in a stable at Mount Holly, and pounced upon it by virtue of the chattel mortgage, and made a forced march with his property back to his stables at Goshen. Now "Jimmy" brags to his friends how nicely he worked his way out of a bad scrape.

**Dixons Tourists at the Amphion.**

The Company comprising Dixons Tourists, which appear at the new Amphion Theatre on next Monday evening for one week, are experienced people. The names of Carl Anderson, last season with the "Spider and Fly Co.;" Edwin Burt, of "Master and Man Co.;" Lawrence Vaughn, of "King of Knights Co.;" Eugene Adamson, of "Dark Secret Co.;" Genevieve Howard, of "Charlotte Thompson Co.;" Jessie Wallack, of "King of Knights Co.," are the leading members.

The pieces selected are well-known favorites; and the prices, within the reach of all. The opening piece will be the romantic Irish drama of "Kathleen"; on Tuesday, the ever welcome "East Lynne"; Wednesday evening, "Ticket of Leave Man"; Thursday, "Ten Nights In a Bar Room"; Friday, "Uncle Tom's Cabin"; Saturday matinee, "East Lynne"; Saturday evening, "Wild Rose." Popular prices will prevail—15, 25 and 35 cents.

**Our Bilious Neighbor.**

*(From the Westfield Standard.)*

The directors of the Westfield Athletic Club have decided not to play the Crescents again. A game could not be played until after the tennis tournament in October and it would necessitate keeping the base ball team in practice for two weeks or more and this could only be done by playing away from home which involves considerable expense and trouble and then perhaps the Crescents might back out again.

It was a delightful treat to the Westfield base ball cranks, who were at Somerville on the 13th, to see the West Ends play with the Crescents and finally win the game from them. It is our private opinion that the Crescents are not in it with Harkins and his ball-tossers when the latter players settle down to earnest work, and there was no occasion for the West Ends to hurt themselves last Saturday—that is sure.

**Attorney Ridley a Winner.**

Two cases came before Justice Hardy yesterday. Mrs. Pawson and Mrs. Fox, Grove street neighbors, had been calling each other names, and Mrs. Fox had Mrs. Pawson arrested. Mrs. Pawson was found guilty, but sentence was suspended, and all parties were sent home with a reprimand.

Strumenti and Blumenti, two Italians, sued George Walton, for whom they worked in a quarry, for wages. They secured judgment. John Ridley distinguished himself as counsel in both cases.

**Endorsed by the Metropolitan Press.**

The New York *Daily News* in speaking of the talented lecturer who will speak at Reform Hall, Monday evening, says:

Donald Downie, B. C. L., in his illustrated lecture on "Napoleon" at the Union Square Theatre last evening was instructive and entertaining, and held his audience from beginning to close. He held the scales well balanced, and summed up the career of the great man without prejudice or favor. The effort was scholarly and gives assurance that all of his lectures will be equally of interest. The colored views were very fine.

**A Home for the Boys' Club.**

The managers of the Boys' Club, have leased Central Hall, corner of North and Park avenues, and will take possession in about ten days. A public meeting will subsequently be held, and reports of the proposed work and expenditures will be given. About $1,500 has been raised.

## SUNDAY SERVICES.

Brief notices will be inserted under this head free of expense, but must be delivered at this office not later than eleven o'clock on Saturday morning to insure publication.

6 East Front street to-morrow evening. Lecture. Rev. H. Commencing 7:45.

E. L. Suffern will speak at the Memorial chapel at Washingtonville to-morrow evening.

Mrs. M. D. Tomlinson will lead the meeting to-night at the W. C, T. U. rooms at 7:45. All welcome.

At the W. C. T. U., rooms to-morrow afternoon at 4 o'clock Walter Wimans will lead the meeting. All are welcome.

The Rev. J. L. Hurlbut will occupy the pulpit of the First Baptist church, to-morrow morning and evening. Sunday school at 9:30 A. M.

The masses in St. Mary's church to-morrow will be at 8:30, 9:45 and 10:45 A. M. Vespers will be held at four o'clock in the afternoon.

Grace church to-morrow: early celebration at 7:30 A. M.; morning prayer, and sermon at 10:30. Even song at 4:30 P. M. Sunday school at 3. P. M.

The services at the church of the Heavenly Rest to-morrow, will be: Sunday school 10 o'clock: service and sermon by the rector at eleven o'clock.

First Unitarian church, Second place, to-morrow. The Rev. Hobart Clark, pastor, will preach. Services at 10:30 A. M., and 8 P. M. Sunday school at 11:45 A. M.

German Lutheran services at the W. C. T. U. rooms, No. 73 West Front street, to-morrow at 10:30 in the forenoon. Sermon by the Rev. W. Euchler, of Dunkirk, N. Y.

To-morrow's service in the German Reformed church on Craig Place North Plainfield, will be held at 10:30 A. M. only. None in the evening. Sunday school at 2:30 P. M.

Services will be held to-morrow, as usual, in the Trinity Reformed church at 10:30 A. M., and 7:45 P. M. The pastor, the Rev. Cornelius Schenck, will preach both morning and evening. A welcome to all.

The Saturday evening meeting of the W. C. T. U., will be led by Mrs. T. H. Tomlinson. Sunday morning Consecrative services at 9:15. 4 o'clock meeting to-morrow as usual. All in rooms 73 West Front street.

The Church of the Holy Cross, to-morrow, the Rev. T. Logan Murphy, rector. Early celebration of the Holy Communion at 8 A. M. Sunday school at 9:45 A. M. Morning prayer and sermon at 11 A. M. Vesper service at 5 P. M.

Reform Hall will be open to-morrow for meeting purposes, and the cordial welcome of all attenders, at the usual hours of 9:15 A. M., 4 and 7:45 P. M. In the evening two or more interesting platform addresses may be expected.

Milton A. Craft, who returns this month to the seminary at Alexandria, Virginia, will conduct the meeting at the Y. M. C. A., Sunday, at 4:15 P. M. Howard Case, of the Boy Choir of the Association, will sing a solo. All men welcome.

Methodist Episcopal church, the Rev. Chas. B. Mitchell, pastor. Sunday school at 10 A. M. Preaching by the pastor at 11 A. M. Epworth League at 7:15 P. M. Evening sermon at 8 P. M., to men, while others are not excluded. Men specially invited.

Warren Mission Sunday school to-morrow at 2.30 P. M. Praise service at 7:30 led by M. M. Dunham and regular evening service at 8 o'clock, at which Capt. Geo. D. Morrison will preside. Young People's meeting Tuesday evening at eight o'clock. All are invited.

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**To Bowl for a Medal Next Month.**

The Dunellen Bowling Club had a very fine game on the Dunellen court, Thursday, at which nearly all the members were present. Today the Middlesex club held a practice game preparatory to the contest for the medal, which will take place Saturday, Oct. 20.

—The most artistic printing ever seen in this city, is that gotten out by the Melopoia society in the way of circulars to associates, notices to members, etc.

## A WEAKNESS SOMEWHERE.

The investigation showed that this terribly fatal accident was caused by the weakened and overstrained condition of a single vital strand of the otherwise strong bridge.

So it often is in the human system. How many people there are who have a weakness somewhere. They appear to be in fair health, but they have malaria, a stomach trouble, a kidney or liver disease, a weakness in the back, a nervousness or trembling, strange sensations, depression of the mind, a sense of anxiety, accompanied by a weak, tired or languid feeling. Others become sleepless and wake more tired mornings than when they retired; their head feels dull and heavy, they have little or no appetite for breakfast, and their old-time energy and ambition appear to have deserted them. Thousands are troubled by indigestion, gas in the stomach, accompanied by a nervous and irritable condition.

These are all apparently slight weaknesses. A person may have, at first, only one or two of these symptoms; but they are to the body what the weakened strand is to the bridge, and any overstrain of the brain, nerves or physical system may precipitate the unfortunate person into utter mental, nervous or physical prostration and exhaustion.

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CORPORATION NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the report of Edward C. Mulford, Jeremiah Manning and Joseph A. Hubbard, the commissioners appointed by the Common Council of the city of Plainfield to make an estimate and assessment of the damages that any owner of land and real estate, with the appurtenances necessary to be taken for the purpose, will sustain by the extending, laying out and opening of Orchard place from its present termination to New street in said city, was on the day of the date hereof filed in the office of the subscriber, the city clerk of the said city of Plainfield, and is open to the inspection of the public, and will be presented to the Common Council at its next regular meeting on the sixth day of October, 1890.

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## A LIFE-LONG PRAYER.

A mother, tender, young and fair,
With gentle face and sweetest air,
Bent o'er the cradle where was laid
Her infant boy, and softly prayed:

"Our Father which art in Heaven, guide
Uphold, and keep, whate'er betide;
Hallowed Thy name be; Thou dost care,
And heed'st a mother's tearful prayer."

A child knelt by the mother's knee;
She taught the prayer to him; and he
Scarce knowing, repeated half in fun:
"Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done."

A mischief-loving urchin see,
By bed side on his bended knee,
He prays in careless, sleepy way:
"Give us our bread from day to day."

The head of youth with floating dreams,
To whom the world an Eden seems,
Now bows and asks God how to live,
And begs: "Our trespasses forgive."

And now behold a manly bow
And form and face; still asking how
His debtors to forgive, and that he
"Guarded from temptation be."

Then middle age with many cares,
The way beset with thorns and snares,
Raised a petition ere he slept:
"That he from evil might be kept."

Now comes an aged, trembling saint,
With all these earthly cares acquaint,
Calmly waiting his Heavenly dower:
"For Thine is the kingdom, glory, power."

The funeral bells are tolling to-day,
The good man has passed from earth away.
Over the coffin's tight-closed lid,
And over the form the rough box hid,

Was repeated and caught by the silent air,
The precious, pleading, sweet Lord's prayer,
And borne to Heaven with the spirit then,
Which entering cried: "Forever, Amen."
—Housekeeper.

## STORIES OF GOOD MEN.

**The Works of Great English Noblemen and Preachers.**

Real wisdom is always simple," says one, "and true greatness always humble."

A luminous illustration of this truth appears in the life of the Earl of Shaftesbury, recently given to the public. The biographer says that one night the Earl would be in his place at the House of Lords, making the walls ring with his appeals, and the next night at the vagrants' hiding-places, rousing the poor sleepers from their bed of rotten straw, filthy with vermin, and leading them to the Ragged Schools, there to sit by their side, and by loving counsel stir in them hopes and longings for a true life. To have seen him at St. Gile's Refuge, talking to ragged, barefoot, homeless boys, drawing from them frank confessions as to their vicious and criminal habits, kindling in them new hopes of an honest and industrious life, and planning how they might reach such a goal, was an impressive lesson. For many consecutive years he presided at the meetings of the Ragged School Union, and when, in 1860, he was presented with a testimonial, he replied that he would rather preside over the Ragged School Union than command armies or sway empires. The boot-blacks and donkey-drivers called him "our Earl." These donkey-drives, called costermongers, were a community by themselves, and interested him greatly. They were poor and improvident, and gave the best places in their houses to the donkey. Lord Shaftesbury saw that to reach them he, too, must become a coster. He purchased a donkey and cart, which he loaned to those who had none. In his communications he always signed himself, in addition to his royal title, Knight of the Garter, Coster! He was greatly beloved by the costers, who on one occasion presented him with a fine donkey. With all the grace of a courtier he arose, and with his arm around the donkey's neck, said: "I ask no epitaph beyond this—that with a patience as great and a resignation as unmurmuring as that of this donkey, I may do my duty." As the donkey was led from the stage, he turned to the reporters and begged them to state that the donkey having vacated the chair, his place was taken by Lord Shaftesbury.

When this English nobleman was on his way to receive military honors as Lord Lieutenant of his county, he stopped his carriage, and gave his place to a lame old woman hobbling along the road, while he mounted the box beside the coachman. It is said that it was no uncommon sight to see him walking along the worst streets of the city with pockets full of toys for poor children. At a humble flower-show, where a poor little girl had won a prize for the care of a tiny plant, he who was the greatest of illustrious men, and a Knight of England's most famous military order, stooped to kiss the wondering child, whose little life had never known caresses. When his bier stood in Westminster Abbey, there lay side by side on his coffin the flowers sent by a Crown Princess and by London's flower-girls.

Along this line an incident is told of England's greatest statesman. For many years an old man used to sweep the street-crossings near the Houses of Parliament in return for pennies given by passers-by. One day he was absent. Upon inquiry he was found by a missionary, ill in a little attic chamber, furnished only with cot and stool.

"You are lonely here," the missionary said. "Has any one called upon you?"

"O yes," he replied, "several persons have called—Mr. Gladstone for one. He called and read to me."

"Mr. Gladstone called? And what did he read?"

"He sat on the stool there, and read the Bible to me."

What a lesson! The greatest statesman in the world, sitting on a stool in an attic, reading the word of God to a street-sweeper!

Mr. John B. Gough used to describe a scene in which London's great preacher was the central figure.

"The best sermon I ever heard Mr. Spurgeon preach," says Mr. Gough, "was in the Boys' Orphanage. There was an infirmary connected with the orphanage, and in it was a dying boy. Mr. Spurgeon sat down by the little cot, and, in a voice full of tenderness, said to him:

"'My dear, you have a great many precious promises all around this room, and do you know you are not going to stay with us long? Do you love Jesus?'

"Yes."

"'Jesus loves you better than you love him, and He is going to take you to Himself. There will be no suffering there. Did you have a good night?"

"'No, sir; I coughed all night.'

"'Ah, my child, coughing all night and weary all day. Here, outside are the boys overflowing with health, and you coughing all night, weary all night—but Jesus loves you; and He is going to take you to Him, and then He will tell you all about it, and then you will be glad you waited here so patiently.'

"And without any formality he said:

"'Jesus, Master, this little child is coming; give him a warm grasp of Thy hand. Love him, and guide him through the dark waters. Lift him up as a mother lifts and comforts her child.'

"Turning to the boy, he said: 'Are you quite happy here? Nurse, can we not get something to please him? Something that will gratify him? My dear, would you not like to have a bird in a little cage? We will hang it up by the bedside, and in the morning you shall hear the bird sing. Good-bye. You will be in Heaven before I see you again.'

"In such simplicity as this," says Mr. Gough, "did Spurgeon preach the Gospel."—Jennie M. Bingham, in Golden Rule.

## EVERY MAN A KING.

**Be a Lover of Veracity and Make it the Guide of Your Life.**

The kingliest office ever held by one of human birth is that of witness-bearing to the truth. The man who is faithful in this comes nearest to the King of the nations. "Art thou a King, then?" asked the haughty Roman of One who had spoken of His kingdom. The answer is a study for a lifetime. "I am King. To this end was I born, and for this cause came I into the world, that I should bear witness unto the truth." The kingly office and witnessing to the truth are here held to be synonymous. There is a world of encouragement in this for every man of humble birth, of lowly estate, of scanty means. No matter how poor his home, how meager his fare, how circumscribed his influence, how desolate his lot, he may assume the royal prerogative and exercise the kingly functions. He need not have a throne, or a jeweled crown and glittering robes, nor even a scepter, but if he bears witness to the truth he has come to a regal estate. The question of the Roman: "What is truth?" was asked in contempt and was left unswered. But the witnesses all know enough of it to qualify them for their high calling. Every one who hears the voice of Him whose "kingdom is not of this world" is "of the truth," and all who follow Him in their testimony come into the royal likeness. The witness to the truth is not, as many seem to suppose, a partisan authorized to assume the reins of power, to collect armies, to enlist a host of followers and put them in martial array, to engage in sanguinary battles, to dominate wrong and error by the use of the gun, the sword and the bayonet, and to drive all forms of evil out of the world by a superior force skilled in strategy and the machinery of war. Truth is a reformer, truth is a liberator, truth is an elevator, truth is a purifier, but as an armed warrior it is utterly powerless before the defiant will of man. Those who go forth to war in its name may assail with keenest blades the victims of falsehood, but they will make no impression on the strongholds of error. Omnipotence itself can not lead an unwilling captive to embrace the truth. He stands intrenched beyond the utmost stretch of the mightiest power that would coerce his resisting choice. To witness for the truth, therefore, is not to engage after this fashion in a hostile assault upon the evil that is prevalent in human hearts and manifested in human life. This is the hardest lesson the world has yet to learn. It is so easy to denounce, to scourge, to assail with reproaches and bitter scorn, the follies, the heresies, the evil devices, the short-comings of those who cling to falsehood and error, that every champion of the truth is anxious to get up into the chariot with Jehu and imitate his exterminating zeal. We do not now refer to those who make their pronunciation of shibboleth the sole test of righteousness, and would slay with the sword of their vengeance, as the Gibeonites did, all who can not sound the letters after the same fashion. But the real friends of truth are far more prone to show their love of it by fighting for it than by witness-bearing. If it were an earthly monarchy this might be excused, as the first King said: "If my kingdom were of this world, then would my servants fight." The kingdom is "not from hence," and therefore it needs witnesses and not frantic zealots to war in its behalf with sword and spear. If we study the character of Him who came from a throne loftier than is found in any human court to bear witness to the truth, we can see in a concrete form the lesson which those who seek this kingly office must learn, each for himself, before he assays to practice in the high vocation. The witness must be a lover of the truth for its own sake, and make it the guide of his life.—N. Y. Journal of Commerce.

## CHOICE EXTRACTS.

—How can our love increase unless our loveliness increases also?—Thoreau.

—Through the wide world he only is alone who lives not for another.—Rogers.

—There is really nothing left to a genuine idle man, who possesses any considerable degree of vital power, but sin.—Timothy Titcomb.

—If we miss Heaven it will not be for lack of doing great things, but "inasmuch as ye did it not unto one of the least of these, my brethren."—Ram's Horn.

—Conscience flourishes best on continuous hard service, and should not be allowed to take a holiday for a single afternoon.—J. A. Macon.

—All things are literally better, lovelier and more beloved for the imperfections which have been Divinely appointed, that the law of human life may be Effort, and the law of human judgment, Mercy.—Christian at Work.

# ELECTRIC FITTINGS.

## Fine Work Done in Metal Fixtures for Electric Light.

**The Popularity of French Work—American Manufacturers Coming to the Front — Styles in Fittings — Rothschild's Celebrated Electrolier.**

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[Special Correspondence.]

With the progress of interior electric lighting and the gradual disappearance of gas illumination in theaters, hotels and private dwellings has come a new industry. It might almost be called an art, or at least an ally of an art; for it has engaged the attention of architects and has called forth some of the best efforts of artistic designers.

This new industry is the manufacture of electric light fixtures. Only two or three years ago it was in its infancy. To-day it has reached an importance almost as great as electric lighting itself, and has attracted millions in investment. The gas chandelier is daily receding to give place to the electrolier, and if the rate of progress of the last two years is maintained, the electrolier may be seen in the dwellings of persons of very moderate means.

It may be the climax in the advance which made the candle and the coal-oil lamp give way to the gas chandelier.

Until 1888 all the finer class of electric light fixtures was imported chiefly from France. American companies manufactured a class of plain goods which failed to satisfy the wealthy and were too costly for others. All this is changed now. The American architect

and the American artist have taken up the matter of interior electric lighting and the electric light fittings have become a part and parcel of architecture. The fittings are designed to suit the style of the architecture, and they cover many periods. Some of these are the Romanesque, the Renaissance (French and Italian), Louis XIV., Louis XV., Louis XVI., the Empire, Adams (English style), Colonial (American) and the nineteenth century revival of the Renaissance in the floral period. The materials in the fittings are chiefly wrought iron, brass and copper hammered.

Three or four million dollars are invested in the business. The American companies which used to manufacture goods inferior to the French article are now consolidated, and many of the best French designers are employed by them. It appears just now that the Americans are a little ahead of the French and English in this new art. But the American people are far from being convinced of this yet. The Vanderbilts and many other of the wealthy Fifth avenue families have imported electric light fittings and will have no others. But it seems to be only a matter of a few years more when American art and American enterprise




will have overcome French and English ascendency.

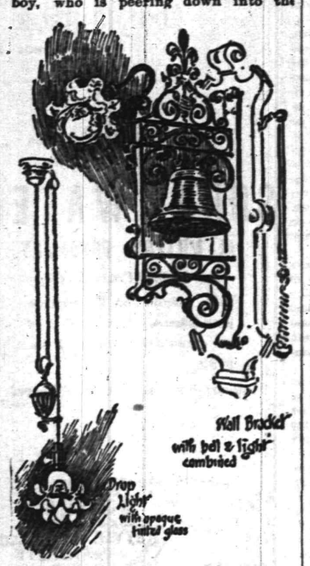
The fittings made to-day are as varied in style and far more artistic than the gas fixtures. They are considerably more costly, too. The costliest ever made was an electrolier, which now hangs in the drawing-room of James Rothschild, of London. It cost six thousand dollars. It is twenty-eight inches in diameter and about five feet high and is made of gilt bronze and rock crystal. The design is of the Louis XVI. period. Sixty-eight electric lights hang from the bronze leaves and the mellow diffusion of light is as remarkable as the beautiful design.

The cost of nearly all the finer fittings mount high up into the hundreds. One of the prettiest is a wrought-iron lamp with a dragon twisting himself

A COUPLE OF WROUGHT IRON FIXTURES.

around it and flames in the form of electric lights pouring from his mouth. There is one of these lamps in the residence of William C. Whitney, ex-Secretary of the Navy. Another is a cupid holding a lamp made of hammered copper. Ten of these are in Mr. Whitney's house.

A sample of Adams' style is seen in many fine residences: it is made of wrought iron. The chandelier, which contains four lamps, is held by a bronze boy, who is peering down into the




lights. The bracket lamps are mostly in the Louis XVI. style and are made to look as if they had been stored away for a hundred years and had just been taken from a dusty closet. The highest artistic efforts are spent on these brackets.

An immense electrolier was recently made in this city for a Roman Catholic church in Montreal. It has four hundred lights, is twelve feet high and sixty-seven feet wide. It is made principally of bronze and cost a number of thousands which the manufacturers do not care to name.

The same company, a few weeks ago, put up in the capitol at Austin, Tex., an electrolier fourteen feet high and eight feet in diameter. The lights are arranged to spell T-e-x-a-s and are in the form of a star, the "Lone Star of Texas."

One of the prettiest of the smaller fittings is a bronze fly from the mouth of which a light is pendant. These flies are placed at irregular intervals on the walls and make a curious and pretty ef-

fect. Cupids holding cut-glass balls, with drooping lamps of bronze and containing twenty-four lights, are among the finest of recent productions. One recently made for a Chicago millionaire cost four thousand dollars.

One of the latest fixtures designed and now in process of manufacture is a nine-light oak-leaf electrolier of pierced china with colored metal. It will adorn an up-town hotel.

To fit up a large private house in the latest styles of electric lighting costs from fifteen thousand to twenty thousand dollars, exclusive of the plant. Of course handsome fittings can be had for one-fourth of that amount, but those who want "the latest" have to pay extremely fancy prices.

Some of the finest fittings have lately been put into steamboats. The Puritan, of the Fall River line, has a thirteen-thousand-dollar set of lamps. The pillars in the grand saloon are adorned with floral hammered leaves, from which hundreds of lights jut out. The Pilgrim, of the same line, is to be fitted up in the same way.

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## ROCKY HELIGOLAND.

**The Little Island Ceded to Germany by the British Government.**

Heligoland, or the Holy Island, so called from having been a missionary station in early Middle Ages, which Lord Salisbury has agreed, subject to the consent of Parliament, to cede to Germany, is a little mass of rocks thirty-six miles from the mouth of the Elbe and 100 from Hamburg. Heligoland proper, throwing out of consideration the sand dune which extends it at a low tide, but which is cut off from it at high water, is little more than a mile in length, while its greatest breadth is but 1,845 feet. Its 2,000 inhabitants live on the summer boarders who resort to it for sea bathing. Though every inhabitant of the island is a British subject, they are to all intents and purposes Frieslanders or Germans. The only genuine English people are the members of the little administration that England keeps there, a Governor and a few subordinates. When the summer boarders go away, a great many of the islanders depart for Hamburg, where they pass the winter, taking with them the few cows that glean pasturage from the scant grass of the island, and which are kept to supply milk for the visiting British babies.

Heligoland came into England's possession in 1807, having previously belonged to the Danes, as one of the fiefs of the old Duke of Holstein. England took it by a force, and found it a very convenient place whence to smuggle goods into countries that Napoleon had terrorized into adherence to his "continental policy" of boycotting England. After the general peace England kept Heligoland, it being of some importance while Hanover retained its independence, and was regarded as in a measure under England's moral protection. England would not fight for Hanover in 1866 and Prussia made short work of it. Then conquering Prussia, after waiting a decorous time, asked for Heligoland, but England refused to give it up. Since then Germany has improved in the art of asking and English statesmen have made corresponding progress in yielding. Stanley says Germany knows how to ask, and he probably means that she knows when and whom to ask. At all events, in evening up African possessions, Germany and England have come to an agreement about Heligoland, too, and Germany gets it. The desire of the Germans to see Heligoland under the German flag is very natural. Americans would be restive if a foreign power held an island within thirty-six miles of New York harbor, or one commanding the mouth of the Mississippi, or threatening any one of our great commercial cities as Heligoland might menace Hamburg. Germany, once securely in possession of the rock of Heligoland, it will soon bristle with guns and be a formidable watcher over the entrance to the Elbe.

Some of the English papers say that now that the process of yielding has begun, possibly Lord Salisbury will heed the request of Spain for Gibraltar or of Italy for Malta. There is little danger that he will do so. Independent of the glorious traditions that make the rock of Gibraltar dear to Englishmen, there is another consideration that will govern Lord Salisbury—Spain is not a first-class power; and Italy is not as strong as the nation that has asked for Heligoland and has got it. Besides, Gibraltar, Malta and Cyprus command England's short cut to the East, and will not be given up. The least of them is a thousand times more important than the rock in the North Sea.—Boston Transcript.

## MEDIOCRITY IN PARIS.

**It Has Less Chance There Than Anywhere Else in the World.**

Paris is the chief receptacle of the veriest scum of the whole earth. All the villians who can no longer remain in their own countries, for they would have to pay the penalty of their misdeeds, come here destitute and desperate, ready for any uproar, hoping for some profit by fishing in troubled waters. With these, less dangerous at the outset, but finally corrupted to any degree, are the discontented provincials; men who, through the want of brains or want of energy or want of steadiness, have failed in all they have undertaken; who consider themselves persecuted geniuses, only to be appreciated in Paris, where they come with a large stock of delusions. Any real and striking talent will make its way in Paris, but mediocrity has less chance here than elsewhere. The standard is high, those who rise above it are quickly noticed and pushed on; those who remain below (of course the vast majority) can not even get an opportunity of showing what they might do—they are swallowed up in the vortex of the struggle for life.

Consciousness of mediocrity is a rare virtue; people always imagine that they excel in all that they undertake, and ascribe their defeat to any cause but the real one; the more so as they have probably possessed some superiority over their local surroundings. Hence bitterness, fury against all who have succeeded and who enjoy the fruits of their efforts. Then, the example, still more perniciously exciting, of the dishonest prosperity attained by so many, the luxury of swindlers, great gains by bad means. The last restraints of home principles—early education, perhaps the religious teaching of childhood—are broken through one by one, and we find men, not bad men originally, but now frenzied with the desire of holding a prominent position and enjoying the good things of this world. These are the men who become the gilded Generals of the Commune, wearing smart uniforms and imagining themselves heroes; who eat, drink and are merry; living in palaces and dreaming they are Princes, till when suddenly awakened to the stern reality, they turn into wild beasts, with the one surviving instinct of general destruction, that others may not have what they have not.—Murray's Magazine.

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| 4th do | 10.00 | | do | 10.17 | do |
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| 11th do | 5.45 | do | do | 6.07 | do |
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Leave Plainfield 3 37, 5 24, 5 38, 6 29, 6 59, 7 26 7 30, 7 56, 8, 8 15; 8 31, 8 37, 9 32, 10 05, 11 09, 11 39, A. M., 1, 1 41, 2 07, 2 30, 3 12, 3 51, 5 08, 5 31, 6 07, 6 54, 7 05, 8 31, 9 28, 10 12, 11 28 P. M. Sunday—3 37, 5 24, 8 01, 8 52, 11 02, 11 16 A. M., 12 33, 1 33, 3 39, 7 05, 7 10, 8 33, 8 52, 10 02 P. M.

Leave New York from foot of Liberty street, 4 30, 5 45, 7, 7 45, 8 45, 10, 11, A. M., 1, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4, 4 30, 5, 5 15, 5 30, 5 45, 6, 6 15, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 8, 9 00, 9 15, 10, 11 30 P. M., 12 15, night. Sundays—9, 9 30, 10, 10 30 A. M., 12 M., 1, 1 15, 4, 5 30, 6, 7, 9 00, 10 00 P. M., 12 15 night.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield 5 38, 6 29, 6 59, 7 30, 8, 8 37, 9 32, 10 05, 11 09, 11 39, A. M., 1, 2 07, 2 30, 3 12, 3 51, 5 08, 5 31, 6 07, 6 54, 7 05, 8 31, 10 12, 11 28 P. M. Sundays—8 01, 8 52, 11 02, 11 16, A. M., 12 33, 1 33, 3 30, 5 16, 7 01, 7 10, 8 33, 8 52, 10 02 P. M.

Leave Newark 7 10, 7 50, 8 55, 10 10, 11 05 A. M., 1 05, 1 35, 2 40, 3 40, 4 02, 4 37, 5 05, 5 30, 5 55, 6 25, 7 15, 7 35, 8 20, 9 35, 10 10, 11 25 P. M. Sunday—7 20, 8 40, 9 05, 9 50, A. M., 12 05, 1 10, 4 10, 5 40, 6 05, 7 05, 9 25, 10 20 P. M.

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Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7, 8 07, 9 42, 11 13 58 A. M., 1 59, 2 32, 3 45, 4 34, 5 20, 5 34, 6 20, 8 38, 7 03, 7 12, 7 34 8 20, 9 43, 11 13, 12 43 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 13, 9 48, A. M., 2 03, 5 14, 6 35, 10 15, 11 14 P. M.

Leave Somerville, 6, 6 30, 7 03, 7 25, 7 35, 7 48 9 05, 9 47, 11 15 A. M., 12 35, 1 15, 1 48, 2 05, 3 2 4 40, 5 12, 5 35, 8 05, 8 50, 11 05, P. M. Sunday—8 25, 10 35 A. M., 12 08, 105, 4 50, 6 40, 8 05, 9 05, 9 30 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7, 8 07, 9 42, A. M., 1 59, 4 34, 5 20, 6 38, 8 20 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 13 A. M., 2 03, 6 35 P. M.

Leave Easton 6 05, 8 44, 10 A. M., 12 22, 4 09, 6 46 P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 02, A. M., 6 40, 7 30 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 7, 9 42 A. M., 1 59, 5 20 P. M. Sunday—8 13 A. M.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

LEAVE PLAINFIELD.

5 45 A. M. for Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

7 A. M. for High Bridge Branch and Easton.

9 07 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 42 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Kantlecoke, Drifton, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c.

1 59 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, &c.

4 34 P. M. for D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

5 20 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Schooley's Mountain, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, &c.

6 20 P. M. for Flemington.

6 38 P. M. for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg.

8 20 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Wilkesbarre and Scranton, 9, 15 a. m. Sundays for High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, &c., 2 03 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua and Pottsville. 6 35 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m. 1 p. m.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c.

Leave Plainfield 3 37, 8, 11 09, a. m., 1, 3 51, 5 31, p. m. Sundays—(except Ocean Grove) 8 02, a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 8 38, 8, 10 05, 11 09 a. m., 1, 3 51, 5 31, 7 09 p. m. Sunday—8 02 a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8, 11 09 a. m., 1, 3 51, 5 31, p. m.

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Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia, 1 17, 5 45, 8 29, 9 48, 11 58* a. m., 1 59*, 3 22*, 4 08, 5 34*, 6 32*, 8 20 p. m. Sundays—1 15, 9 48, a. m., 3 30* 4 08, 6 14*, 6 55 p. m.

For Baltimore and Washington at 1 17, 9 48, 11 58*, a. m., 2 45, 4 08, 5 34* p. m. Sundays—1 17, 9 48 a. m., 2 47, 4 08, 5 14* p. m.

RETURNING—LEAVE PHILADELPHIA.

Ninth and Green streets, 7 30*, 8 00*, 9 30, 11 05 a. m., 12 45, 1 30, 3 15, 5 15, 6 15, 8 02, 8 45, 12 p. m Sundays—9 a. m., 12 50, 3 10, 5 18, 6 10, 8, 12 p. m.

From 24th and Chestnut—8 10, 8 20*, 11 08, a. m. 12 52, 3 20, 6 18, 8 05, p. m. Sundays—3 10, 8 35 a. m., 12 52, 3 20, 6 18, 8 05 p. m.

Leave Trenton, Warren and Tucker sts., 1 30, 4 00, 7*, 9*, 9*, 10 10, 11 55 a. m., 1 28, 2 10, 3 40*, 5 18, 5 55 6 59, 9 47, 10 p. m. Sundays—1 30, 4 00, 9 55 a. m. 1 28, 4, 5 55, 7, 9 47 p. m.

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## KILLED IN A WRECK

### A Chicago Excursion Train Run Down by an Express.

### TEN DEAD AND MANY INJURED.

Men, Women and Children Pinned Beneath Seats and Window Sashes.

A Mother and Daughter Horribly Mangled—The Engineer and Fireman Arrested—Removing the Injured in the Reading Wreck to Their Homes—Wreck on the Baltimore & Ohio.

CHICAGO, Sept. 22.—Shortly before 8 o'clock last evening a Burlington switch engine crashed into an Illinois Central excursion train at La Vergne, ten miles out of Chicago, both roads coming from that point into this city as far as Sixteenth street on the same track.

The police first stated that forty people had been killed, while the railroad officials insisted that there were but three fatalities. In half an hour after the wreckers reached the scene of the collision seven mangled bodies had been dragged from the heap of broken timbers and twisted iron in which the heavy switch engine was imbedded. Three other people were seriously injured and six slightly.

The excursion train was returning filled with passengers who had been spending the day in the country.

The Burlington trainmen assert that they passed Millard avenue, a short distance from the scene of the smashup, under a clear signal, and that the red lights on the rear of the passenger train were burning with extreme dimness.

The train in the collision consisted of fifteen cars, the three rear cars being telescoped by the force of the engine of the Downers' Grove express, which was running to make up ten minutes lost time before reaching the city limits.

**List of the Killed.**

Three of the killed were young men who have not been identified. The others are:

Otto Schloept, Lottie Dinnan, Martha Dinnan, Miss Pilgrim, Mrs. Brennan and daughter, and Mr. Nehman.

The wreck presented a fearful sight, the engine being piled on top of the rear coach, and men, women and children were seen to make their way from the windows and other means of escape, while others were pinned beneath seats and window sashes.

The number of injured is now estimated at fifteen, all of whom were taken to the hospital. It is believed that six of this number will die.

Engineer Dickinson, together with his fireman, who manned the Downer's Grove express, were arrested and locked up in the Central Police Station.

### THE READING HORROR.

All But Six of the Injured Removed to Their Homes.

READING, Pa., Sept. 22.—The persons injured in the wreck at Shoemakerville on the Reading Railroad who were transferred to the Reading hospital are being taken to their homes as rapidly as their condition will permit, and to-day there are only six remaining in the hospital. The damage to the tracks has been repaired and trains are running as usual. Those whose curiosity prompted them to visit the spot yesterday were rewarded by seeing the locomotive moved from its resting place in the river to a point near the bank, while the debris of the broken cars which had been dragged out of the water is still lying along the bank.

This afternoon the coroner will begin his inquest. It is not probable that anything new will be elicited. The disaster is regarded here as having been purely accidental.

The name of David Amgstadt, a barber of Mahanoy City, should be added to the list of the dead. This brings the number of victims up to 22.

**Killed in a Freight Wreck.**

CONNELLSVILLE, Pa., Sept. 22.—One of the biggest freight wrecks in the history of the Pittsburg division of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad happened about 2 a. m. at Benning's Station, twelve miles west of here. Engineer James Shields was killed and Fireman Harry Cyphers probably fatally injured. Three other train men were injured.

**The Cincinnati Club Sold.**

CINCINNATI, Sept. 21.—F. H. Brunell, secretary of the Players' League, has completed negotiations for the purchase of a half interest in the Cincinnati Baseball Club. He will to-morrow meet the owner of the other half interest and probably purchase.

**The King of Portugal a Sick Man.**

LONDON, Sept. 22.—King Charles of Portugal has suffered several sudden attacks of illness lately, and it is feared that he cannot permanently recover.

### ARTHUR COMMENDED.

The Brotherhood Praise Their Chief for His Action During the Central Strike.

NEW YORK, Sept. 22.—The grand union meeting of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, which is in the nature of a national convention, was held at Lyric Hall, in this city, yesterday.

Two sessions were held, both of which were addressed by Grand Chief Engineer Arthur. At the morning session 1,000 were present, and in the afternoon 1,350, and divisions were represented from Maine to California and Canada to Panama. Chief Arthur was received enthusiastically.

The following resolution was passed: "That it is the sentiment of this union that we approve the instruction given by our Grand Chief Engineer to the engineers during the late trouble and we have full confidence in his integrity. We also honor the engineers on the New York Central Railroad in following the instruction given by our Grand Chief and in keeping so close to the laws and rules of our Brotherhood."

### LAST DAYS AT CRESSON.

The President May Return to Washington on Wednesday.

CRESSON SPRINGS, Sept. 22.—Cresson is decidedly lonesome. President Harrison and members of his family were the only persons to be seen moving about the extensive grounds surrounding the Mountain House.

Mr. J. R. McKee, the President's son-in-law, has decided to take his family to Indianapolis to-morrow night. The party at the Park cottage will then consist of but four persons, the President and Mrs. Harrison, Mrs. Dimmick and Miss Sanger. The President does not expect to remain here but a few days longer, and may return to Washington on Wednesday morning.

**Reformers Combining.**

BOSTON, Sept. 22.—At an adjourned conference of Trade Unionists, Nationalists, Knights of Labor, Socialists and Single Tax advocates a report favoring the concentration of these interests to secure success in matters needing reform was adopted and ordered sent to the various reform organizations of the State inviting co-operation. The report concludes: "This is no mere partisan political movement, but seeks to unite all these heretofore divided forces on several measures to the end that they be made laws.

**The Sovereign Grand Lodge Adjourns.**

TOPEKA, Kan., Sept. 22.—The Sovereign Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F., concluded its business and adjourned to meet in St. Louis next September. Before adjourning, the new officers of the Sovereign Grand Lodge, both elective and appointive, were installed. Allen Jencks, of Rhode Island, was appointed assistant grand secretary, and A. C. Cable, of Ohio, grand marshall, J. W. Venable, of Kentucky, grand chieftain, E. A. Kelly, of Washington, grand messenger.

**Several Persons Stabbed.**

HARTFORD, Conn., Sept. 22.—A stabbing affray occurred on Charles street, this city, last night, in which Dominick Boscari was stabbed in the heart and instantly killed. Antonio Fagio was stabbed under the left armpit, and another Italian, whose name cannot be learned, was cut in the groin so that his bowels protruded. Josephi Newell was also cut in the neck, and has been arrested on suspicion of killing Roscari. Four other participants in the affray have been arrested.

**Died in the Pulpit.**

ALBION, N. Y., Sept. 22.—G. T. Cain, pastor of the Presbyterian Church of this place, went into the pulpit yesterday in his usual health and had proceeded through about half of his sermon when he paused and without warning fell to the floor. He never regained consciousness and expired in about ten minutes. Heart disease was given as the cause. He successively held charges at Erie, Pa., Philadelphia, Williamsport, Pa., and Mansfield, Ohio.

**Lay It to American Lobsters.**

BERLIN, Sept. 22.—Forty delegates of the Beekeepers' Congress now being held at Fulda have been stricken with typhoid fever and four of them are already dead. The doctors allege that the disease is to be traced to their eating canned American lobsters.

**Ex-Congressman Scott Very Ill.**

ERIE, Pa., Sept. 22.—William L. Scott is lying at his home in this city very ill. He came home from New York a month ago and has been confined to his house ever since. His ailment is of the stomach and bowels. While he is a very sick man, his family physician is hopeful. His family were called home two weeks ago.

**Assembly Nomination.**

MEDINA, N. Y., Sept. 22.—Henry J. Tanner, of Ridgway, was nominated by the Democrats for the Assembly for Orleans County.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—U. S. Gov't Report, Aug. 17, 1889.

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## IN CONGRESS TO-DAY

### Several Important Bills Before the Senate.

### TIME FOR ADJOURNMENT NEAR.

The Balance of the Session Bids Fair to Become Exciting.

The Langston-Venable Case to be Settled in the House—The Conference Report on the Tariff Bill Expected To-Morrow—To Be Disposed of Quickly and Sent to the President.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 22.—The Senate will continue to work on the unfinished programme outlined by the Republican caucus, and finish consideration of Senator Evarts' bill for the relief of the Supreme Court, which came up as unfinished business to-day. This and Senator Edmunds' private land claims court bill, which was laid aside temporarily last week, will probably engage the attention of the Senate most of the week, and the bill to transfer the revenue marine from the Treasury to the Navy department and the several labor bills next on the programme will be more than enough to keep the Senate busy during the entire week.

Conference reports on the General Deficiency bill and the Tariff bill, likely to come in by the middle of the week, may displace the labor bills until next week. The work of the Senate during the week, as the time for adjournment approaches, bids fair to become interesting if not exciting.

The Republicans in the House have determined that the Langston-Venable contested election case shall be put through and Mr. Langston seated before any other business comes before the House. They expected to accomplish this last week, but the absence of a quorum of Republican members prevented action.

A number of prominent members, both Republicans and Democrats, think that the conferees on the Tariff bill will be able to submit their report to-morrow, but less sanguine persons think that it will not be presented until Wednesday, and several members who are familiar with the progress being made by the conference committee think that the report will not be presented until next week. Should the report be presented this week it will be quickly disposed of, and the completed bill rushed to the President for his approval.

The General Deficiency bill, with the report of the Committee on Appropriations recommending the non-concurrence in the Senate amendments and the appointment of a conference committee, will probably be presented during the week.

### DILLON MAKES A SPEECH.

He Denounces the Goverment at a Nationalist Mass Meeting.

DUBLIN, Sept. 22.—The Nationalist mass meeting at Swineford passed off quietly. It had been expected that trouble would occur, and the authorities took precautions accordingly. There were 200 police and 150 soldiers on guard.

The gathering was a very large one in spite of rainy weather. John Dillon was the principal orator. He freely denounced the Government for its arbitrary persecution of the Nationalists, but was not interfered with by the police.

Patrick O'Brien, one of the arrested Nationalists, will return to Dublin Wednesday from Kingston. Several public meetings to protest against the Government's action are being organized. An important meeting of Irish leaders will be held to-morrow at the League's central offices in Dublin. The personnel of the American mission will then be decided upon.

Speculation is rife as to the result of the trial of Dillon and O'Brien. The universal opinion is that if they should be unlucky enough to be found guilty, they will, without doubt, receive a very heavy sentence, and in that case will not be able to fulfil their American engagements. But even in that event, the visit of the Nationalist party to the United States and Canada will not be given up, for it has already been stated that Mr. Charles Stewart Parnell himself will take their place, if his health will permit, as he attaches the greatest importance to the new movement for obtaining funds. He does not believe that it will be possible for Lord Salisbury's Government to remain in power much longer, and confidently expects that the general election will not be delayed beyond next summer.

**Great Swimming Feat.**

LONDON, Sept. 22.—Mr. T. C. Easton, honorary secretary of the Professional Swimming Association, commenced this morning a feat that has never before been attempted, a six days' swim in open water. He started from the Folly Bridge, Oxford, about 8 o'clock, and will swim eight hours a day for six days in the attempt to reach Teddington, a distance of ninety-two miles and two furlongs. Mr. Easton, who is 37 years of age, has during the last two seasons accomplished a number of notable performances in the way of long distance swimming.

**Young Robbers.**

HACKENSACK, N. J., Sept. 22.—William Dodge, who claims to be 18 years old but who looks older, and Frank Taylor, who gave his age as 16, are locked up in the county jail, on a charge of robbery. They were arrested for breaking into a railroad station, and are believed to have been connected with numerous robberies that have occurred near Hackensack recently.

### THE BELL BOY'S PLOT.

Cassin's Partner Turns State's Evidence and Tells About the Robbery.

NEW YORK, Sept. 22.—A striking story of cool criminal logic was told at the Jefferson Market Police Court during the examination of Henry Cassin and Oscar Matthews, the two bell boys of the Hotel Vendome arrested for stealing the $12,800 contained in the strong box of the bookmakers Carlin and Saunders.

Matthews turned State's evidence, and told how Cassin secured possession of the money. He said Cassin approached him several times with a plan to take the box from the safe. Cassin said he would be willing to serve ten years to have the money, which he could hide and use when his term expired, as the sum was more than he would be able to earn in that time. Cassin said he could easily get the box, as he knew the combination of the safe, but Matthews declares he refused to have anything to do with the scheme.

Cassin was held in $10,000 bail, and Matthews was sent to the House of Detention.

**WILL BATTLE TO-NIGHT.**

Great Excitement in London Over the McAuliffe-Slavin Fight.

LONDON, Sept. 22.—If nothing happens to interfere with the plans of the managers of the Ormonde Club it will be known all over the civilized world by to-morrow morning whether Joe McAuliffe or Frank Slavin is the better man.

It was specified in the articles of agreement that the fight should take place during the first week in October, but it is pretty certain that the affair will occur to-night.

McAuliffe is in the pink of condition, weighs 210 pounds and looks like a 2-year-old. Slavin is a stone lighter and is in perfect fix.

Betting on the McAuliffe-Slavin contest is 5 to 4 in favor of McAuliffe. Interest in the approaching event is at fever heat.

**Killed Himself in a Butcher Shop.**

BALTIMORE, Md., Sept. 22.—Timothy Corbett rushed into a butcher shop and grasping two large knives he plunged one into his body and with the other hacked at his throat until he severed the jugular vein. He then sank to the sidewalk dead. Corbett belonged to a good family and a cause for his act is not known. He was chatting pleasantly with his mother when he suddenly picked up a knife and jabbed it into his throat. The knife being dull and ineffective he dashed down the street into the butcher's store where he completed his self-destruction.

**The Bodies Cremated.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 22.—The bodies of the young German actress, Emilie Rossi, and her young artist lover, Gustave Koch, who committed suicide in a sensational manner on Thursday last, were cremated at Fresh Pond, L. I., yesterday afternoon. A number of friends of each of the dead accompanied the remains from their late residence in this city to the crematory, where short addresses were delivered by Manager Amberg and Mr. C. A. Frisse. No religious exercises were held.

**Miss Beecher's Body Found.**

HARTFORD, Conn., Sept. 22.—The body of Miss Ella Beecher, of Ballston, Saratoga County, N. Y., was found in the Farmington River last evening. Miss Beecher, who, with her mother and nurse have been spending the summer at Farmington, disappeared from her boarding house at noon on Friday, and it is presumed that she committed suicide through despondency, she having been in poor health. She was a member of one of the most prominent families in Ballston.

**Odd Fellows' National Encampment.**

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Sept. 22.—General Woodward with his staff came here from Albany, and after consultation with the committee in charge of the matter, arrangements were made to have the national encampment of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows held in this city during the second week of July next. It is said that at least 30,000 members will attend.

**LaBlanche Says He Will Fight Dempsey.**

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 22.—Ross Jackson, ex-president of the Occidental Athletic Club, is in receipt of a letter from Geo. LaBlanche, in which he says: "I intend to give Mr. Dempsey one more chance, and that very soon. I will meet him any place with the same gloves, or at least gloves similar to those we fought with last winter."

**Soldiers Protect a Prisoner.**

JACKSON Miss., Sept. 22.—Sheriff Brennan of Warren County telegraphed Gov. Stone from Vicksburg last night to order the volunteer soldiers to aid him in protecting a prisoner from violence. Gov. Stone responded ordering the soldiers to the sheriff. The prisoner threatened is Murray, the alleged train wrecker.

**Albany Bank Officials Indicted.**

BUFFALO, N. Y., Sept. 22.—The grand jury reported two indictments against George P. Whitney, of Albany, one for embezzling funds of the City Bank, one for false entries in bank books, and two against Anthony Gould, of Albany, one for aiding and abetting Whitney in embezzling, one for aiding Whitney in falsifying the entries.

**A Wealthy Man Commits Suicide.**

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., Sept. 22.—William D. Gilbert, nephew and heir apparent of T. D. Gilbert, the millionaire, and a wealthy man himself, committed suicide yesterday by putting a bullet through his head. Ill health is thought to have unbalanced his mind. He leaves a wife and three children.

## CONFLICTING VIEWS

### The Alleged Confession Bothering the Knights.

### IT MAY INJURE THE ORDER.

Master Workman Lee Denies that He Assisted the Wreckers.

Mr. Powderly Is Silent—A Member of the General Executive Board Says the Order Will Help the Road Prosecute the Fiends—Denials by Both Cordial and Kiernan.

NEW YORK, Sept. 22.—The authoritative statements frequently made recently that some of the men arrested for wrecking New York Central trains had confessed what share they had in the nefarious work in a measure prepared people for the details of those confessions which were made public yesterday. But they furnished the theme of conversation wherever Knights of Labor gathered together in this city.

The evidence implicating Master Workman Lee as an at least accessory after the fact aroused the keenest interest. While the Knights are loath to believe him guilty and will not believe him guilty on the mere testimony of the men who have confessed, the feeling is general that unless he meets the accusations promptly and squarely and disproves the allegations, the Knights will have to repudiate him.

**DISCREDITED BY A CHIEF.**

A Member of the General Executive Board Speaks for the Order.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 22.—General Master Workman Powderly of the Knights of Labor left the city before a reporter could get a talk with him about the confession of the three Knights of Labor implicating Master Workman Lee of D. A. 246 in the wreck on the New York Central Railroad. In his absence Mr. Wright of the General Executive Board spoke for the general officers of the order. He said:

"Until these confessions were published we believed that Reed, Cordial, Cain, Buett and Kiernan were innocent of the charges preferred against them. We intended to defend them, but since they swear that they took part in the wrecking of trains we will make a thorough investigation and lend every assistance to the authorities to bring the guilty party to justice."

"I cannot believe that Master Workman Lee had any knowledge of the guilt of these men. Their claim that he gave them money to leave the country with I do not credit. I know that Lee had very little money, and that the money that was given the Executive Committee of the district did not pass through his hands. The first instalment that was given the district was some days after the wreck, and it was a very small amount. It was given by General Secretary Hayes to the district treasurer. I have thought that perhaps these men had drawn the names of officials into this matter in the hope of discrediting the order. If that is their idea they will not succeed. The order will live, and the general officers will come out of this with clean skirts."

"What about the statement that men high in the councils of the order and who have the confidence of the general officers, had been hired as agents by the railroad company?"

"I do not believe that there is any truth in it. Every man who holds an important office is an old member of the order, and will remain loyal to it under all circumstances. I think that is merely another lie thrown out to hoodwink people. A day or two after the strike was ordered we knew that the Central was trying to get its agents into our locals in order that they might know what we were doing. To prevent this we issued an order that no new men should be mustered in the whole State for a certain period, and in that way I am quite sure we blocked their game."

"Did Mr. Powderly tell you what he thought of the affair before he left?"

"We had a short talk about the matter, but I cannot talk for Mr. Powderly.

**Cordial's and Kiernan's Denials.**

ALBANY, N. Y., Sept. 22.—John Kiernan said to-day that he had no idea his name was connected with any such attempts until the time of his arrest. He had received no intimation from any one that he had better leave town, nor had he received money from any source to defray the expenses of such a trip. He did not see Cain or Buett on either of the nights mentioned, when they claim he sought them and asked for their help to do the different "jobs."

John Cordial said the first intimation he had of his being suspected as one of the wreckers was when he was dragged out of his house in the early hours of the morning and told he was wanted for participation in the Castleton wrecking. He had never been told it would be wise for him to leave town. He had received no money in order to enable him to get out of town.

Mr. Cordial emphatically denied every allegation in the "confessions" which seek to connect him with the wrecking, even as regards having any knowledge beforehand of the intention of any one to place obstructions on the track. Kiernan had never approached him asking for his aid in trying to wreck a train.

**Master Workman Lee's Denial.**

ALBANY, N. Y., Sept. 22.—Master Workman E. J. Lee, of Division 246 denies the charge of having aided Cain or Buett with funds to escape. He also denies having any personal acquaintance with either of the above named parties. He denounces his connection with the crime as charged in the published statements as being utterly false.

### PENNANT WINNERS.

Kelly's Brotherhood Club and the Brooklyn League Team Hold the Lead.

NEW YORK, Sept. 22.—The fact that the championship is virtually over is not robbing the present series of baseball games in the West of any interest.

It looks now as though Brooklyn, Chicago and Boston would end the League season in the order mentioned, but the men of culture are far from the condition they were in on their previous western trips. The crippling of some of Boston's best players may just about enable the Philadelphias to take third place if Anson's men conclude in second. Cincinnati and New York will then become important factors only so far as their ability is exercised for upsetting the pennant aspirants.

In the Players' League Boston's margin is sufficient to carry it through. It will nevertheless make a great finish without taking any risks. Radbourne and Gumbert will do all the pitching and are in fine condition for the work. In the box Brooklyn and New York are not strong enough to overtake the leader. The Bostons well deserve the pennant, as from the beginning they were in the lead and have held that lofty position continually throughout the season with the exception of a few short periods.

The team is such as the Hub deserves to have. It is second to none as a baseball center in every respect. It has supported two clubs with fifty cent ball this season, and had not the League and Players' clashed in dates so often the profits of both would have been great. As it is they are ahead of expenses.

Ward is entitled to a good place in the race. He has displayed remarkable pluck and shrewd managerial powers in getting such fine work out of a disorganized team.

### BASEBALL GAMES.

**American Association.**

AT COLUMBUS—FIRST GAME:

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Columbus | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | —6 |
| Baltimore | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | x | —7 |

Batteries—Eaton and O'Connor; McMahon and Robinson.

SECOND GAME.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Columbus | 3 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | | | —7 |
| Baltimore | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 | | | —4 |

Game called at sixth inning on account of darkness.

Batteries—Gastright and O'Connor; Morrison and Tate.

AT LOUISVILLE—FIRST GAME.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Louisville | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 5 | 3 | x | —12 |
| Athletic | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | —4 |

Batteries—Goodal and Ryan; O'Neil and Daily.

SECOND GAME.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Louisville | 8 | 3 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | | | —16 |
| Athletic | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | | | —3 |

Game was called at the end of the seventh inning on account of darkness.

Batteries—Daily and Weckbecker; Striker and Daily.

AT ST. LOUIS—FIRST GAME.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| St. Louis | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 5 | 3 | —12 |
| Rochester | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —1 |

Batteries—Munyan and Stivetts; Mullen and McKeogh.

SECOND GAME.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| St. Louis | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 3 | —16 |
| Rochester | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —5 |

Game was forfeited in middle eighth inning 9 to 0 favor St. Louis.

Batteries—Munyan and Neal; Grimm and Titcomb.

**Standing of the Clubs.**

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

| | Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'ct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Brookl'n | 82 | 42 | .656 | Chicago | 77 | 51 | .602 |
| Boston | 74 | 49 | .602 | N. York | 57 | 64 | .471 |
| Philadel | 73 | 51 | .589 | Clev'land | 39 | 82 | .322 |
| Cincin'ti | 73 | 51 | .589 | Pitts'rg | 21 | 105 | .167 |

PLAYERS' LEAGUE.

| | Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'ct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Boston | 76 | 43 | .639 | Philadel | 65 | 57 | .533 |
| N. York | 69 | 51 | .575 | Pitts'rg | 54 | 64 | .458 |
| Brookl'n | 73 | 51 | .589 | Clev'land | 49 | 73 | .402 |
| Chicago | 69 | 60 | .535 | Buffalo | 33 | 89 | .270 |

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

| | Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'ct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Lou'v'le | 75 | 40 | .652 | Roch'st'r | 56 | 63 | .514 |
| St. Louis | 68 | 48 | .586 | Athletic | 56 | 58 | .491 |
| Col'mb's | 57 | 53 | .525 | Syracuse | 43 | 71 | .377 |
| Toledo | 56 | 58 | .491 | Baltim'e | 33 | 84 | .282 |

ATLANTIC ASSOCIATION.

| | Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'ct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| N. Hav'n | 78 | 32 | .709 | Harrish'g | 47 | 66 | .416 |
| Lebanon | 57 | 47 | .548 | Wilm'ton | 33 | 69 | .324 |
| Newark | 56 | 58 | .491 | | | | |

**Schedule of To-Day's Games.**

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Chicago vs. Brooklyn, at Chicago.
Cleveland vs. Boston, at Cleveland.
Cincinnati vs. Philadelphia, at Cincinnati.

PLAYERS' LEAGUE.

Pittsburg vs. New York, at Pittsburg.
Cleveland vs. Brooklyn, at Cleveland.
Chicago vs. Boston, at Chicago.
Buffalo vs. Philadelphia, at Buffalo.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

No games scheduled.

**Carnegie's Liverpool Speech.**

LONDON, Sept. 22.—Mr. Andrew Carnegie the Scotch-American iron-king, has partially made amends for his recent Dundee speech in which he offended the English people by denouncing their aristocracy. In an address at a banquet in Liverpool he took occasion to ridicule the notion that Great Britain was in danger of declining in wealth or power. He declared it a fallacy to suppose that if the United States adopted free trade they could sweep English trade from the face of the earth, as had been claimed by some recent writers, Great Britain's trade with America was bound to continue, and no hostile Government could lessen it.

**Stabbed by a Jealous Boarder.**

BOSTON, Mass., Sept. 22.—George W. Ogilvie fatally stabbed James Doherty at a house in Somerset street last night. Both were boarders in the house and it is believed that Ogilvie was jealous because Mrs. Westland, the keeper of the house, was going to marry Doherty. Ogilvie started a dispute with Doherty and without any apparent cause plunged a knife into his abdomen. Ogilvie was arrested.

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## BY THE WAY.

—Meeting this evening in parlor of Mrs. Poole's. All are invited. 7:45 o'clock.

—Mrs. Dr. Edwards, the clairvoyant, is still lying dangerously ill at the City Hotel. Dr. Paul is in attendance.

—Prof. Donald Downie will lecture at Reform Hall, to-night, on Napoleon, illustrated by calcium and stereoscope.

—Fire-bugs almost burned Patrick Connolly to death in his house on the Shunpike, Bound Brook, Saturday night.

—C. W. L. Martine is the chosen delegate to the Congressional Convention, and W. C. Stansbery, alternate, from Fanwood Township.

—This is the first day of Autumn, according to the almanacs, and the grumblers are finding fault because the autumnal dawn is so cloudy and cheerless.

—Tom Keefe, a messenger in the Western Union telegraph office, fell from an express wagon a few days ago, and fractured the wrist of his right arm. Drs. Fritts and Allis set it.

—Don't buy a Fall overcoat until you look at the styles, materials, trimming and prices of those handsome ones shown by A. C. Herton, the gentlemen's furnisher, 5 West Front street.

—The household furniture of R. R Fairchild will be sold at auction by H. Hand, at 29 Grandview avenue, North Plainfield, to-morrow morning, rain or shine, at eleven o'clock, as advertised in another column.

—The regular business meeting of the Hope chapel temperance club will be held in the chapel this evening at eight o'clock. All members are earnestly desired to be present, as business of importance will be discussed.

—A dog that appeared to be frothing at the mouth, ran through Richmond street this morning and scared all the school children and grown folks in his vicinity. Whether he was mad, and what became of him, is not known.

—The subject of the W. C. T. U., meeting to-morrow afternoon at the rooms, 73 West Front street, at 3 o'clock, will be "Better Day Reading." It will be in charge of Mrs. Fernald. A large attendance of members and others is earnestly desired.

—Gertrude Brown, one of the Pearl of Pekin company, was taken ill at Caspar's Hotel just before the time for her appearance in the play at Music Hall, last Wednesday evening. She was taken to her room where Dr. Hedges has since been attending her. This morning she was able to leave for Easton where she will join the Company.

—The regular weekly conference of Christian young men, will be held at the Y. M. C. A. rooms, this evening, at 8 o'clock. Experienced workers will, so far as they are able, answer questions which bear upon the Christian life, practical work, Bible study. These meetings are both interesting and highly instructive. All men welcome.

—Joseph A. Blatz will apply at the court at Somerville, to-morrow, for a license for his new hotel, corner of Somerset and Chatham streets. As Mr. Blatz intends closing his present place of business, corner of Green Brook road, and as he agrees further not to rent it to be used as a saloon or hotel, it is expected that the court will grant his application, notwithstanding it will be remonstrated against by a lengthy petition.

## PARTICULAR MENTION.

Mrs. Charles W. Opdyke, of Broadway, has returned from Europe

Mrs. Clinton VanVliet is very ill at her home on Prospect avenue.

The condition of Councilman Dunham is considered as very serious. There are fears of pneumonia setting in.

Ernest R. Ackerman, of West Seventh street, sailed for Europe on the steamer "City of New York," last week.

Geo. Watts formerly of this city but who for the past seven months has been preaching the gospel in the City of Brooklyn, has received and accepted a call from Troy, N. Y. He commences his labors today.

The Hon. John Ulrich of Plainfield, Vice Chancellor of the Knights of Pythias of New Jersey, has been enjoying life at Seabright, with Grand Chancellor DeWitt C. Bolton and Grand Keeper of Records and Seals, Leslie S. Messenger, of Paterson.

### Engineer Dunham Gets Less Than His Head Inspector.

The amount of money received by Engineer F. A. Dunham, up to and including the last warrant ordered drawn by the Board of Freeholders, is $10,603.72. The amount paid out by him in the same time according to vouchers passed upon by the Board, is $9,608.65. He has therefore received for his own services $995.07, which is even less than the pay of his head inspector who receives a salary of $1,000.

The misuse of a title in a recent interview with Mr. Dunham, has given cause for more unjust criticism. It is not true that he has a separate engineer for each of his contracts. He has an *inspector* for each, but only the three or four underengineers that are legally allowed.

For Sick or Bilious Headache, use Dr. Pierce's Pellets, or Anti-bilious Granules; Purely Vegetable and perfectly harmless. One a dose.

## GEISSENHAINER AGAINST KEAN.

**The Democratic and Republican Congressional Conventions Nominate Their Old Standard Bearers Again.**

(SPECIAL TO THE PRESS.)

ELIZABETH, Sept. 22.—Congressman Jacob Geissenhainer was renominated at the Democratic Congressional Convention here today, by acclamation.

Lewis F. Wadsworth of Plainfield was chosen permanent Chairman of the Convention. Prosecutor Wm. R. Wilson, of this city, and Vincent L. Frazee, of Plainfield, were appointed as Union county's representatives on the committee to notify the candidate of his selection.

(SPECIAL TO THE PRESS.)

FREEHOLD, Sept. 22—At the Third District Republican Congressional Convention, held here today, the Hon John Kean, Jr., was nominated by acclamation.

## TWO INTERESTING ADDRESSES.

**Mrs. Opdyke and Mr. Fountaine Speak on Temperance, and Gain New Signers to the Pledge.**

After devotional services conducted by Mr. Fountaine, and the usual choir singing under the leadership of Mr. Vanderbeek, President Harper in Reform Hall last evening introduced as the first speaker Mrs. George F. Opdyke, who in a most pleasing manner, and basing her remarks upon Scripture verses, urged greater individual and associated efforts to protect our homes from the desolation of liquor, and to save the boys and girls of our country by ordaining prohibition. Mrs. Opdyke narrated an instance of liquor drinking in this Christian city of Plainfield, a case coming under her own personal notice, and which showed the awful effects of the drink habit.

The next speaker was George H. Fountaine. His remarks were also founded upon the Bible, through the teachings of which he drew a comparison of our country at the present day, and declared that "woe to them who decree unrighteously" still existed as a penalty for wrong doing. Mr. Fountaine argued strongly against the liquor traffic and cited several instances of its committed ravages.

The pledge was offered by the President, and three young men came forward and signed it.

### Councilman Rushmore One of the New Trustees.

The first semi-annual meeting of the new Board of Officers of the New Jersey Division of the League of American Wheelmen was held at Plainfield, Thursday evening. The meeting was one of the most important held in years. Delegates were present from all parts of New Jersey, including Vice Consul H. E. Bendeck, of the Hudson County Wheelmen; Secretary-Treasurer George C. Pennell, Elizabeth Wheelmen; F. C. Gilbert Elizabeth Wheelmen; G. T. Thomlar, Hudson County Wheelmen; A. Dodd, Atlantic Wheelmen; S. Bennett, Bergen County Wheelmen; Townsend Rushmore, Plainfield Bicycle Club; F. L. C. Martin, Plainfield Bicycle Club; W. H. Stafford, Atlantic Wheelmen; W. S. Fulper, Orange Wanderers. A committee composed of Messrs G. T. Thomlar, G. C. Pennell and S. Bennett, was appointed to revise the State by-laws to conform with the constitutional rules and consider the allowing of the Secretary-Treasurer the sum of $100 per annum for his services rendered the division. In lieu of the much work done by him it is most likely the provision will be included in the revised rules, as is done in other divisions. It was decided to incorporate the organization under the title of the New Jersey Division of the League of American Wheelmen, with the following trustees: G. C. Brown, H. Benedict, G. H. Kane, B. O. Miller, L. C. Hunt, G. T. Thomlar, C. Todd, T. Rushmore, H. S. Fulper and G. C. Pennell.

A committee of four, consisting of T. N. Gray, G. H. Kane, A. Dodd and F. G. Weise were appointed to act as representatives to the National Assembly with the Consul, Vice Consul and Secretary-Treasurer.

### Somerville's Cause for Elation.

One of Somerville's leading citizens has written to President Reed of the Crescent League, asking if the West Ends may be allowed to bring a brass band with them next Saturday. If the Crescents will provide seats, the West Ends will bring a band and give the people a concert.

It must be confessed that the Somervillians have every reason for their elation. They had no right to the game, and did not expect it. The Crescents batted out ten bases, stole five, went to first twice on West End errors, and twice on balls. A total of 19 bases with only two runs.

On the other hand the West Ends only had six bases on hits and a base on balls four times, but did not steal one nor get to first on an error. A total of 10 bases, yet they got five runs.

—Subpœnas were served this morning on witnesses to appear in the libel suit of Shotwell vs. Rice.

When you have that tired feeling of exhaustion, and you have little ambition, your blood is thin and poor. There is nothing that will enrich your blood, bring back life and activity, like Hires' Root Beer. Nothing so nutritious and strengthening. Ask your druggist or grocer for a package. Makes five gallons, sparkling and delicious. Sold everywhere.

## CAUGHT WITH HER FAITHLESS LOVER.

**The Bliss and Romance of a June Elopement Faded—A Young Girl's Happiness Shattered for Life.**

Laura Robinson, the fifteen-year-old school-girl, who eloped last June with coachman William McQuay, a colored man twice her age, as told exclusively in THE PRESS at the time, has been found with her paramour in Boston, where for the past three months the two have been hiding.

When the elopers reached Boston, Mc Quay had not money enough to purchase a license and to pay the other necessary marriage expenses, and the ill-assorted lovers have had a hard time of it. The romantic glamour of the adventure was not lasting, and the fascination which held the girl spell-bound soon vanished. After the first fleeting days McQuay avoided even a reference to the marriage tie, and at last refused point-blank to consent to a wedding. As the full realization of her shame dawned on her, Laura sought to escape from her betrayer, but he menaced her into obedience, and would not let her leave his sight. The urgent need of money prompted Mc Quay to look for work, and after a bitter struggle succeeded in finding a place in a hotel. The proprietor of the house wrote, at McQuay's suggestion, to E. L. Finch, of Park avenue, Plainfield, where Mc Quay was formerly employed, for references. Mr. Finch at once communicated with the Robinson family, and Mrs. Robinson, Laura's mother, left for B ston last week. Saturday afternoon she telegraphed that she was with Laura and that McQuay was under arrest. Yesterday Mr. Robinson also went to Boston, to make arrangements to bring all the parties back to this city today. Laura is very penitent, and is glad to be received home again. She bewails her folly and her lover's treachery, and says that the happiness of her entire life-time has been blighted.

Since McQuay's perfidy came to light his record has been traced, and it is said that he is an escaped prisoner from the State Prison at Baltimore. Laura's elder sister, Emma, to whom McQuay was considered engaged, is reported as saying that she can never forgive William for his duplicity, and wants him punished to the full extent of the law.

Laura was one of Plainfield's most promising colored girls, the daughter of Mansfield Robinson of East Second street, and was an advanced pupil at the Stillman High School. It is probable that McQuay will be tried on various charges.

### Races at the Driving Park.

The following events occurred at the Gentlemen's Driving Park track Saturday:

First race—John Hayes's Andy, Charles Brower's Aala and Peter Osborn's Galatea. Andy won, time, 2:46 and 2:43½. Galatea second and Aala last.

Second race—Nate Robbins's Doctor and Peter Osborn's Magnetic. Doctor won in 2:56½ and 3:00.

Third race—Charles Brower's John C. and Woodbrook Farm's Colonel. John C. won, time 2:44¾ and 2:51¼.

Fourth race—M. Quinn's Kitty Pilot and Woodbrook Farm's Senator. Kitty Pilot won in 3:01 and 3:02. This race is between four-year-old colts owned by Mr. Quinn, Woodbrook Farm and Mr. Fosher, for the best time made until the season closes, for a suit of horse-clothes valued at $25. Kitty Pilot made the best time, so far, Saturday, when her record was 3:01; Senator two weeks ago scored 3:06.

### To Choose A Republican Nominee.

The Plainfield Republicans held their primaries Saturday night to elect delegates to the Third Congressional District Convention, which was held in Freehold this afternoon. The chairman and secretaries of the several meetings, together with the delegates appointed, were as follows:

First Ward—Chairman, J. B. Coward; Secretary, R. E. Coriell; Delegates, J. B. Coward, J. F. MacDonald, George W. Moore.

Second Ward—Chairman, Craig A. Marsh; Secretary, Bernard Gray; Delegates, John Ulrich, H. B. Newhall, Leander Lovell.

Third Ward—Chairman, F. A. Dunham; Secretary, Roger F. Murray; Delegates, John W. Murray, Jr., E. N. Erickson.

Fourth Ward—Chairman, Joseph B. Miller; Secretary—Jos. C. Randall; Delegates, J. B. Miller, W. W. Coriell, Wm. H. Hardy.

### Point-Lace and Orange Blossoms.

Isaac Schwed, of this city, was married to Miss Florence Frank, of New York, at five o'clock yesterday afternoon, in Victoria Hall, 641 Lexington avenue. The ceremony was performed by Dr. Jacobs, and was an impressive as well as joyful occasion.

The bride was attired in white faille, heavily trimmed with point-lace, and wore a veil and orange blossoms. The groom was *in full evening dress*, as were the other members of the bridal party.

The happy couple left today for a two weeks tip through Canada.

### The Crescents Have Their Hands Full Now.

*(From the Railway Advocate.)*

The Plainfield Crescents still decline to make a date with the Railways. We are informed that their friends give the excuse that they are afraid to come to Railway for fear they will be mobbed, etc., because there has been so much said in the papers about them. They need have no fear on that score. We are not barbarians. They would be received as gentlemen by gentleman.

## A MERRY WARFARE THREATENED.

**A Telephone Company Ready to Put Up Poles, and the People Ready to Chop 'Em Down.**

A lively telephone pole war is expected to agitate Plainfield and North Plainfield in the very near future. Men have been at work, the past few days, digging holes for poles on Plainfield avenue, Duer street, Craig place, Somerset street, and other thoroughfares, without the consent of the property-owners, and the citizens are beginning to get angry. The men are reported to be working for the new New Jersey Postal Telegraph Company, of which ex Councilman B. O. Bowers is a Director. This concern has, it is said, a State charter giving them the privilege to put up poles and run their wires through Plainfield, as well as other places, but the opinion is expressed that they ought to have the local Common Councils designate what throughfares they shall follow. Injunctions, law-suits and the chopping down of the offending poles as soon as they are erected may be confidently looked for

### Recent Real Estate Transfers.

The following deeds have just been recorded:

Betsey Frasee to Samuel Radin and Benj Clark, all of North Plainfield, lands in North Plainfield and Fanwood Townships.....$400

Samuel Radin and wife of North Plainfield, to Benjamin Clark, land in Fanwood and North Plainfield.....$300

—Doran will pitch for the Crescents again, in next Saturday's game. Jones will be given a trial meanwhile to see if he can hold him.

—Visitors from the Fanwood and Fireside Councils will be entertained at a chowder party in the banquet rooms of Plainfield Council, No. 711, Royal Arcanum, this evening.

### Sydney's Labor Trouble.

SYDNEY, N. S. W., Sept. 22.—The labor conference cabled John Burns at London, urging the English unions to prevent the engagement of foreign labor in England. It was also proposed that Cardinal Moran, the Chief Justice of Victoria and the Premier of Queensland be selected as arbitrators of the present labor disputes. The conference pledged the strikers to abide by the decision of such a board.

### Two Duels in France.

PARIS, Sept. 22.—M. Millevoye, a deputy, was wounded in a duel with a Paris journalist. Another indecisive duel was fought at Bordeaux between two journalists. Both affairs grew out of the Boulangist expose.

### Pumice Stone.

A mine of pumice stone exists on the Teneriffe peak, of which the working was only started in 1888. The stone is found in that part of the peak called the "Canadas," at about 2,000 feet above sea level, which has an area of some 6,000 hectares, out of the middle of which rises the highest part of the peak. The Russian Consul of St. Croix bought this property from the Spanish Government in consideration of an annual payment for the pumice stone working. The Russian Consul has associated himself with a Belgian, and they, under the firm styled Aguilar & Valcke, commenced operations in 1888, but it was only last year exportation was really started. At the Paris Exposition, the Consul-General states that this stone obtained a silver medal, and in view of the requirements of England, France and America, he believes it will develop a trade of great importance before many years. So far, the Lipari Islands have practically furnished the world's supply of this product, exporting about 100,000 tons per annum. The Teneriffe stone being recognized as of excellent quality, and its extraction being a much more simple matter than in the Lipari Islands, it follows that the price is much less.—Scientific American.

### The Manufacture of Celluloid.

The manner in which celluloid is made in France is as follows: A huge roll of paper is unwound slowly, and while unwinding is saturated with a mixture of five parts of sulphuric and two parts of nitric acid, which is carefully sprayed upon the paper. The effect of this bath is to change the cellulose in the paper into pyroxyline. The next process is the expelling of the excess of acid in the paper by pressure and its washing with plenty of water. It is then reduced to a pulp and bleached, after which it is strained, and then mixed with twenty to forty per cent. of its weight in water. Then follows another mixing and grinding, after which the pulp is spread in thin sheets, which are put under enormous hydraulic pressure and squeezed until it is as dry as tinder. Those sheets are then put between heated rollers and come out in quite elastic strips, which are worked up into the various forms in which celluloid is made.—Scientific American.

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## HERE ENDETH THE SECOND LESSON.

**Though the Women of the Tribe of the Crescents Were Present in Great Numbers, and in the Beginning Waxed Proud and Cheered With a Mighty Noise, Yet the Maidens of Somerville Who Were but Few Yelled Last and Yelled Longest.**

1. And it cometh to pass that there was much excitement within the camps of the warriors even before the dawn of the day when they would meet again in battle.

2. And he that was called Chuck, and he that was called Tee Kay, traveled into a far off country and there found one with a south paw who for much silver promised to lead the Crescents forth to victory. And there was much rejoicing among them thereat.

3. But in the camp of the enemy there was lamentation. For during the night, he that holdeth down the base so many seek in vain, had gone forth to don the mask and the mammoth mitten of the tribe of the Crescents. And though he, the son of O'Rourke, had been once called Tommy by his brethren of the West Ends, henceforth they nameth him Dennis.

4. And when the day cometh that the two tribes meet again upon the field, verily a great crowd of people had assembled. The hosts of the Crescents gathered in mighty numbers, yea in hundreds and thousands. And the aged were there, and the priests of the synagogue, and the youth of all kinds.

5. And the noise that went up was a mighty noise when the tribe of the Crescents saw what looketh like victory. For of those who had assembled but few cometh from the far off country of the West Ends. Yet though they were few, in the end they getteth there with all their feet and they cheereth yet, while the Crescent hosts are silent.

6. As the battle progresseth it was seen that although the Crescents hitteth the ball and getteth the most bases, yet were they like unto children in running them. The battle was often there's, yet they giveth it up. The Chiefs of the tribe banished not he who is called sometime Wiegand but most times Slow Freight. Yet out the hands and feet of him came forth defeat.

7. At one time he of the south paw who was called Doran, throweth the ball into the hands of he on the first base, but he droppeth it; and thereupon he of the enemy who playeth so well, called Al, sneaketh to third base and anon cometh home.

8. And again Doran throweth the ball to Wiegand, and again he droppeth it, and again one of the enemy stealeth a base.

9. But when it cometh to pass that twice he reacheth the end of the journey to home, twice he getteth touched out because he knoweth not how to save himself. Neither knoweth he how to save others; and in that inning called the fourth when there is no man out, and he that knocketh the ball over the fence, who is called McIndoe, maketh a two-bagger, and the bases are full with a mighty Lever at the bat, then it cometh to pass that the slow freight side-tracketh them all. Not content that he getteth himself out, he chaseth the others back from their bases and dumpeth the victory right there.

10. Verily those who longeth for victory, and those who staketh their silver and gold nigh unto all they possesseth upon the warriors who weareth upon their breasts the crescent embroidered by the women of their tribe, wax wroth and curseth him of the chief of the tribe whom they say keepeth this man on purposely to cast out victory. They sayeth that Jones should have been in his stead, and they cry aloud take him away, and that he is a wagon of ice, and a cart of coal.

11. So when the eight inning cometh, the tribe of the Crescents had not the four runs that would have been made had he who was thus derided sat upon the bench instead of he who is called Freddie the son of Jones. Therefore they were but one ahead of the enemy and had cause to tremble. For there was a West Ends on every base, and the mighty Gore from the league of the great Metropolis, with his name in his eye, stepped forth to meet the sling shots of the wizard Doran.

12. Then the scribes of the country of Somerville, from whence cometh the West Ends, spoke forth and they said unto him who is called Tee Kay—which being translated meaneth, the boss manager of the boss team—"What thinkest thou?" And he answered and said: "I liketh it not." Then verily as he speaketh, the New Yorker sticketh forth the bat, and the ball smiteth it, and they whom the fair woman call Bergy and Carby, cometh home. Then another of the enemy adds one more to the victory when the ball is thrown in past the catcher, and Gore cometh in on a wild pitch.

13. Thus ended the second lesson. The victory is not to him who batteth the best or getteth the base oftener, but to him who knoweth what to do when he gets there. Selah!

The score:

CRESCENT LEAGUE.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Luftberg, 2b | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 |
| O'Rourke, c | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 9 | 1 | 1 |
| Martin, ss | 4 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| Wiegand, 1b | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 9 | 0 | 2 |
| McIndoe, lf | 3 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Doran, p | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 |
| Lever, cf | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Hatfield, rf | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Lee, 3b | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| | 32 | 2 | 8 | 5 | 3 | 6 | 24 | 8 | 4 |

WEST ENDS.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Carbonell, cf | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| Farrell, 2b | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 0 |
| Gore, lf | 3 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Harkins, p | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 0 |
| Williams, 3b | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 5 | 2 | 1 |
| Riley, ss | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 3 |
| Galligan, rf | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Bowes, c | 3 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 7 | 1 | 0 |
| Bergen, 1b | 3 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 9 | 0 | 1 |
| | 29 | 5 | 6 | 0 | 9 | 3 | 27 | 11 | 5 |

SCORE BY INNINGS.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Crescents | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | —2 |
| West Ends | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | —5 |

First base on Errors—Crescents, 2. Base on balls—Crescents, 2; West Ends, 4. Hit by ball—McIndoe. Two-base hits—McIndoe (2), Gore. Double plays—Farrell to Bergen. Passed balls—O'Rourke, (2). Bowes, (3). Wild pitch—Doran, Harkins. Flies caught—By Crescents, 6; by West Ends, 10. Umpire—Mr. Quinn. Time of game—1:55. Attendance, 2,160.

The above score shows what a hard game it was to lose, and how much reason the West Ends had to yell over their victory. Those who staid in Plainfield for supper, hired a colored fifer and drummers, bought all the brooms in town, and headed by Carbonell marched to the station.

The Crescents had eight safe hits with a total of ten bases, and stole five more. The West Ends had only five hits and could not steal a base. Yet the Crescents were badly coached from third home, and in a general way ran the bases like school boys. There were more Crescents put out on the other bases, than on first. Four of the Crescents were put out between third base and the home plate, and six were left on bases.

Doran pitched the greatest game most of those present had ever witnessed. He struck out Harkins, Williams and Galligan twice each, and also struck out George Gore, the New York League's celebrated hitter, Farrell and Bowes. He even puzzled Quinn, who gave Farrell his base on balls in the eighth, when in fact four strikes were pitched.

## THE GILA MONSTER'S DEADLY BITE.

**Walter Vail's Own Story of His Miraculous Recovery.**

A few months ago, the news that Walter L. Vail, a cattle dealer, from Plainfield, and son of Mahlon Vail of Park avenue, had been bitten by a gila monster in Arizona, and miraculously survived the accident, was exclusively published in THE PRESS, subsequently telegraphed all over the country, and much discussed at the time. Mr. Vail has just been interviewed at San Francisco by a reporter of *The Chronicle*, who describes him as a middle-aged man with every appearance of a tried frontiersman with iron nerves and indomitable courage.

"Yes, I guess I am about the only man who had such an experience with the gila monster who has lived to tell the tale," said Mr. Vail, when asked to tell his story.

"Some months ago," said he, "I was riding on horseback over a cattle range about twenty-three miles from Panetella Station, in Arizona, in company with three other gentlemen, when I saw one of these ugly looking monsters crawling along. I dismounted, determined to kill the brute, and clubbed it over the head with a stick until I was convinced that life must have become extinct. I then tied it with a string to my saddle and rode on. Pretty soon I wanted to make sure that the string had not broken and that the monster was still where I had tied him, and for that purpose reached back to feel for him. I became at once convienced that he was there, for he was still alive and took hold of one of my fingers with his jaws. Of course, having lived many years on the frontier, I knew well that the bite of a gila monster was considered deadly, and to tell the truth was badly frightened. I called my companions, and when they learned what had happened they were even more frightened than I was. All that time the hideous brute held on to my finger, and it took fully three minutes before we could pry his jaws open with a wedge so that I became liberated.

"One in the party tied a string around my finger and another around my wrist to stop the circulation of the poisoned blood, and I took a big swallow of whiskey, not as an antidote, but as a stimulant. Everybody in the party expected to see me die right there, but I made up my mind to live, if possible. I mounted my horse and started on a twenty-three mile ride to Panetella Station, and I tell you it was a ride for life. I made those twenty-three miles in just one hour and twenty-five minutes. By the time I reached Panetella my back and my legs began to pain. I felt like a man who was under the influence of a strong current of electricity, and suffered greatly. An engine for which I had telegraphed on my arrival arrived at the station about an hour after I had reached it, and I was conveyed to Tuscon, a distance of twenty-eight miles. Medical science saved my life, but not until I had passed through ten days of intense suffering."

Mr. Vail stated that he had received communications from all over the world since the publication of his adventure, and that scientists, specialists, and physicians have repeatedly requested full particulars of his case.

### No Doubt of Fowler's Re-Election.

*(From the New York Times.)*

Fowler, the Democratic Congressman in the Fourth District—Hunterdon, Warren, Sussex and Somerset—has been renominated. The Republicans have placed Editor Goodman in the field against him. There are no signs of the bitter personal contest that marked Fowler's first canvass being renewed, and he will doubtless be re-elected without much trouble.

# TEMPERANCE NOTES.

## OF NO EARTHLY USE.

**The Action of Alcohol is That of a Disturber and a Destroyer.**

True science is the voice of nature. What nature says must be right. If alcohol is really a poison, nature will not alter her laws because we are ignorant or prejudiced, and regard it as a food. What does nature say as to the relation of alcohol to the human body?

Food is required to supply two great wants of the body. The first great want of the body is material for its structure; the second is fuel to maintain its temperature. The simplest action we can perform, even a thought passing through the mind, occasions the wearing away of some tissue of the body. The body is being constantly worn down and must be constantly built up. This process can go on only when the body is kept at its natural temperature of about 98 degrees. Nature supplies the two wants by providing two kinds of food. The one kind is called nitrogenous, and supplies all the substances of which the body is composed. The other kind is called non-nitrogenous or respiratory foods, which are burnt up in the body to maintain its temperature. The egg is a type of all the food in nature. The white, or albumen, is the material for building; the yelk is the fuel for warmth. The body has one other want. It requires a solvent by which the food can be liquefied and carried to every part of the body. For this purpose nature supplies but one fluid, and that is water.

Now, nature having supplied these two kinds of food for the two great wants how can they be made available for the body's use? The answer is: "They must all be converted into blood." No food can be used in the body, either for building up its structure or maintaining its temperature until it has been converted into blood. Bearing this fact in mind, we shall be prepared to judge whether alcohol can be of use in sustaining the human body.

Carbonate of lime and chloride of sodium (common salt) are constituent parts of the blood, and become part of the substance of the body. They are, therefore, foods. Arsenic is not a constituent of the blood, and can never become part of the body. Therefore it is not food. Alcohol is just as truly as arsenic a foreign substance which can never be changed into blood nor become part of the body. In support of this the highest medical authorities may be quoted:

Dr. Edward Smith, F. R. S., England: "Alcohol is not true food, and it neither warms nor sustains the body by the elements of which it is composed."

Liebig: "Beer, wine, spirits, etc., furnish no element capable of entering into the composition of the blood, muscular fiber or any part which is the seat of vital principle."

Dr. T. K. Chambers: "It is clear that we must cease to regard alcohol as in any sense an element, inasmuch as it goes out as it goes in, and does not, so far as we know, leave any of its substance behind it."

Many such testimonies from high scientific authorities may be quoted to prove that alcohol is a substance entirely foreign to the human body, and can never become a constituent part of it. Therefore, the idea of nourishing or building up the body with alcohol is a pure delusion. Various parts of the body require starch, sugar, lime or iron, but no part ever requires alcohol. To dream of building up the body with alcohol is as irrational as to attempt to build a brick house with smoke. A further revelation of science, the result of most careful observation and experiment, is the following: *The action of alcohol in the human system is invariably that of a disturber and a destroyer.*

There is no part of the body that it does not injure. It influences every membrane, it irritates every tissue, and deadens every nerve. It also affects the chemical composition of the blood and other fluids—a most serious matter. It precipitates the pepsin of the gastric juice, and it injures the corpuscles in the blood. Unlike food, which builds up, alcohol always pulls down. It burns and destroys every structure with which it comes in contact. It also interferes with the healthy performance of every function, its presence everywhere in the body causing excitement, and necessitating extra work in every organ for its expulsion. It passes out of the system as it went in; but its passage through the system calls for increased action of the heart and other organs, and this increased action to expel the poison is fatally mistaken for increased strength.

While it irritates and destroys, alcohol also prevents the creation of new blood and the proper assimilation of food. It also retains in the system the waste matter that nature would expel, thus preventing those changes on which the health and life of the body depend.

In support of every one of these statements the opinions of the highest medical and scientific authorities may be quoted. Let me briefly present the contrast which science establishes between food and alcohol.

Food is changed into blood and used to build up the body; alcohol never is. Foods such as oils and sugars warm the body; alcohol never does. For the circulation by which the prepared food is carried to every part of the system, water is absolutely necessary; alcohol for this purpose is not only injurious but positively fatal. Healthy elimination of effete matter is promoted by exercise; it is retarded by alcohol. And alcohol never restores, like rest or sleep. On entering the stomach it undergoes none of the processes to which food is subjected, but flies immediately to the nervous centers and the brain, and by deadening the nervous sensations induces those delusive feelings of warmth and strength that are really lessened sensations of cold and fatigue.

The supposed beneficial results of alcohol are matters of guess-work. That it is a substance foreign to the human body, and always acts as a disturber and a destroyer, are matters of scientific demonstration.—S. Brazier, in Golden Rule.

## A STRONG COMBINATION.

**Church and School Hand in Hand in the Temperance Cause.**

It is safe to assert that the churches ought to rise to the Temperance level of the public schools. Mandatory instruction in the schools of twenty-seven States and all the Territories of the American Union has recently set up in the name of science a new, unassailable and alluring standard. Below that standard the voluntary Temperance inculcations, directly or indirectly given by the precept and example of the churches, ought not to be allowed to fall. This does not necessarily mean that the churches should devote as much time as the schools do to scientific Temperance instruction, nor that they should employ the methods of the schools. But it does mean that they should not be satisfied with inferior results. The standard enforced by voluntary Christian action in the religious training of the family in the matter of Temperance, ought not to be lower than the standard made mandatory by public law in their secular training. This principle of reform in the relation of the churches to the Temperance cause is as fair and safe as it is comprehensive and radical. It means that the Sunday-schools should be taught as sound Temperance doctrine as the secular schools. It means that preachers should all lift their precept and example in the pulpit and parlor to the level which secular teachers are now required to attain at the school desk. It means that the church members everywhere should rise to the Temperance level of compulsory instruction in the common schools.

What is the level? The mandatory Temperance instruction now given in the public schools requires everywhere total abstinence from all narcotics; that is, from both alcohol and tobacco. A majority of the future citizens of the Nation are now in schools which teach total abstinence. Such instruction is mandatory in all the schools, naval and military, as well as Territorial, now under the care of our Federal Government. It has been necessary to achieve a great victory over apathetic, corrupt or hostile State Legislatures in order to secure this advanced Temperance instruction by authority of public law. It has been necessary to achieve a greater victory over the foremost publishers of text-books to induce them to issue sound Temperance doctrines in volumes on physiology and hygiene. Both these victories, by the blessing of Heaven on the labors of Mrs. Hunt and her assistants in the Woman's National Christian Temperance Union, have been achieved, and so a new era dawns. Great publishing houses, such as the Appletons, A. S. Barnes & Co., Ivison, Blakeman & Co. and Van Antwerp, Bragg & Co., or such as the syndicate of text-book publishers lately organized, now issue approved Temperance text-books all keyed up to the level of total abstinence.

If standard and approved Temperance text-books are used, nothing less than total abstinence can be taught in the secular schools. It is highly important that a school-teacher should bring his personal example up to the level of his official precept, but in twenty-seven States and Territories of the American Union every teacher must now bring his official precept up to the level of total abstinence. If a teacher should be a total abstainer, then, for yet stronger reasons, every preacher should be, and every church member.

As to the methods by which the Temperance instruction of the young is to be brought up in the churches to at least the level it has attained in the schools, each church must of course decide for itself. I venture to suggest only that by pulpit hints or by special addresses or lectures, by Sabbath-school instruction, by the use of pledges, and by the circulation of sound Temperance literature, and especially by personal example, the standard of total abstinence should be everywhere reached in the churches. Mr. Spurgeon was many years a wine-drinker, but now he says: "More men have been killed by grape-juice than by grape-shot."

The new, approved Temperance text-books, which are now molding the secular schools of the Nation, ought to be in all Sunday-school libraries. Once a month at least, instruction in harmony with these standard books should in some way be effectually given in all Sunday-schools. Lift the youth, the adult membership and all the preachers of our churches to the level of total abstinence, which is now the level, not only of the secular schools, but even of the life assurance societies, and immense results must sooner or later follow. The new heights and uplands of scientific Temperance instruction and religious precept and example will form a vast water-shed, down which will flow new rivers of Temperance sentiment with resistless currents and unflinching cataracts that will cleanse the land.—Joseph Cook, in Chicago Advance.

### Ruin of a Poor-House.

"Eli Perkins," who was lately making observations in Iowa, was "interviewed" as he was passing through Sioux City. He had been at Ackley the day before for the first time in nine years. Nine years ago it had seventeen saloons, and the banks and farmers sent $25,000 to the East annually to pay interest on farm mortgages. Now he found no saloon or sign of a saloon, and a banker told him that they only sent $2,500 East during the past year to pay interest on farm mortgages. Not a policeman there now, and not a pauper in the poor-house nor criminal in the jail. The only bankruptcy there has been in Ackley is the bankruptcy of the poor-house. Poor old poor-house, it had to give up business, and the jail is full of cobwebs! "Yes," declared Eli, "Temperance has hurt the poor-house and jail in Ackley. It has ruined these institutions."—N. Y. Witness.

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# FOR GIRLS AND BOYS.

## RODERICK, JAMES, AND ME.

Papa and mamma went out to row,
And left us all alone at home, you know—
Roderick, James, and me.
"Now, dears," they said, "just play with your toys,
Like dear little, good little, sweet little boys,
And we will come home to tea."

We played with our toys the *longest* while!
We built up our blocks for nearly a mile,
Roderick, James, and I.
But when they came tumbling down, alas!
They fell right against the looking-glass;
Oh! *how* the pieces did fly!

Then we found a pillow that had a rip,
And all the feathers we out did slip,
Roderick, James, and I.
And we made a snow-storm, a glorious one,
All over the room. Oh! wasn't it fun,
As the feathery flakes did fly!

But just as the storm was raging around,
Papa and mamma came in, and found
Roderick, James, and me.
Oh! terrible, terrible things they said.
And they put us all three right straight to bed,
With the empty pillow-case under my head,
And none of us had any tea.
—Laura E. Richards, in St. Nicholas.

## MAMMA'S TRAMPS.

**Little Boys That Run Away and Came Back Sorry.**

Little Tod stood on the steps, rubbing his knuckles into his eyes. His breast heaved, and he was muttering to himself.

"Mamma's jus' too cross for any thin'," he said. "May be I'm bad, but she needn't scold me so much, if I am bad."

He debated a moment, pushed open the door, and called out:

"Mamma, I's goin' away."

"Well, good-bye, then," mamma said.

"But, won't oo tiss me 'fore I go?" asked Tod, his voice shaking.

"I only kiss boys when they come and tell me they are sorry," mamma said.

"But, 'spose I never come back?" Tod asked, with a little gasp.

"Oh, you'll be back soon enough," declared mamma, a cloud of dust from her broom almost hiding Tod.

He stepped back, coughed and then closed the door. Poor Tod was in disgrace, and he knew it. He had been cross, contrary, willful; he felt that he had deserved a scolding, but was not ready to say so. He walked down the garden path, where he met his brother, only a year older, and nick-named "Bud," though he did not bear any resemblance to a bud.

"What's the matter?" asked Bud.

"Mamma 'bused me," declared Tod, with very little regard for the truth.

"That's a shame," Bud sympathizingly said. "She sent me away, too. I'm glad 'sweepin' day doesn't come every day."

Bud had blossomed into pantaloons, but Tod still wore a frock, which added roundness to a figure already rather stumpy.

"Bud, let's run away," Tod said.

The older brother thrust his hands into his pockets, a thoughtful look creeping into his face. The proposal had startled him somewhat.

"Mamma'll hunt us, an' bring us back, an' be kind to us," suggested Tod.

"Oh, she's not a bad sort of a mamma," replied Bud, under a qualm of conscience. "I 'spect we ain't as good as we might be. But, Tod, what if she doesn't bring us back?"

That question rather upset Tod's calculations.

"Well, she needn't," he perversely said. He gave his straw-hat a half vicious pull, and then kept on his way.

"Hold on!" cried Bud. "I'm going with you."

Out of the garden, through the orchard, and across the meadows they went. Bud was beginning to enjoy the adventure, and proposed various plans, finding a willing listener in contrary little Tod.

"There's an old bark hut in the woods," said Bud. "We'll stay one night in that."

"No!" cried Tod, in alarm. "A big bear might——"

"Nonsense!" interrupted Bud. "There ain't no bears around here."

"Isn't this jus' sp'endid!" Tom cried, as they entered the woods.

The shadows were cool, the moss was like a velvet carpet, and leaves fluttered sleepily, and bright flowers relieved duskiness here and there. A rabbitt sprang out of the underwood, a squirrel chattered on a withered limb, and a jaybird dropped a blue feather right in front of Tod, who clapped his hands and stuck it in the ribbon of his hat. Soon they were busy cleaning out the bark hut. Bud discussing projects that almost took away Tod's breath, they were so stupendous.

By noon the boys began to feel hungry. Suddenly their hunger increased, probably because they heard the farm-house bell ring for dinner.

"Tod, could you find your way back?" Bud asked.

"I 'spec' I could" replied Tod.

"Then go bring a lunch," Bud suggested.

"But we've runned away," protested Tod, feeling called upon to be consistent.

"But we're awful hungry," reminded Bud.

There was logic in that, and finally Tod set out for the house. Mamma was on the porch and pretended not to know Tod.

"What do you want?" she sharply asked.

"Something to eat," Tod said. "Let me have it in a basket."

"Oh, my!" cried mamma. "Enough for a whole week, eh? That's kind of pudent, don't you think? Well, I never give any thing to tramps."

"But, mamma——" began Tod.

"I might give you some dinner if you unload those chips from the cart," mamma said.

"I-I-can't," stammered Tod.

"You mean you won't," mamma said. "Well, good-day. A tramp who won't work can't get any thing to eat here."

Tod's heart fell within him, but he was a plucky little fellow, and pulled himself together with a jerk.

When he reported the failure of his errand to Bud the latter felt a little chop-fallen.

"She'd have given the basket of things to me," he said.

"Well, Bud, you go try," suggested Tod, banteringly. "It is the big ox-cart, Bud, and—"

"Let the hired man unload the chips," was Bud's reply. "We can get plenty of berries to eat."

Berries satisfied their hunger for a time. They played in the woods, and the afternoon wore away. Tod lost a shoe in the quagmire, Bud was stung by a hornet, and both the boys were scared by a wild hog, which might as well have been a bear, from the way in which they ran for the hut. Suddenly the woods darkened, and then a low, rumbling, deepening sound was heard.

"Tod, there's a storm coming up," Bud cried, as he caught Tod by the hand. "Let's dig for home!"

If digging meant long forward strides they dug to some purpose. Two tired, drenched, draggled boys they were, as they stepped upon the porch. It was dark outside, and the light from the kitchen window streamed upon them.

"Bless me, there's that tramp again!" mamma cried. "And he's brought another tramp with him."

"We're no tramps," Tod said. "We're Tod and Bud. We want to come in."

"Oh, I've no doubt of that," mamma cried.

"We runned away," Tod said, tearfully, repentantly. "We're sorry. Anyhow, I'm sorry. I'm very sorry, and I'll be ever so good."

"Well, that's something else," mamma said. "Come in. I've always a kiss for a little boy who tells me he is sorry."

She picked up Tod and kissed him, wet, and draggled and berry-stained though he was. Tears came into her eyes, and her heart beat faster, for she had become alarmed about them.

"I'm sorry, too," confessed Bud, and so mamma stooped and kissed him.

They washed themselves, dried their clothes, ate a hearty supper, and then went to bed.

"It's nicer here than in the old bark hut," commented Tod.

"There's no place so nice as home," sagely added Bud."—Frank H. Stauffer, in Interior.

## STORY OF THE FAN.

**From the Oriental Palm-Leaf to the Modern Marabout.**

The nineteenth century belle, who, after casting a last look of satisfaction into the mirror which reflects her charms, takes her marabout fan, probably has no idea that the original of her graceful toy was the exclusive prerogative of sovereigns and ecclesiastical dignitaries. The Egyptians and Mesopotamians, who kindly bequeathed to posterity wall pictures whose clear and solid outlines show us the most minute details of their civilization, display magnificent specimens of feather fans, which, borne on long poles by the attendants surrounding royal personages, served the practical purpose of protecting them from the scorching rays of a tropical sun and at the same time contributing to the pomp and splendor of the pageant.

The pictures on Greek vases show us the ladies of Athens and Corinth in various graceful poses, holding fans which, though still retaining the form of the palm-leaf, appear to have been, like the hand-mirror, an important and artistically ornamented adjunct of the toilet. The Roman women were by no means behind their Hellenic sisters in appreciation of these dainty trifles, as is proven by the numerous passages in the writings of the classic poets and historians; nay, in the degenerate days of the later Emperors the fan was part of the equipment of the elaborately-attired dandies who strolled through the marble halls of the baths.

The middle ages held it in no less esteem, and the most superb decorations were lavished upon it, but it still retained the original form of the palm-leaf, and usually consisted of bright-hued feathers fastened to a handle.

Not until the period of the rennaissance do we find a change in shape, and this, too, was doubtless introduced into Europe from the East by way of the greatest emporium of commerce during the middle ages—Venice. These new fans were little banners, either square or circular in form and made of silk or parchment, ornamented with painting or embroidery and often finished with a border of feathers fastened loosely on one side to a staff, around which they swung. But this shape, specially designated as Venetian, superb specimens of which are contained in a collection made by the Prince of Wales, was soon supplanted by the folding fan, which has reigned alone throughout Western countries ever since the sixteenth century. This, too, was ordinarily a gift from Eastern Asia, imitated in Italy—nay, it is probably the first example of the influence Japan has exerted upon Western art and which of late has made itself so distinctly felt in France.

The original folding-fan, according to the modern ideas, was enormous, and not until the seventeenth century did it shrink to moderate dimensions. The broad top has always afforded an admirable field for decoration by painting, embroidery, and lace of every description. The extremes of luxury attained by this article of dress are evinced by the statement that toward the close of the sixteenth century a fan valued at $9,000 was given to Margaret of Lorraine by Queen Margaret of Navarre. This beautiful toy was composed of mother of pearl set with precious stones. During the eighteenth century the material value of fans was greatly enhanced by art. Besides a number of nameless painters, whose grace and skill would secure them a conspicuous place among the artists of the present time, men of eminence, like Watteau and Boucher, did not distain to employ their genius in decorating fans.—Washington Star.

—Police—"What are you waiting around here for?" Sad Young Man—"I'm waiting to see a fellow get thrown down the steps. It's the fellow who beat me out of my girl. He has just gone in there to see about getting his consent. I knew he was coming, and have sent four peddlers and a book agent in there within the last half hour."

# FLOATING HOSPITAL.

## A Refuge That New Yorkers Have Built for the Poor.

**Weekly Excursion of the Barge to New Dorp—Scenes at Starting and on the Way—How the Little Ones Enjoy Themselves.**

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[Special Correspondence.]

We had stopped at Fifth street. Our barge had floated, early that morning, from under the shadow of Bellevue Hospital to where the second landing is made. We had taken on at Twenty-sixth street, babies without number, smileless babies, so wizened and wan, so pale and weak, and so silent too, most of them, that one's heart ached. Not babies at all, one began to believe after looking into their faces. Old with an age that had known no youth, drawn with a suffering always mute, withered, inscrutable. No, verily, not babies, but incarnations of a misery centuries old—the aggregates of all man's sin to man, his sorrow, his unrelieved despair.

It was in vain, that, during that first half hour, the breezes came fresh from the river, and the flags floated freely against the blue sky above. The weight of that mystery—man's willingness to out-wit his brother, and so suffer such creatures as these babies to exist—bore too heavily. Not even when a gradual understanding of this philanthropy at work began to dawn on the mind could one throw off the gloom. For just then there came the landing at Fifth street, and more babies, more misery, more squalor, more wretchedness.

"Enteritis," "Meningitis," "Gastritis," called the doctors to each other in low tones, with quick flashes of the eye and wise nods over the heads of the people, while some of the babies are passed on board, and others, with contagious maladies, are sent back on shore. And the band plays above, and the crowds surge below, and the low tones of the doctors fall full on the ear. It all makes a drama of human life, haunting the memory like a cry.

The holiday-barge, to be sure, is not invariably there. The landing is almost always made in quiet, the doctors needing no policeman, the mothers undistracted by any rush. And after the barge has swung into the stream and the breezes have begun to stir faint color in some of the cheeks, one begins to realize the wonder of it all, the greatness of the charity, the marvel of its organization. One looks with a sort of glad surprise at those mothers who have come swarming from every dark and noisome alley, from out of damp cellars, down narrow, crooked stairs, bring their pinched and white-faced babies for a breath of this sweet, pure air. One forgets the woes in delight at the remedy.

It is about twenty-three years since "St. John's Guild" first began sending

the sick children of tenement houses on free, fresh air excursions, and not only the sick children, but the worn and weary mothers as well. For it is one of the wise provisions of this organization that no sick child need be separated from its mother. So that in this way the child and the parent are both spared the nervous strain of parting; both are benefited, and above all, the mother has an opportunity to imbibe a little wisdom in regard to the care of her baby. The trained nurses are there every moment to direct her. The doctors are in and out among the patients all day long.

Four times a week the barge sails, and this barge, by the by, has a history, having once been burned when it was the "River Belle." Now she has been made over, and so changed as to be unrecognizable by the most ardent of her old admirers. There are two great decks. On one are the bath-rooms, the children's ward, the doctor's office, and on both benches and seats without number. In the hold is the dining room where every day all the mothers sit down to a freshly cooked hot dinner. From every available mast and pole above flags float, and as much of a holiday air as possible pervades every thing.

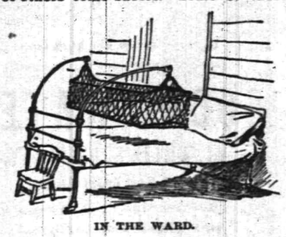
There are always two doctors in attendance, one the regular physician to whom this work has been appointed for

ON THE RETURN TRIP.

the season, the other a physician sent for the day by the board of health. The doctors examine each mother and child who arrives at the gang plank, receiving from them their passes. This examination is made in order that none of the passengers may be exposed to any contagious disease, and the passes are filed in order that the physicians may be consulted in regard to any mistake in judgment they may have made. The number of passengers carried on any one trip is now limited to fourteen hundred, although until this regulation was put into effect some hundreds over this number were sometimes carried. The average cost a day for each passenger is twenty-four and one-half cents.

No patient, however, has any thing to pay for herself, neither on the barge, nor yet at the Seaside hospital. She is a guest, from the time she starts until she lands again.

At about 10:30 o'clock in the morning there is a stir and a movement on deck, and up the steps comes a man with a milk-can, holding a hundred quarts. Then there is a hurried rush, and the calm and ubiquitous policeman steps forward, and the tumult ceases, and as if by magic the crowd melts away into a long line of eager women and children, each one with a cup, or tin pail or its cover, held out to be filled with the warm sweet milk. No one is limited as to quantity, neither mothers nor children. Some of the wannest of the babies open their eyes gratefully, and one sees the suspicion of a color coming into their cheeks. A more cheerful atmosphere is felt everywhere. Some of the Italian babies, wrapped tightly in colored cloths, begin to play on the floor, their long earrings making a jingling sound. The Italian mothers begin to smile, flashing their white teeth at us over their shoulders. The old Irish woman in her clean white frilled cap has settled down with a placid smile, having found the neighbor's children that she brought on board and lost. The bundles that have lain about on the benches begin to unroll. Out of some come crusts and stale bananas, out of others come babies. Some of these



IN THE WARD.

begin to cry. But we are glad of the cry, for dead children do not cry, and every now and then some one says that that baby is dead. You look with startled, pitying glance, and the mother shakes her head and says: "Not yet."

"Not yet," why, of course "not yet," thinks the doctor, stooping to touch the child. And "not yet" echoes a sweet-voiced nurse, daintily draped, a lady one knows in a moment, bending and lifting the little one and carrying it to a white, clean bed in the ward. For into this ward all the very sick children are brought, and those that grow no better during this day's sail are taken with their mothers to the seaside hospital and kept there until they are well, or beyond our care forever.

Off at the other end of the boat is the bath-room, with another nurse and great heaps of clean towels. Into the tubs both hot and cold sea water is pumped, and any child may, with the doctor's permission, have a bath. And how they tumble about and splash in the water! And how droll some of them are! One is there, eight years old only, her face cumbered with great shining white spectacles. Down into the tub she goes, spectacles and all, coming out white, glistening and dripping, her long wet hair in lank lines over her face and those huge spectacles gleaming at the intruder with a sort of defiant wonder.

After dinner comes the stop for the patients destined for the seaside hospital. The barge anchors in mid-stream and the patients are carried ashore in boats, so long and so many-oared that one thinks of the early pilgrim fathers being rowed to some new strange home. And the doctor waits on shore with a flag of hope like a joyous pioneer.

This seaside hospital at New Dorp, Staten Island, arouses renewed enthusiasm. Built on piles, so giving a draught underneath, and within a hun-

THE BATH-ROOM.

dred feet of high-water mark, with the sea on one side and the stretch of pine woods on the other, with wide verandahs and cool wards, it would be hard to find anywhere a place better adapted to its needs. None of the glaring white of the town hospitals is here. The wood is dark and restful to the eye. The glare of the ocean does not penetrate beyond the wide shade of the verandahs, and from the pine groves on the other side comes only a well-tempered, softened light. Two permanent physicians live here with trained nurses and matrons. When a sick baby is brought to the hospital the mother remains with it, and both are cared for in that same generous spirit which characterizes all that is done by president and managers for the sick and helpless of New York.

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**That Settled It.**

*Hoffman Howes*—See here, Cutter, these trousers are too confoundedly short!

Cutter—All right; if you want to look like the statues of our public men I'll lengthen 'em.

Hoffman Howes—H'm! I guess they'll do, after all.—Puck.

**Filled His Order.**

Savage—See here, waiter, I ordered rare eggs, and these are hard as bricks.

Waiter—Yes, sir, but they're fresh, and fresh eggs are mighty rare in this house.—West Shore.

# THE HOUSEHOLD.

## BOLTING-CLOTH FAN.

**This Makes a Pretty and Useful Article.**

The foundation of this lovely and peculiarly delicate fan is the common Japanese paper fan, not the kind which opens and shuts, but that having a bamboo handle, the upper end of which is split into fibres, forming the supports for the paper covering.

As a large handle is rather clumsy, select a smooth, unsoiled one of medium size.

First unfasten from each end of the curving, bow-like base of the fan, the ends of the strings that are interwoven with the ribs, then, just above the string and parallel with it, cut the ribs with sharp scissors, taking care to leave whatever paper comes below the cut, as that helps to keep the ribs in place. This is illustrated in Fig. 1.

Pull out of the handle the curving base from which the sirings were removed.

The next thing needed is a strip of rattan one-eighth of an inch in diameter. It can be bought at a harness shop, and comes in pieces about a yard long. This is to be the circumference of the fan, and the bolting-cloth is fastened to it. Decide how large you want it by bending the rattan into circles of different sizes until one in good proportion to the handle is found. It is well to have it correspond in size with a plate, as that can be used afterward in making it perfectly round, and also in marking the exact size of the fan on the bolting-cloth. Measure the circumference and add to it about four inches extra for splicing.

The splicing is very simple. Make a long, slanting cut on the upper side of one end of the rattan, and a corresponding cut on the lower side of the other end, as shown in Fig. 1. Pass one end through the hole in the handle and bend the other over to meet it. Fit the ends nicely together, wind the joint with thread, and shape the whole into a circle, using the plate as a gauge. Then tie the loose ends of the string to each side. As the rattan is much smaller than the curved base removed from the hole in the handle, the remaining space in the hole must be plugged with a very short wedge on each side. One long wedge will make the whole thing "skew" in a way that is very difficult to manage.

FIG. 1.

The bolting-cloth cover is the next thing in hand. Nearly every one knows that this cloth is the same as that used in flour-mills. It is literally bolting-cloth, but in spite of its utilitarian name it is an exquisite fabric, extremely delicate and yet quite strong. It is always white, but there are at least two qualities, and the coarser woven should be used for the fan, as it is easier to paint on, and for this purpose oil paints are considered the best.

The design being a matter of individual taste, it is only suggested that pink or white flowers are particularly well adapted for this work. A branch of pine and cones have also been used with good effect.

As the fan is covered only down even with the strings, cut the cloth accordingly and press it smooth with a warm flat-iron. The design may be traced in pencil as the cloth is almost transparent.

In painting always keep a piece of writing paper behind the cloth, and *touching* it. Use plenty of turpentine in the paint, for the meshes of the cloth must not be clogged with it; only the threads should be colored. The paper behind absorbs most of the paint, but an unglazed paper absorbs too much. The paper should be changed frequently. If the cloth begins to "fill up" with the paint, go over it with the turpentine alone.

Pin the painted cloth firmly and smoothly to a board and having smeared one side of the rattan with glue, press it to the cloth, taking care to preserve the circular form. Keep it in place with needles pushed slanting into the board. They are longer than pins, and do not make perceptible holes in the cloth. The gluing is only to get the cloth on smoothly, and when dry it must be sewed over and over.

FIG. 2.

The rattan is then bound with silver braid, beginning at the point where the strings are tied, and ending at the opposite point. The binding requires some care as the edges of the braid are sewed *through* the cloth and pulled together tight.

A strip of narrower braid is used to cover the strings and tops of the ribs. It is placed on both sides of the fan and sewed on through the cloth. The fan is finished, as shown in Fig. 2, by a bow of ribbon at the handle.

The braid can be bought of a silversmith or a manufacturer of regalias, and comes just the right width to cover the rattan.—Youth's Companion.

**Mortuary Gold.**

The French scientist, Mr. Victor Mennier, as the result of careful inquiries, asserts that the American dentists insert in American teeth, each year, the enormous amount of 800 kilogrammes (about 1,800 pounds) of the precious metal, which represents nearly $450,000. This gold is never recovered, of course, but is buried with the person in whose mouth it is placed. Making allowance for the rapid increase of the population of the United States and for the continued deterioration of American teeth, it appears that in less than one hundred years the American cemeteries will contain a larger amount of gold than now exists in France.—Scientific American.


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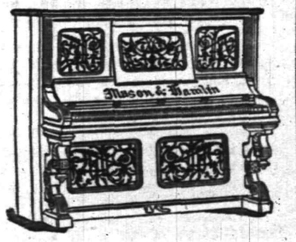


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Leave New York from foot of Liberty street, 4 30, 5 45, 7, 7 45, 8 45, 10, 11, A. M., 1, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4, 4 30, 5, 5 15, 5 30, 5 45, 6, 6 15, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 8, 8 30, 9 15, 10, 11 30 P. M., 12 15, night. Sunday—8 30, 7 8 30, 9, 9 30, A. M., 12 M., 1, 1 15, 4, 5 30, 6, 7, 9 00, 10 00 P. M., 12 15 night.

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Leave Plainfield 5 38, 6 29, 6 59, 7 30, 8, 9 32, 10 05, 11 09, 11 39, A. M., 1, 2 07, 2 30, 3 12, 3 51, 5 08, 5 31, 6 07, 6 54, 7 03, 8 31, 10 12, 11 28 P. M. Sunday—8 01, 8 52, 11 02, 11 16, A. M., 12 33, 1 30, 3 30, 5 16, 7 01, 7 10, 8 23, 8 32, 10 02 P. M.

Leave Newark 7 10, 7 50, 8 55, 10 10, 11 05 A. M., 1 05, 1 35, 2 40, 3 40, 4 02, 4 37, 5 05, 5 30, 5 55, 6 25, 7 15, 7 35, 8 20, 9 35, 10 10, 11 25 P. M. Sunday—7 30, 8 40, 9 50, A. M., 12 05, 1 10, 4 10, 5 40, 6 35, 7 05, 9 25, 10 20 P. M.

Passengers for Newark change cars at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7, 8 07, 9 42, 11, 11 58 A. M., 1 52, 2 32, 3 45, 4 34, 5 20, 5 34, 6 20, 6 38, 7 03, 7 12, 7 34, 8 20, 9 43, 11 13, 12 43 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 13, 9 48, A. M., 2 03, 2 30, 5 14, 6 35, 10 15, 11 14 P. M.

Leave Somerville, 6, 6 30, 7 03, 7 25, 7 35, 7 48, 9 05, 9 47, 11 15 A. M., 12 35, 1 15, 1 48, 2 05, 3 2 4 40, 5 12, 5 35, 8 05, 8 50, 11 05, P. M. Sunday—8 25, 10 35 A. M., 12 08, 1 05, 4 50, 6 40, 8 03, 8 05, 9 30 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7, 8 07, 9 42, A. M., 1 39, 4 34, 5 20, 6 38, 8 20 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 13 A. M., 2 03, 6 35 P. M.

Leave Easton 6 05, 8 44, 10 A. M., 12 32, 4 09, 6 40 P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 52, A. M., 6 40, 7 20 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 7, 9 42 A. M., 1 39, 5 20 P. M. Sunday—8 13 A. M.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.
LEAVE PLAINFIELD.

5 45 A. M. for Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

7 A. M. for High Bridge Branch and Easton.

8 07 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 42 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Nanticoke, Drifton, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c.

1 39 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, &c.

4 34 P. M. for D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

5 20 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Schooley's Mountain, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, &c.

6 38 P. M. for Flemington.

6 38 P. M. for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg.

8 20 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8 13 a. m. Sundays for High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, &c., 2 03 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua and Pottsville. 6 38 p. m Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m. 1 p. m.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c.

Leave Plainfield 3 37, 8, 11 09, a. m., 1, 3 51, 5 31, p. m. Sundays—(except Ocean Grove) 8 52, a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 38, 8, 10 05, 11 09 a. m., 1, 3 51, 5 31, 7 03 p. m. Sunday—8 52 a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8, 11 09 a. m., 1, 3 51, 5 31, p. m.

ROUND BROOK ROUTE.

Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia, 1 17, 9 48, 8 29, 9 48, 11 58* a. m., 1 50*, 2 22*, 4 56, 5 54*, 6 38*, 8 20 p. m. Sundays 1 17, 9 48, a. m., 4 06, 5 14*, 6 55 p. m.

For Baltimore and Washington at 1 17, 9 48, 11 58* a. m., 2 45, 4 06, 5 34* p. m. Sundays—1 17, 9 48 a. m., 2 47, 4 06, 5 14* p. m.

RETURNING—LEAVE PHILADELPHIA.

Ninth and Green streets, 7 30*, 8 30*, 9 30, 11 05 a. m., 12 45, 1 30, 3 15, 5 15, 6 15, 8 02, 9 45, 12 p. m. Sundays—9 a. m., 12 50, 3 10

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## THE FIGHT STOPPED

### McAuliffe and Slavin Arrested in London.

SPORTING MEN DISAPPOINTED.

An English Magistrate Will Examine the Gloves This Afternoon.

**In Case the Men Are Prohibited from Meeting the Battle Will Take Place on the Continent—Richard K. Fox and Lord Lonsdale Ready to Put Up the Required Money.**

LONDON, Sept. 23.—There was intense excitement in Fleet street and at the various sporting clubs over the arrest of McAuliffe and Slavin, which has been received with a general feeling of disappointment throughout the city.

The offices of the sporting papers were besieged by people. Bulletins were placed in the shop windows and crowds filled the streets. Then the excitement shifted to the district in which the Ormonde Club is situated.

Both men were put under $10,000 bonds on their own recognizances to appear in court again this afternoon, with an additional caution from the justice that they had better not fight. They were not absolutely forbidden to fight or even to keep the peace. They were simply put under bonds for their appearance in court to-day dead or alive, but they did not fight last night. They will appear in court and will undoubtedly be bound over to keep the peace, which will drive them to the other side of the English Channel to fight if they mean to fight at all.

McAuliffe's backers declare that Slavin, knowing that he was not in proper training to fight last night, allowed the time of the proposed contest to become known to the police.

It is suspected by many, however, that the Pelican Club set the machinery of the law in motion, in revenge for Slavin's refusal to fight in the club's rooms. The postponement of the affair has profoundly disgusted the sporting fraternity.

Lord Lonsdale and Richard K. Fox met at the Pelican Club and decided that should Slavin and McAuliffe fail, by the interference of the authorities, to bring off the fight in the Ormonde Club, rather than see the match fall through they will put up the original purse offered by the Ormonde Club, £500 each, and bring the fight off on the Continent with a limited number of spectators on each side.

No proposed fight since the memorable battle between Sullivan and Kilrain has excited so much attention as the Slavin-McAuliffe contest has done. Throughout England, America and Australia it has been the subject of talk and speculation since the men signed articles.

The men have trained carefully and conscientiously for their battle. Slavin trained with Billy McCarthy, the antipodean, who is preparing for his go with Ted Pritchard, which will soon take place at the Pelican Club. Siavin trained under the mentorship of Jack Lewis at the Cliff Hotel, Dovercourt. Dovercourt is one of the prettiest and quietest seaside resorts on the east coast of England, and excellent judgment was shown by Slavin and his trainer in their selection.

McAuliffe reduced his surplus avoirdupois about forty pounds at Wells-by-the-Sea, under the personal supervision of his trainer and manager, Billy Madden. Joe has worked hard and well, and despite the great reduction in weight, which was in all probability the greatest contract of its kind ever accomplished by a pugilist, the Mission Boy is lithe and active as a young kitten.

**Suicide of a Wealthy Manufacturer.**

SANFORD, Me., Sept. 23.—Sylvester Cummings, a wealthy retired manufacturer at Springvale, committed suicide during the morning by taking laudanum and strychnine. Cummings was indicted by the grand jury last week for burning a barn at Shoyleigh two weeks ago, and was arrested and put under $5,000 bonds on Saturday. He left a letter admitting the poisoning, but denying the barn burning.

**New York Democrats Meet.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 23.—The Democratic State Committee are holding a meeting tod-ay at the Hoffman House, the Hon. Edward Murphy of Troy presiding. The Hon. Robert Earle will be renominated as Judge of the Court of Appeals, and an address may be issued to the voters of the State defining the issues now before the people.

**German Catholic Congress.**

PITTSBURG, Pa., Sept. 23.—The fourth annual convention of the German Catholic Congress was formally opened in this city to day. Last night there was a torchlight parade, 12,000 persons being in line. Delegates are in Pittsburg representing nearly every State in the Union.

### IN SECRET SESSION.

**Street Railroad Knights Holding Their Annual Convention.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 23.—National Trades District No. 226, Knights of Labor, composed of horse car employes of this city, Lynn, Chicago, Rochester, Buffalo, Detroit, Indianapolis, Cleveland, Albany, Omaha and other cities, is holding its annual convention in this city.

Ever since the last tie-up in this city efforts have been made to reorganize the local assemblies, and the railroad companies have had spotters engaged to watch the men to find out what was being done.

In consequence of this a very secret meeting is being held in an uptown hall, over which Master Workman James H. Magee presides. Delegates are present from the various cities, representing about 20,000 Knights.

Master Workman Magee spoke of the attacks made upon the order, and of how local assemblies in this city had been disrupted and men black-listed. He advised that all business be transacted in the closest secrecy, as the railroad companies agents were wide awake and were anxious to find out what they had done.

A committee was appointed on credentials, and reports were made from all parts of the country showing that in some cities the organization was perfect. Officers will be elected to-day. The Master Workman will probably be selected from Chicago and the Secretary from Lynn.

### THE READING DISASTER.

**The Coroner's Jury Blame the Signalman of Engine 347.**

READING, Pa., Sept. 23.—Testimony was taken at Shoemakersville by the jury empanelled by Coroner Hoffman concerning the disaster at that place, by which 21 persons were killed and 30 odd injured. The evidence of the crews of the coal train was heard and the jury rendered the following verdict:

"In our opinion, the cause of the accident was due to the negligence of the signalman of Engine 347, who remained in his caboose while the train was slowing up, instead of getting off and placing the proper signals in such a manner as to enable the engineer of the train following, Engine 921, sufficient time to bring his train to a stop. As a result Engine 921 crashed into the rear of the train drawn by Engine 347, throwing the caboose and two eight-wheeled coal cars on the northbound track, resulting in this great loss of life."

The testimony showed that the collision of the coal trains and that of the express train with the wrecked cars occurred at about the same moment.

**Burial of the Reading Victims.**

POTTSVILLE, Pa., Sept. 23.—This city has never before witnessed so sorrowful a scene as the burials of the victims of the Reading Railroad disaster. All places of business were closed from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. The funeral of Engineer John White took place at 10 a. m., and that of Solomon Hoover at 4 p. m. The obsequies of General Solicitor George R. Kaercher, of the Reading Railroad Company, took place at 2:30 o'clock. A special train was run from Philadelphia to accommodate those wishing to attend the funeral.

**He Was Fond of a Joke.**

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 23.—Mr. John B. Clements, 58 years old, a member of the printing firm of Plumly & Clements, of this city, committed suicide at his place of business in the morning by shooting himself through the head. He left a note saying: "I am fond of a joke, but this is the last one I will try to crack." His body was found, cold in death, by one of his employes whose duty it was to open the establishment. Dull business is thought to have been the cause of the act.

**Jack Dempsey Leaves for Portland.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 23.—Jack Dempsey with his manager left here for Portland, Ore., at 10 o'clock this morning. He will return about Christmas. It is understood that the Puritan Club will offer a good purse for LaBlanche and Dempsey if the marine will come here. Dempsey expressed disappointment at not being able to arrange a match with Fitzsimmons, and said he was willing to do anything fair to meet the New Zealander.

**Eloped with a Chinaman.**

ASBURY PARK, N. J., Sept. 23.—An other sensational elopement is the talk of the town. Wing Ching, a Chinese laundryman, has run off with Miss Lottie Dickinson, a comely American girl, who was employed at a boarding house near Ching's laundry. Ching is a well educated Chinaman and speaks the English language very fluently. The trunks of both Ching and Miss Dickinson were sent to Pell street.

**Nominated by Prohibitionists.**

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Sept. 23.—The Prohibitionists of the Second Connecticut district nominated C. M. Whittmore of Meriden as a candidate for Congress.


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## THE LATEST RUMOR

### That the Brotherhood Has Captured the Bridegrooms.

DENIED BY PRESIDENT BYRNES.

Anson's Chicago Team in Second Place in the League.

**Ward's Wonders Defeated by the Clevelands—The Giants Win at Pittsburg—New York's National League Team Play the Pittsburgs a Fine Game at Wheeling—Standing of the Clubs.**

CINCINNATI, Sept. 23.—The only reason for the mystery surrounding the sale of the Cincinnati Club is that it would be impolite for either party in the transaction to come out and say at this time that the sale has been completed. The deal contemplates the dropping of the Buffalo club. Mack, one of its catchers, will come to Pittsburg, as will two others.

The other startling feature of this movement of the Players' League is the statement that Byrne is no longer connected with the ownership of the Brooklyn National League Club, and that Doyle and Bell, the owners, have gone into partnership with John M. Ward, the players to be divided among the other League clubs and Ward's team remaining in Brooklyn.

Later dispatches from the West tell a different kind of a story. In an interview President Byrnes says that the story is the veriest bosh, while an interview with Ward implies the same thing. Ward also says that the proposed deal between the Brotherhood and the Cincinnati Club is off.

### BASEBALL GAMES.

**National League.**

AT CHICAGO.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Chicago | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 7 | —14 |
| Brooklyn | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —1 |

Called on account of darkness.

Batteries—Luby and Anson; Lovett and Clarke.

AT WHEELING, W. VA.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Pittsburg | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | —8 |
| New York | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | —3 |

Batteries—Day and Decker; Rusie and Clarke.

AT CINCINNATI.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Cincinnati | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | —5 |
| Philadelphia | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | —7 |

Batteries—Rhines and Keenan; Esper and Schriver.

AT CLEVELAND.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Cleveland | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | —5 |
| Boston | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | —4 |

Called on account of darkness.

Batteries—Nichols and Bennett; Young and Sommers.

**Players' League.**

AT PITTSBURG.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Pittsburg | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | —3 |
| New York | 0 | 4 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | x—6 |

Batteries—Staley and Quinn; O'Day and Vaughn.

AT CHICAGO.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Chicago | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —2 |
| Boston | 0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 3 | 0 | x—10 |

Batteries—Baldwin and Doyle; Radbourne and Kelly.

AT BUFFALO.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Buffalo | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | x—9 |
| Philadelphia | 1 | 6 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 4 | 3 | 0 | x—16 |

Batteries—Dugan and Mack; Knell and and Milligan.

AT CLEVELAND.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Cleveland | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 1—8 |
| Brooklyn | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0—1 |

Batteries—McGill and Sutcliffe; Weyhing and Kinslow.

**American Association.**

AT ST. LOUIS.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| St. Louis | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0—1 |
| Rochester | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | x—4 |

Batteries—Hart and Munyan; Barr and McGuire.

AT TOLEDO.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Toledo | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1—4 |
| Syracuse | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0—3 |

Batteries—Marr and Pitz; Sprague and Sage.

**Atlantic Association.**

AT PHILADELPHIA.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| New Haven | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1—6 |
| Newark | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0—0 |

Batteries—Gilliland and Hofford; Stark and Murphy.

AT HARRISBURG.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Harrisburg | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 1 | 0—7 |
| Lebanon | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0—1 |

Batteries—Gamble and Sommers; Swift and Koons.

**Attendance at League Games.**

| | Players | League |
|---|---|---|
| Chicago | 1,446 | 1,439 |
| Buffalo | 929 | ..... |
| Pittsburg | 300 | ..... |
| Cincinnati | ..... | 1,188 |
| Cleveland | 638 | 900 |
| Wheeling | ..... | 1,500 |
| Totals | 3,311 | 4,727 |

**Standing of the Clubs.**

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

| | Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'ct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Brookl'n | 80 | 43 | .650 | Cincin'ti | 72 | 52 | .581 |
| Chicago | 78 | 51 | .605 | N. York | 58 | 64 | .475 |
| Boston | 74 | 50 | .597 | Cleve'l'nd | 43 | 82 | .333 |
| Philadel. | 74 | 49 | .602 | Pittsb'rg | 21 | 105 | .164 |

PLAYERS' LEAGUE.

| | Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'ct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Boston | 77 | 43 | .642 | Philadel. | 66 | 57 | .537 |
| N. York | 70 | 54 | .574 | Pittsb'rg | 54 | 65 | .454 |
| Brookl'n | 73 | 51 | .544 | Cleve'l'nd | 50 | 72 | .410 |
| Chicago | 69 | 61 | .531 | Buffalo | 33 | 90 | .268 |

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

| | Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'ct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Louisv'le | 75 | 40 | .652 | Roch'st'r | 57 | 55 | .509 |
| St. Louis | 70 | 49 | .588 | Athletic | 56 | 58 | .491 |
| Col'mb's | 67 | 52 | .563 | Syracuse | 43 | 69 | .384 |
| Toledo | 59 | 53 | .527 | Baltim're | 33 | 84 | .282 |

ATLANTIC ASSOCIATION.

| | Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'ct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| N. Hav'n | 79 | 32 | .712 | Harrisb'g | 48 | 63 | .414 |
| Lebanon | 57 | 48 | .533 | Wilm'n | 33 | 62 | .300 |
| Newark | 56 | 50 | .496 | | | | |

**Schedule of To-Day's Games.**

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Pittsburg vs. New York, at Pittsburg.

PLAYERS' LEAGUE.

No games scheduled.

### CLERGYMEN IN POLITICS.

**A Heated Discussion About Joining With Labor Organizations.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 23.—The call of the Municipal Reform League for a meeting of clergymen to consider the local political situation was responded to by a large number of clericals, who met in Hardman's Hall.

Father Ducey, of St. Leo's Catholic Church called the meeting to order, and in his introductory remarks denounced the government of this city as a disgrace and a reproach to its pastors.

When Father Ducey had concluded his remarks, the Rev. Mr. McChesney was introduced as the chairman of the meeting. The chairman, on taking charge of the meeting, said: "Courageous, honest and capable men were needed more than Democrats, Republicans or Prohibitionists. No political party had a monopoly of good men."

Dr. Howard Crosby, who followed Chairman McChesney, enlivened the meeting with a characteristic address, in which he humorously depicted the monstrous corruption of New York municipal government.

Father Huntington offered a resolution that the league support no candidate for mayor not "receipted" for by a majority of the labor organizations of the city.

Dr. Crosby opposed Father Huntington's resolution, saying that he was opposed to anything in the nature of entangling alliances. A heated and somewhat acrimonious discussion followed.

Finally, the coil was untangled by the passage of a resolution inviting the co-operation of all labor organizations.

### KILLED BY HIGHWAYMEN.

**A Laborer Choked to Death and Robbed of $600.**

DOYLESTOWN, Pa., Sept. 23.—Joseph Hefner, a laborer on the railroad being constructed from Hartsville to Newhope, Bucks County, was murdered about 1 a. m.

He was on his way home with his wife from a visit to his brother, who keeps a boarding shanty at Rush Valley, and the couple were walking on the railroad track when they were accosted by two men, who told his wife to go home and tend her babies, as they had business with her husband.

One of the men seized Joseph and the other pushed his wife to one side. Mrs. Hefner ran back to the shanty at Rush Valley and informed her brother-in-law of the circumstance.

He then accompanied the woman to where she had left her husband and found his dead body lying on the track. He had been choked to death. Upon examination of the body it was found that his clothing had been ripped open and a belt, which he wore about his body, and which contained about $600, had been taken. The murderers escaped, and up to noon to-day have eluded arrest.

**Postponed by Order of the Queen.**

MONTREAL, Que., Sept. 23.—The case of Correspondent O'Brien, arrested for sending broadcast the story about Prince George and a street fight, was called again and another adjournment taken. It is learned on good authority that the case will be discontinued and that the Governor-General has received instructions from the Queen to see that it is done. It is said Her Majesty disapproves of proceedings taken against a subject for a private offence against a member of the Royal family, holding that their dignity is beyond peradventure and cannot be affected by a scurrilous story.

**Chicago Switchmen Quit Work.**

CHICAGO, Sept. 23.—Switching at the stock yards is once more at a standstill. All of the engineers employed by the new Stock Yards Switching Association left their posts and refused to do another stroke of work. Fifteen engines were left idle and the yards were completely tied up. This action on the part of the engineers was brought about by the refusal of the association to discharge a couple of non-union men in their employ.

**The Site Question Settled.**

CHICAGO, Sept. 23.—A committee from the Local World's Fair Directory waited on the South Park Commissioners and laid before them the request of the National Commission that Washington Park be included in the site for the fair. After some discussion, the South Park Commissioners decided to accede to the request of the National Commission. So the vexed question of a satisfactory sight is at last settled.

**Cal Wood Taken to Dannemora Prison.**

GLENS FALLS, N. Y., Sept. 23.—Cal Wood, the murderer of Pasco, who was sentenced to death by electricity, has been taken to Dannemora prison, there to await the execution of his sentence, which event is set for some time during the week of Nov. 3. The condemned man preserves the air of stoicism and indifference which characterized his demeanor at the time sentence was rendered.

**Order of American Mechanics.**

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., Sept. 23.—The United Order of American Mechanics are holding their annual meeting here to-day. Councils and commanderies in the States of California, Ohio, Michigan, Kansas and Minnesota are represented. This afternoon officers will be elected. This is the largest demonstration ever participated in by the Order.

**Kiernan's Examination Postponed.**

TROY, N. Y., Sept. 23.—John Kiernan was arraigned before Justice Grogan of West Troy, charged with placing obstructions on the track of the Central Hudson road at Karners on August 25. His examination was postponed for a day. Buett and Cain, who are under indictment for interfering with a switch near East Albany, were in court as witnesses.

## WASHINGTON TOPICS

### The House Not Likely to Adjourn Before October 3.

MUCH WORK STILL TO BE DONE

Republicans Decide in Caucus Not to Drop the Venable-Langston Case.

**A Report That the Conference Committee Cannot Agree on the Tariff Bill—A Number of Business Firms Withdraw Their Protest and Ask for the Passage of the Bankruptcy Bill.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 23.—Those who are making prophecies of an adjournment of Congress by next Saturday or the following Monday, lose sight of the vast amount of clerical labor which is yet to be performed upon the Tariff bill after it comes from the conference committee, and which will be an important factor in closing the business of Congress at the time named. Thus, in the event that the bill is finished by the conference committee to-morrow, is agreed to in the House and Senate, and reaches the enrolling clerks by Saturday, it will be Wednesday noon of next week before the bill is ready to go to the President.

The Deficiency Appropriation bill comprises 130 pages of matter, and will require much labor to get it into condition. The labor bills which it is proposed to pass will consume some time, and the employes of the House who know how much time is required to finish the work, say it will be at least a week from Saturday before the House is ready for adjournment. If other legislation is enacted this time will be extended.

### WAITING FOR A QUORUM.

**The Republicans Decide in Caucus Not to Drop the Venable-Langston Case.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 23.—The ineffectual efforts of the managers of the House to secure a quorum of Republican members in order that the deadlock on the Langston-Venable contested election case could be broken, was the cause of another Republican caucus—the second held for the same purpose within a week.

The caucus was called to order immediately after the adjournment of the House, and lasted nearly two hours.

Discussion on the subject of plans for securing the attendance of absent Republicans was general, and Mr. Moore, of New Hampshire, proposed that absentees should be fined $500 each. Severe condemnation of absent Republicans was indulged in.

A count of absentees brought forth promises from a number of members that a sufficient number of the absentees to make a quorum would be present to-morrow. Some members urged the abandonment of the Langston case, but this action was opposed by most of the leaders, and it was determined, without taking a vote, that the case should not be dropped, and that adjournment should be postponed until Langston is seated. With this understanding the caucus adjourned, leaving it to the several State delegations to undertake the task of securing the attendance of absent colleagues.

**Campaign Work in the West.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 23.—A dispatch from Des Moines, Ia., says it is definitely announced that Speaker Reed will go to Iowa immediately after the adjournment of Congress and assist the Republicans to canvass in Gear's, Henderson's and Lacey's districts, which are believed to be doubtful. The active Republican compaign will begin the first week in October. All possible efforts were made to have Secretary Blaine visit Iowa, but he telegraphed Chairman Mack that it would be impossible for him to leave Washington.

**Cannot Agree on the Tariff Bill.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 23.—The Republican members of the Tariff Conference Committees got together at the Capitol but made little progress. It is now thought possible that a report on the Tariff bill will be ready by to-morrow, but that it will be a disagreeing report, as the Senate and House Republicans cannot reach an agreement on the Sugar schedule.

**The Bankruptcy Bill.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 23.—Twenty-five Chicago business firms, headed by Henry W. King & Co., who heretofore protested against the passage of the Torrey Bankruptcy bill, have withdrawn their names from the protest and requested the immediate enactment of the bill. Senator Cullom today presented the petitions in the Senate.

**Shot Himself in His Wife's Presence.**

LONG BRANCH, N. J., Sept. 23.—John McGill, a carpenter of this place, attempted suicide by firing a pistol shot at his head, in the presence of his wife and children. "You think I don't dare blow my brains out," he said to them, then pulled the trigger. He was taken to the Memorial Hospital, where, in explanation of his conduct, he said, "A poor man has no right to live."

**Thirteen Rioters Killed.**

BOMBAY, Sept. 23.—A revolt has occurred at Cambay, province of Guzerat against the imposition of certain taxes. The troops charged the mob, and in the conflict thirteen of the rioters were killed and twenty injured. Two hundred prisoners were made.

**Matterson Defeats Neilson.**

SYDNEY, N. S. W., Sept. 23.—In a sculling match on the Paramatta river for $1,000 a side, Matterson defeated Neilson.

### BIRCHALL ON TRIAL.

**Taking Testimony in the Famous Benwell Murder Case.**

WOODSTOCK, Ont., Sept. 23.—John Reginald Birchall boldly faced judge and jury in the Oxford County Court of Assizes here and pleaded not guilty to the indictment charging him with the murder of Frederick C. Benwell, in a dismal swamp, near the village of Princeton on February 17th last.

His bearing was in keeping with the circumstances surrounding the crime, which almost outrival the wildest work of fiction, and which was planned and executed with a consummate coolness that is personified in the man himself.

There is intense interest in the case and the town is full of strangers. The court room cannot accommodate one-tenth of the people who desire admittance. The ablest legal talent in the country is engaged on the case—for the prosecution Mr. Cartright, Crown Attorney, with a great reputation, assisted by Benjamin B. Osler. For the defense Mr. Blackstock, who is reputed to be one of the ablest criminal lawyers in Canada, is leader, assisted by Isidore Hellmuth and Mr. Finkle.

The trial promises to be one of the most interesting since that of Maxwell, in St. Louis, a few years ago.

Mr. McDonald, a retired farmer, was the first witness called for the Crown. He testified that he first saw the prisoner in 1888, when he was sent to him as a farm pupil. He then knew the prisoner as F. A. Somerset. He was placed on the farm of Mr. Wilcox, but returned to Mr. McDonald in the morning and said he did not come out to work on a farm. The prisoner subsequently boarded with Mrs. McCabe, and occupied his time driving about. Upon cross-examination the witness stated that Birchall had written to the London firm which he represented, and accused him of defrauding the farm pupils. He had an unpleasantness with Birchall and had loaned him money. The witness contradicted himself on some minor points.

Mrs. Birchall was not in court. All witnesses, except the one testifying, are excluded.

Michael Roell, who was clerk at the Stafford House, Buffalo, at the time Birchell stopped there, died during the morning at Suspension Bridge. His testimony had been taken by a commission.

### NEWS OF THE DAY.

The six raftsmen who were imprisoned on a raft in the St. Lawrence river were rescued.

Seven persons dead and eight others likely to die are the results of the railroad accident in Chicago.

In a riot between miners at Scottdale, Pa., one man was fatally stabbed and several others badly injured.

Ebenezer E. Curtis died at Simsbury, Conn., aged 68 years. He was a member of the Connecticut Legislature in 1882.

George Shafer, a weak-minded boy at St. Louis, Mo., shot and killed Henry Gratton, who had called him "Crazy George."

The National Association of Trotting Horse Breeders will hold their annual meeting September 30 and October 1, 2 and 3 in Cleveland, Ohio.

Louis Kemeline, a prisoner in the Cooperstown (N. Y.) Jail, assaulted Sheriff Talmadge in an endeavor to escape, inflicting serious injuries.

John Riding died in Amsterdam, N. Y., yesterday at the age of 65 years. He was a veteran soldier and was taken prisoner at the battle of Bull Run.

James B. Lang, the Treasurer of Ontario County, has been arrested at Toronto charged with the embezzlement of $8,000 of the county's funds.

Charles Stevens, a stone carver, fell 70 feet from the tower of the new university library building at Ithaca, N. Y. He escaped with a broken ankle.

Mrs. Emma Cooper, formerly of Lockport, Ill., has fall heir to an estate of $9,000,000 in England. She is now in Fulton, N. Y., where she keeps a dry goods store. Her maiden name was Garlic.

The Oakland bank, corner of Cottage Grove avenue and Oakwood boulevard, about three miles from the center of Chicago, has suspended payment. Liabilities, $60,000; nominal assets, $75,000. President Johnston of the bank is of the opinion that the creditors will get at least 75 per cent. of their claims.

**Weather Indications.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 23.—For New England: Fair; stationary temperature; variable winds generally southerly.

For Eastern New York: Fair, except light rain in southern portion, stationary temperature; variable winds, generally southerly.

For Eastern Pennsylvania and New Jersey: Light rains, preceded by fair in Western Pennsylvania, stationary temperature variable winds.

For Western New York and Western Pennsylvania: Fair, followed by rain in Western Pennsylvania: stationary temperature variable winds.

### NEW YORK MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Sept. 22.—Money on call to-day 4 and 5 per cent.

BONDS.

| | Closing Saturday. | Closing To-day. |
|---|---|---|
| 4½s, 1891 Reg | 104¼ | 104 |
| 4½s, 1891 Coup | 104¼ | 104 |
| 4 s, 1907 Reg | 123 | 123 |
| 4 s, 1907 Coup | 124 | 124 |

STOCK MARKET.

| | Closing Saturday. | Closing To-day |
|---|---|---|
| Canadian Pacific | 80 | 80¾ |
| Central Pacific | ..... | ..... |
| Chicago, Bur. & Quincy | 97¼ | 96⅝ |
| Delaware & Hudson | 144¼ | 143¾ |
| Del. Lack. & Western | 128 | 128 |
| Erie | 20¾ | 20¾ |
| Erie pref | 60 | 60 |
| Lake Shore | 107¼ | 107¼ |
| Louis. & Nash | 80¾ | 80⅝ |
| Michigan Central | 93⅝ | 93⅝ |
| Missouri Pacific | 74¾ | 75 |
| New Jersey Central | ..... | 118½ |
| Northwestern | 108¾ | 108¾ |
| Oregon Navigation | 86¼ | 86 |
| Pacific Mail | ..... | 45¾ |
| Reading | 41¾ | 41⅝ |
| Rock Island | 82¾ | 82⅝ |
| St. Paul | 67⅝ | 67 |
| Union Pacific | ..... | 55 |

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## BY THE WAY.

—Further developments concerning the telephone pole war in the Borough will appear in THE PRESS in due time.

—Ruffles are being revived this Fall for women's wear in many materials, of which feathers seem to be the favorite.

—Members of the Young Men's Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A., are reminded of their meeting at the Association rooms this evening.

—Jeremiah Manning and wife and Wm. M. Sandford and wife have sold to John B. Mills, land on Sandford avenue, Plainfield, 50x198 feet for $1,250.

—The Crescent managers should most certainly grant the West Ends the privilege of bringing a brass band with them next Saturday, and should provide seats for them.

—Edward Warren, of East Front street, was run into by another bicyclist, while riding his wheel, Saturday evening, and his right arm was so severely sprained that he still has to carry it in a sling.

—Dixon's Tourists in the ever popular society play of "East Lynne, or The Elopement," at the Amphion Theatre, to-night. To-morrow evening Tom Taylor's masterpiece, "Ticket of Leave Man."

—The first peace dance of Miantonomo Tribe, No. 118, Improved Order of Red Men, will be held in The Crescent "on the sleep of the Ninth Sun of Traveling Moon, G. S. D. 399," Thursday evening, Oct. 9.

—The suit of Shotwell vs Rice for libel, was called today at Somerville, but subsequently adjourned until the December term because of the unavoidable absence of certain important witnesses for the defence.

—The rage for cane and umbrella heads of remarkable shape and size, or conspicuous, grotesque and costly mountings, has gone so far that a reaction is expected this Winter, and a modest cane will be the correct thing.

—A new material called rubber velvet is made by sprinkling powdered felt of any color over rubber cloth while the latter is hot and soft. The result looks like felt cloth, but is elastic, waterproof and exceedingly light.

—The third anniversary and lunch box sociable of Franklin Council, No. 41, Jr. O.U.A. M., will be held in Amphion Hall, instead of Central Hall, as was mentioned heretofore in these columns, on October 6, at eight o'clock.

—At last night's meeting of the Hope Chapel Temperance Club it was decided to change the meeting night from Monday to Tuesday. One young man signed the Club pledge, and five juveniles became associate members.

—Thomas Keller won the silver cake basket yesterday, by killing 17 out of 20 birds at Campbell's grounds. It has now been won consecutively by S. G. Smith, E. Teeple and T. H. Keller. It must be won twice to be owned.

—Messrs Doud and Rice, who are the foreman of construction for the Water Works Company of Plainfield, have been awarded a contract for laying about five miles of water mains in South Orange, and expect to begin work to-morrow.

—Amateur photographers who have passed the apprenticeship period find scope for artistic taste in making complex photographs. A sky taken at one time, a landscape at another, and a figure somewhere else, are combined in one picture, with splendid effect in some cases.

—Quite a large audience greeted the Dixon Tourist company upon the occasion of their first night, at Amphion Theatre, last evening. The play was "Kathleen," well acted by a versatile cast. Tonight will be given "East Lynne." The prices are low, but the company includes many high grade people.

—An officer of the Reading Railroad makes the important point that up to the accident of last week no passenger on that road had ever been injured who kept his seat. The moral is clear. If you are a passenger on the Reading Railroad, no matter if the train rolls down an embankment, retain your presence of mind and your seat.

—"Fair time," says the Flemington *Democrat*, "brings many of our old friends to Flemington. A pleasant call last Thursday from our former fellow-townsman, Wilson F. Culper, who has located in Plainfield, reminds us that he is engaged in the grocery business in that city. He is fully competent in that line, as he has had a large experience in this town Success to him."

—The Bible class for ladies which has been carried on for the last two years, will begin its third year of study Friday afternoon, Sept, 26, at 4:30 o'clock, in the Y. M. C. A. rooms, East Front street. A short meeting will be held for organization purposes, and for the consideration of plans of study. All ladies who would like to become members of this class are invited to be present at that time.

### Two Boys and a Runaway Horse.

A horse owned by P. J. Zeglio, from over the mountain, ran away on West Fifth street yesterday afternoon, overturned the buggy to which it was attached and dragged the buggy, with two boys underneath it, several blocks. The boys had their garments soiled, and were somewhat bruised, but when the horse broke away from the torn harness and broken buggy and they were given a chance to crawl out they had life enough left to give the horse a vigorous chase. They were gleeful when it was caught.

## A CUP OF POISON FOR TWO.

### An Inhuman Father Seeks to Kill Himself and Offspring.

The charge of attempted murder has been made against Henry Hess, of North Plainfield, by his wife, who has promised to swear to her complaint this afternoon.

The statement of Mrs. Hess, in which she is corroborated by her daughters, is that Hess went home a day or two ago, infuriated because his wife had testified against him for drunkenness and abuse, and deliberately announced that he intended putting himself out of the way. Then, she continues, he poured a quantity of wine into a glass, filled up the vial with rat poison, grinned sardonically, and prepared to execute his threat. Just as his hand clutched at the fatal draught his terrified wife sprang forward, threw herself on the floor before him, and pleaded with him to desist.

Gloating over the woman's misery, the monster bethought himself of a way to add still further to her poignant anguish. The four children of the family were all at hand. Three were the offspring of the first husband of Mrs. Hess. The fourth was a young child by her present marriage, and the one she calls her dearest.

Hess caught the little one up from the floor, his wife alleges, and forced the cup of poison to its lips. The child clinched its teeth, and turned its head aside. Some of the liquid was spilled. The father grew furious, and tried hard to make his baby daughter drink. The mother, who had been spell-bound with affright, recovered her energies, leaped frantically upon the man, and with superhuman strength tore the child from his grasp. She and the children then fled from the room, leaving him alone.

Last night Hess was arrested for nonpayment of a fine of $10 inflicted last week. He is still in the borough lock-up, and will be served with a warrant on the charge of attempted murder as soon as his wife signs the complaint.

## PARTICULAR MENTION.

Miss Minnie L. Force, of North avenue, is visiting Miss Jennie Voorhees, of Brooklyn.

Miss Grosscup, of Pennsylvania, has recently been appointed operator at the Fanwood station.

Mrs. Francis C. Agans, of Three Bridges, is visiting friends in this city and Dunellen, for a few days.

George Wharton Edwards, of Plainfield, has a delightful story, charmingly illustrated by himself, in *The Cosmopolitan* for October. The title is "A Brabantian Happening."

A. R. Randolph, aged 71, died at Summit Sunday. Funeral services will be held at the Summit Baptist church tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock. Interment will follow in Plainfield.

Dr. Edward Rushmore and Carman Panse are at "The Antlers," Raquette Lake, N. Y. The former writes that the latter has improved greatly in all respects even beyond his expectation.

Chief Doane, J. E. Turrill, J. B. Gable and August Saltzman, are delegates from this city to the State Convention of Firemen's Relief Associations, held at Trenton, to-morrow. They left Plainfield this afternoon.

### An Evening of Art and Eloquence at Reform Hall.

Those who failed to attend Professor Donald Downie's illustrated lecture on Napoleon Bonaparte, last evening, missed a rare treat. From his last Winter's season at the Union Square Theatre, New York, he had brought the highest encomiums of the press, but no one was prepared for anything quite so finished as his effort of last evening.

About 100 superbly colored views that passed during the course of an hour and a half, which seemed too short, and an eloquent discourse that ran without a moment's flagging through a subject in which he is thoroughly posted; then, a series of wonderful dissolving views, moving figures, sailing ships, dancing skeletons, magic hands writing mysterious characters on the great screen, and closing with a display of the masterpieces from the art galleries of Europe and the Paris Exposition. This was what they missed who staid away and what was thoroughly enjoyed by a large audience who interrupted the lecturer by frequent rounds of applause.

Prof. Downie has been requested to remain one more evening in Reform Hall, and to-night will give his hearers a tour through the picturesque scenes of Ireland and Scotland. On Thursday evening he closes with a benefit to the Warren Union Mission in their chapel, with his trip to Japan.

### Put Up to be Knocked Down.

After the publication in these columns yesterday of the nomination of John Kean, Jr., the following telegram was received by City Clerk Coward of this city, who was appointed by the convention to notify Mr. Kean:

J. B. Coward, Esq.—I appreciate the honor, but cannot give the time necessary for a proper canvass, so must decline.

JOHN KEAN, JR.

The declination of Mr. Kean was announced to the convention. After a short recess Hon. Amos Clark, of Elizabeth, was nominated by acclamation and accepted.

The *news*, however, acknowledges that there is no hope for Clark. This following is from the *news* of yesterday:

GRISSENHEIMER UNANIMOUSLY ELECTED.

ELIZABETH, N. J., Sept. 23d. (Special)—At the Congressional election to-day Geissenheimer was unanimously elected!

### Some Prominent Plainsfielders on the Juries.

The following are the names of those from this city selected to serve on the struck juries to try the race track associations and bookmakers. There are nine indictments. Two against the associations for keeping disorderly houses, and the others are against the bookmakers. John Nathan, one of the defendants, has died since the indictment was found.

The State vs. The New Jersey Jockey Club. William Sterling, Daniel W. Littell, Dorsey W. Hyde, Ephraim Miller, Howard L. Emerson, Joseph W. Sandford.

The State vs. the Linden Park Blood Horse association. George W. F. Randolph, Robert J. Livingston, Pliny Fisk, Harry G Runkle, John E. Stewart.

The State vs. Ike S. Thompson. Robert S. Manning, John M. Crane, J. Smith Garretson.

The State vs. Joseph L. Anderson. Robert S Manning, John M. Crane, Howard L. Emerson, Joseph W. Sandford, John E. Stewart.

The State vs. John Nathan. Daniel W. Littell, Leonard Spangenberg, Albert G. Thorn, John M. Crane, Ephraim Miller, Pliny Fisk John E. Stewart.

The State vs Robert G. Irving Daniel W. Littell, George W. F. Randolph, Dorsey W. Hyde, George W. Runk, Joseph T. Vail, Pliny Fisk, Harry G. Runkle.

The State vs. Henry Stedeker. J. Smith Garretson.

The State vs. George Johnson. B. Frank Coriell, Daniel S. Roberts, Ephriam Miller.

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### The Hon. John Kean, Jr., Has Both Eyes on the Water Works Plant, Today.

The train arriving in Plainfield this morning at 11:58, deposited at the station Hon. John Kean, Jr., and Counselor Frank Bergen, of Elizabeth, the new members of the board of directors of the Plainfield Water Supply Co., whose election and the subsequent choice of Mr. Bergen as President of the Board, has already been exclusively told of in these columns.

These two gentlemen took a carriage at the station and drove about the city. It might have been only a coincidence, but the route they took was the same as that laid down by the Water Works company for their street mains. Mr. Kean sat on the back seat, and Mr. Bergen in front. The former was seen to frequently wave his hand to the right or left while speaking, as though asserting that Mr. Kean of the Water Supply Co., would change this plan of the Water Works Co., or intimating that he approved of that.

The "New company," which THE PRESS has already explained is a combination of Contract and Charter owners, has not yet submitted to the Water Board a proposition of what they are willing to do. Messrs Kean, Bergen and other directors will hold a meeting this afternoon and probably drew up such a proposition. As soon as it is received by Messrs Newhall and Rushmore, they will call a meeting of the Council and submit it. Then the Council will or will not approve, as they see fit.

### A Chowder Party of Royal Arcanumites.

The "informal clam chowder" given at the rooms of Plainfield Council, Royal Arcanum, last evening, was understood to be District Deputy, Grand Regent, A. W. Rand's treat, and it was a fine one. Wm. H. Lyon and Charles Kellogg, of the Committee on the Good of the Order, attended to the lay out and its service in a way that thoroughly satisfied every inner-man present.

Besides this feast of material good things, there was a feast of good things for the mind. The large delegation of members present from Fireside Council of Westfield, came up loaded with a programme of entertainment. Of this, of course, the best was Editor Pearsall's recitations. Past Regent Grant, also, was much appreciated, and the music all round was good. E. M. Bodman delivered one of those most interesting addresses of his that are always so highly enjoyed.

### Disastrous Ending of a Scotch Plains Sunday Frolic.

A stage containing eighteen people, returning to Newark from Scotch Plains, Sunday evening, was precipitated twenty feet down an embankment at the side of the road, near Springfield, and was completely overturned. Five of the occupants were injured. Joseph Bundy's shoulder was broken, and his wife's collar bone fractured and head cut. Moses Chadwick was severely bruised, and his wife's wrist was broken, and Thomas Sheaf had his left knee fractured. The injured were cared for by residents of Springfield for the night, and yesterday were conveyed to their homes in Newark.

### Doctor and Mariner Each Kill a Deer.

On Saturday last, Dr. Daniel Cory Adams of Grove street, and Captain Benjamin Doane of LaGrande avenue, each shot a real deer. They had been in camp in the Adirondacks, some miles from Raquette Lake, for some days, but up to Saturday had only secured small game and a lot of big trout.

### Gone, but Not Regretted.

After Wiegand's wretched display of ball playing and base running, Saturday, a number of the team stated they would not play with him again. The Crescents' managers thereupon wrote him that his services would be dispensed with in the future.

### Minstrels Thursday.

W. S. Cleveland's Consolidated Minstrels will appear at Music Hall, Thursday evening. The organization is of exceptional strength, containing many well known favorites of the burnt cork profession. The first part has a lavish and very beautiful setting, while the costumes of the performers are simply gorgeous. Billy Emerson, Barney Fagan, Hughey Dougherty and Luke Schoolcraft are the end men and a funnier quartette of humorists is never seen. Prominent among the singers are: Signor Benedetto, a wonderful male soprano, and Haydon Tilla, a fine vocalist.

The second part is full of entertaining novelties, among which are: "The Alpine Mountaineers," Fields and Hanson, "The Phantom Cuirassiers," Billy Emerson's specialties, and Griffin and Marks The performance of the Craggs, the British gentlemen acrobats, is simply wonderful and must be seen to be appreciated.

### John Burns and Labor Organizations.

LONDON, Sept. 23.—In a speech at a large labor meeting at Battersea, John Burns declared that out of 2,000 strikes during 1889 only thirty had been unsuccessful. He regarded the outlook as highly encouraging for great improvement in the condition of workingmen. The activity with which the organization of labor is progressing is indicated by the fact that 117 new unions have been registered during the past twenty months.

### An Empress to Cross the Atlantic.

LONDON, Sept. 23.—Spanish advices state that the Empress of Austria, now traveling in Europe incognita, will shortly cross the Atlantic in the same fashion and visit Cuba. Whether she will extend her visit to America is not stated. The Empress traveled through England as Mrs. Nicholson, but frequently changes her name.

### Actress Marie Hock Poisoned.

BERLIN, Sept. 23.—The actress Marie Hock, who made her debut in New York, died here from the effects of poison, administered as the result of a blunder on the part of either her physician or a chemist. An official inquiry to determine the responsibility for the fatal mistake is in progress.

### Victim of an Organized Plot.

DUBLIN, Sept. 23.—Mr. Wm. O'Brien writes to the secretary of the John Daly Amnesty Committee of Tipperary that he has been for some time in communication with an Englishman of much eminence at Birmingham, who has discovered startling proofs that Daly was the victim of an organized plot on the part of the Irish police and their emissaries. This statement is based on the authority of the chief constable of one of the principal cities of the kingdom, whose confession has been sent to Home Secretary Matthews. Daly is serving a sentence of life imprisonment for dynamiting.

### Robbed the Hotel Safe.

ALLENTOWN, Pa., Sept. 23.—The Sixth Ward Hotel safe was robbed last night of $1,176 in cash and gold watches valued at $600. The thief knew the combination.

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## WANTS AND OFFERS.

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WANTED—Good general servant; to a suitable person good wages will be given; small family. Mrs. A. K. Gardiner, Fanwood, N. J.

A NEW flat and store to let, corner Richmond and 3d streets. Apply to Peter Cassidy, No. 207 East Front street. 9 23 6

SITUATION wanted by a competent woman as attendant; useful companion; housekeeper; governess in charge of orphan children. References. Mrs. Bassett, care of Mrs. H. Opdyke.

LOST, Saturday afternoon, a diamond fly-pin, with turquoise in center on gold bar, with pearl end. Please return to Mrs. G. C. Miller, Fanwood, N. J.

TWO DOLLARS A MONTH—A sweet toned, 7 octave, Fischer Piano. Address "Bolyst," Plainfield postoffice. 9 23 2

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COLUMBIA Safety Bicycle for sale. Been used two months. Apply at PRESS office. 9 23 3

A VERY desirably located, corner flat to rent. Near station. Apply at THE PRESS office. 9 21 5

FOR SALE—A second hand piano, in good condition. Inquire 107 Park avenue. 9 22 tf

LADIES doing their own dressmaking or employing plain seamstress, can secure perfect fit and pattern for future use. Taylor system. Miss A. T. Buckley, 27 West 4th street. 9 22 tf

FURNISHED rooms to let. Apply at 29 West Front street. 9 22 4

WANTED—Washing and ironing at home, or by the day: $1.25 per day. 18 East Second street. 9 22 2

WANTED—Competent girl for general house work in family of four adults. Apply at No. 50 East 6th street. 9 22 2

WANTED—Girl for general housework. References required. Apply at number one Myrtle avenue, North Plainfield. 9 17 tf

ROOMS, with or without board. 21 West 2d street. 9 16 2w

RYE WANTED—Highest market price paid H. W. French, 7 E. 4th street 9 11 tf

FOR SALE—A Restaurant, doing a good paying business. Reason for selling, illness of proprietress. Inquire at Boston Cafe, No. 7 Somerset street. 9 6 tf

STORAGE for furniture in separate rooms. Apply to C. Frank French, 69 somerset st. 9 2 tf

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An excellent Company.

Tickets for sale at Guttman's Segar Store.

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A handsome new Body Brussels, offered at $1 00 and $1 10.

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THIRD—Prices will be the lowest ever offered—bargains being offered daily below cost. Sale closes September 1.

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## THE CENTRAL'S EXTENSIONS.

**Important Changes Again Reported as Soon to be Made by That Company.**

A despatch from Newark to the Elizabeth *Journal*, says that the proposed extensions of the Central railroad, which have so long been talked of, have been under serious consideration by the officers of the company within the last few days, and as the matter looks at present the long contemplated changes will soon be made. These changes are of the first importance to a large section of the neighborhood of this city. It is proposed to make the Newark and New York railroad a part of the main line at Fanwood. The connecting line will cross Broad street at the present terminus of the Newark and New York railroad, and will run in a southerly direction between Washington and Plane streets, thence around the foot of Clinton hill to Wyoming and Fanwood. This line will run around the foot of the Orange mountains near Milburn and through Springfield. Over it all through Central and Baltimore and Ohio trains will run. The old line will be used mainly for the transportation of freight.

From Wyoming a branch road will be built, running between the second mountains and the hills, through Milburn, crossing Livingston township at Washington place, and thence to Morristown. The building of this line will prove a serious blow to the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western's monopoly of traffic in the region beyond Morristown.

The line from Fanwood to Wyoming will be extended up the valley between the first and second mountains to connect with the Greenwood Lake railroad at Great Notch, and from that point through the town of Little Falls to Paterson, where it will connect with the main line of the Erie railroad.

This extension will open up a new route for transportation of coal from the mines in Carbon county, Pa., to New York State and New England, by way of Easton, the Erie railroad and the Central. All the proposed lines will pass through a very fertile country, which stands much in need of railroad facilities for its proper development.

It is said that the greater part of the right of way for the new roads has been secured, and in addition that property owners along the proposed route have promised large money contributions for the construction of the lines.

### "Advertising Pays!"

That is what Secretary Muirheid of the Inter-State Fair Association told a PRESS reprentative recently. "Yes, sir; it pays, and you can't do too much of it.

"We have a fine plant, our buildings are commodious, our entries large, our attractions novel and interesting; everything points to the most successful issue the Inter-State Fair has ever had. But what good would all these things be if the public didn't know about them? Our advertising bill is going to be bigger than it was last year, and it made us gasp then when we saw it. But it brought the people, and they were all so well pleased that they are ready to hear and believe us this year. And if printer's ink can convey any impression of the immensity of preparation for '90, the people of New Jersey are going to flock to the Fair this year.

"It's the only way to make this Fair succeed. We are doing enough to attract the whole population of this State, and if we can only let everybody know what we are doing, everybody will come. So look out for us; just watch the newspapers and bill-boards and see what the Inter-State Fair people are doing."

This fair held at Trenton with such wonderful success last year, advertised in THE PRESS then and of course does so again now.

### A Plainfielder Who Knows About Dates.

"J. E. E." sends a letter dated Plainfield, September 7, to *The New York Times*, concerning "A Calculation in Dates" as follows:

In your issue of today, you publish under the heading of "A Coincidence" (which is credited to the *Christian Advocate*) the following statement:

"The Rev. Gideon F. Draper died on Sunday the 8th day of December last, and his father died on the same day of the week and month in the year 1861. The grandson of the last named, who wrote of these facts from Japan, says that this coincidence of the day of the week and month occurs only once in twenty-eight years."

The above is not the exact text of the statement, but is sufficient for my purpose. The grandson is in error, as he would have found out had he made a small mental calculation before making the statement, as the 8th day of December fell on Sunday in three years between 1861 and 1883, and not including those years. Had the deaths occurred in 1860 and 1888 respectively, and on the 29th of February, then there might have been a somewhat remarkable coincidence of days and dates, as the 29th day of February falls on the same day once only in every twenty-eight years. Other days and dates recur much more frequently. Take for instance the 31st of December in 1864. It was the last day of the week, month and year, and the same thing occurred again in 1870, 1881 and 1887, and will occur again in 1892 and 1898 of the present century.

### Frank Linke Fined for Illegal Liquor Selling.

Frank Linke was fined $25 by City Judge Codington, this morning, as a result of his recent conviction on the charge of selling liquor to a minor. Linke either thinks that the punishment is excessive, or that he ought not to be punished at all, for he has given notice that he will appeal the case to a higher Court. Police Captain Grant, however, who worked hard to secure the evidence which convicted Linke, thinks the fine was not nearly heavy enough.

—The customary Fall rush for household servants has set in again.

## THE LAST OF THE PEACH CROP.

**Preserving Fruit The Feature This Week—Cheap Grades of Fruit.**

The peach season of 1890 is almost a thing of the past. Not for thirty years has there been such a failure. With the exception of a few orchards in Hunterdon, Morris, Warren and Sussex counties, the peach trees of this State have been barren. The great peach-growing sections of Maryland, Delaware, and Pennsylvania have also been without peaches. A few thousand baskets have been grown in the Hudson River Valley, a few in Connecticut, and nearly a full crop in the Catawba islands in Lake Erie. A few are now ripening in Canada and in Niagara county in New York State. Had the entire crop of the country ripened on one day and been sent on that day to the market, the gross crop would not have made the usual daily supply for the market. Considering the scarcity, the prices obtained have not been large, and many who have during the season bought growing crops paid more for the fruit to the grower than they received from the retailer. When good peaches can be wholesaled at from 2 to 3 cents per pound, 100,000 baskets daily can be marketed in this city; at double that price not 10,000 baskets can be sold, and when from 10 to 15 cents per pound is demanded 1,000 baskets daily is an adundance.

The last of the Smock peaches will reach the markets this week, and it will be exceedingly difficult to get any of this much-esteemed preserving variety after Wednesday or Thursday. There is a peach much resembling the Smock in color, shape, and size which ripens later and is oftentimes sold for the Smock. It is the Solway. For canning or preserving it not so good as the Smock, but for eating uncooked it is preferable to it. The first of this variety will come to market with the last of the Smocks and the two will be frequently mixed together. They may be had all this week and some will be at hand next week. The best Smocks and Solways will be those from the Catawba islands. The ten days of rain effectually destroyed all chances of any peaches grown in this State from properly ripening. The Catawba island peaches will be wholesaled at from $1 to $1.25 per basket containing eight quarts each. There will be some delicious peaches from the Hudson River Valley this week, but they will sell for very high prices and be bought in most cases by New York's Broadway fruiterers.

### Washingtonville Whispers.

French's flouring mills have again changed proprietors, N. W. French having bought out the interest of his father in the mill, which will be run in connection with his business in Plainfield. Charles Amerman will have charge of the mill. M. H. French has run the mills more than fifty years. He will now enjoy a well-earned rest.

The New Jersey Postal Telegraph company has a force of men setting poles and stringing wires on a new line to connect at Basking Ridge with a line running to Morristown and the other large towns on the line of the Morris and Essex Railroad. The line passes over the historic Washington Rock grounds, within sight of where Washington viewed the belligerant armies on the plains below. It is hoped that the committee having the erection of the statue in charge will be able to place it in position before the Centennial of 1893, so that those who do not go to Chicago may visit the finest lookout in the State.

The Misses Julia E. and Adaline Betz, of Harlem, spent a short visit with their friends, the Bartells.

Miss Nana Fischer, of New York, is the guest of her uncle, John H, Koch, at his pleasant home.

Our genial host, George Demler, is the victim of a severe cold, caught during the late unpleasant weather.

JOSH BING.

### Will Neither Eat Nor Drink To-morrow.

The fast of Yom Kippur, or Day of Atonement, which is almost universally observed by the Hebrew community, will begin this evening and continue twenty-four hours. During this period the orthodox Jew allows neither food nor drink to pass his lips, and he spends the entire day in the synagogue, which is open for continous service from early in the morning until sunset. The fast is not so rigidly observed by the Reformed Jews, and the services are divided into morning and afternoon exercises. All the orthodox synagogues and reformed temples will be open for divine service this evening and to-morrow, and the services are the most solemn and impressive in the Jewish ritual.

### One of New Jersey's Dead Letter Laws.

The time for the New Jersey State Fair at Waverly is at hand. An Inter-State fair will also be held at Trenton, and about every county in the State has arranged for its own local fair. Every one of these fairs, and every fair that will be held during the Winter in the parlors of a church will be in violation of a State law, the wording of which is brief and sententious. It reads: "That no fair or fairs shall hereafter be held in any city, town, or place in this State." The law is still on the statute books of the State, and has never been repealed. The date of its passage is January 27, 1797. The reasons for its enactment remain shrouded in the mists of antiquity.—*N. Y. Sun.*

For Sick or Bilious Headache, use Dr. Pierce's Pellets, or Anti-bilious Granules; Purely Vegetable and perfectly harmless. One a dose

## A QUARREL.

**How Bob and Bessie Were Naughty and How They Became Good Again.**

Bob and Bessie were happy for a little while. Mamma had given them a big book full of pictures. She told them they might take their paints and brushes and color the pictures.

So Bob and Bessie sat down by their little table and began to work.

"I am going to paint this picture just as I want to," said Bessie. "I shall make the girl's dress blue."

"No, don't!" said Bob; "it must be red."

"Blue! it's going to be blue!" screamed Bessie.

"Red!" shouted Bob.

"I say it shall be blue!" said Bessie, stamping her foot.

"It sha'n't!" said Bob, in a louder tone.

"It shall!" said Bessie, still more earnest.

With that Bob jumped up and ran away with the book and hid it in a closet.

Bessie seated herself on the table with her lips stuck out and an ugly scowl on her face. Bob sat down on the table, too, with his back to Bessie, and here they are—two naughty children.

They did not speak a word for a long time—they pouted.

Baby sat on the floor looking at brother and sister. Baby had wise blue eyes. She saw that something was wrong. At last she spoke in a soft voice: "Poor Bessie! poor Bobbie! Bessie ky? Bobbie ky?" Baby looked up at them in such a sweet, funny way as she said it, that it made Bob and Bessie both laugh.

BOB AND BESSIE.

They jumped down from the table and ran to Baby and kissed her. They called her "Little Tootsie," and kissed her cheeks and mouth and eyes and nose.

They made such a stir that Dickey wanted to help, so he struck up and sang with all his might, "Cheer up! cheer up! cheer up!"

Then Bob and Bessie laughed again. Baby laughed too, and clapped her little hands.

Bob went and got the book. He said: "Bess, come on; you may make the dress blue."

"No, Bobby dear," said Bessie, with her very sweetest smile, "this dress shall be red—all red."

Then they both kissed each other, and the red sun, who was just going to bed peeped in and kissed them too.

They were all happy once more—Bob and Bessie and Baby and birdie.

MRS. C. M. LIVINGSTON.

## TWO GOOD STORIES.

**Tommy's Version of an Old Fable and Charlie's Bright Answers.**

Here is Tommy's version of "The Ox and the Frog:"

"A ox tramped on a frog and squashed him. His brothers and sisters ran home and told their mother; and she said: 'How big was he?' and they said: 'Awful big;' and she said: 'As big as this?' and swelled herself out; and they said: 'If you do that again you'll bust;' and the ole fule done it again and busted.

"Moral—Never make a fule of yourself."

Charlie S. is a very bright boy and never at a loss for an excuse. He is also something of a naturalist. Walking along with a young lady one day he heard a tree-toad suddenly begin its shrill chirp. "It will rain within twenty-four hours," he announced, oracularly. "That is a sure sign—never known to fail." His predictions were received in good faith, but after twenty-four hours of remarkably pleasant weather he was taken to task about his prediction. "Oh, well," he replied instantly, in an injured tone, "the tree-toad lied. I am not responsible for his morals." Another time, having been requested to perform some little service, he came to receive his reward. His father offered him his choice between a silver dime and an old-fashioned copper cent. "I have always been taught to take the smallest piece," he remarked, gravely, pocketing the dime.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

### Guimbobo.

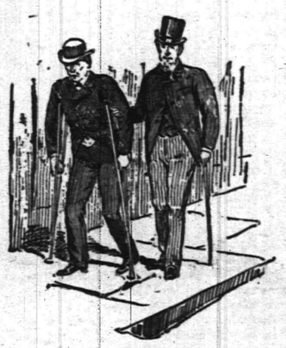
The Belgian legation at Mexico has recently reported to the Belgian Government on the subject of guimbobo, known also as angu, which is found in the State of Vera Cruz, a plant which should be included in the category of all the varieties of Mexican textiles. The guimbobo or angu produces not only a fiber of very superior quality, but can be easily and cheaply cultivated; moreover, the fruit of the plant constitutes a nutritious food. It appears from experiments that have already been made that the guimbobo differs essentially from the ramie, cotton and hemp, as in the guimbobo the covering of the plant surrounds the fiber, and is not mixed up and interlaced with it; this constitutes a decided economy, added to great facility in extraction and utilization. The structure of the plant permits of the operations of separating and removing the bark being performed by machinery, while in the other fibrous plants these operations are difficult, at the same time very costly, and only possible in countries where there is a large number of hands available and cheap. The fiber of the guimbobo has a luster similar to that of silk, and is undoubtedly finer and stronger, with a creamy color between white and straw color.—Scientific American.

### Insomnia.

Insomnia, or sleeplessness, is so common a complaint—most people having at least occasional attacks of it—and the discomfort and resulting injury to health which are to be charged to it are so serious a matter, that any thing which is offered as a remedy is apt to receive attentive consideration. It happens that most of the antidotes or preventives which have been proposed, so far as our observation goes, are of so simple and inexpensive a character that any one may try them without severe effort or material outlay. Here is one such remedy, which some one has presented to suffering humanity, with such positive assurance of its efficacy as to inspire a hope in the breast of the most despondent victim. We quote the prescription, as follows: "The most potent and most perfect remedy for sleeplessness is to drink hot water. If one awakes in the night, as hopelessly wide awake as if galvanized or electrified with vital activity, an invariable remedy is a glass of perfectly hot—not warm—water. It can be heated over the gas, or over a spirit lamp, and sipped while almost at boiling heat, and one who tries it will find himself going off to sleep like an infant, and getting, too, the most restful and peaceful sleep imaginable."—Mechanical News.

### A Waterproof Whitewash.

Resenschek, of Munich, mixes together the powder from three parts of silicious rock (quartz), three parts of broken marble and sandstone, also two parts of burned porcelain clay, with two parts of freshly slaked lime, still warm. In this way a wash is made which forms a silicate if often wetted, and becomes, after a time, almost like stone. The four constituents, mixed together, give the ground color, to which any pigment that can be used with lime is added. It is applied quite thickly to the wall or other surface, let dry one day, and the next day frequently covered with water, which makes it waterproof. This wash can be cleansed with water without losing any of its color; on the contrary, each time it gets harder, so that it can even be brushed, while its porosity makes it look soft. The wash, or calcimine, can be used for ordinary purposes, as well as for the finest painting. A so-called fresco surface can be prepared with it in the dry way.




## Paralyzed!

How often do we hear of persons being suddenly stricken with paralysis? But such persons, although apparently stricken suddenly, *had in all cases been warned* for months by premonitory symptoms, which, if they had heeded and cured by the proper remedy, would have prevented the fatal result. *Paralysis is often curable*, but it can always be prevented if taken in time.

Among the first symptoms will be noticed a *nervousness or restlessness* with *weak and tired feeling* in the limbs and *general sense of exhaustion*; any unwonted exertion will be followed by *great fatigue*, and the *weakness* will be very marked. These symptoms will often be accompanied by feeling in the head, and the person often *wakes each morning more tired and languid than on retiring*. As the diseases progresses there will be a *coldness ness and bad circulation in the feet and limbs*, followed, after a time, by a slight *numbness or tingling*, at first hardly noticeable, but gradually becoming more and more marked. Among the first symptoms, also, are a *weakness, tired feeling or trembling of the limbs*, with an *exhausted sensation*.

**A Marvellous Cure of Paralysis.**

This certifies that I was stricken with paralysis of the left side in 1866; and have since that time been under the treatment of many physicians *and tried various remedies. I could not, in all* the years that have passed since stricken, lift my left foot from the floor. I commenced taking Dr. Greene's Nervura, and am now able to walk without a cane, having good use of my foot and side, so long useless. Dr. Greene's Nervura has *cured me of my terrible trouble.*

ALEXANDER HORN,
Marine Asylum, Philadelphia, Pa.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 21st day of December, A. D., 2887,
J. S. PHILLIPS, Notary Public.

**Another Remarkable Cure.**

I had a stroke of paralysis. The suffering I endured was unbearable. My speech was impaired, my mouth drawn to one side, and the pains in my head were maddening. I used Dr. Greene's Nervura, and before I had used a bottle I felt a marked improvement, and now I feel myself again. It gives me great pleasure to recommend all troubled with nervous complaints, or any similar affliction to mine, to use this really wonderful medicine. Dr. Greene's Nervura.

PAULINE ROE,
806 7th ave. New York city.

Proofs like these are an almost certain guarantee that all similarly affected can be cured by this wonderful remedy. *Do not hesitate for a moment* when perfect restoration to health is within reach. By no means neglect the first symptoms, for they surely lead to prostration and paralysis. Save yourself from the terrible disease *while there is time*. If you are suffering from any nervous disease, like *nervousness, nervous and physical exhaustion, sleeplessness, nervous debility, mental depression, neuralgia nervous or sick headache, heart disease, dyspepsia, indigestion, loss of appetite*, or weakness and debility, by all means use this wonderful remedy and prevent a serious or fatal issue. Dr. Greene's Nervura is purely vegetable and perfectly harmless, and is for sale at druggists for $1.00 per bottle.

Dr. Greene of 35 West Fourteenth street, New York, its discoverer, is the famous specialist in the cure of nervous and chronic diseases. The doctor has devoted special attention to the treatment of all forms of chronic disease through letter correspondence, and will give by mail his opinion and advice in any case free of charge. The perfection of this system renders a complete cure almost assured, as his success in treatment by correspondence is wonderful and unequalled. Send for symptom blank to fill out, or write him about your case.

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A little maid with sweet blue eyes
Looked upward with a shy surprise
Because I asked her name;
Awhile she bent her golden head,
While o'er her face soft blushes spread
Like some swift rosy flame;
Then, looking up, she softly said:
"My name is Mamma's Darling."

"Tell me your mother's name, my dear,"
And stooping low I paused to hear.
The little maid seemed musing;
"Why, mamma's name's like mine, you know.
But just because we love her so
We call her Mamma Darling."

"Tell me your papa's name," I cried;
The little maiden's eyes grew wide;
"My papa? Don't you know?
Why, ever since the baby died
Mamma and I have always tried
To cheer him from his sorrowing;
And my mamma and I love best
To call him Papa Darling."

"What did you call the baby, dear?"
The answer came quite low but clear:
"The baby—oh, I wonderwhat
They call him now in Heaven;
But we had only one name here,
And that was Baby Darling."

Swift years flew by, and once again
That little maid so tender
Stood by my side, but she had grown,
Like lilies, tall and slender;
This time 'twas I that called her name,
And swift the blushes grew like flame
At rosy mist of morning;
I clasped her in my arms and kissed
My tender-hearted Darling.

—Yankee Blade.

## TRAPPED BY A WOMAN.

### Thrilling Experience of an Amateur Lady Detective.

THE HISTORY of Margaret Hoffman, even when spread upon paper in cold type, reads like a romance. Deliberately related to the writer by the heroine of that romance herself, a girl who has but just attained her majority, it possesses an extraordinary degree of interest, which the modesty of the relator and her apparent unconsciousness of having done any thing remarkable rather enhances than lessens.

"You find me surrounded now with every luxury," said Miss Hoffman, "but two years ago I was a poor girl in an Illinois country town, earning my daily bread by hard labor. My father had died a year previously. My mother was an incurable invalid. My days were spent in the small dry-goods store where I earned just sufficient to support us. The only relatives I had were a distant cousin in New York and an uncle, my mother's brother, with whom my father had quarreled in early life and to whom our branch of the family had never become reconciled. News reached me one day that this uncle, a morose old man, had been suddenly stricken with disease, and had expressed a wish to see his only sister and her child. He was very well-to-do. As a prosperous merchant on South Water stree he had accumulated a considerable fortune, and it was with renewed hope that mother and I set out for Chicago.

"Upon our arrival here we at once went to the store on South Water street, where we met his partner. He received us with cold politeness, but informed us, much to our astonishment, that a visit to my uncle's home on the North side could be provocative of no good—in fact, that my uncle was as much set against my mother as ever—in fact, that he had long ago disowned his brother's family, root and branch.

"The source of the information I had regarding my uncle's wishes was of such a reliable character that this extraordinary statement from his partner set me thinking. I could not reconcile it with the expression which had fallen from the lips of the sick man: 'I would like to see Mary and her little daughter before I die.'

"I determined to act at once. I knew my uncle was very sick—not expected to live, in fact. Something in this man's face told me that he lied. The reason was not far to seek. My uncle, as I have said, was a rich man. This fellow did not want near relatives at hand at such a time. I knew that my uncle had made a will years before. Mr. Samuel Whitney probably figured there promised with red feathers and blue ribbons, one pair of blue spectacles, one brown wig, two cheek plumpers, a pot rouge, another of powder, a hare's foot such as theatrical people use in their making up and a large red bandana handkerchief.

"Then I announced that I was about to make application for a position as servant in the house of Mr. Whitney, my uncle's partner.

"The next morning there issued forth from the little lodging which had seen the departure day after day of a weary, pale, spiritless, very blonde and quite refined young lady, an uncouth, rosy, buxom servant girl, whose only defect seemed a somewhat weak eyesight, which necessitated at all times the use of spectacles. For an ignorant country girl, she seemed singularly quick and smart in the performance of her household duties. In a week Mrs. Whitney had voted me a treasure. In a month I had sized up every member of the household, and come to the conclusion that Samuel Whitney was one of the greatest villains the world had seen in a long while.

"I had discovered that my uncle was completely in the power of Mr. Whitney and his wife. They alone attended to his wants and gave him his medicine. Not another living soul, except the doctor, was permitted to approach him. Once to my great indignation I heard my mother's name mentioned by the sick man. He had evidently been frequently in the habit of asking for his sister.

"'Why does not Mary come and see me?' he was asking.

"'I have written to them several times,' replied Whitney.

"The liar! Almost I had a mind to tear aside my disguise, rush in, declare myself and comfort him.

"And have spoiled every thing. My uncle had never seen me. While Whitney would have been fluttered at first, he would have soon recovered himself, and I should have been ignominiously thrown out of the house.

"'Take some more of this medicine,' I heard Whitney saying.

"'No, no! No more of that. Medicine won't save me. I don't like that stuff, Samuel. I think it does me more harm than good.'

"A new light broke in upon my brain. I had heard of such things, but I dismissed the idea as too utterly improbable. Whitney could never be re-enacting in the nineteenth century the crime peculiar to the age which produced the Borgias—he could not be slowly killing this man by poison.

"But though I dismissed it the idea returned to me with tenfold force that night as I lay in my narrow cot. Although it was long past midnight, I could not sleep. It was a very close, sultry night. I arose and opened the door of my room to have more air.

"As I did so I caught the sound of voices.

"'What was that?' It was Mrs. Whitney who was speaking.

"'Nothing,' replied her husband.

"'But I heard a noise.'

"'It is nothing, I tell you; rats or something like that. Go to sleep.'

"The Whitneys were lying in bed, awake, and their door was open. Beyond it was the room of the sick man. An irresistible desire to hear further prompted me to steal softly from the room into the passage way. My foot caught in the mat. I could hear Mr. Whitney raise himself up in bed.

"'Who's that?' he called out.

"My heart stood still for a moment. 'It's Emma, sir!' I replied.

"'What are you doing out in the passage this time of night?' he asked suspiciously.

"'Why, I ain't in the passage,' I replied. 'It was hot and I just got up to open the door.'

"'Well, go back into your room,' said Mrs. Whitney, 'and don't let me catch you out of it till morning.'

"But I would not go back. Something I could not define recalled my suspicions of a previous evening. I felt intuitively that they meditated some evil against my uncle.

"'What are you standing there for? Why don't you go back into your room again?' called out Mr. Whitney.

"It was a trying moment. I knew that if I once shut the door I could not reopen it without making some noise, which might lead to suspicions, which suspicions might lead to an investigation of my trunk and effects which would be only sorely discomforting. Yet as it was I ran an awful risk. I stood here my natural self; no rouge, no wig, no spectacles, just as I had risen from my bed. Every dictate of prudence told me to go back; yet an inner consciousness whispered: 'Go forward!'

"'Are you going to stand there all night?' came the now exasperated voice of Mr. Whitney.

"'No, I'm not,' I snapped out; 'but it's hard a poor servant gal can't get a breath of fresh air.' And I banged the door to with much unnecessary violence, as if I had got out of temper.

"Had I retreated into my room?

"No. I had resolved to brave every thing. In that brief moment of time there had come a vision to me of my poor helpless uncle in the power of these wretches. I had banged the door to, but I had left myself outside standing in the passage, with beating heart and limbs which trembled, for I knew that the flash of a light might reveal me at any moment, and I had learned by this time the desperate character of these people, the Whitneys. Beyond a doubt of it they were slowly poisoning the man whose wealth they coveted.

"It had been impossible to get to the sick chamber; it was too well guarded for that; but I had had to wash some medicine glasses, and had drained into a little vial the contents of one not entirely swallowed. A local druggist whom I took into my confidence had told me it was undoubtedly arsenic.

"'Well, that hussy's out of the way,' I heard Whitney remark, when I had shut the door. 'Do you know, I don't like the looks of that girl. Discharge her!'

"'Discharge her!' said Mrs. Whitney. 'I wouldn't do that. She's the best girl I've ever had, and she's such a fool, too. I'm sure she suits in every way.'

"'If I thought she suspected any thing,' growled Whitney, 'I'd soon settle her. Do you think she's asleep yet?'

"'Why, no, give her a little time,' replied Mrs. Whitney. 'How impatient you are. Wait ten minutes.'

"'I am impatient; wouldn't you be? Think of all I have put up with from that old dotard in the next room. The years of labor, of weary waiting; the indignities to which he has subjected me; how I have had to toady and cringe to him to get a small share in the business. Of course, I'm impatient. Will he never drop off, I wonder. That last dose should have done it.'

"All this time I was standing almost paralyzed with an unspeakable horror. An indefinable dread took possession of me, a deadly terror seized upon my heart, my knees trembled, I dared scarcely breathe. To stand alone thus at dead of night and listen to those wretches plotting how to encompass the more speedy death of a helpless man.

"To remain where I was was to court discovery, and something told me a horrible death. It was equally impossible to retreat, for the noise of the opening of my room door would be the signal for instant investigation by the already suspicious Whitney, and I had no time to suddenly assume my ordinary disguise. There remained but one course to pursue. It required the exercise of the greatest caution and more courage than I believed I possessed.

"There was a small empty room beyond the apartment of the Whitneys which commanded a full view of the sick man's chamber. Once there I should be comparatively safe.

"But to reach it I must pass the door of the room where the Whitneys lay.

"Carefully poising myself I essayed to pass across the intervening space. Slowly I advanced, moving first one limb and then another, hardly daring to breathe, and feeling forward with my hands outstretched lest I should suddenly encounter some unexpected obstacle.

"I had safely passed the open door of the Whitneys' chamber, when I became confused, and in the utter darkness lost my way. Vainly I stretched out my hands. At last to my great joy they fell upon a door handle. I turned it softly and noiselessly and entered. As quickly and as noiselessly I closed it. There was a dull light in the room. I looked around and by its rays saw that by mistake I had entered the apartment of my sick uncle.

"He was broad awake and sitting up in bed staring at me with two glaring, awful eyes. The living image of my mother, as he had known her in her youth, and clad in my white night robe, his diseased and distorted imagination completed the illusion.

"'Mary,' he gasped, 'do not come to reproach me.'

"'Hush!' I whispered, hastening to the bedside. 'Hush, uncle! Do not make a noise, for God's sake.'

"He trembled violently. 'I do not understand,' he said, vaguely, as one in a dream. His terror seemed to have departed at the touch of my hand.

"'Listen,' I said. 'I am not Mary, your sister. I am her daughter. We heard you were very ill and wished to

"HUSH," I WHISPERED.

see us, so mother and I came to town. We have been here for weeks trying to see you, but they kept us away. Don't be frightened at what I am going to tell you. The Whitneys are not your friends. They are giving you improper medicine. Don't take it, uncle, for Heaven's sake. It's poison!"

"'Poison! Oh! you don't mean that; and Sam Whitney, too, my old partner.'

"'Yes, uncle, I do mean it, and I'm here at the risk of my life to tell you. Hark, he's coming now to give you your medicine. Pretend to take it, but don't swallow it. It's arsenic.'

"A dreadful expression passed over the face of the old man; but even in that moment he thought of my safety.

"'Hide, child, hide,' he whispered, and he pointed to the closet.

"From there I witnessed what confirmed my suspicions. It was Samuel Whitney who poured the draught which my uncle pretended and did not drink. Subsequent analysis has, you know, proved it to be a most deadly poison. Horror stricken at the enormity of this man's crime, with the knowledge that instant death awaited the penetration of my disguise, I awaited only the coming of daylight to pick a quarrel with my mistress, which resulted in my instant dismissal. I left her house to report at police headquarters, but something had alarmed the Whitneys. When the officers reached the house the birds had flown.

"My uncle has been dead a year. My mother, sole heir to his considerable estates, lives surrounded, as you see, by every luxury. As I am only twenty-two, and am quite wealthy in my own right, I presume I am to be envied."—Austin W. Granville, in Chicago Journal.

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A BASE-BALL MUSTACHE.

upon his breast. The god of war at his side is also blessed with a most surprising beard, which strays all over his face like a brush heap in distress.

Some four centuries ago five hundred thousand Wanchoo Tartars swept into China and conquered two million Chinamen. The Tartars, coming from a colder climate than that of China, had a greater capacity for raising beards. The Tartars were quickly assimilated by the swarming Chinese, and with the assimilation came a slightly increased capacity for raising hair.

This tendency has been fostered through all the succeeding ages until, by assiduous cultivation, the big chiefs are now able to raise a lead-pencil mustache. This privilege, however, is only enjoyed by men of high caste.

It would be as impossible for an ordinary Chinese laundryman to raise a mustache like that of a Bowery dime museum woman as it would be for a cow to handle a musket.

A MUSTACHE EIGHT INCHES LONG.

The most ornate upper-lip adornment worn by a resident Chinaman of New York is owned by a former priest in the orthodox temple. His name is Quong Tung. His mustache is eight inches long and just about the general proportions of a rat's tail.

It is kept in splendid condition by its proud proprietor. None but the costliest cosmetics and oils are ever allowed to come in contact with this ornamental appendage. Whenever he goes out for a promenade down Mott street this

QUONG TUNG'S MUSTACHE.

fortunate Quong is the admiration of all the opium eaters in the street. With disdainful gestures he strokes the rat-tail with a lover's touch, and a smile of conscious pride mantles his mahogany face as he spurns the sidewalk.

The wicked little boys on the Bowery say ironically, as he goes by:

"Ah, there, Changi Where'd ye git the shoe-laces?"

But among the seven thousand Chinamen in New York City Quong is the only man who can raise a mustache over half an inch in length. Indeed the majority of hairs in Mott street mustaches are not more than one-quarter of an inch in length. There is scarcely enough length of hair to tickle a lady's cheek, provided that it was necessary for a laundryman to salute a woman in the American fashion. The hair grows out just long enough to become perceptible to the naked eye and then grim fate stops the growth. This is rather rough on John, and he can not become reconciled to it, and is forever striving to stimulate its growth.

A CHINAMAN WITH GALWAYS.

There is one individual in Chinatown who has succeeded in bringing out a pair of Galways, or side-whiskers, in front of his ears. These black blocks on his saddle-colored cheeks are about one inch wide and two inches long. These precious hairs are brushed and oiled carefully every day, with scarcely any wear upon the brush.

Once a week the itinerant Chinese barber, who goes around with his tools under his arm in a little lacquered box, is called in by Wing Sing, the proprietor of the whiskers, and carefully fixes up what there is of the Galways. Wing Sing is very proud of his whiskers, but he does not obtain the distinction enjoyed by his forefathers, because his whiskers are not fierce looking and do

WING SING'S SIDE WHISKERS.

not cover a large enough area to be a prominent feature of his face.

ONLY ONE CHINESE IMPERIAL.

Lee Kee, of New York City, wears an imperial. His can hardly be called by so dignified a name, because it is only as large as a thimble.

Curiously enough, while the owner of the thimble imperial is a comparatively young man, the hair is gray. A cynical observer says that the hairs are slowly dying of loneliness and grief. Lee Kee would like to raise a mustache, but Joss has declared otherwise.

To show his passionate desire for hair on his upper, it is said that not long since an American with a long silken mustache called upon him. Poor Lee Kee's eyes were fastened upon the mustache with unalterable longing.

After they had become slightly acquainted Lee approached the American, and placing his hands upon his shoulders drew his lips over the mustache of his new friend. AARON WILEY.

## A STRANGE CASE.

### A Man Who, According to the War Record, Has Been Dead for Forty Years, But Who Is Still Alive and Well.

There is a man living in Alta Vista, Kan., who is officially dead, and has been dead ever since 1846-7. He enlisted in an Illinois regiment, and went to Mexico during the war with that country. He was killed, and his death properly and officially recorded by the officers of his regiment. The War Department record shows the day, date and circumstances of his death. After the war he was mustered out of service, went to New York, lived there several years and then traveled from State to State until he finally located in an Illinois town about a hundred miles from his former home.

Being dead, his dependent mother secured a land warrant for one hundred and sixty acres of land, on his account, lived upon it and there died.

During the civil war the dead soldier enlisted in another Illinois regiment, fought all through the war, made an excellent record as a soldier, became a Captain, and was mustered out of the service with that rank. The records of the War Department show that he was killed during the Mexican war, and that he served gallantly through the war of the rebellion.

Recently the soldier applied for pension on account of his Mexican war service and was informed that he was dead. He undertook to prove to the War Department that he was alive; but that could not be done, because he was dead sure enough, and his mother had long since secured one hundred and sixty acres of land over his dead body. Being dead, he can not get a Mexican war pension, nor can he secure the land grant which was given to his mother.

He can not get a pension for his services during the civil war, for he was neither sick nor wounded during that war. He is too old to take up a land claim as a soldier and work it; hence he gets nothing for his long and commendable service, not even the thanks of Congress. The Congressman who told me this story is trying to get a bill through Congress for the Mexican veteran who is dead, and would not give me the name of the soldier. But it is a true story, I know, for I saw a portion of a letter explaining how he comes to be on earth, in spite of the official fact that he has been dead nearly fifty years. S. D. F.

### Nothin'.

"My dorg can lick your dorg, Tommy Bodkins."

"He can't do no sech thing. Patsy McIntyre; I ain't got no dorg."

"Well, my pa can lick yourn."

"Can't, neither; ain't got no pa."

"Well, my ma can lick yourn."

"Bet she can't; ain't got no ma."

"What hev yer got, anyhow?"

"Nothin'."

"Well, jes' yer come over here an' I'll take that out o' yer"—Harper's Bazar.


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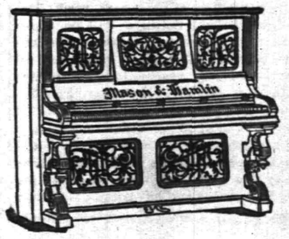


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| 2d trip | 8.15 A. M. | to meet | 8.33 A. M. | train. |
| 3d do | 9.15 | do | 9.32 | do |
| 4th do | 10.00 | do | 10.17 | do |
| 5th do | 11.00 | do | 11.24 | do |
| 6th do | 11.45 | do | 12.03 P.M. | do |
| 7th do | 1.45 P. M. | do | 2.15 & 2.35 P.M. | do |
| 8th do | 2.49 | do | To the Post Office. | |
| 9th do | 3.30 | do | meet 3 51 P. M. | train. |
| 10th do | 4.00 | do | do | 5.39 | do; |
| 11th do | 5.45 | do | do | 6.07 | do |
| 12th do | 6.45 | do | do | 7.03 | do |

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For Lambertville and Phillipsburg only, 1 39 P. M.

For Flemington—7 59 A. M., 2 54 P. M.

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PLAINFIELD AND NEW YORK.

Leave Plainfield 3 27, 5 24, 5 38, 5 29, 6 59, 7 28, 7 50, 7 56, 8 15, 8 31, 8 57, 9 32, 10 05, 11 09, 11 39 A. M., 1 41, 3 07, 3 30, 5 12, 5 51, 6 08, 6 31, 6 07, 6 54, 7 03, 8 31, 9 28, 10 12, 11 28 P. M. Sunday—3 37, 5 24, 8 01, 8 52, 11 02, 11 16 A. M., 12 33, 1 33, 3 30, 5 16 7 01, 7 10, 8 23, 8 32, 10 02 P. M.

Leave New York from foot of Liberty street, 4 30, 5 45, 7, 7 45, 8 45, 10, 11, A. M., 1, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4, 4 30, 5, 5 15, 5 30, 5 45, 6, 6 15, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 8, 8 30, 9 15, 10, 11 30 P. M., 12 15, night. Sunday—4 30, 7, 8 30, 9, 9 30, A. M., 12 M., 1, 1 15, 4, 5 30, 6, 7, 9 00, 10 00 P. M., 12 15 night.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield 5 38, 6 29, 6 59, 7 30, 8, 8 37, 9 32, 10 05, 11 09, 11 39, A. M., 1, 2 07, 2 30, 3 12, 3 51, 5 08, 5 31, 6 07, 6 54, 7 03, 8 31, 10 12, 11 28 P. M. Sunday—8 01, 8 52, 11 02, 11 16, A. M., 12 33, 1 30, 3 30, 5 16, 7 01, 7 10, 8 23, 10 02 P. M.

Leave Newark 7 10, 7 50, 8 55, 10 10, 11 05 A. M., 1 05, 1 35, 2 40, 3 40, 4 02, 4 37, 5 05, 5 30, 5 55, 6 25, 7 15, 7 35, 8 20, 9 35, 10 10, 11 25 P. M. Sunday—7 20, 8 40, 9 05, 9 50, A. M., 12 05, 1 10, 4 10, 5 40, 6 05, 7 05, 9 25, 10 20 P. M.

Passengers for Newark change cars at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7, 8 07, 9 42, 11, 11 58 A. M., 1 59, 2 32, 3 45, 4 34, 5 20, 5 34, 6 20, 6 38, 7 03, 7 12, 7 34, 8 20, 9 43, 11 13, 12 43 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 13, 9 48, A. M., 2 03, 3 50, 5 14, 6 35, 10 15, 11 14 P. M.

Leave Somerville, 6, 6 30, 7 03, 7 25, 7 55, 7 48, 9 05, 9 47, 11 15 A. M., 12 35, 1 15, 1 48, 2 05, 3 2, 4 40, 5 12, 5 35, 8 05, 8 50, 11 05, P. M. Sunday—8 25, 10 35 A. M., 12 08, 105, 4 50, 6 40, 8 03, 8 05, 9 20 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7, 8 07, 9 42, A. M., 1 59, 4 34, 5 20, 6 38, 8 20 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 13 A. M., 2 03, 6 35 P. M.

Leave Easton 6 05, 8 44, 10 A. M., 12 32, 4 09, 6 48 P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 52, A. M., 6 40, 7 30 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 7, 9 42 A. M., 1 59, 5 20 P. M. Sunday—8 13 A. M.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

LEAVE PLAINFIELD.

5 45 A. M. for Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

7 A. M. for High Bridge Branch and Easton.

8 07 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 42 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Nanticoke, Drifton, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c.

1 59 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, &c.

4 34 P. M. for D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

5 20 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Schooley's Mountain, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, &c.

6 20 P. M. for Flemington.

6 38 P. M. for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg.

8 20 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8 14 a. m. Sundays for High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, &c., 2 08 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua and Pottsville. 6 35 p. m Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

For Atlantic City, 9 27 a. m. 1 p. m.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c.

Leave Plainfield 3 27, 8, 11 09, a. m., 1, 2 51, 5 31, p. m., Sundays—(except Ocean Grove) 8 52, a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 3 27, 5 38, 8, 10 05, 11 09 a. m., 1, 2 51, 5 31, 7 03 p. m. Sunday—8 52 a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Freehold, 3 27, 8, 11 09 a. m., 1, 2 51, 5 31, p. m.

BOUND BROOK ROUTE.

Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia, 1 17, 5 40, 6 20, 9 46, 11 58* a. m., 1 56*, 3 22*, 4 08, 5 34*, 6 09*, 9 20* p. m. Sundays—1 17, 9 46, a. m., 2 36*, 4 06, 5 14*, 6 56 p. m.

For Baltimore and Washington at 1 17, 9 46, 11 58*, a. m., 2 45, 4 06, 5 34* p. m. Sundays—1 17, 9 46 a. m., 5 14* p. m.

RETURNING—LEAVE PHILADELPHIA,

Ninth and Green streets, 7 20*, 8 20*, 9 30, 11 00 a. m., 12 45, 1 30, 3 15, 5 15, 6 15, 8 02, 9 45, 12 p. m. Sundays—9 a. m., 12 30, 2 10, 5 15, 6 10, 8, 12 p. m.

From 24th and Chestnut—8 10, 8 20*, 11 08, a. m., 12 05, 3 20, 6 16, 8 05, p. m. Sundays—8 10, 8 20 a. m., 12 05, 3 20, 6 18, 9 05 p. m.

Leave Trenton, Warren and Tucker sts., 7 00, 4 00,*8*, 9*, 10 10, 11 55 a.m., 1 28, 2 10, 3 40*, 5 10, 5 50, 6 47, 10 p. m. Sundays—1 10, 4 00, 9 00 a. m., 1 28, 4, 6 55, 7, 6 47 p. m.

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Pittsburg's Leaguers Lose Two Games to New York—Only Four Championship Games Played—Two Thousand People See the League Game at Detroit—How the Clubs Stand.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Sept. 24.—All the plans have been made for the amalgamation of the American Association and Brotherhood, it is now said.

Two of the National League's best cities—Brooklyn and Cincinnati—will desert their organization for the new organization to be known as the American Association Players' League. The scheme, which was first proposed about three months ago, was made a reality at the recent session of the representatives of the Association and Brotherhood held in Philadelphia a short time ago. Sunday games, twenty-five cent ball and beer on the grounds will be the order of things in the new organization.

The organization will comprise twelve clubs—New York, Philadelphia, Boston, Pittsburg, Baltimore and Brooklyn in the East, and St. Louis, Louisville, Cleveland, Columbus, Cincinnati and Chicago in the West. Three disinterested and competent judges of ball players will be selected and the players will be assigned to the different cities, the object being to equalize the strength as nearly as possible.

Byrne, of Brooklyn, and Stern, of Cincinnati, have already signified their willingness to join the new organization, and the former will combine with Ward's team. The Athletics and Philadelphia Brotherhood Club will be controlled by one management. The above was given by an official who is on the inside.

### BASEBALL GAMES.

National League.

AT PITTSBURG—FIRST GAME.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| New York | 0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0—7 |
| Pittsburg | 1 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0—5 |

Batteries—Sharrott and Clarke; Smith and Decker.

SECOND GAME.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| New York | 5 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0—8 |
| Pittsburg | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 0—6 |

Batteries—Burkett and Murphy; Anderson and Decker.

AT CINCINNATI.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Cincinnati | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | x—4 |
| Philadelphia | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0—2 |

Batteries—Mullane and Keenan; Gleason and Schriver.

AT DETROIT.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Cleveland | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 0 | x—5 |
| Boston | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0—1 |

Batteries—Getzein and Bennett; Viau and Zimmer

Exhibition game.

Players' League.

There were no Players League championship games. The attendance at the National League games was: At Pittsburg, 726; at Cincinnati, 1,146; at Detroit, 2,000.

American Association.

AT LOUISVILLE.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Louisville | 1 | 4 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 4 | x—13 |
| Rochester | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0—6 |

Batteries—Miller and McKeogh; Stratton and Ryan.

AT TOLEDO.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Toledo | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0—4 |
| Baltimore | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | x—7 |

Batteries—Cushman and Rogers; McMahon and Robinson.

AT ST. LOUIS.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| St. Louis | 1 | 0 | 11 | 0 | 6 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 21 |
| Athletic | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 |

Game called at seventh inning on account of darkness.

Batteries—Nichols and Munyan; Green and Riddle.

AT COLUMBUS.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Columbus | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0—1 |
| Syracuse | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | x—2 |

Batteries—Chamberlain and O'Connor; Casey and Pitz.

Atlantic Association.

AT LEBANON.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Lebanon | 0 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1—7 |
| Harrisburg | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0—0 |

Batteries—Smith and McCaffrey; Cox and Jennings

AT PHILADELPHIA.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| New Haven | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0—0 |
| Newark | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1—5 |

Batteries—Homer and Murphy. Cahill; Fitzgerald

Standing of the Clubs.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

| | Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'ct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Brookl'n | 80 | 43 | .650 | Cincin'ti | 73 | 52 | .584 |
| Chicago | 79 | 51 | .608 | N. York | 69 | 54 | .434 |
| Boston | 74 | 51 | .592 | Clev'l'nd | 41 | 82 | .333 |
| Philadel | 74 | 51 | .592 | Pittsb'rg | 21 | 108 | .163 |

PLAYERS' LEAGUE.

| | Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'ct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Boston | 70 | 43 | .619 | Philadel | 63 | 57 | .537 |
| N. York | 70 | 52 | .574 | Pittsb'rg | 54 | 65 | .454 |
| Brookl'n | 73 | 51 | .564 | Clev'l'nd | 50 | 72 | .410 |
| Chicago | 69 | 61 | .531 | Buffalo | 33 | 90 | .268 |

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

| | Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'ct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Loui'v'lle | 78 | 40 | .661 | Roch'st'r | 60 | 54 | .526 |
| St. Louis | 71 | 50 | .587 | Athletic | 54 | 64 | .458 |
| Col'mb's | 66 | 53 | .555 | Syracuse | 45 | 66 | .295 |
| Toledo | 60 | 55 | .522 | Baltim'e | 34 | 84 | .288 |

ATLANTIC ASSOCIATION.

| | Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'ct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| N. Hav'n | 78 | 33 | .703 | Harrisb'g | 49 | 64 | .434 |
| Lebanon | 54 | 49 | .524 | Wilm't'n | 33 | 62 | .300 |
| Newark | 50 | 58 | .504 | | | | |

Schedule of To-Day's Games.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Cleveland vs. New York, at Cleveland.
Cincinnati vs. Brooklyn, at Cincinnati.
Pittsburg vs. Boston, at Pittsburg.
Chicago vs. Philadelphia, at Chicago.

PLAYERS' LEAGUE.

Buffalo vs. New York, at Buffalo.
Pittsburg vs. Brooklyn, at Pittsburg.
Cleveland vs. Boston, at Cleveland.
Chicago vs. Philadelphia, at Chicago.

## POWDERLY'S CIRCULAR.

He Counsels Knights to Stand by the Alleged Train Wreckers.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 24.—General Master Workman Powderly has issued a secret circular addressed "To the Members of the Order Wheresoever Found," and bearing his signature and the official seal of the order. It is the strongest and in many respects the most important document he has issued since the New York Central strike.

After giving the causes leading up to the New York Central strike, he says "It was clearly evident after the first week that the men would eventually be beaten, but it was necessary to teach the power that controls judges and legislatures that it would be an expensive undertaking to attempt to destroy the manhood of those who created the wealth that went to bribe public officials. To give in the first week would have shown cowardice and would pave the way for future attacks. The experience gained by the Central management in the loss of from $15,000,000 to $20,000,000 and the greater loss of public patronage will have a wholesome effect in the future.

"That strike was deliberately planned in the office of the New York Central & Hudson River Railroad, and once inaugurated it was but just that they should get enough of it.

"A number of our members have been arrested for train wrecking. Bogus confessions are being published, their authors knowing that their contradictions will never go as far as the slanders travel.

"Our duty does not end with the official declaration that the strike is off. We should protect the life and reputation of our brothers who are arrested, imprisoned and held to answer for the crime of train wrecking. Counsel has been employed and the funds necessary to defray expenses will be wanted."

## SULLIVAN ON A SPREE.

The Champion Pugilist-Actor Scatters Coin on the Sidewalk.

NEW YORK, Sept. 24.—Actor John L. Sullivan, the champion pugilist, reeled into the Hoffman House last night, and the regular guests gave him a wide berth.

The big fellow's plug hat was pulled down over his left eye and he swung a huge silver-headed cane much as a policeman juggles with a club. Sullivan's eyes were red and his voice husky. He brought up against the rosewood bar and leaned his back against it.

Detective Jacobs viewed his entrance with considerable alarm, especially as Actor Sullivan made a pass at the big bronze African that guards the entrance. He therefore undertook to persuade Sullivan to go away, in which he was presently joined by Billy Edwards. Sullivan resented the latter's interference, and pushing him roughly aside, said:

"G'way! I've got no truck with prize fighters. See?"

Billy laughed good naturedly, as Sullivan never was in his class anyhow, and Jacobs finally led the "Big Fellow" to the sidewalk. The latter scattered a lot of loose coin on the pavement, for which an immediate scramble ensued, and a crowd quickly gathered.

Sullivan was rescued in time and put to bed at Taylor's Hotel, in Jersey City. The audience at the Academy of Music in that city was not wholly disappointed last night, as he was able to go through his part in "Honest Hearts and Willing Hands," but the scene where he knocks out Lannon was decidedly amusing. After the curtain dropped he returned to the hotel and started in on a seltzer diet.

Violating the Weekly Payment Law.

ALBANY, N. Y., Sept. 24.—Notice of suit has been served by the State Factory Inspector upon the Crown Point Iron Company for violating the Weekly Payment Law. The company runs a store in connection with its works in Essex County, and there is said to be much dissatisfaction over the mode of payment. Suit has also been begun against the St. Regis Company of Franklin County, employing 75 hands, for failing to pay weekly.

Wife and Stepson Charged with Murder.

CAMDEN, N.J., Sept. 24.—The coroner's jury in the case of Patrick Bowers, who was found dead in bed, returned a verdict that the man came to his death at the hands of his stepson, John Fitzgerald, and that Eilen Bowers, wife of the deceased, was an accessory after the fact.

Elijah J. Potter Dead.

KNOWLESVILLE, N. Y., Sept. 24.—Mr. Elijah J. Potter, the well known fruit farmer and leader in politics, died last night. Mr. Potter, while in a fit of despondency over ill health, several weeks ago, shot himself. Subsequently he was attacked by typhoid fever.

Detective Lynch Acquitted.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Sept. 24.—The trial of Detective Thomas Lynch on the charge of murder in the second degree, in shooting and killing Samuel Stoddard, was concluded last night and the prisoner was acquitted.

## WASHINGTON TOPICS

### The Tariff Conferees Have Not Reached an Agreement.

A REPORT EXPECTED TO-MORROW

The Key to the Whole Situation is the Sugar Schedule.

A Quorum Secured in the House and Venable and Elliott Unseated—Erastus Wiman Speaks for Canadian Reciprocity—A Public Building Appropriation Reduced.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 24.—The differences between the Tariff bill conferees on the part of the House and the Senate have been narrowed down to the sugar schedule and binding twine. Just before the second conference was held, one of the conferees expressed the opinion that a compromise would have to be reached between the Senate and the House propositions on both of the disputed points. A number of proposed compromises on sugar were discussed, but none of them were agreeable to all of those present.

A new complication arose later. The Senators from the Western and Northwestern States, to the number of ten, met and agreed to protest against the proposition to put a duty on binding twine for the purpose of effecting a compromise with the House on sugar. The statements of the Senators present at this conference as to the effect of it are slightly conflicting. Some of them say that it was agreed that if the conferees reported in favor of putting a duty on binding twine, the Senators interested would vote against the conference report and refuse to allow the Tariff bill to go through the Senate while the objectionable feature remained in it. Others say that the ten Senators merely entered an emphatic protest against the proposition.

The conference report will not be presented to the House to-day. It will probably take at least twenty-four hours to prepare it for submission to the House after it has been agreed to.

The general impression now is that Congress cannot adjourn before the latter part of next week, and that it will probably not get away before October 6th.

A QUORUM IN THE HOUSE.

The Virginia and South Carolina Contests Quickly Decided.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 24.—When it was announced that a quorum was secured in the House there was applause on the Republican side.

The resolution declaring that Venable was not entitled to his seat was agreed to and Langston was sworn in as a member.

The House then adopted a resolution unseating Elliott as a Representative from the Seventh South Carolina district.

The Lottery Company Scheming.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 24.—The threat of the Louisiana Lottery Company to purchase a paper in Montreal and flood this country with it, trusting to the Postal Treaty between the United States and Canada to give this paper immunity, despite the fact that it will fairly reek with lottery advertisements and lottery matter, does not find much credence here. No existing treaty between Canada and the United States can alter the definition of objectionable matter, and the Canadian papers containing these advertisements could be stopped the moment they reach the United States, and thus come under the jurisdiction of the United States postal authorities.

Canadian Reciprocity.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 24.—Members of the Tariff Conference Committee, after their morning session, afforded an interview to Erastus Wiman, in relation to Canadian reciprocity. A conclusion was reached that nothing should be attempted this session, but that in the event of the dissolution of the Canadian Parliament the Sherman-Hitt resolutions should have earliest consideration at the reassembling of Congress in December. This Mr. Wiman said would be satisfactory to the leaders of the Liberal party in Canada.

Reduced the Appropriation.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 24.—The House Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds has authorized a favorable report on the Senate bill providing for a public building at Altoona, Pa., with an amendment reducing the appropriation from $150,000 to $80,000.

The German Catholic Congress.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Sept. 24.—One object which will receive great attention by the German Catholic Congress now in session is the school question. Another object that will engage the attention of the Congress is the establishing of new parishes. Nearly 300 priests have been enrolled and 2,000 delegates in all are here. The sessions will last till to-morrow afternoon.

## THE BIRCHALL TRIAL.

The Prisoner Cool and Deeply Interested in the Proceedings.

WOODSTOCK, Ont., Sept. 24.—The trial of Birchall for the murder of Benwell was resumed in the presence of a large crowd of spectators. Birchall came into court with his old jaunty, debonair expression. He was fresh shaved, well brushed, and as nervy as ever. He took a keen interest in all that passed.

Mrs. Birchall was in court and followed closely all that was said and done. The Grand Jury in the case of Mrs. Birchall reported "no bill" on the charge against her of being accessory to the murder.

There was very little new matter developed. Pelly, under the guidance of Queen's Counsel Osler, went over the old facts.

Charles Benwell, brother of the murdered man, followed Pelly. He said he came to the trial in the place of his father, who is ill in England. He identified the false teeth and plate, the pencil case and ring placed in evidence as belonging to his brother. He also identified the keys found on Birchall as his brother's and said that with them he opened his brother's desk and two trunks.

Joseph and George Eldridge, farmers in the township of Blenheim, who discovered the body, told of their ghastly find. Both said that the body had the appearance of being thrown over or carried to where it lay; that no footmarks were seen near by; that there had been a light fall of snow that day.

George told how the tell-tale cigar case with Benwell's name on it was found. It was by the purest accident. An axe dragged over it, displacing the snow which covered it, thus revealing its identity and frustrating the plans of the murderer, who had cut Benwell's name from all of the clothing.

## THE KEYSTONE LEAGUE.

The Republican Clubs Elect Officers and Hold a Mass Meeting.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 24.—Over 1,000 delegates, representing 325 clubs, are present at the third annual convention of the Republican League of Pennsylvania, at the Academy of Music. The Platform Committee reported a set of resolutions, which were adopted, endorsing the National and State administration of affairs by the Republican party, and the nominees of the party for State officers. Speaker Reed is commended and Republicans in Congress are applauded for the passage of the McKinley bill. The speedy adoption of the Federal Elections bill is urged.

The following officers were elected: President, Edwin S. Stuart, Philadelphia; vice-presidents, John B. Robinson, Media; F. J. R. Jones, Philadelphia; J. H. Rehm, Pittsburg; secretary, Robert H. Lindsey, Pittsburg; treasurer, Capt. William Thornton, Philadelphia; delegates-at-large to the National Convention, William H. McCleary, Pittsburg; John Taylor, Philadelphia.

Last night a mass meeting under the auspices of the league was held in the Academy of Music. Speaker Reed, John M. Thurston, of Nebraska, Gen. Daniel H. Hastings, George W. Delamater, Republican candidate for Governor of Pennsylvania, and Congressman Dolliver, of Iowa, delivered speeches.

Reception to Democratic Governors.

BROOKLYN, Sept. 24.—The Kings County Democratic General Committee gave an informal reception to Governor Hill, and Governor Abbett of New Jersey, in their new home, the Thomas Jefferson building, last night. The two Governors and Mayor Chapin stood upon the stage and the visitors formed in a line and passed by them. The handshaking continued an hour and a half, when the reception was concluded. Governor Hill was driven to the Hoffman House and Governor Abbett returned to his home in New Jersey.

The Belden Candidate Nominated.

SYRACUSE, N.Y., Sept. 24.—The Third Assembly District Republican Convention nominated Ignatius Sawmiller, the present member, for member of Assembly on the first ballot. Sawmiller represents the Belden faction. The Hiscock people put up Jos. Bondy, a Syracuse lawyer, but they practically abandoned the fight just before the convention.

Summer Home for the President.

CRESSON, Pa., Sept. 24.—The President and his family left this morning for Washington, and will arrive there about 6 p. m. The suggestion has been made, and it seems to have met with favor, that the hotel company should erect a cottage for the permanent resort of the Executive during the late summer and early autumn.

Mr. Platt's Mission to Puget Sound.

CHICAGO, Sept. 24.—Ex-Senator Thos. C. Platt, accompanied by his wife and his son, H. B. Platt, and his wife, arrived last night and is stopping at the Auditorium. He is on his way to Puget Sound, where he goes to select a suitable location for a Government navy yard. He expects to be absent from New York about a month.

Dropped from a Bridge and Drowned.

SPENCERPORT, N. Y., Sept. 24.—At 4 a. m., while the canal boat John Neupert was passing through this village, the driver, Charles Cratzley, of Easton, Pa., fell into the canal while dropping from the bridge to the boat. He sank at once and was not seen to rise. The body has been recovered.

Defeated General Banks.

BOSTON, Sept. 24.—James M. Fox, of Cambridge, was nominated for Congress by the Republicans of the Fifth District last night on the sixteenth ballot. Gen. Banks was a competitor for the nomination, but failed by some thirty votes. The Republicans of the Third Congressional District nominated Edward L. Pierce by acclamation.


Highest of all in Leavening Power.—U. S. Gov't Report, Aug. 17, 1889.

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE


## A COMMERCIAL PANIC

### The Leading Banks in Lisbon Trembling.

A VERY SERIOUS SITUATION.

Opponents of the King Making Trouble Throughout the City.

Soldiers Shoot Rioters While Colon is Burning—McAuliffe and Slavin Bound Over to Keep the Peace—An Epidemic of Suicide in Berlin—Another Irish Member Arrested.

LONDON, Sept. 24.—A commercial panic prevails in Lisbon, where the leading banks are trembling. A crisis is imminent.

Taking advantage of the financial difficulty, prominent leaders for a republic have agents in all quarters of the city fomenting trouble and urging a combine against the King.

The police and military are active, and a large number of arrests have been made. Outbreaks are expected at any moment.

M'AULIFFE AND SLAVIN.

The Prize Fighters Bound Over to Keep the Peace.

LONDON, Sept. 24.—The Lambeth Police Court was crowded when Slavin and McAuliffe appeared for a hearing. Both were bound over in the sum of £1,000 each to keep the peace on one surety and £1,000 each to appear if called upon. If a breach of the peace is committed warrants will be issued and the case sent before a judge.

The feeling among the lovers of the manly art is not merely one of regret at the prohibition of the fight between these two noted pugilists, but of apprehension as to the fate of boxing contests in the future. The use of such gloves as are condemned by the court in the present instance has always been considered legal, but now that a test case has been made, it seems to be in the power of any citizen, police official or jealous rival to prevent boxing contests in the future, and thus destroy one of the chief amusements of the frequenters of such clubs as the Pelican and Ormonde.

It is stated that Lord Lonsdale and others interested in the McAuliffe-Slavin match will shortly arrange to have the fight come off outside of England.

The Press Association announces that Slavin and McAuliffe will probably have a glove fight within a few days under modified conditions.

COLON IN ASHES.

Several Rioters Killed by the Police While the Fire Was Raging.

COLON, Sept. 24.—Three-fourths of the city is in ashes. The fire began at midnight and raged until late in the morning, all efforts to check its ravages being futile. It finally died out for lack of material to attack, having reached the portions of the city where buildings were too far apart to facilitate the spread of the flames. The shipping at the docks was saved.

Terrible scenes of disorder marked the progress of the conflagration. Crowds of rioters and plunderers roamed the streets. In dispersing these gangs the police found it necessary to fire upon them, and several persons were killed.

The City of New York First.

LONDON, Sept. 24.—The City of New York was sighted off Fastnet Light at 9 o'clock and it was 10:30 before the Teutonic came along. Both vessels left New York last Wednesday morning, the City of New York getting away from her pier at 7 a. m., and the Teutonic half an hour later. The time of the City of New York was 5 days 23 hours and 14 minutes, and the Teutonic's 5 days 22 hours and 35 minutes

Parnell Will Not Visit America.

LONDON, Sept. 24.—Mr. Parnell's health will not permit him to make a personal visit to America at this time. He will wait until after the trial of Dillon and O'Brien to see whether it will still be possible for them to go to America, believing the delay will not affect the object of their mission.

Mr. Healy's War on Landlords.

DUBLIN, Sept. 24.—Timothy Healy, speaking at a League meeting in Dublin, said that if any tenants submitted to the demands of the landlords they were traitors to their fellow countrymen. He promised that he and his colleagues would continue the struggle for the extermination of landlordism in Ireland.

Large Shipments of Foreign Freight.

LIVERPOOL, Sept. 24.—The transatlantic passenger steamers are carrying extraordinarily large cargoes of goods, exporters being anxious to start their shipments before October 1, the date of the new American tariff. Freights have advanced from 60 to 70 shillings per ton.

An Epidemic of Suicides.

BERLIN, Sept. 24.—The suicide last night of Major Von Norman, Commandant of the Cadets' School in this city, following so closely on several other startling suicides by persons of prominence within the past week, has caused a profound sensation.

The Baltimore Coming Home.

STOCKHOLM, Sept. 24.—The United States steamer Baltimore, which brought the body of Capt. Ericsson to this country, sailed on her return to the United States.

Commoner O'Brien Arrested.

DUBLIN, Sept. 24.—Patrick O'Brien,

## IN CHAINS FOR YEARS.

Awful Cruelty of Parents Toward Their Demented and Violent Son.

READING, Pa., Sept. 24.—Dr. H. M. Wetherill and Charles H. Woltjen, of the State Board of Charities, visited the house of George Deitrich, at Mount Carmel, to inqestigate a case reported them of a demented man chained to the wall in his parents house for nineteen years.

They found Dietrich's son George, aged 41 years, partially demented and violent, fastened by a stout chain and padlock to the wall in a small and filthy, dark cellar. Here he has been for 19 years. His only garment was a shirt. His appearance was pitiable and shocking. The parents threatened vengeance upon any one who interfered. Dr. Wetherill laid the case before Judge Rockerfeller and the sheriff was instructed to have the sufferer taken to the hospital.

## MR. CLEVELAND'S HEALTH.

He Emphatically Denies the Philadelphia Story that He is a Sick Man.

NEW YORK, Sept. 24.—A story emanating from Philadelphia was published here that ex-President Cleveland was in failing health; that he had not been able to any extent to enjoy his summer vacation, that he was losing ambition, etc.

Mr. Cleveland said to a reporter today that he had never passed a more enjoyable vacation, never felt better than he does at present and that the article referred to was false in every particular. He had never authorized any such statement and could not deny the whole article too emphatically.

Mr. Cleveland's eyes were bright, his face was bronzed by his summer outing and he appeared to be in perfect health.

An Irish Giantess.

NEW YORK, Sept. 24.—Miss Bella Macdonald, a 17 year old girl from County Kildare, Ireland, arrived at the Barge Office during the morning. She is 6 feet 7 inches in her stocking feet, and is perhaps the biggest woman ever landed here from foreign shores.

## NEWS OF THE DAY.

The race horse Reclare was sold at auction in New York for $15,000.

Six distinct shocks of earthquake were noticed at Columbia, S. C., about 3 a. m.

A fire at Palmer, Mass., destroyed property to the amount of $35,000; insurance over $22,000.

Gen. Boulanger's forthcoming reply to his detractors will consist of a book containing about 200 pages.

The State Committee of New York unanimously renominated Judge Robert Earl for the Court of Appeals.

Frank Potter, of Canandaigua, N. Y., fell from a crowded excursion train at Bath, N. Y. and was instantly killed.

The case of Kiernan, the alleged train wrecker, was again adjourned in Justice Grogan's court in West Troy, N.Y., until Saturday morning.

Henry Delarin, of Troy N. Y., who was accidentally shot by Rev. Father Morris, of the French Catholic Church at Malone, while the two were hunting a few days ago, has died.

The trial in New York city of Dr. McGonegal, Mrs. Shaw and Gus Harrison, charged with causing the death of Annie Goodwin, the cigarette girl, by malpractice, has been begun before Judge Fitzgerald.

The Duchess d'Uzes of Paris and her son, who has challenged General Boulanger for recent statements attributed to him, will accompany the Comte de Paris and the Duc d'Orleans to New York.

The condition of ex-Congressman William L. Scott of Erie, Pa., is unchanged and his friends are greatly alarmed. His ailment has been pronounced to be acute gastritis, and his chances for recovery are considered very doubtful unless a change for the better occurs speedily.

Bishop Harkins of the Rhode Island diocese declines to participate in the celebration of the Cotton centennial at Pawtucket. In his letter to E. W. Blayck, chairman of the committee, he says: "Considering the object of the celebration and the manner in which it is to be conducted I decline to assist it."

Samuel Spooner, a policeman of Boston, has received notice from his cousin in Wales, that he, as a direct descendant of the Swinton-Spooner family, has fallen heir to a street in London named Swinton street, the property being valued at $3,500,000. Spooner will sail for England to-morrow to investigate the matter.

Weather Indications.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 24.—For New England and Eastern New York: Fair; slightly cooler; westerly winds.

For New Jersey: Fair; stationary temperature; westerly winds.

For Western New York: Fair; cooler; northwesterly winds.

## NEW YORK MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Sept. 23.—Money on call to-day 2 and 3½ per cent.

BONDS.

| | Closing Yesterday. | Closing To-day. |
|---|---|---|
| 4½s, 1891 Reg | 104 | 104½ |
| 4½s, 1891 Coup | 104 | 104½ |
| 4 s, 1907 Reg | 123 | 123½ |
| 4 s, 1907 Coup | 120 | 120½ |

STOCK MARKET.

| | Closing Yesterday. | Closing To-day. |
|---|---|---|
| Canadian Pacific | 80¾ | 79¾ |
| Central Pacific | | |
| Chicago, Bur. & Quincy | 99¾ | 99¾ |
| Delaware & Hudson | | 126½ |
| Del., Lack. & Western | 144½ | 143¾ |
| Erie | 22½ | 22 |
| Erie pref | | |
| Lake Shore | 107½ | 107¾ |
| Louis. & Nash | 80¾ | 80¾ |
| Michigan Central | 93¾ | 93¾ |
| Missouri Pacific | 79¾ | 79¾ |
| New Jersey Central | 112½ | 112 |
| Northwestern | 106¾ | 106¾ |
| Oregon Navigation | | |
| Pacific Mail | 45½ | 45 |
| Reading | 41¾ | 41¾ |
| Rock Island | 80¾ | 80¾ |
| St. Paul | 67 | 67 |

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## BY THE WAY.

—After the most successful season of its existence, Hotel Netherwood will close to-morrow morning.

—A special meeting of the Plainfield Bicycle Club will be held on Saturday evening at eight o'clock in the club house, to consider the football question.

—The Woman's Temperance Aid Society will meet in the auditorium of Reform Hall, to-morrow afternoon, at 3 o'clock A full, prompt attendance is solicited.

—W. P. Smith's new coachman was kicked in the head by one of the horses in the stable, yesterday. Dr. Davis, however, fixed the man up in good shape again.

—The gymnasium classes of the Plainfield Bicycle Club give every promise of being liberally patronized this Winter. The hours and terms are announced today in the advertisement in another column.

—One of the watering carts sprinkled North avenue, the other day, with hundreds of little bass. They were probably some of the thousands that had been placed in the brook for propagation, by the fish commissioners.

—The West Ends will bring a brass band with them Saturday, and the Crescent management will provide seats for them. They will give a concert before and after the game, but there will be no increase in the price of admission.

—The Bound Brook Commissioners have followed the example of the Plainfield Common Council and have issued an ordinance prohibiting bicycle riders from riding on the sidewalks in any part of the town. During the night, when riding along the streets, they must display a light or be fined $5.

—An old man who peddles garden truck and clams about town has given the little hamlet in the rural district where he lives a name to suit his fancy, and has labeled all his barrels and butter jars "Isaiah Iscom, Bivalve, N. J." He hopes to live to see the day when "Bivalve" will be recognized by the men who make geographies.

—The Young Plainfields are happy because of a base ball victory over the Harned Academy nine. They made nine runs in the first innings, and won by the score of 27 to 6. The batteries were C. Jackson, T. Vargas, C. Mumford and W. Littell for the Harneds, and E. Sebring and C. Sutphen for the Plainfields. The Academy pitcher was changed three times, which accounts for the battery of four.

—The new bill for free postal delivery, if it becomes a law, will include in New Jersey: Bordentown, Burlington, Cape May, Dover, Englewood, Freehold, Long Branch, Millville, Mount Holly, Newton, Ocean Grove, Perth Amboy, Phillipsburg, Rahway, Red Bank, Rutherford, Salem, Somerville, Vineland, Westfield and Woodbury.

—The games that were to be played this month between the St. George Cricket Club of Plainfield and the cricket eleven of the New Jersey Athletic Club have been postponed till next season, when the Plainfield cricketers will be in better condition to cope with formidable rivals. It has been difficult to get the St. George players together for match games, but a thorough re-organization will take place this Winter.

—Dixon's Tourists present the well-known and interesting drama made famous by Wm. J. Florence, entitled "The Ticket of Leave Man," at the Amphion Theatre this evening. The cast will enlist the services of the full company. To-morrow evening the great moral drama, "Ten Nights in a Bar-room," will be presented. Edith Hand, the daughter of Charles Hand, the proprietor, will appear as Mary, the child. The houses have improved and things are going smoothly. Friday evening's bill will introduce the never-dying "Uncle Tom's Cabin."

—Now that the Union County Board of Freeholders has promised to make a public statement in refutation of *The World's* slanderous charges against F. A. Dunham, Engineer of Roads, *The World* is squirming out of its original position and says that it didn't say what it did say. Instead of its former allegations it now makes entirely different charges casting grave reflections on Mr. Dunham's personal honesty. The conduct of *The World* in connection with Plainfield matters has not inspired the people with any great confidence in its present statements, and Mr. Dunham may adopt the opinion expressed by his friends, that the journal is not reputable enough to warrant proceedings to recover damages for libel. It has to be an honest paper which can injure an honest man.

### The Crescent League to Have a Handsome New Club House.

The owner of the property on Second street East of Park avenue, occupied by the Crescent League until burned out, offers to tear down the old walls and build on the lot a club house for the League according to such plans as it may adopt.

The new building is to be broadened four feet and brought out to the sidewalk line where it will make a fine appearance from Park avenue. It will be fitted with spacious alleys, dining, reading and billiard rooms, ladies' parlor and in fact everything that can be asked for in a first-class club house. The insurance adjusters allowed the owners of the building $2,800 damages.

## OBITUARY.

### William Hunt Cleaver.

The impressive spectacle of a patriarch whose frame is still robust falling peacefully asleep for eternity was witnessed at the home of the Rev. J. B. Cleaver this morning, when the pastor's venerable father, William Hunt Cleaver, breathed his last.

William Hunt Cleaver was born in Vermont in 1798, and was a nephew of Wm. Cleaver, Bishop of York, and later of St. Asaph's. Mr. Cleaver taught the village school at Scotch Plains, seventy years ago. Among those who were his pupils are the learned A. Coles, M. D., "poet laureate of Scotch Plains," and a well-known official of this city. Mr. Cleaver voted first for Adams, was contemporaneous with every President of the United States, and survived all of them excepting three.

Mr. Cleaver was very active for so aged a man, even to the day of his death, and his wife, who survives him, and who is in her eighty-eighth year, is also vigorous. The aged couple ate their sixty-ninth wedding breakfast at the home of their son in North Plainfield the morning of Sunday, July 13. They were married on a Sunday morning, before breakfast, at the home of the bride's father, John Darby, Scotch Plains, in 1821.

Mrs. Cleaver's uncle, Ezra Darby of Scotch Plains, represented New Jersey in Congress, when the State had but one Congressman. Mr. Darby died at his post, and was buried in the Congressional Cemetery at Washington.

Mrs. Cleaver's cousin, Henry Stanbery, also of Scotch Plains birth, was Attorney General of the United States, during President Johnson's administration. Mr. Stanbery resigned his high office for the purpose of defending his chief in the impeachment trial which has passed into history as the greatest State case of the age. President Johnson was not impeached.

## PARTICULAR MENTION.

William Palmer Smith and family will spend the early Fall at VanCourt Inn, Roselle, while extensive alterations to their Netherwood home are being completed.

Editor Wm. H. Keefe, of the *Daily News*, Newburgh, N. Y., was among the callers at this office yesterday. He is looking at one of the Scott perfecting presses, with a view to purchasing. His paper is in such demand that he cannot print it fast enough.

The Rev. C. B. Mitchell has been suddenly called to Pittsburgh by the alarming illness of John Grazier, the gentleman Mr. Mitchell accompanied to Europe last year. Mr. Grazier has been seized with a stroke of paralysis. The Rev. Dr. Hurlbut will occupy Mr. Mitchell's pulpit in his absence.

An interesting feature of the coming bazar of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union will be the exhibition, by Miss Clementine Yates, of botanical specimens gathered by her own hands in the Holy Land. Bits of the mosses and other vegetable growths of the Mt. of Olives will be neatly mounted on card-board and displayed to the public eye for the first time.

### She Won't Marry Her Deceiver.

Deacon Mansfield Robinson's daughter, Laura, is home again; but McQuay, the man she eloped with, is still in Boston. Laura is in the 16th year of her age, but full grown and well developed. She seems to bear the separation calmly, and some of her friends say she is ready to "take up" with her deceiver again.

The strangest part of the affair is that Mrs. Robinson, the girl's mother, says McQuay proposed to marry Laura in Boston the other day, "so as to fix the thing all up;" but Mrs. Robinson told him he "shouldn't marry Laura to save his life." The parents' idea seems to be that they will be able to send McQuay to State Prison for life without the least expenditure of time, trouble or money. They would rather have satisfaction than a son-in-law.

### The Sensible Man Both Observes and Reads—and Takes THE PRESS.

An interesting debate has been planned by the Young Men's Auxiliary of the Young Men's Christian Association for next week Tuesday evening. The subject will be:

Resolved, That reading is more beneficial than observation.

The debaters will be Vincent Rockwell, James Kimball and Charles Fernald for the affirmative, and William Crawford, Walter Dobbins and Warren Rice for the negative.

The debate will be begun at eight o'clock.

### A Brakeman's Narrow Escape.

Bystanders at the Netherwood railroad station held their breath yesterday afternoon at a brakeman's narrow escape from death. The man was bending backward from the steps of one of the cars, while the train was going at rapid speed, and was struck in the side by a baggage truck. He lost his grip on the hand-rail, and was almost thrown under the wheels, but managed to recover his balance sufficiently to escape being mangled. He was seriously bruised, and one of the trunks on the baggage truck was broken by the collision.

When you have that tired feeling of exhaustion, and you have little ambition, your blood is thin and poor. There is nothing that will enrich your blood, bring back life and activity, like Hires' Root Beer. Nothing so nutritious and strengthening. Ask your druggist or grocer for a package. Makes five gallons, sparkling and delicious. Sold everywhere.

## ARTHUR WEBB'S TERRIBLE SUICIDE.

### He Climbs Up on an Elevated Railroad Pillar to Kill Himself.

A number of the readers of this will remember Arthur C. Webb, the youngest brother of the late Otis G. Webb, for many years President of the Plainfield Athletic Club, and also a brother of Irving, Harry and Ernest Webb, all boys who grow up in Westfield and were well-known and popular in this city and vicinity. Yesterday morning Arthur lay down in front of an elevated railroad train in Brooklyn with suicidal intent and was killed. He was an eccentric man. He was married, but he did not live with his wife, who lives in Bayonne. He had not done any work for three months. He boarded with W. S. VanHorn, at 1,209 Broadway, Brooklyn. His brother Ernest, a prosperous lawyer, paid his board. Monday afternoon he called at his brother's office. He returned late in the afternoon, not in very good spirits. He went to bed early. He slept in a hall room facing the streets. The tracks of the Union Elevated Railroad run along on a level with and ten feet away from the window. There is a wooden awning in front of the house 1,203 Broadway, and a pillar of the elevated road runs up at nearly the centre of this, on the line with the curb.

Some time before 6 o'clock yesterday morning Webb got up and put on his shirt, his trousers, and his stockings. Then he raised the window in his room, climbed out on the cornice and walked along to the awning and down the awning to the rail pillar. He climbed up that to the tracks by means of the bolt heads. At just 6 o'clock James Fletcher, a colored man who lives at 1,190 Broadway, looked out of his window and saw him standing on the railroad walk inside the down track of the road. He noticed that Webb was hatless and coatless. The place he was standing at was 200 feet from 1,205 Broadway, and 500 feet from the DeKalb avenue station of the elevated road. A train was nearing the station. Fletcher saw him deliberately lie down on the track in front of it. He shouted to his wife. At the same time the engine whistle shrieked, and the engineer reversed his engine. It was less than 20 feet from Webb, and the train could not stop. The engine struck him. He was frightfully injured, but he lived and remained conscious until he was taken to St Mary's Hospital. He refused to say why he wanted to commit suicide, but continually moaned "Oh, let me die."

Mr. VanHorn told a reporter there was no doubt in his mind but that Webb was crazy. One man said he had understood Webb to say it was intended to put him in the Flatbush Asylum, and he would rather die than go there.

### Miss Bowers Indorsed by the City Superintendent.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE PRESS:—I commend to the people of Plainfield the lessons in the Delsarte system of physical culture to be conducted by Miss Maud Agnes Bowers. The system is an improvement on ordinary physical culture in that it seeks to produce not only strength but grace of movement. And all who have witnessed the part which Miss Bowers has taken more than once in public representations under the auspices of our high school, will be sure that she is abundantly qualified to give instruction in this system. I hope that a large class will be formed in our city.

JESSE L. HURLBUT,
City Supt. of Schools.

### The Board to Officially Vindicate Mr. Dunham.

At a special meeting of the Board of Freeholder held at Elizabeth, Monday afternoon, the charges against Engineer Dunham, of this city, were brought up. The subject was referred to as a slander, and Mr. Trahon moved that in justice to Mr. Dunham and the board an investigation be made of the books of the engineer, and that a public statement be made of all the expenditures. The resolution called for a committee of six members to make the examination.

The resolution was adopted and Director Hubbard appointed as the committee, Freeholders Trahon, Doty, West, Roll and Wright.

### Germans Make Merry With Songs and Drama.

A dramatic and musical entertainment was given by the Plainfield Gesang and Turn Verein Monday evening, before a large and appreciative audience. Good music was rendered by C. L. Conde's orchestra and the Singing Section, with individual parts by M. Bartow, M. Conde, C. Dresselt, C. Maas and H. Haurand. The dramatic impersonators were C. Maas, R. Kersting, C. Dresselt and M. Tonnemann. The directors were M. Koerfer of the Singing Section and M. Hasselmann of the Dramatic Section.

### What a Big Load of Brains This "Editor" Carries.

*(From the news of Monday.)*

The election on the Constitutional amendment will occur at Elizabeth on Tuesday, September 30.

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At the Congressional election today Geissenheimer was unanimously elected.

### Competent Men for Less Than a Cent Apiece.

A Front street merchant advertised in THE PRESS Monday for men to drive a wagon. He paid 11 cents for the advertisement, and had 18 applications.

### A Plea for the Grown-Up Cat.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE PRESS:—I would like very much to write a few words in defence of that much abused animal, the domestic cat. Some people profess to be too tender-hearted to drown their young kittens, yet when the felines are half-grown they will drop them here and there, never caring whether the poor things starve or are tormented to death as they so often are. Within a month six of these little felines have been left within mewing distance of my door; one of them had a wound in its neck, and most of them were half starved. I wonder if boys, and older people, too, ever think what cowards they are when they abuse anything that cannot defend itself. All are God's creatures, and He says "Blessed are the Merciful." Can not the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals do something in the matter? At least provide a temporary shelter until the homeless animals can be disposed of in a painless manner? I would be very glad to give my mite towards so humane an object.

A FRIEND OF THE FRIENDLESS.

### An Egg-Plant Human Head, With Hooked Nose and Cunning Ears.

An odd vegetable growth—an egg-plant with a decided likeness to a human head—is on exhibition at the City Pharmacy. The nose is very pronounced, and is of an elongated and pointed Hebraic order. The ears are cute, the ladies say. The eyes and mouth were dark blotches, and have been beautified by a Plainfield artist's touch.


# Rheumatism,

BEING due to the presence of uric acid in the blood, is most effectually cured by the use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Be sure you get Ayer's and no other, and take it till the poisonous acid is thoroughly expelled from the system. We challenge attention to this testimony:—

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"One year ago I was taken ill with inflammatory rheumatism, being confined to my house six months. I came out of the sickness very much debilitated, with no appetite, and my system disordered in every way. I commenced using Ayer's Sarsaparilla and began to improve at once, gaining in strength and soon recovering my usual health. I cannot say too much in praise of this well-known medicine."—Mrs. L. A. Stark, Nashua, N. H.

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For admission or information apply to

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Chairman Gymnasium Committee.
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## DEATHS.

CLEAVER—At his late residence, 48 Somerset street, Sept. 24, 1890, William Hunt Cleaver, age 92 years.

Funeral service Friday, Sept. 26, at 3 P. M. Interment private. 2

## WANTS AND OFFERS.

*Advertisements under this heading, one cent for each word each insertion.*

LOST—Between Front street and Hillside cemetery, a black cashmere shawl, with a Paisley border. Please return to Peck's Dry Goods store.

WANTED—Woman for general housework. No washing. 7 West 2d street. 9 24 2

WANTED—Part of house, 4 or 5 rooms, for family of three; state terms and location, D., PRESS office. 9 24 2

WANTED to hire, a small, partly furnished house, near depot. Address, stating location and price per month, Household, PRESS office.

TO LET, part of a house; seven rooms, furnished or unfurnished; for adults only. Apply 151 West Front street. 9 24 2

FOR SALE, at a Bargain, an extension-top phaeton, seating four, hardly soiled, pole and shafts; a side-bar top buggy; set new harness, woolen blankets, plush robes, stable tools, etc; price for the lot, $250; phaeton was built to order for $500. Apply to F. J. Richters, Dunellen, N. J. 9 24 2

A NEW flat and store to let, corner Richmond and 3d streets. Apply to Peter Cassidy, No. 207 East Front street. 9 23 6

TWO DOLLARS A MONTH—A sweet toned, square, Fischer Piano. Address "Rolyat," Plainfield postoffice. 9 23 2

COLUMBIA Safety Bicycle for sale. Been used two months. Apply at PRESS office. 9 23 3

A VERY desirably located, corner flat to rent. Near station. Apply at THE PRESS office. 9 21 5

FOR SALE—A second hand piano, in good condition. Inquire 107 Park avenue. 9 22 tf

LADIES doing their own dressmaking or employing plain seamstress, can secure perfect fit and pattern for future use. Taylor system. Miss A. T. Buckley, 27 West 4th street. 9 22 tf

FURNISHED rooms to let. Apply at 29 West Front street. 9 22 4

WANTED—Girl for general housework. References required. Apply at number one Myrtle avenue, North Plainfield. 9 17 tf

ROOMS, with or without board. 21 West 2d street. 9 15 2w

RYE WANTED—Highest market price paid N. W. French, 7 E. 4th street 9 11 tf

FOR SALE—A Restaurant, doing a good paying business. Reason for selling, illness of proprietress. Inquire at Boston Cafe, No. 7 Somerset street. 9 6 tf

STORAGE for furniture in separate rooms. Apply to C. Frank French, 69 Somerset st. 9 2 tf

WANTED—Jobbing at painting, glazing, kalsomining and roof painting. Address Isaac Kennedy, 49 Chatham street, North Plainfield. tf

WANTED—Work cleaning Vaults and Cesspools. Satisfaction guaranteed. City Odorless Excavating Works, 206 Broadway. Mrs. David Jones, Proprietor. No connection with JONES & CO. 8-11-tf

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## IS THE POISON ITSELF A WITNESS?

**Further Details of the Story of Attempted Murder Told by Mrs. Hess—The Wife Repeats the Tale, and Produces "the Fatal Draught," but the Husband Claims to Be the Victim of Foul Conspiracy.**

Henry Hess, who is accused by his wife of the attempted murder of his little daughter, as told exclusively in THE PRESS of yesterday, has been released from the North Plainfield lock-up, on the payment of the fine in default of which he stood committed. Some are inclined to discredit the story told by Mrs. Hess and her children, claiming that she is more to blame than he, but Mrs. Hess insists that every word of her tale is gospel truth, and the fact that the children corroborated it so closely convinced Justice Hardy that the complaint was based on facts.

The origin of the trouble among the Hess family dates a long time back. Its first outbreak was manifested two years ago, when Hess is said to have had a wrangle with aged Francis Bernard. Mrs. Bernard had long received personal attention at the hands of Mrs. Hess, and out of gratitude promised to give her the dwelling in which the Hesses had been living and the plot of land surrounding it. Mrs. Barnard did not want Hess to get hold of the property, and, it is alleged, continually cautioned Mrs. Hess against him. Bitter feeling was thereby engendered, and after Mrs. Barnard's death Hess and Barnard had frequent controversies. Hess is reported to have declared that his wife had conspired with the Barnards against him, and to have become so violent, at the time mentioned, about two years ago, that Mrs. Hess and Barnard had to seek the protection of the authorities. Justice Hardy then was asked by Mrs. Hess to go into the house and pacify the husband. Mr. Hardy says that to obey this request he had to break his way through a door, and was met face to face by Hess, who brandished a butcher knife menacingly. Hardy was unarmed, but, under pretense of drawing a revolver, frightened Hess into dropping his bloodthirsty weapon, and eventually restored peace. Last week, after occasional intervening eruptions, the Hess volcano broke out again, and Hess was arrested and fined. The story of Mrs. Hess, relating how—in his mad rage at her giving evidence against him, and out of desire for revenge—he is alleged to have sought to poison first her children and then himself, has already been told in THE PRESS. Forces are said to have been at work to induce Mrs. Hess to withdraw the complaint against her husband. Whether or not the alleged attempt to hush up the case will be successful remains to be seen. If the case comes to trial the partly-emptied package of rat poison which Mrs. Hess says was used by her husband in his alleged attempt at murder and suicide will be used as evidence against him.

Hess has a reputation for being an industrious, hard-working man, and is said to be utterly guiltless of the brutality which Mrs. Hess has charged. A PRESS reporter sought to obtain, in an interview, a statement of his side of the story, concerning the claim that he is a victim of conspiracy, but he refused to say anything for publication. The columns of THE PRESS are open to him for whatever he may have to say in vindication of himself.

**Dead is the Crow, and Blood is on the Moon.**

Harry Coddington's pet crow is deceased, and vengeance is in store for the man who shot it. The crow had been a member of the Coddington family a long time. It was caught when young in the mountains back of North Plainfield. As the bird waxed in years it was given a thorough classical and scientific education, and could do many things even more wonderful than hiding keys under the door-mat, mending lamp chimneys and old umbrellas, paring potatoes, singing the babies to sleep, and taking the little ones to Sunday-school. It could sing, it is said, in a blonde voice, and play jackstones, and pull hairpins out of the girls' braids and re-arrange the hair in latest Delsarte style, and was just learning how to sew buttons on shoes when its demise occurred.

J. Worth Coddington sauntered away from the house, Sunday afternoon, with the crow perched on his shoulder. When he reached the junction of Mountain avenue and Somerset street he saw some friends coming, and advised the bird to go home. The sable creature cawed his protest, and flew into the branches of a tree, where it smoothed its ruffled feelings and sought to choke down the promptings of jealousy that all well-bred birds indulge in when thrust ruthlessly aside to make room for other bipeds. While the crow was composing itself back into a Sunday-school frame of mind a Mean Man from Mountain avenue appeared. The Mean Man knew that the bird was a family pet, for others told him so, but instead of receiving it as a distinguished guest he chuckled over what he considered a good shot and went into the house and got a gun. Then he shot the crow and killed it, and the righteous wrath of the Coddingtons was aroused. They threaten to have the Mean Man placed in the borough lock-up for discharging fire-arms on the public streets on Sunday, and to sue him for the damage he has done the family feelings by turning a good, playful, industrious live crow into a worthless dead one.

—Representatives of the "Order of the Royal Ark," a one-year endowment order, are in town and will organize a branch here in a few days.

## THE BOROUGH WAR IS ENDED.

**The Telegraph Poles Will Go Where the People Say, and Nowhere Else.**

The telegraph pole war in the Borough is at an end. The story of its outbreak, as told exclusively in THE PRESS of Monday, came to the knowledge of Joseph A. McClary, General Manager of the New Jersey Postal Telegraph Company, and Division Manager of the Postal Telegraph-Cable Company, and he promptly visited this city, displayed the olive branch of peace, and put an end to all hostility. The holes which had been dug along Greenbrook road, Grove street and Willow avenue were for the poles of the New Jersey Postal Telegraph Company, as was surmised. Mr. McClary says that they were dug under the direction of a foreman who exceeded his authority. The Company has no desire to do anything contrary to the wishes of the people, and will not erect any poles without consent of the property-owners. The local foreman did not understand this. He thought he must go ahead and complete the line through Plainfield and North Plainfield in a hurry, and he didn't trouble himself about the wishes of the people or anybody else. As soon as Mr. McClary found that holes had been dug where the people didn't want them he ordered them filled up, and his command was promptly obeyed. The route for the line mapped out by the local foreman has been abandoned, and the poles will be erected along a route against which there is no objection. Mr. McClary has given orders that the property-owners' consent must be secured in every instance preliminary to excavation. His Company aims to please the public now and always.

**A Literary Guest That Always Brings Delight.**

*Sun and Shade*, the artistic monthly periodical published by the Photo-Gravure Company at 137 West 23d street, New York, grows more welcome the oftener it comes to hand. It is one of the choicest visitors to the library table. The plates are of a convenient size, yet are not too small for comprehensive work and conscientious execution of detail. Each issue is a repetition of perfected art.

The number for June opened with an excellent portrait of Gen. P. H. Sheridan, from the original crayon of Otto Venino, brother of A. Venino, the pianist, of this city. "Gossip," that charming painting by Carl Marr, which attracts so many admiring eyes at the Métropolitan Museum of Art, is faithfully reproduced, and is one of the brightest things *Sun and Shade* has ever given. "In Love," Marcus Stone's work, is old, but it is one of those thoughtful studies of which one does not easily tire. The "Lane at the Base of Cemetery Hill" is a noteworthy addition to the series of Gettysburg views. Gustav Richter's "Harem Scene" is redolent with a languorous glow, and its maidens are tender and coy. The "Scene in Switzerland," "Tulip Culture," and "Interior at Boston," are all good.

For July *Sun and Shade* presented a portrait of the Rt. Rev. Henry C. Potter, D. D. LL. D., Protestant Episcopal Bishop of New York. "Winter Foliage" is a very pleasant picture; one can sniff the fresh cold perfume of the snowy woodland, and can feel the crunch of the snow under his feet and the tingle of the crisp frosty atmosphere on his cheeks. "The Organ Rehearsal" is an old-time favorite. "The Challenge" develops, as one gazes on it, into a tale of romance, chivalry and nobility of manhood. "Yucatan" is spread before one's gaze in a single comprehensive glance. The cacti, the stunted foliage, the villages of adobe and stone, the distant hills, the thorny paths at hand, all arouse one's fondness for travel to distant lands. "Spangler's Spring," at the foot of Culp Hill, Gettysburg, is of especial interest to the soldiers who fought for the possession of the spot, and will be appreciated by all who know its history. "Naples" is a fine view; and the "Modern Colonial Architecture" is a good sample of the work the builders are doing.

*Sun and Shade* will become a monthly visitor in any Plainfield household for four dollars a year.

**We Have Already One Too Many.**

The Elizabeth papers say that "there was a special meeting of the board of freeholders held Monday afternoon for the purpose of acting on the petition of the Commonwealth Water company of Plainfield for permission to lay mains on certain county roads recently paved with telford."

Providence be praised, this is not so! Plainfield has already two water companies—the "Water Works Co.," and the "Water Supply Co."—and she could be happy with either were t'other one out of the way.

The company referred to in the above extract, is the Commonwealth Water Co., of Summit.

**A Large Estate.**

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## SECRET SOCIETIES.

**Masonic.**

The encampment of Knights Templar held at Rockford, Ill., last week proved a gratifying success. It now seems likely that Templar encampments in the State will become an established institution.

The temple builders of Chicago are still at work. Last week ground was broken for the erection of the Lowther Masonic Temple on the west side of the city. It will be a beautiful structure and will cost about $75,000.

The gathering of Scottish Rite Masons at Cleveland, O., next month will probably be the largest assembly of high-grade Masons that has ever been seen in the Western States. Of late years the rite has been growing steadily in the northern jurisdiction, and as the preparations for the next General Assembly have been made on a very large and liberal scale the occasion will be a brilliant one.

**Odd-Fellows.**

The triennial cantonment is over and the question is naturally asked: Are such monster gatherings and public displays for the benefit of the order? The answer from nearly all the leading members of the order is in the negative Odd-Fellowship is planned, they say for practical work and not for costly display. It is among the fatherless and the widow that its uses and charities appear to best advantage. There is, therefore, a widespread feeling of humiliation among the friends and faithful workers in the order. The absorbing question among the order now is: What is to become of the surplus money realized from the venture? For it is admitted that there is a very large surplus on hand, and while General Underwood claims the right to dispose of this sum as he pleases, there is a large element in the order disposed to dispute the right of the Generalissimo to give a "show" under the auspices of the order and then pocket or otherwise use the proceeds as he chooses.

It seems probable that General Underwood will be severely scored in the coming session of the Sovereign Grand Lodge, and a thorough accounting will be required of him, in any event. There are also serious charges being prepared against Underwood for issuing orders in defiance of the laws of the order, for the purpose of favoring certain members who do not appear to be in good standing among the fraternity.

An Odd-Fellow's temple is about to be erected in Cincinnati, O., which will cost $250,000 and be seven stories high. Designs for the building have been called for.

The Inter-State Odd-Fellows Association of Iowa, Nebraska, Missouri and Kansas concluded its business last week by the election of J. W. Humphreys, Iowa, President; and C. A. Patterson, Omaha, Secretary. The next meeting will be held in Omaha.

**Knights of Pythias.**

Brigadier-General Barkley, of Illinois, is already looking around for a place for holding the next State encampment of the uniform rank. East St. Louis has offered special inducements for the camp, and Springfield is earnestly urging its claims for the patronage of the rank.

The Supreme Lodge, at its last session, increased the salary of Major-General Carnahan to $4,500, which is to cover and include the entire expense of running the Major-General's headquarters. This it is thought will prove a saving to the order of several hundred dollars.

**Improved Order of Red Men.**

This order has been making headway steadily in every part of the country for the past ten years, and the next annual meeting of the Great Council of the United States is regarded with much interest, as it is believed the reports will show that the order has now a membership of over 100,000. McDOUGALL.

**A Damper.**

At the close of the grand ball of the Arts Club, the celebrated first actor of the Court Theater in Berlin stands in the passage waiting for friends. A beautiful and fashionably dressed lady approaches him and says:

"Beg pardon, have I the honor to see before me our famous Herr Bruller, whose powerful and sonorous voice I had the pleasure of admiring last night in 'Macbeth'? Might I ask you to do me a little favor?"

"I am quite at your service, Madam."

"Then will you be good enough to call out in the street for the carriage of Baroness Zabelitz?"—The Jury.

**Rooted Habit.**

Parrott (wrathfully)—I can't see why Gabby takes so much time in coming to the point. He keeps saying the same thing over and over.

Wiggins—He can't help it, poor fellow. He has had a telephone in his office for the past four years.—Munsey's Weekly.

**Hirshkind's Business Reasoning.**

Hirshkind—Und vat may be the price of this vatch?

Jeweler—Ten dollars.

Hirshkind (sotto voce)—He asks ten; he means eight; he'll take six; it's vorth four; I'll offer two.—Jewelers' Circular.

**The Height of Economy.**

"Is Scribuler stingy?"

"Awfully! Why, when he writes a novel he does it with a pencil, so that if his book is rejected he can rub it out and use the sheets again."—Harper's Bazar.

**It Was Impossible.**

"Why do you sing so at your work?" growled the Stove-pipe to the Kettle. "I never do."

"Why, you can't!" returned the Kettle. "You're always smoking at your work."—Puck.

## FEATURES OF MAGNETISM.

**Remarkable Behavior of Some Metals in Certain Conditions.**

It is now pretty widely known that iron suddenly ceases to be magnetic when heated to the critical point of its "recalescence" or "after-glow," and that if alloyed with some 12 per cent. of manganese, as in manganese steel it becomes almost completely non-magnetic. These facts show us that iron is not necessarily magnetic under all conditions, for admixture with a small quantity of another metal, and even mere change of temperature, render it non-magnetic. Stranger still, some observers report that iron again becomes magnetic when the temperature reaches whiteness, but this lacks confirmation.

The behavior of nickel-steel is very remarkable. As usually received from the maker, nickel-steel with 25 per cent. of nickel is non-magnetic; and yet it is a mixture of two magnetic metals, iron and nickel. If, now, we cool this nickel-steel to —20 deg. C (—4 deg. Fahr.) it becomes very decidedly magnetic, and remains so when it again returns to the normal temperature. If, finally, we heat it, it remains magnetic till it reaches its critical temperature of 580 deg. C (1,076 deg. Fahr.), when it again becomes non-magnetic, and remains so until again cooled to —20 deg. C. In short, this nickel-steel may at the common temperature be either permanently magnetic or permanently non-magnetic as we please. We can at will make it permanently non-magnetic by heating it momentarily to 580 deg. C. and again cooling it; or permanently magnetic, by cooling it temporily to —20 deg. C. Nickel-steel has been recommended for ship building because non-magnetic. But if the nickel-steel ship is to become magnetic suddenly, and without a word of warning, on cooling to —4 deg. Fahr., sending its compasses spinning, its sphere of usefulness would be limited. For, though this temperature is not reached during common ocean trips, yet vessels in port at New York, Boston or Halifax, on the great lakes and elsewhere, are occasionally exposed to it. Reheating the vessel to 1076 deg. Fahr. to unmagnetize it seems at first to present technical difficulties. Finally pull a bar of non-magnetic 25 per cent. nickel-steel apart tensilely, and, presto! its broken fragments are magnetic!

This, be it understood, is the behavior of 25 per cent. nickle-steel. It does not at all follow that, with other proportions of nickle, the same strange conduct will be found. Thus with five per cent. of nickle, steel becomes non-magnetic when heated to about 800 deg. C. Like 25 per cent. nickle-steel, it remains non-magnetic when cooled somewhat below this temperature, regaining its magnetism at a decidedly lower temperature at which it again becomes magnetic, instead of being below zero, is somewhat about 650 deg. C.

Again, it has become pretty well known that tungsten, itself unmagnetic, greatly increases the magnetism of steel; and now it turns out that it plays the same part with nickel, 3 per cent. of tungsten making nickel more strongly magnetic than the steel of which magnets were formerly made. Thus Mr. Preece states that, while tungsten raises the magnetic induction of steel from 700 to 5,000, it raises that of nickel from 120 to 1,032.—Engineering and Building.

## TOOK THE WRONG DOSE.

**How a Miner's Colic Succumbed to a Dreadful "Adjunct."**

There came a chap one day to set up a drug-store in our mining town, which had taken a boom and was attracting business. This wasn't to be a "regular" drug-store, but the drug part was an annex to a grocery and boot and shoe store. The new arrival had just opened it when Tom Harrison, one of the men in my claim, was taken one night with bilious colic. Ben Wheeler, another of our men, went to the druggist's to get a remedy but that individual at once said to him:

"I know mighty little about drugs, but I took this stock on a debt and thought I'd better show 'em up. The drugs are an adjunct."

"Yes, but Tom has had a bad case of colic"

"Well, I might hit something and I might miss it. I don't want to take the chances. If you do, go ahead.

"I don't feel fit, and mebbe I'd better go and ask Tom. If he'll run the chances I will."

He came back and stated the case. Tom's colic was worse, and in his desperation he exclaimed:

"Git sunthin—no matter what! You can't mor'n kill me, and I shall die anyhow!"

Ben returned to the store and pawed around for a spell. He couldn't read except with a great effort, but he came across two bottles, the contents of which rather took his eye, and he filled the smaller one with the mixture. When he was ready to give Tom a dose he said:

"Can't guarantee this, Tom. The feller says the drugs are only an adjunct, and you know I'm no hand at doctorin'."

"I'll chance it," replied Tom, and down went the dose, and at midnight he was a dead man.

The coroner got the story as I have have given it, put a jury on the case and had the particulars retold, and when they had nothing more to learn, he said:

"Gentlemen, I can't see whar nobody was to blame, and you'll return a verdict that Tom cum to his death on account of an adjunct in the hands of a friend, which the same was drags as nobody knowed any thing about."—N. Y. Sun.

—Nigger is not, as generally supposed, a corruption of negro, but it is regularly developed from the earlier form of neger, which is derived through the French from the Spanish-Portuguese negro, from which the English negro is taken directly. Nigger is more English in form than negro and was formerly and to some extent is still used without opprobrious intent; but its use is now confined to colloquial or illiterate speech, in which it generally conveys more or less of contempt.

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# MY HOUSE BOAT.

## The Realization of a Dream—Hospitality as It Should Be.

### A Magical Key—Practical Side of the Question—Suggestions From Many Quarters.

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I HAD not lived long in New York before I realized how much to the worker in town a summer home must mean—a summer home not involving, after hours of the dust and din of the streets, a gasping consultation with time tables, and a crush with hot and hurrying crowds. I thought a long time about this, but my plans at first were vague, for above all things I wanted to possess a key. This key was not to guard my belongings, I never thought of it in that way, it was rather to open the way to them. It was something I was to have and to give away, to let pass from hand to hand, like good gold in circulation. I had no idea what door that key was to fit, nor where that door was to be. All I knew was that it was to lead him who had it to comfort and repose, to wide windows looking to the sky; yes, and to a quiet corner where cushions and books should beguile him to rest. And over all there was to be an atmosphere breathing to each a personal welcome, as though somehow or other every thing man found there was his own.

And so real did that key become to me, that not only with friends but with tired strangers I saw in the cars, I found myself on the point of handing it with a "use this to-day, you'll be better for it to-morrow." I never saw a brainweary man or woman without longing for their sakes to own that key. Even more for two lovers or for any congenial souls craving solitude for themselves.

Where this house was to be was a question which bothered me not a little. My thoughts turned toward the mountains with their hushed and purple twilights, and the thrill of their woods at dawn. My memory brought back a certain breeze rollicking around a hilltop and blowing off in a breath all the care I had carried with me. If mountain air will do that with care, that, thought I, is the place for my house. But it was all so many hours away, and with a house hours away, what is one to do with a key? I saw that no house involving a long journey to reach it could ever fulfill a hospitable intent, when that intent is to welcome not so much the opulent as the wayfarer. And for the wayfarer one must have above all things a key. For the finest hospitality is that which shall not call on the host to dispense just as a gift is greatest in which all sense of obligation is lost.

There is a bend in the elevated road coming from the Battery where one gets a glimpse of a great tangle of masts thrown up against the sky, the roofs of old houses, a patch of green with its solitary park policeman, and the many colored tops of canal boats, huddling like painted tortoises that have waddled away out of the wind. If you walk down by those at night, or better still, in the crisp, cool twilight of an October day, you get a glimpse now and then of a life within that opens up new possibilities. Now it is a little gleam of red in the lamplight, a bird that is

AS SHE WORE OUT HER LIFE IN SILENT WAITING.

chirping itself to rest, and now a pot of bright flowers. There are pots of flowers everywhere. And once I saw the hands of some woman at dinner—no faces can be seen from the dock—so delicate and dainty that I would walk many miles to see them again through that little crack in the window. I was standing there and watching those hands, the wind fresh from the river blowing keen in my face, when the idea of a house-boat came to my mind. I had found a place for my key. "A boat, a boat," sang I. "My house must be a boat."

It was a long time before it was built, for the buying of a boat is no ordinary affair, and house-boats then in this country were very little talked of. Still it was done, and now it lies—but why say where? for next week it will be gone. There is a good old New Englander, with a trig and tidy wife at one of the wharves, behind canal whose barge I and my boat are going a-sailing.

But to-day it lies moored just across the narrow part of the river at the foot of a low hill. It is all welcome, all glow. The flowers on deck nod their many colored heads at you in greeting, the white curtains at the open window stir, one is willing to believe, with a sort of enthusiastic promise of what lies in the cold dim room inside. Even the smoke from the chimney, busy with good cheer, bends toward you with a wide wave of welcome before tossing itself merrily upward. Not only this, but when you stand on the further shore looking over, you see the lights and colors from the boat come down across the rumpled surface of the water to meet you, in eager sinuous lines to your very feet. And as you step into the little boat that carries you over, they gleam and glance under your boat, always beckoning, and receding the nearer you approach, till when you step aboard and past them, like well-trained messengers, their office fulfilled, they vanish quietly away in silence.

On most of the English house-boats you enter at the end, but with mine the main entrance is in the middle. There are many reasons for this, the greatest being that in this way I get the lines in my living room unbroken.

My living room lies then at one end of the house. There are three sides to it in which there are windows, thus giving to the room not only the sun and breeze all day when I want them, but all the effects of sky and water, both by night and day as well. Under these windows are divans, low seats and cushions, and above them a long shelf running all about the room for books. In one corner stands the fireplace, an old-fashioned Franklin with its shining brass and irons and low fender, worn at one end by many feet. I sometimes wonder whose feet they were that for half a century or more, before the Franklin came into my possession, rested themselves so long on this fender. Whether they belonged to some comfortable old paterfamilias, paper in hand, lounging back

MY HOUSE BOAT.

in his great arm-chair and toasting his toes through two generations of domestic nights. Or whether the delicate slippered foot of some dainty woman rested on it as she wore her life out in silent waiting. Or whether some child grew to manhood and built his way to fortune there. Whatever its history it never itself rested before cheerier logs than those which on cool autumn nights go snapping and sparkling in great flames up my chimney.

Of course, I had to overcome prejudice in the building of my boat. The purely practical and unpoetic said it would blow over if I built it on a scow. And I must confess there was much to be said in the way of a canal boat. An old one can be bought for twenty-five dollars. Then, too, there were all the suggestions held out by "Rudder Grange." I consulted authorities on Chinese boats and men who were filled with the delights of boat life in Terra del Fuego. But something failed to please me in them all. There were queer things that happened to people's feet standing always so far under water. I wanted my house on deck. I wanted to live, feet and all, in the wide open of pure air and sunshine. So in spite of every one I took a scow. Now, a scow is eighty feet long and sixty feet wide, so your house can be sixty by twenty, leaving deck room at either end. But the price of mine—and every one always insists on the price of every thing where an innovation is made—the price of mine I decline to give, for I paid for my experiments, as a novice must always do. But I have two friends who for four hundred dollars are building one on a canal boat which, with much arrogance, they maintain will outrival mine. I decline to believe them.

The walls, from the floor to the ceiling, were covered with old tapestries, and upon them were hung rare etchings, delf plaques, brass sconces and choice pictures. There was still plenty of room to tack up sketches as fast as made. At intervals, along the sides, Venetian church lamps, a censer or two, and some richly-hued marine lanterns were suspended from the dark, heavy beams which upheld the deck, and served as a magnificent ribbed ceiling, bold and agreeable in tone, and beautiful in its curved lines. At the farther end of the salon was built a permanent table of generous dimensions, placed longitudinally, which served as a dining table, and which became between meals and in the evening a common center, across which were exchanged the adventures of the day and the plans for the morrow. About it were grouped a number of carved and ornamental antique armchairs, of larger pattern, and one of which was to its neighbor a stranger from a strange land. Holland, Spain, Italy, Mexico, England and Plymouth Rock jogged elbows and tread under their feet prayer rugs from Smyrna, Bokhara and Hindoostan. The coal-stained floor, and the battered keelson, upon which had been dumped many a ton of anthracite, carefully scrubbed and cleaned, were covered throughout the length of the boat with fresh, clean china matting. The cots along the side were perfectly disguised as divans, and brought into "tone" by a judicious use of Turkish and India rugs, camel's-hair blankets, etc. A carved oaken chest, of the thirteenth century, served as a sideboard, and from the opposite side an English high chest of drawers, of two hundred years ago, flaunted its brass handles. A Japanese bronze vase, as high as the back of an old-fashioned chair, richly ornamented in relief with tangled gods and sacred snakes degraded from the splendor for which it was deservedly intended, now served as a depository for smoking materials. Near by, an old-fashioned writing desk, always open, presented a continual opportunity for communication with the unfortunates in the outside world.

LILLIE HAMILTON FRENCH.

# THE HOUSEHOLD.

## TO PRESS PLANTS.

### Some Information on a Subject in Which Many Ladies Are Interested.

Does the reader want to know how to press plants, so as to have respectable specimens in his collection? You say that your specimens will not keep their color, and that altogether you can not make a satisfactory job of pressing plants.

Well, says a writer in Golden Days, I will tell you how I manage the business, and I think I may say that I am fairly successful.

My friends tell me that the mounted specimens in my herbarium are perfect pictures to look at, independently of their scientific value; and, between ourselves, I thoroughly agreed with them:

First of all, what do you collect your plants in? I think a portfolio is better than a tin, and for this reason: that you can at once lay your specimens out flat between the papers, and so prevent them from getting bruised and crumpled.

Your portfolio should be of the same size as the paper on which you intend to mount your specimens, so that you may select plants of suitable size.

The size of my mounting paper, and therefore of my portfolio, is thirteen inches by nine inches, and I may say that I find that size a very convenient one and quite large enough.

The making of a portfolio is a very simple matter. Get two pieces of stout pasteboard at your stationer's, cut them to the right size and connect them with two pieces of strong tape, thus:

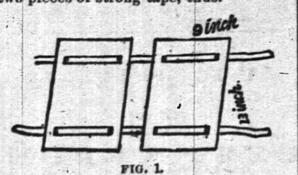


FIG. 1.

Then place about a dozen double sheets of botanical paper between the two covers and your portfolio is made.

A tin is very useful for many stout, stiff, troublesome plants; but you will easily understand that with delicate plants in flower, it is a great advantage to place them carefully at once in a portfolio. I often carry both a tin and a portfolio.

Next, take trouble in the selection of your plants. Choose your specimens with the flowers nicely out and with the foliage in good order. Be careful to take them up by the root, otherwise your specimen will be mutilated and not perfect.

I sometimes ask friends at a distance to get me such and such a plant, which happens to grow in their neighborhood. Instead of a plant they send me a fragment of a plant—four or five inches of a plant. Such fragments are useless. We want entire plants, roots and all. Of course, with large plants this is often impossible; but no specimen is complete which does not show the root and root-leaves as well as the flower.

Having, then, got your plants, how are you to press them?

I will tell you how I manage. It is most important that you use proper botanical paper; otherwise, no matter how careful you are, you can not expect your plants to keep their color. The most convenient size is sixteen by ten inches, when folded, and I should advise you to buy at least half a dozen quires.

As the drying paper is sixteen inches by ten inches I use a press of the same size. My press consists simply of two elm boards, about three-quarters of an inch in thickness, with a piece dovetailed crosswise at each end to prevent the boards from warping, thus:

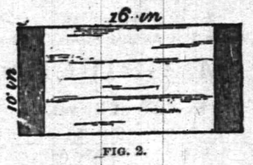


FIG. 2.

As these boards cost next to nothing, it is well to have two or three pairs; so as not to have stout and delicate plants in the same press at the same time.

It is also a great advantage to have a supply of stiff cardboards, cut the size of the press, to interlay with the paper, so as to keep the specimens as level as possible.

The weights must of course vary according to the nature of the plant. Delicate plants, like pimpernel or wood sorrel, want only a very light weight—a good-sized book is sufficient; while obstreperous plants like burdocks or thistles require severer treatment.

I have several weights varying from, say, fifty-six pounds to twelve pounds. You will soon learn how heavy a weight is necessary for any given plant; experience in such a matter is the only master.

Many botanists use screw-presses, and of course a screw-press is a great advantage, as you can employ just what pressure you please. But screw-presses cost money, and it is quite possible to get on without one, although if any one is kind enough to give you one, do not by any means refuse it.

But supposing you have a screw-press, you will still want some boards and weights as well, for one press, even if a screw, is not sufficient.

We will assume, then, that you have your press, with paper and weights and cardboard complete. The next question is: How are you to use them?

Suppose you are going to press a violet. First clean the roots; then arrange the plant as nicely and picturesquely on the paper as you can, being careful that the leaves lie flat; cover it with eight or ten sheets of paper, and put it in the press, with a light weight only.

Next morning change, or just turn, the papers, rearrange the position of the plant if necessary, and put on a heavier weight. In three or four days, perhaps less, such a plant as a violet will be perfectly dry.

Some plants, of course, take longer, some less; and in every case the great point is to change the papers daily, and to use suitable pressure.

In the case of plants like the orchids or daffodils it is well sometimes to make a section of the bulbs, otherwise it is almost impossible to get a satisfactory specimen.

So with the larger and coarser plants, like many of the Compositæ and Umbelliferæ, it is often necessary to cut away portions in order to press the plant at all. But when this has to be done, always endeavor to select as typical a specimen as possible.

With woody plants, like hawthorne or wild crab, make a section of the stem, and put on all the pressure you can. With succulent plants, use more paper, and change it oftener. And if, as sometimes happens, in spite of all your care, the specimens get moldy in the press, paint them over with spirits of wine.

Before now, when I have been away from home for a few days, I have found on my return my plants wholly smothered with mold; but a good dose of spirits of wine has soon cleaned them.

When away on a holiday it is of course impossible to cart about with you half a dozen fifty-pound weights in your portmanteau, and so you must use other contrivances.

You can, however, quite easily take one press, and a good supply of paper and cardboard and a couple of stout straps. You can also make a canvas bag, and fill it with stones and use that as a weight.

If your supply of botanical paper falls short, you must make newspaper do. When on a botanical expedition, as on all other occasions, common sense is necessary.

Let me now say one word about mounting your specimens. The first thing we want is mounting-paper, and it should be of the best.

A specimen once dried and mounted will last you your life-time; it is surely then a pity to mount it on bad paper. Pressing or cartridge paper comes in sizes of twenty-six inches by twenty-one inches, and a quire cuts up into a good many sheets.

Have it cut up in sheets thirteen inches by nine inches, and some thirteen inches by eighteen and one half inches. The larger sheets doubled are used to enclose the smaller, on which the individual plants are mounted.

On the outside sheet I write the name of the genus, on the inside the name of the species, thus:

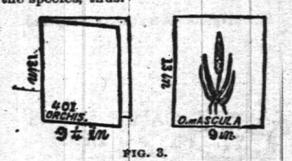


FIG. 3.

Some botanists stick their plants to the paper with gum, others use strips of sticking-paper. I have always found the latter—stamp-paper—quite satisfactory.

Some, again, wash their specimens with a preservative solution before placing them in the cabinet; but the objection to this is that the solution often spoils the color of the specimen. I think that camphor placed in the cabinet is sufficient, and if at any time mold should appear, paint the specimen with spirits of wine.

In conclusion, let me impress upon you the absolute necessity of accurately labeling your specimens. A complete label should not only give the name of the plant, but also its locality, its date and the name of the finder.

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Leave Plainfield 3 37, 5 34, 5 38, 6 29, 6 59, 7 28 7 50, 7 58, 8 15, 8 31, 8 37, 9 25, 10 05, 11 09, 11 39, A. M., 1, 1 41, 2 07, 2 30, 3 12, 3 51, 5 08, 5 31, 6 07, 6 54, 7 03, 8 31, 9 28, 10 12, 11 28 P. M. Sunday—3 37, 5 34, 8 01, 8 52, 11 02, 11 16 A. M., 12 38, 1 39, 3 30, 5 07, 7 10, 8 23, 8 52 P. M.

Leave New York from foot of Liberty street, 4 30, 5 45, 7, 7 45, 8 45, 10, 11, A. M., 1, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4, 4 30, 5, 5 15, 5 30, 5 45, 6, 6 15, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 8, 8 30, 9 15, 10, 11 30 P. M., 12 15, night. Sunday—4 30, 7, 8 30, 9, 9 30, A. M., 12 M., 1, 1 15, 4, 5 30, 6, 7, 9 00, 10 00 P. M., 12 15 night.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield 5 38, 6 29, 6 59, 7 30, 8, 8 37, 9 32, 10 05, 11 09, 11 39, A. M., 1, 2 07, 2 30, 3 12, 3 51, 5 08, 5 31, 6 07, 6 54, 7 03, 8 31, 10 12, 11 28 P. M. Sunday—6 05, 8 02, 11 02, 11 16, A. M., 12 38, 1 39, 3 20, 5 16, 7 01, 7 10, 8 23, 8 52, 10 02 P. M.

Leave Newark 7 10, 7 50, 8 55, 10 10, 11 05 A. M., 1 05, 1 35, 2 40, 3 40, 4 02, 4 37, 5 05, 5 50, 6 55, 6 29, 7 17 585, 8 20, 9 35, 10 10, 11 25 P. M. Sunday—7 20, 8 40, 9 05, 9 50, A. M., 12 05, 1 10, 4 10, 5 40, 6 06, 7 05, 9 25, 10 20 P. M.

Passengers for Newark change cars at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7, 8 07, 9 42, 11, 11 56 A. M., 1 59, 2 32, 3 45, 4 34, 5 20, 5 34, 6 20, 6 38, 7 02, 7 12, 7 34 8 29, 9 45, 11 13, 12 43 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 18, 9 45, A. M., 2 03, 2 30, 5 14, 6 35, 10 15, 11 14 P. M.

Leave Somerville, 6, 6 30, 7 03, 7 25, 7 48 9 05, 9 47, 11 15 A. M., 12 35, 1 15, 1 48, 2 05, 3 2 4 40, 5 12, 5 35, 8 05, 8 50, 11 05, P. M. Sunday—8 25, 10 35 A. M., 12 08, 105, 4 50, 6 40, 8 02, 8 05, 9 30 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7, 8 07, 9 42, A. M., 1 59, 4 34, 5 20, 6 38, 8 20 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 18 A. M., 2 03, 6 35 P. M.

Leave Easton 6 05, 8 44, 10 A. M., 12 52, 4 09, 6 46 P. M. Sundays—7 18, 10 52, A. M., 6 40, 7 20 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 7, 9 42 A. M., 1 59, 5 20 P. M. Sunday—8 18 A. M.

**WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.**

LEAVE PLAINFIELD.

5 45 A. M. for Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

7 A. M. for High Bridge Branch and Easton.

8 07 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 42 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Nanticoke, Drifton, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c.

1 59 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, &c.

4 34 P. M. for D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

5 20 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Schooley's Mountain, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, &c.

6 20 P. M. for Flemington.

6 38 P. M. for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg.

8 20 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

8 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8, 10 a. m. Sundays for High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, &c., 2 09 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua and Pottsville. 6 38 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m. 1 p. m.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c.

Leave Plainfield 3 37, 8, 11 09, a. m., 1, 3 51, 5 31, p. m. Sundays—(except Ocean Grove) 9 02, a. m., 3 20 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 38, 8, 10 05, 11 09 a. m., 1, 3 51, 5 31, 7 03 p. m. Sunday—8 02 a. m., 3 20 p. m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8, 11 09 a. m., 1, 3 51, 5 31, p. m.

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Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia, 1 17, 5 45 8 29, 9 46, 11 59* a. m., 1 59*, 3 29*, 4 08, 5 34*, 6 29* 8 29 p. m. Sundays—1 17, 9 46, a. m., 2 29* 4 08, 5 14*, 6 55 p. m.

For Baltimore and Washington at 1 17, 9 46, 11 59* a. m., 5 45, 4 08, 5 34* p. m. Sundays—1 17, 9 46 a. m., 2 47, 4 08, 5 14* p. m.

RETURNING—LEAVE PHILADELPHIA,

Ninth and Green streets, 7 30*, 8 30*, 9 30, 11 05 a. m., 12 45, 1 30, 3 15, 5 15, 6 15, 8 02, 8 45, 12 p. m. Sundays—9 a. m., 12 50, 3 10, 5 15, 6 10, 8, 12 p. m.

From 24th and Chestnut—8 10, 8 20*, 11 08, a. m. 12 52, 3 20, 6 18, 8 05, p. m. Sundays—3 10, 8 35 a. m., 12 52, 3 20, 5 18, 8 05 p. m.

Leave Trenton, Warren and Tucker sts., 1 20, 4 00, 7*, 9*, 9*, 10 10, 11 55 a.m., 1 25, 2 10, 3 40*, 5 15, 6 30, 8 00, 9 47, 10 p. m. Sundays—1 20, 4 00, 9 55 a.m., 1 25, 4, 8 55, 7, 9 47 p. m.

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## BIRCHALL'S ORDEAL

### More Damaging Evidence Against the Prisoner.

**HE MAY TRY TO PROVE AN ALIBI**

**An Intimation by His Counsel Causes Much Speculation.**

**An Important Discovery Made by a Detective—A Heavy Blow to the Young Englishman—He is Recognized by Witnesses as "Lord Somerset"—The Court Room Crowded With Ladies.**

WOODSTOCK, Ont., Sept. 25.—The Birchall trial was continued to-day. There was a great crowd in the court room, including over one hundred ladies. Neither Mrs. Birchall nor her sister were present, the former being too nervous.

It has been reported that the prisoner is handcuffed on his way to and from the court room, but such is not the case. He neither complains nor gives trouble in any way.

Dr. Taylor, who was called to see Benwell's body when found in the swamp, said that the clothing was frozen to the ground. He testified that both bullets passed through the brain, either wound being sufficient to produce death; that the wound in the back of the head had been made first and the bullet passed upward and forward; that the hair near both wounds was singed, showing that the pistol was held close to the victim's head. The bullets were of 32 calibre. Death was instantaneous, so sudden that the heart had stopped on the half beat. Witness thought that death occurred four days before the body was found. He found marks in the groin and in the pit of the stomach, but thought such marks could have been made by Benwell falling from an upright position.

Dr. Taylor's testimony was corroborated by Dr. Welford of Woodstock as to the condition of the body. He took a human skull from a satchel, and amid breathless interest on the part of the audience, showed how the shots entered.

The defense so far has been extremely severe in cross-examination. What will be offered when the defense opens its case remains a mystery. Some say there are surprises in store, but no inkling of what they are has been given as yet.

**His Defence May be an Alibi.**

Sexton Greigs swore that at 10 o'clock Wednesday night succeeding Pelley's identification of the body, at the time when Birchall was in custody, a buggy drove up to the cemetery and stopped. He drew the blind to let the light shine out and the buggy was driven away rapidly. He suspected somebody had come to steal the body.

George Hersee, a farmer who lives near the scene of the murder, identified Birchall as the man who introduced himself to him in 1888 as a son of Lord Somerset, and asked him about Mud Lake, saying he had been gunning there four years before.

James Ellis testified that he met Birchall with another Englishman near Mud Lake in 1888.

"He was not in the country at that time," Mr. Blackstock remarked, and speculation at once became rife that the defense would be an alibi.

Chief Young, of Niagara Falls, testified that when he told Birchall he had a warrant for his arrest, the latter said "All right," but did not ask for any explanation.

**Important Discovery.**

A very important discovery in the Birchall case has just been made by Government Detective Murray. It will be remembered that a great sensation was made after Benwell's body was identified by the discovery of the entry, "F.C. Benwell," on the register of the Commercial Hotel, Brantford, Ont., date of January 13. The coincidence of the names was remarkable and Birchall's lawyers relied upon the circumstance in shaking the Crown's case, Archibald Nyuma and Baird Murray, both living at Brantford at the time of the murder, have confessed to Detective Murray that the entry was made for a lark. Two fictitious entries were made, one "F. C. Benwell, Bristol, England," and another, "J. W. Rogers, Europe." This is a heavy blow for the defendant.

## THE FAMINE DISTRICTS.

**English and Scotch Members of Parliament Making an Investigation.**

LONDON, Sept. 25.—Mr. Morley's example in making a personal inspection of the famine-threatened districts of Ireland has proved contagious, and a large party of English and Scotch Members of Parliament has now been made up with the same object in view.

The reports and statements of these gentlemen are expected to form an interesting feature of the next session of Parliament. The character of the visitors is of the highest kind, and their words will have great weight with the English Conservatives, who are not inclined to accept the statements of the Irish members as exactly unprejudiced.

**The Floods in France.**

PARIS, Sept. 25.—President Carnot will visit the flood districts. Relief for the sufferers by the floods will be asked from the Chamber of Deputies. The town of Annonay, department of Ardeshe, and the surrounding country, have been flooded by the overflow of the Cance and the Deaume rivers, causing an immense amount of damage.

**McAdoo Defeated.**

JERSEY CITY, N. J., Sept. 25.—Congressman McAdoo was defeated for renomination in the Democratic convention here. The nominee is Edward F. McDonald, who was ousted from the State Senate last winter because it was alleged he had been counted in.

## THE MATCH TO COME OFF.!

**McAuliffe and Slavin Will Fight in About Two Weeks.**

LONDON, Sept. 25.—The arrangements for the international fight between Joe McAuliffe, the American champion, and Frank P. Slavin, for £1,300, the Police Gazette championship belt, and the championship of the world, have been completed and the fight will take place within two weeks.

Crichton Temple, who is now blamed for the police interference, did not want the men to battle for the purse, but Lord Erie Gordon. Lord Lonsdale and Richard K. Fox insisted that the purse should be offered, and also that, should the police interfere when the men are in the ring, Slavin and the American champion shall each receive £350. Temple opposed this proposition, and said "it was useless to think of it."

Richard K. Fox insisted that the above amount should be paid. A long discussion followed, and finally Temple agreed to the American's proposition.

All bets on the fight are declared void, as there has been police interference with the fight, and the conditions that governed the original match have been changed.

Betting on the great event began at Tattersall's, and McAuliffe is the favorite, his fine condition and splendid physique being greatly admired at the Lambeth Police Court.

## A WOMAN ORDAINED.

**Mrs. Bennett Admitted to the Ministry of the Universalist Church.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 25.—Mrs. Ella May Bennett of Stony Brook, L. I., was last night ordained to the ministry of the Universalist Church. The Rev. J. H. Ballou of Southold officiated, and Mrs. Phœbe A. Hanford of the New Haven church preached the ordination sermon. She is the first woman ordained to the ministry on Long Island.

Mrs. Bennett is the mother of three children. She is 35 years of age and wears her black hair cut short. Her father was Daniel Shalor Hawkins, and she was the twelfth of 14 children. She is the only member of the family who is a Universalist. The rest are either Methodists or Baptists.

**American Mechanics Elect Officers.**

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., Sept. 25.—At the annual session of the National Council Order of American Mechanics the following officers for the ensuing year were elected: National Councillor, Charles H. Jewett, of Salem, Mass.; vice councillor, Thoms B. Chapman, of New Haven, Conn.; secretary, John Seaver, of Philadelphia; treasurer, Joseph H. Shinn, of Camden, N. J.; marshal, E. E. Hill, of Milford, N. H.; protector, G. D. Ludlam, of Jersey City, N. J.; doorkeeper, John Welty, of Alliance, O. It was voted to hold the next annual session at Troy, N. Y., on the fourth Tuesday in September, 1891.

**Ike Weir Fined for Assault.**

BOSTON, Sept. 25.—In the Municipal Court here Ike Weir, the Belfast Spider, was arraigned on charges of having evaded carriage fare and with having assaulted Thomas Roberts. Weir showed no signs of the encounter, but Roberts had some ugly black marks on his face. Weir was discharged on the complaint of evading carriage fare, by reason of a variance between the allegation and the proof. On the charge of assaulting Roberts he was fined $25 and costs. He appealed and was held for trial in the higher court.

**A New Daily Paper for Pittsburg.**

PITTSBURG, Pa., Sept. 25.—The publication of a new daily morning paper, to be called the Sun, will be commenced in Pittsburg early in October. It will be an eight-page, seven-column paper, to be sold at two cents. In politics the new journal will be Republican. Its editor will be Mr. C. D. Brigham, one of the best known newspaper men in the country, who has long been identified with Pittsburg papers.

**New Dramatic Scheme.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 25.—The Dramatic Development Company has been incorporated here by Edmund C. Stanton, director of the Metropolitan Opera House, William F. G. Shanks, of the Tribune, Louis N. Megarges, manager of the American Literary Association, and others, for the production of dramas before theatrical managers free of cost to the authors.

**Refuse to Work With "Q" Engineers.**

CHICAGO, Sept. 25.—The delayed arrival of Grand Masters Sweeny and Sargent is tending to precipitate a general strike among the Stock Yards Switching Association employes. Six switchmen were discharged during the morning, making 12 in all who have been thrown out of work for refusing to work with "Q" engineers.

**Found Dead in Bed.**

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Sept. 25.—During the morning the remains of Wm F. Young, a mechanic employed by the Winchester Arms Co., were discovered lying on the bed in a room in the Merchants Hotel. The man had been dead for two weeks at least in the opinion of the medical examiner.

## THE EIGHT HOUR BILL

### Shipbuilder Cramp is in Washington to Oppose It.

**TROUBLE OVER THE TARIFF BILL**

**The Conferees Still Divided on Binding Twine and Sugar.**

**The President and Family Return from Cresson—Mr. Kennedy's Speech Excluded from the Record—Prepayment of Interest by the Treasury Department—Postal Delivery in Small Towns.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 25.—Charles H. Cramp, the Philadelphia shipbuilder, is here looking after the prospect of the passage of the Eight-hour bill, which has passed the House and is now pending in the Senate. He is opposed to the bill, as it will affect his firm with Government work.

Although the measure has been scheduled for consideration by the Republican Senatorial caucus, yet the prospects are that it will not be enacted at this session.

The members of the Federation and Knights of Labor have their representatives at work in behalf of the bill, and feel confident that the measure will go through when called up for action in the Senate.

## FATE OF THE TARIFF BILL.

**Western Senators Fighting Against the Duty on Binding Twine.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 25.—The Republican conferees on the Tariff bill held a meeting during the morning and discussed at some length the differences between the two Houses on the sugar schedule and the duty on binding twine, these being the most material points of difference now existing between the two Houses. No conclusion was reached.

The action of the Western Senators in entering a protest against the proposition to place a small duty on binding twine has complicated matters seriously. A well known Western Senator said that while the Senators who met yesterday afternoon were not bound to stand together on this proposition, there were enough Republican Senators pledged to stand out for free binding twine to make it certain that the conference report would be rejected in the Senate if the Senate conferees agreed to any compromise on this disputed point.

The conferees and other Republicans who are interested in the fate of the bill have used every possible argument with the recalcitrant Senators, but thus far apparently without effect.

The conferees now say that it is almost impossible to come to an agreement unless a compromise is made on binding twine, and that if the conference report should be rejected through the efforts of the friends of free binding twine, Senators who are opposed to other features of the bill will feel at liberty to use the same tactics to obtain other changes, and it will be impossible to pass the Tariff bill.

## THE SPEECH EXCLUDED.

**Congressman Kennedy's Criticism of Mr. Quay Will Not Appear in the Record.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 25.—In the House Mr. Stewart, of Vermont, from the Committee on Judiciary, reported a resolution directing the public printer to exclude from the Congressional Record the entire speech of Representative Kennedy, of Ohio, made on the 3d of September, criticising Senator Quay.

Mr. Kennedy requested to be heard in his own behalf. At first there was a disposition shown to refuse him this request, but after Mr. Oates of Alabama, said that while he concurred in the report, he thought that the gentleman should be heard and after Mr. Boutelle of Maine declared that it would be an outrage to deny him the request, Mr. Kennedy was accorded the floor for twenty minutes.

Mr. Kennedy said that he had asked the Committee on Judiciary either to let his speech appear in the Record entire or to cut it out entire. He was willing to stand before the people of America on that speech, believing that the people of this country in their first judgment and in their sober second judgment would approve the words he had uttered. He had letters from every section of the land, from Maine to California and from the Lakes to the Gulf, endorsing the word, letter and spirit of his speech. He was willing, he said, to stand before the people of the country and await their endorsement.

The resolution expunging the speech from the Congressional Record was adopted. Yeas, 151; nays, 35.

**Elliott Renominated.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 25.—A dispatch from Columbia, S. C., says that Wm. Elliott, who was unseated by the House of Representatives, was renominated by acclamation by the Democrats of his district.

**Interest Paid by the Government.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 25.—The prepayment of interest by the Treasury Department to-day for the entire country [illegible] at $20,000.

## TIRED OF EXILE.

**Absconder Bartholomew's Friends Think He Has Been Sufficiently Punished.**

HARTFORD, Conn., Sept. 25.—Efforts are in progress to effect a compromise in the case of George M. Bartholomew, the Hartford capitalist, who, in September, 1886, fled to Canada to escape not only his creditors, but the hand of justice. His defalcations aggregated nearly a million dollars, and investigation showed that he had been on the brink of a financial volcano for two or three years and had resorted to desperate means to save himself.

Some of these measures were so criminal that indictments were brought in the Hartford courts and Bartholomew has been compelled to remain in Canada. He located at Quebec for a time, but subsequently in Montreal for its advantages of speedier mail communication with Hartford and New York. His time has been largely devoted to correspondence with his creditors. It is not generally believed that he had much money when he fled, and the report is that he has been receiving assistance from Cyrus W. Field, of New York, to whom he is related by marriage.

Recently a proposition has been made to settle with his creditors at fifty cents on the dollar, and this has been followed by a petition, which Governor Bulkeley and leading professional and business men have signed, praying for an abandonment of legal proceedings. The petition urges that Bartholomew is 74 years old, in delicate health, and that he has been sufficiently punished by his four years' exile. It will be presented this week to Chief Justice Andrews, with a request to call a special meeting of the judges to consider it. The State Attorney for Hartford County will oppose it.

## A SISTER'S CRUELTY.

**Michael Grogan of Jersey City Covered With Kerosene and Set on Fire.**

JERSEY CITY, N. J., Sept. 25.—Michael Grogan, a laborer, is suffering in the city hospital from burns received a week ago. His injuries will prove fatal.

Grogan accuses his sister, Bridget Mehan, of pouring kerosene over his person while he was drunk, and igniting it. While he was enveloped in flame and screaming for help, he says, his sister sat in a corner of the room and laughed at him.

He was assisted to tear off his burning clothes by his nephew and daughter, who were attracted by his cries. His sister has been arrested.

**Large Transfer of Timber Lands.**

OLEAN, N. Y., Sept. 25.—Perhaps the largest single transfer of Pennsylvania timber lands, in the recent history of that State, has just been consummated in this city, it being the purchase of 18,000 acres of land in Elk County, by S. S. Bullis, of this city, who paid $380,000 for the tract, which was owned jointly by Messrs. J. K. Hall of Ridgeway, Andrew Kaul of St. Mary's and Sampson Short of Northeast, Pa. It is unquestionably the largest and most valuable block of timber stumpage in the Pennsylvania hemlock belt.

**A Dangerous Green Goods Man Arrested.**

TRENTON, N. J., Sept. 25.—Jacob Bush, of many aliases, one of the most dangerous "green goods" men in the country, was arrested here and held to await the action of the United States authorities on charges of using the mails for fradulent purposes and attempting to defraud the Government. Two of Bush's victims, who gave their names as John D. Bethia and William Atkinson, merchants, of Marion County, South Carolina, were also taken into custody.

**Union Labor Party State Ticket.**

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Sept. 25.—The executive committee of the Union Labor party met in secret session here. When the doors were opened it was announced that it had been decided to place the following ticket in nomination: Governor, Theodore P. Ryuder, of Centre County; Lieutenant Governor, Justus Watson, of Tioga County; Secretary of Internal Affairs, Henry K. Feller, of Blair County. A new executive committee was named and a platform adopted.

**Failure of a Large Coal Firm.**

WORCESTER, Mass., Sept. 25.—William H. Jourdan & Co., one of the oldest and largest coal firms in this city, made an assignment, liabilities $150,000, assets $154,000. The firm did a business of over $1,000,000 a year previous to the passage of the Interstate Commerce bill, but the passage of this law and bad collections brought about the assignment. The heaviest creditor is said to be the Delaware, Lackawanna & Western Railroad.

**Roasted to Death by a Gas Explosion.**

TREMONT, Pa., Sept. 25.—A violent explosion occurred in the Feger Ridge colliery, near this borough, in the morning. The inside workings were set afire and the force of men had all they could do to extinguish the flames. Thomas Ward of Branchdale was killed by the explosion, having been literally roasted to death. James Lewis and Albert Miller were horribly burned and may die.

**Hotel Proprietors Assign.**

BUFFALO, N. Y., Sept. 25.—Crowley & Smith, proprietors of the Hotel Carleton, have made a general assignment to Edward J. Colesworth, and the papers were filed at the City Hall. Their indebtedness is said to amount to about $10,000.

**The Carbrey-Longnecker Jury Disagree.**

NEWPORT, R. I., Sept. 25.—In the suit of Robert T. Carbrey vs. Edwin Longnecker, lieutenant commander of the United States Naval Station, for $10,000 damages for imprisonment after the plaintiff had been discharged from the navy, the jury disagreed after being out over six hours. They stood seven to five in favor of the defendant.


Highest of all in Leavening Power.—U. S. Gov't Report, Aug. 17, 1889.

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## EIGHT MORE GAMES

### The Struggle on the Diamond Nearly Finished.

**BROOKLYN AND BOSTON LEAD.**

**Louisville Sure of the Pennant in the Association Race.**

**Ewing's Giants Defeated by the Bisons. Ward Wins at Pittsburg—Mutrie's Men Capture a Fine Game at Cleveland. Anson's Colts Defeated by the Phillies. Comiskey Back in Fourth Place.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 25.—Nothing short of a miracle can prevent the Brooklyn team from winning the National League championship. Each club has eight more games to play.

The Western clubs, by winning seven of these from Brooklyn, would pull the latter's percentage down to .621. During that time the Chicagos would have to win seven games, which would place their percentage at .623. This would give the championship to Chicago by two points.

If the Brooklyns lost every game the Chicagos could lose two and yet win. No such finish is expected, but it shows the only way by which the Brooklyns can lose the pennant. It might be that the Chicagos could take six out of the remaining eight games. She has two games to play with the Philadelphias, and three each with the Boston and New York clubs. The Brooklyns are playing in Cincinnati. They play two more games there, and then meet the Pittsburgs and the Clevelands for three games each.

## BASEBALL GAMES.

**National League.**

AT PITTSBURG.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Pittsburg | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | x | —6 |
| Boston | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | —3 |

Batteries—Gumbert and Decker; Clarkson and Bennett.

AT CLEVELAND.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Cleveland | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —1 |
| New York | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | —5 |

Batteries—Beatin and Zimmer; Rusie and Buckley.

AT CINCINNATI.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Cincinnati | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | —1 |
| Brooklyn | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | —5 |

Batteries—Duryea and Keenan; Terry and Clarke.

AT CHICAGO.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Chicago | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | —3 |
| Philadelphia | 2 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | x | —9 |

Batteries—Stein and Cooney; Vickery and Schriver.

**Players' League.**

AT PITTSBURG.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Pittsburg | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 | —6 |
| Brooklyn | 1 | 5 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 0 | x | —12 |

Batteries—Maul and Fields; Hemming and Cook.

AT BUFFALO.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Buffalo | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 2 | —6 |
| New York | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —4 |

Batteries—Stafford and Clark; Crane and Vaughn.

AT CLEVELAND.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Cleveland | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | —4 |
| Boston | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | x | —5 |

Batteries—Gruber and Sutcliffe; Radbourne and Kelly.

AT CHICAGO.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Chicago | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | —4 |
| Philadelphia | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —2 |

Batteries—King and Doyle; Saunders and Milligan.

**American Association.**

AT COLUMBUS.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Columbus | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —2 |
| Syracuse | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | —3 |

Batteries—Knauss and Doyle; Keefe and Pitz.

AT TOLEDO.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Toledo | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | —6 |
| Baltimore | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | x | —7 |

Batteries—Healey and Sage; German and Townsend.

AT LOUISVILLE.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Louisville | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | | —1 |
| Rochester | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | | —1 |

Batteries—Titcomb and Grimm; Meakim and Weckbecker.

Game was called at the end of the eighth inning on account of darkness

AT ST. LOUIS.

The St. Louis-Athletic game was postponed on account of rain.

**Atlantic Association.**

AT LEBANON.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Lebanon | 0 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 5 | 1 | 1 | —20 |
| Newark | 0 | 4 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | —9 |

Batteries—Swift and Coles; Serad and Childs.

AT HARRISBURG.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Harrisburg | 2 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | —10 |
| New Haven | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | —7 |

Batteries—Cox and Jennings; Fitzgerald and Murphy.

**Standing of the Clubs.**

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

| | Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'ct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Brookl'n | 81 | 43 | .653 | Cincin'ti | 73 | 53 | .579 |
| Chicago | 78 | 52 | .600 | N. York | 61 | 64 | .488 |
| Philadel | 75 | 50 | .600 | Cleve'nd | 42 | 83 | .336 |
| Boston | 74 | 52 | .587 | Pittsb'rg | 22 | 109 | .168 |

PLAYERS' LEAGUE.

| | Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'ct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Boston | 78 | 43 | .645 | Philadel | 62 | 58 | .532 |
| Brookl'n | 74 | 51 | .587 | Pittsb'rg | 54 | 69 | .439 |
| N. York | 70 | 53 | .569 | Clev'land | 50 | 73 | .407 |
| Chicago | 70 | 61 | .534 | Buffalo | 34 | 90 | .274 |

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

| | Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'ct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Lou'v'le | 78 | 40 | .661 | Roch'st'r | 57 | 56 | .504 |
| St. Louis | 71 | 49 | .592 | Athletic | 55 | 62 | .470 |
| Col'mb's | 67 | 54 | .554 | Syracuse | 45 | 68 | .398 |
| Toledo | 60 | 55 | .522 | Baltim'e | 35 | 84 | .294 |

ATLANTIC ASSOCIATION.

| | Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'ct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| N. Har'n | 80 | 33 | .708 | Harrisb'g | 49 | 69 | .415 |
| Lebanon | 58 | 49 | .542 | Wilm'n | 33 | 62 | .309 |
| Newark | 57 | 60 | .487 | | | | |

**Schedule of To-Day's Games.**

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Cleveland vs. New York, at Cleveland.
Cincinnati vs. Brooklyn, at Cincinnati.
Pittsburg vs. Boston, at Pittsburg.
[illegible] vs. Philadelphia, at Chicago.

## QUESTIONING CANDIDATES.

**Gov. Brackett Replies to a Letter Sent by the Clothing Cutters' Union.**

BOSTON, Mass., Sept. 25.—In reply to the recent letter to gubernatorial candidates of John Crowley, secretary of the Executive Board of Clothing Operatives' National Union, Gov. Brackett writes that, if elected, he shall recommend that the Legislature investigate the allegation that the New York tenement house clothing manufacturing system is injurious to Massachusetts workmen and menacing to the health of our people.

In reply to the question as to whether or not he would order the State Board of Health to prohibit the sale in Boston of such tenement made clothing, the Governor says he is advised that the power to effect such prohibition rests only with the Board of Health of the city of Boston. If it is shown that these goods are liable to spread the germs of disease, the Legislature will doubtless enact measures necessary to mitigate the evil, which measures he should exert his authority to enforce.

**Found Hanging by His Sister.**

NEWARK, N. J., Sept. 25.—Nicholas Lynch, of No. 69 Colden street, was found hanging to the transom of the parlor door of his residence last night by his sister. She at once cut the body down and summoned medical aid. The man was alive when the physicians arrived, but despite their exertions, he died without regaining consciousness. Lynch was a young man and had only recently married. No cause can be assigned for the rash act.

**The Baltimore to Go to China.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 25.—The published report to the effect that the United States steamer Baltimore is on her way home is incorrect. The vessel will proceed to Lisbon, as originally intended, and there await orders. As yet no orders have been decided upon, but it is probable that she will be sent to the China station as the flagship of that squadron.

**Corbin's New Railroad.**

WATERTOWN, N. Y., Sept. 25.—Austin Corbin is here in conference with local capitalists concerning the proposed railroad from Watertown to Camden, to connect with the Elmira, Cortland & Northern. A committee was appointed to prepare a plan for the formal organization of the company. The road will be sixty miles long and will cost about $1,000,000.

**Compte De Paris Coming.**

LIVERPOOL, Sept. 25.—The Comte de Paris, accompanied by the Duc d'Orleans and suite, sailed by the Germanic.

## NEWS OF THE DAY.

Eight inches of hail fell in Huron County, Minn.

The New York and New England Fair has opened at Albany.

The bill for the relief of the Supreme Court was passed by the Senate.

The mule spinners at the Grinnell mill in New Bedford, Mass., are out on strike.

Mrs. Lizzie Halford and Miss Lizzie Weaver, of Brooklyn, N. Y., committed suicide by taking poison.

Gen. Benjamin F. Butler has appeared as counsel in a case involving the validity of A. T. Stewart's will.

The Republican Congressional convention of the 33d District at Lockport, N. Y., nominated George A. Davis.

Fiedler, Weinz & Co., of Boston, dress and cloak trimmings, who owe $20,000, offer their creditors 30 per cent. payable in ten days.

Mrs. Grimes, wife of Warden Grimes, keeper of the Hudson County Penitentiary, N. J., was found dead in her bed. Death resulted from heart disease.

The details of the assassination of General Barrundia will probably be transmitted to the House to-day. A resolution calling for the information having been adopted yesterday.

The ninth annual meeting of the International Law and Order League will be held at Pittsburg, Pa., on November 20, 21 and 22, at the invitation of the Pittsburg Law and Order League.

Large numbers of Knights of Labor painters are arriving at Pittsburg, Pa., from Washington, D. C., and other cities to take the places of striking Brotherhood men. Brotherhood painters who do not strike when Knights are put to work with them are fined $25 or expelled from their order.

**Weather Indications.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 25.—For New England: Fair; slightly cooler; westerly winds, becoming variable.

For Eastern New York: Fair; cooler in southern, stationary temperature in northern portion; variable winds.

For Eastern Pennsylvania and New Jersey: Fair; cooler; northerly winds.

For Western New York and Western Pennsylvania: Fair; stationary temperature; variable winds; warmer to-morrow.

## NEW YORK MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Sept. 24.—Money on call to-day 2½ and 3 per cent.

BONDS.

| | Closing Yesterday. | Closing To-day |
|---|---|---|
| 4½s, 1891 Reg | 103½ | 104½ |
| 4½s, 1891 Coup | 103½ | 103½ |
| 4 s, 1907 Reg | 123½ | 123 |
| 4 s, 1907 Coup | 120½ | 120 |

STOCK MARKET.

| | Closing Yesterday. | Closing To-day |
|---|---|---|
| Canadian Pacific | 78¾ | 78½ |
| Central Pacific | — | — |
| Chicago, Bur. & Quincy | 98¾ | 97 |
| Delaware & Hudson | 135½ | — |
| Del. Lack. & Western | 145¾ | — |
| Erie | 25 | 25 |
| Erie pref | — | — |
| Lake Shore | 107½ | 107½ |
| Louis. & Nash | 85¾ | 86¼ |
| Michigan Central | 93¾ | — |
| Missouri Pacific | 70¾ | 71 |
| New Jersey Central | 119 | 119 |
| Northwestern | 108¾ | 108½ |
| Oregon Navigation | — | 97 |
| Pacific Mail | 45 | 44¾ |
| Reading | 41½ | 41¾ |
| Rock Island | 81¼ | 82¾ |
| St. Paul | 90¾ | 85¾ |
| Union Pacific | 57¾ | 57¾ |
| Western Union | 87 | — |

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## BY THE WAY.

—Frost last night.

—The first rehearsal of the Plainfield Choral Society will take place on Monday evening, Oct. 6.

—Next Sunday the Crescent Avenue Sunday school will meet at 2:30 P. M. The entire session will be devoted to general exercises.

—Mrs. Dr. Edwards who has been ill at the City Hotel, is steadily recovering and in a few days will announce when she can see her patrons again.

—Dixon's Tourists at the Amphion Theatre tonight, in the great moral drama "Ten Nights in a Bar-room." To-morrow evening "Uncle Tom's Cabin."

—The annual meeting of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the Congregational church was held in the church parlor this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

—It is understood that in addition to George Gore of the professional league, the Somervilles have hired for next Saturday, Gil Hatfield, the famous New York short stop,

—The sale of Joseph Odam's interest in the property at 104 Jackson avenue, North Plainfield, adjourned from last Thursday, will take place Saturday afternoon on the premises, at two o'clock.

—The Hope Chapel Temperance Club will hold a public meeting in the chapel to-morrow evening at eight o'clock. The meeting will be conducted by the Rev. G. K. Newall. Everybody will be welcome.

—Tonight commencing at 8 o'clock Donald Downie will give his great illustrated lecture on Japan in the Warren Mission chapel. Over one hundred beautiful colored views and splendid mechanical effects will be used. Mr. Downie furnishes the highest testimonials from the press and pulpit and those who hear him cannot be disappointed.

—Yom Kippur, the Jewish Day of Atonement, the most sacred of days in the Mosaic calendar, was celebrated by the orthodox Jews throughout the World yesterday with fasting and prayer in their synagogues all day long. Although the Jewish population of Plainfield is not large the fact that the day was a Hebrew holiday was noticeable on account of the Jewish stores being closed.

—New Jersey will vote on two proposed amendments to the State Constitution September 30. One of these amendments cancels the prohibition against special legislation regulating the internal affairs of towns and counties, and the other eliminates the clause in reference to the appointment of Judges of the Court of Common Pleas. New Jersey will elect a new Legislature and seven Congressmen Nov. 4.

—*The Hotel Mail*, New York's bright journal of hotel news, has concluded its twenty-fifth volume, and has entered on the second quarter of its century of life. It is the oldest, most influential and most widely quoted paper of its class, and its success must be highly gratifying to the men whose brains and energies have developed it. The able editor is D. N. Thayer, and the wide-awake business manager is A. J. Leader, of North Plainfield.

—Percy Denton, who is the interlocuter and stage manager of the Cleveland company that appears at Music Hall this evening, is one of the rising young men of the profession and thoroughly deserves his success. He came to this country from England a few years ago with lots of money inherited through a long line of blue-blooded ancestors. Unfortunate investment in a Western ranch threw him on his own resources, but in three years his indomitable will, earnest effort and brilliant parts have placed him on high as an executive man and an artist in his line.

### They Appreciate Good Treatment but Can't Afford to Pay League Salaries Any Longer.

The following letter was read at a meeting of the Crescent League, last evening, and received with much gratification:

UNION LEAGUE CLUB,
Somerville, N. J.

Mr. Charles A. Reed, President:

Your favor of the 22d inst. was brought before our meeting held this evening, and I was instructed to inform you that the sentiment of the members present was unanimously against any change of schedule or that any games be added to the schedule already arranged. We feel indebted to your organization for the gentlemanly treatment received in the present series and trust that it will continue through the games which we hope to arrange in the future.

Yours truly,
J. E. BROKAW, Sec.

### Renewing the Work for Draughtsmen.

Classes in mechanical drawing will be organized at the Young Men's Christian Association rooms, Tuesday evening, October 14. Messrs C. J. Robertson and A. J. Gavett will again teach these classes, which have been so eminently successful in past years. The classes of last Spring will have an opportunity to continue their study, and a new class will be organized for the benefit of beginners, or any who have been irregular in their attendance.

The regular $2 membership fee in the Young Men's Christian Association entitles to the above and all other privileges of the association.

### Mr. Linke Takes His Medicine.

Frank Linke this morning paid the fine of $25 imposed on him by City Judge Codington for selling liquor to a minor, and stated that he had decided not to appeal the case to the higher courts.

## PARTICULAR MENTION.

Walter Murray, youngest son of John W. Murray, has gone to Yale.

James Allen Sangston returned this afternoon from his trip to the Adirondacks.

Mrs. D. C. Skaden, of East Sixth street, returned yesterday, with her young son, from an extended Summer outing.

A. D. Mallinson and family left town today for a two weeks' sojourn at Mamaroneck, Westchester county, N. Y.

James T. Closson has purchased the property adjoining him on East Front street, corner of Sandford avenue, for $9,000.

Gen. Schwenk, of the Holly Grove farm, is among the principal exhibitors of choice Jersey cattle at the State fair at Waverly.

Mrs. Jacob Blimm of Somerset street, returned home last Tuesday after a week's visit among friends in Freeport, Long Island.

Mr. and Mrs Charles H. Pellletrau have invited their friends to a wedding reception tendered their daughter and Dr. Charles B. Thiers of this city. The affair will take place Thursday evening, Oct. 9, at 306 Livingston street, Brooklyn.

Firman H. Long, of Martinville, and Katie, daughter of the late Wm. Zimmerman of Washington Valley, were married last week Wednesday, the Rev. Geo Bowers officiating. Mr. and Mrs. Long have begun housekeeping in Plainfield.

The Chimney Rock correspondent of *The Somerset Messenger* says that W. A. Coddington, of Plainfield, last Sunday resigned the superintendency of the Chimney Rock chapel, "his business compelling him to give up the position he has so faithfully filled the last five years. We regret to lose him and we hope the future Chief Justice will always bear in kind remembrance the humble school over which he once presided. Lawyer Fred H. Cook succeeds him here."

### Plainfielders Help Dedicate the Handsome New Chapel at Chimney Rock.

At the recent meeting of the Union Chapel Association at Chimney Rock, Fred. H. Cook and Ransom Lamb were elected Trustees for three years. The Board organized with W. A. Coddington, of Plainfield, as President, F. H. Cook, Secretary and F. N. Voorhees, Treasurer. In the two years since the chapel was built the debt of $1,300 has been reduced to $500, all outside expenses have been paid to date and there is a balance in hand of $54.

The dedication of the neat little chapel was witnessed by a large assembly last Sunday. The interior was handsomely decorated, and the bright sunshine lighting up the surrounding scenery made all seem in unison with the happy hearts of the people present. Addresses were made by the Revs. J. B. Cleaver, of Plainfield, and W. W. Jordan, of Bound Brook, Wm. H. Ayers, Chas. M. Nabb, Geo. La Monte, W. B. R. Mason, S B. Dunning and others. The stirring speeches made a marked impression upon all. Gov. Brown prepared the masonry, the Rev. W. W. Jordan laid the corner stone, the benediction was invoked by the Rev. J. B. Cleaver, and all joined in singing "Old Hundred."

### At Music Hall Tonight.

The receipts the past season of W. S. Cleveland's two minstrel companies were $575,000—just think of it, over half a million dollars in a little over ten months! $90,000 was paid for railroad transportation.

W. S. Cleveland has paid William Emerson $25,000 in salary during the past ten months.

Barney Fagan, the most prolific of all minstrel "producers," is one of the numerous distinguished recruits enrolled with the Cleveland Consolidated Minstrel forces. It is understood that his salary is in the lingo of the profession, "away up in G," but as he is very popular with the minstrelsy-patronizing public, and consequently a strong drawing card, Mr. Cleveland will have no reason to regret the investment. Contracts with electric supply houses, costumers and scenic artists, amounting to over fifteen thousand dollars, have already been let for Mr. Fagan's two productions.

### The Mail Cart Wobbles Now.

Edward Martin, the man who transports the mail pouches from the North avenue railroad station to the post office, was energetically pushing the mail cart, heavily laden with its accustomed early morning burden, around the corner of North and Park avenues, at six o'clock this A. M., when the wheels, like the famous "one-hoss shay" described by Dr. Holmes, fell to pieces, "all at oncet." The sudden fall of the wagon and its load took Mr. Martin so completely by surprise that he was thrown to the pavement and tangled up among the debris. Beyond the soiling of his new Autumnal trousers, however, he was uninjured. The fractured wheels were patched up, and did wobbling service all day. They will be replaced by wheels which follow a straight and true track.

### Mrs. Hess Swears That Her Story is True.

Mrs. Henry Hess this morning appeared before Justice Hardy of North Plainfield and swore out a complaint against her husband on the charge of attempted murder, thus taking oath to the story that she had already told the Court, and which was published exclusively in THE PRESS of Tuesday evening. A warrant for the arrest of Hess was promptly issued.

## HYMENEAL.

### Halsted—Osgood.

On Tuesday, at 12 o'clock noon, was celebrated the marriage of Miss Eleanor Gertrude Osgood, niece of Frank M. Derby, of this city, to Frank Ryder Halsted of Brooklyn. The best man was his brother, Frederick Halsted. Dr. W. H. Shepard and Frank Olney were the ushers. The ceremony was performed in St. Mark's church, Brooklyn, by the pastor, the Rev. Dr. Roach. Following the ceremony, was luncheon at the future home of the young couple in Willoughby avenue, to their immediate relatives A number of Plainfield people were present at the ceremony.

### Kulp—Voehl.

Miss Auguste Voehl, one of the twin daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Voehl, was married at six o'clock last evening to John Kulp, at the residence of the bride's parents, 65 Somerset street. The Rev. C. B. Mitchell officiated. Only the immediate relatives of the bride and groom witnessed the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Kulp will live at Bergen Point, where the groom has purchased a bakery. They have the good wishes of a large circle of friends.

### The Enemy's View of It.

*(From the Somerville Messenger.)*

About 2,000 anxious people, with but a single thought—who will win it?—witnessed the second of the West End-Crescent games on Saturday, at Plainfield. The first game had been won by the West Ends on the previous Saturday, at Somerville. That was not enough; to defeat the Crescents on their own diamond was the aim of the West Ends. At a sacrifice of even public belief in them for just and honest treatment did the Crescents try to prevent it. The manner in which the West Ends had pounded the leather around the field taught the Crescents that they must improve their battery. To do that was their privilege, but their manner of doing it is very questionable.

They engaged Doran of New Haven, the crack pitcher of the Atlantic Association, and by some method or means Tom O'Rourke, the West Ends' first baseman and a heavy hitter, was induced to catch Doran, and only the day before the game Manager Mack received notice that O'Rourke was not to play with the West Ends. Such manipulation as that could only be condemned, and the justice-loving members of the Crescent League (and they are not a few) joined in denouncing a course so absolutely unwarranted. The explanation offered was that Doran had agreed to bring a catcher, and that it was not known to be O'Rourke until too late to remedy the wrong. This may be true.

The manager of the West Ends was, however, equal to the occasion, and, to the surprise of many, who should show up in the left field for the West Ends but George Gore of the New Yorks, Galligan in right and Bergen on first base. Oh, what a fall (of hope) was there, my countrymen!

### The Recent Unprecedented Rainfall.

The precipitation in all parts of the State for the week ending Sept. 17, was above the weekly average, and in a few localities exceeded the normal for the whole month of September, which is 3.89 inches. This normal for the month would not be so high but for the remarkably heavy downpours which occurred in September, 1874 and 1882, when the total for the month at New Brunswick, Middlesex county, was in the former year (1874) 8.61 inches; of this amount 7.10 inches fell on the 15th to 18th inclusive, and in the latter year (1882) 15.52 inches fell; of this amount 11.84 inches fell on the 20th to 23d inclusive. At this time, also, the unprecedented September fall of 25 inches occurred at Paterson, Passaic county. Some idea may be obtained of the vast amount of water which feel when it is known that "an inch of rainfall means a gallon of water spread over a surface of two square feet, or a fall of about one hundred tons on an acre of ground."

The following are the total rainfalls reported in inches for the week spoken of:

| | Inches |
|---|---|
| Plainfield, Union county | 4 41 |
| Highland Park, Middlesex county | 5 27 |
| Beverly, Burlington county | 2 21 |
| South Orange, Essex county | 3 43 |
| Trenton, Mercer county | 3 19 |
| Gillette, Morris county | 3 27 |
| Woodbury, Gloucester county | 1 95 |
| Madison, Morris county | 3 26 |
| Tenafly, Bergen county | 2 84 |
| Egg Harbor City, Atlantic county | 5 15 |
| Bridgeton, Cumberland county | 2 50 |

### The Crescent City Chosen for Their Convention.

Plainfield has been chosen by the Union County Union of the Young People's Societies for Christian Endeavor as the place for the next annual meeting of the Union, which will be held Friday, October 10.

### A Large Estate.

A broad land is this in which we live, dotted so thickly with thrifty cities, towns and villages! Amid them all, with ever-increasing popularity and helpfulness, is Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, giving hope and cheer where there is disease and despair. Wherever there is humanity there is suffering; wherever there is suffering there is the best field for this greatest American Remedy. Consumption (which is lung-scrofula), yields to it, if employed in the early stages of the disease; Chronic Nasal Catarrh, yields to it; Kidney and Liver diseases, yield to it! If you want the best known remedy for all diseases of the blood, ask for Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, and take no other. It is *guaranteed* to cure in all cases of diseases for which it is recommended, or money refunded.

### Ladies to Re-Organize Their Class for Bible Study.

The Bible Training Class for ladies will enter upon its fourth year of study at the Young Men's Christian Association rooms to-morrow afternoon at 4:30 o'clock. All ladies interested are invited to be present at this meeting for the re-organization of the class.

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The success of '89 already outrivaled by the outlook for '90.

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Invites especial attention to his stock of
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Ladies' Class—Thursday afternoons, 3 to 6 o'clock; terms, $12 per year.
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For admission or information apply to
J. H COOLEY, M. D.,
Chairman Gymnasium Committee.
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JAPAN! JAPAN!
The Great Mission Field.
Benefit Warren Union Mission.
The last of the magnificently illustrated Lectures by
Prof. DONALD DOWNIE, B. C. L.,
The eminent Foreign Traveler.
Mission Chapel, Thursday, September 25, at 8 P. M.
Admission, 25c. Reserved Seats, 35c. Children 5 to 12 years, 15c. 9 23 3

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Music Hall.
TO-NIGHT
A massive monopoly, creating a new standard hitherto not attempted in amusement enterprise. Hundreds as a result unable to secure standing room during its recent New York engagement.
W. S. Cleveland's Consolidated Minstrels—the prince of Minstrels, Billy Emerson, Barney Fagan, Hughey Dougherty, Luke Schoolcraft, and over half a hundred minstrel notables, in conjunction with the reigning sensation of the age—"THE STAGGER." Daring, graceful, marvellous British gentlemen acrobats. The whole aggregating $1,000 actual daily outlay. Seats on sale Tuesday.
PRICES—50c., 75c., and $1. 9 19 td

Assignee's Sale.
Adjourned from Thursday, September 18, of the right, title and interest of Joseph Odam in the property situate
No 104 Jackson Ave., North Plainfield,
Will take place on
Saturday, Sept. 27, at 2 p. m.,
On the premises.
Wm. A. CODDINGTON, Assignee.
9 25 2


### Arrival and Departure of Mails

*NEW YORK MAILS.*
*Arrive*—7:30, 8 40, A. M., 12:15, 2:30, 5:30 P. M.
*Close*—7:30 and 9:30 A. M., 1:45, 5:30 and 8 P. M.
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*Close*—7:30 A. M., 4:30 P. M.

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*SUNDAY MAILS.*
Office open from 9:30 to 10:30 A. M.
Mail closes at 6:30 P. M.

E. R. POPE, P. M.

## DEATHS.

CLEAVER—At his late residence, 48 Somerset street, Sept. 24, 1890, William Hunt Cleaver, age 92 years.
Funeral service Friday, Sept. 26, at 3 P. M. Interment private.

## WANTS AND OFFERS.

*Advertisements under this heading, one cent for each word each insertion.*

7 ROOM house to let near Pond Tool Works. Inquire Charles H. Hand, No. 8 West 2d st.

LOST—Saturday, Sept. 20, diamond fly-pin, turquoise in center on gold pin, with pearl end. Please return to Mrs. G. C. Miller. Reward promised. Fanwood, N. J. 9 25 29

WANTED to hire, a house with improvements, near depot. Address House, PRESS office.

BOY wanted, about 14 or 16 years old, to do errands and work in kitchen. Inquire at McVey's restaurant.

WANTED—Woman for general housework. No washing. 7 West 2d street. 9 24 2

WANTED—Part of house, 4 or 5 rooms, for family of three; state terms and location, D., PRESS office. 9 24 2

TO LET, part of a house; seven rooms, furnished or unfurnished; for adults only. Apply 151 West Front street. 9 24 2

A NEW flat and store to let, corner Richmond and 3d streets. Apply to Peter Cassidy, No. 207 East Front street. 9 23 6

COLUMBIA Safety Bicycle for sale. Been used two months. Apply at PRESS office. 9 23 3

A VERY desirably located, corner flat to rent. Near station. Apply at THE PRESS office. 9 21 5

FOR SALE—A second hand piano, in good condition. Inquire 107 Park avenue. 9 22 tf

LADIES doing their own dressmaking or employing plain seamstress, can secure perfect fit and pattern for future use. Taylor system. Miss A. T. Buckley, 27 West 4th street. 9 22 tf

FURNISHED rooms to let. Apply at 29 West Front street. 9 22 4

WANTED—Girl for general housework. References required Apply at number one Myrtle avenue, North Plainfield. 9 17 tf

ROOMS, with or without board. 21 West 2d street. 9 16 2w

RYE WANTED—Highest market price paid N. W. French, 7 E. 4th street 9 11 tf

FOR SALE—A Restaurant, doing a good paying business. Reason for selling, illness of proprietress. Inquire at Boston Cafe, No. 7 Somerset street. 9 6 tf

STORAGE for furniture in separate rooms. Apply to C. Frank French, 69 Somerset st. 9 2 tf

WANTED—Jobbing at painting, glazing, kalsomining and roof painting. Address Isaac Kennedy, 49 Chatham street, North Plainfield. tf

WANTED—Work cleaning Vaults and Cesspools. Satisfaction guaranteed. City Odorless Excavating Works, 206 Broadway. Mrs. David Jones, Proprietor. No connection with JONES & Co. 8-11-tf

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The choicest Creamery Butter that can be produced
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The finest Java and Mocha coffee in town, and the prices are right. Won't be undersold for same quality of goods. F. M. DEMAREST.
25 PARK AVENUE.
2-6-1

CORPORATION NOTICE.
Notice is hereby given that the report of Edward C. Mulford, Jeremiah Manning and Joseph A. Hubbard, the commissioners appointed by the Common Council of the city of Plainfield to make an estimate and assessment of the damages that any owner of land and real estate, with the appurtenances necessary to be taken for the purpose, will sustain by the extending, laying out and opening of Orchard place from its present termination to New street in said city, was on the day of the date hereof filed in the office of the sub criber, the city clerk of the said city of Plainfield, and is open to the inspection of the public, and will be presented to the Common Council at its next regular meeting on the sixth day of October, 1890.
Dated September 17, 1890.
J. R. COWARD,
City Clerk of the city of Plainfield.
9 18 2w

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The Leading Manufacturing FURRIER
Has opened a BRANCH STORE at
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DIXON'S TOURISTS in a repertoire of favorite plays, as follows:
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Friday evening—"Uncle Tom's Cabin."
Saturday matinee—"East Lynne."
Saturday evening, the New York local drama, by Richard S. Lyle, entitled "Wild Rose," introducing the clever soubrette, Miss Libbie Moore, in her songs, dances, etc.
An excellent Company.
Tickets for sale at Guttman's Segar Store.
PRICES—15c., 25c., and 35c. 9 16 tf

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LAUNDRY.
Having purchased of Henry C. Drake the business known as the
AMERICAN STEAM LAUNDRY,
14 East Front St., I desire to inform the public that I will endeavor to serve them in the best possible manner, and respectfully solicit their patronage. Goods promptly called for and delivered, upon notice by postal.
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Yards—Corner of Front St. & Grant Ave
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THE LARGEST VARIETY OF
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NEW FALL CARPETINGS!
JUST RECEIVED, including a few rolls of the 75c quality Tapestry Brussels, offered at 65c.
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NOTE.—Any one wishing to purchase Carpets will do well to "snap up" these RARE BARGAINS. They will not last long, and cannot be duplicated.
NEW FALL DRESS GOODS—All-wool Serges, new colorings, 60c quality at 50c.
HANDSOME New All-Wool Serges, beautiful colorings, at 75c.
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A splendid assortment of BLACK GOODS, plain and fancy effects. The prices are VERY LOW.
Everything new and fresh and cheap, at
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Baker, Confectioner and Iced Cream Manufacturer.
Iced Cream in Fancy Form, and Individual Bricks for Teas and Parties.
Plain and Fancy Cake, Charlotte Russe and Macaroons, fresh every day. MY OWN MAKE.
Try my Home Made Bread; it will please you; hot at 5 P. M.
If you desire FRESH and PURE CANDY, you can make NO MISTAKE in buying my goods.
I manufacture LARGELY, and GUARANTEE THE QUALITY.
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11-18-tf

First Annual Clearing Out Sale of WALL PAPER!
The purpose of which is to dispose of our entire stock and renew it exclusively with the new patterns of the coming season. Points worth considering:
FIRST—Our stock is very large, carefully selected, and all this season's goods.
SECOND—The first customers will have a larger stock to select from, and will get the choicest bargains.
THIRD—Prices will be the lowest ever offered—bargains being offered daily below cost. Sale closes September 1.
A. D. VAN SCIVER, 47 NORTH AVE.,
Opposite Depot. — (Chotola Building), —Plainfield, N. J.
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### A Plainfielder Tells How He Handled a Gila Monster.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE PRESS:—Your recent account of Mr. Vail's experience with a gila monster doubtless has aroused a local interest regarding these reptiles I regret that I can impart no information regarding their family name, the size which they attain or their habits of life, save a slight personal experience and tradition; but slight as my knowledge is I feel sure it will be favorably received, and further information can probably be obtained from Mr. Vail, who no doubt has become sufficiently interested to inquire into the antecedents of his late intimate acquaintance. I did not succeed in finding Mr. Gila Monster's name in Webster's directory, from which it is reasonable to conclude that he has evaded the canvassers or that he traveled under an alias; nor do I believe he or his family were included in the Porter census, but as one Gila Monster has taken up residence in Central Park, that oversight will probably be remedied in the recount by which New York is going to show that the census enumerators have beaten themselves out of quite a little money.

Mr. Gila Monster, having received his first alias from the Gila River, is entitled to a capital G, but not being a monster at all his last nom de plume should be spelled with a small m. I have seen about fifty of him, and he was always about a foot long. He was always attired in an orange livery, with about a spade or club straight flush of irregular black blotches, and strolled along with a don't-monkey-with-me sort of air. One of him crawled out his box in a cigar store one day, and the proprietor offered a box of cigars to any one who would put him in again, but he could not have been shunned more successfully had he been a book canvasser. I, however, was not going to let any one-foot "monster" stand between me and the only chance I ever had in my life of getting a whole box of cigars, so I adjourned to the nearest blacksmith shop and borrowed a long pair of tongs, with which I handled Mr. Gila Monster with much ease and personal comfort, winning, by my inventive genius, a whole box of cigars and eternal freedom from the hateful appelation of "tenderfoot."

There are those who contend that a Gila Monster's bite is harmless, but I never saw any one who so contended who was willing to give a practical demonstration of his theory, although fully aware that a Gila Monster's bite entitles the bitee to an unlimited whiskey license. I never before heard of but one man who was bitten—a saloon keeper; and there was no bad effect in that case except that the Gila Monster became bestially intoxicated.

PAUL F. WACHENHUSEN.

### Notes of the New York Theatres.

The importance of the drama in the daily existence of New Yorkers is well illustrated in the number of columns devoted to things theatrical by all of the metropolitan dailies. Each paper makes a special feature of theatrical gossip and the sayings and doings in and about the playhouses are eagerly sought for and printed and as eagerly read. Inasmuch as the average New Yorker finds the most of his recreation within the walls of the theatre the prominence given theatrical items by the press of the great city is not at all surprising.

Jerome K. Jerome has been declared by the metropolitan press the coming playwright. His "Maister of Woodbarrow" is crowding the Lyceum Theatre at each performance. Prior to the production of the play at the Lyceum, Mr. Jerome was almost unknown, his dramatic efforts having been confined to writing one-act curtain-raisers. In these he has been highly successful in London.

"A High Roller" is the fetching title of the spectacular farce comedy which Clay M. Greene is now constructing for Barney Fagan and Bob Slavin, who are to discard minstrelsy next season and enter the legitimate field of amusements under the guidance of Managers E. G. Gilmore and Alex. Comstock of the Academy of Music, New York.

The Liliputians have come, have been seen and have conquered. The big city has been taken by storm. Such a peculiarly bewildering display of scenic extravagance and splendor, introducing a company of principals, the oddest ever seen, has never before been presented at a public exhibition in America. Notwithstanding that the prices at Niblo's have been almost doubled, the advance sale for the Liliputians' engagement is startling. All hail to the wee Thespians!

Since its first presentation, the "Old Homestead," which returns to the Academy, New York, October 6, for another year, has been produced over 1,000 times; the books show a total attendance during that period of over 2,000,000 souls, an average of 2,700 persons daily. The total receipts to date amount to considerably over a million dollars. Divide the net receipts of the play to date among the few persons interested, and each has a fortune. It surpasses the record of any play that has ever been presented, not only in this country but the whole world.

### A Barn Burned at New Market.

Fire on Nelson Blackford's farm near New Market yesterday afternoon destroyed the barn and all its contents. Besides the building, Mr. Blackford loses ten tons of hay on which there was no insurance. The barn was insured for $250. The tenant loses his wagon and carpentry tools.

—The regular mid-week meeting of the Reform Club will be held this evening at 8 o'clock. A welcome is extended to all.

## HOW TO PERFECT OUR ROADS.

### Interesting Counsel Which Local Highway Menders May Heed With Profit.

Now that the public highways in this section are receiving such conspicuous attention it may not be inappropriate to publish the following hints on good road making, which are condensed from a circular issued by the Roads Improvement Association of London, an organization formed to distribute matter for the education of local highway authorities, road contractors and others, on the proper construction, maintenance, and repair of highways.

Never allow a hollow, a rut, or a puddle—such as even Plainfield's streets have an abundance of—to remain on a road, but fill it up at once with "chips" from the stone heap. Always use "chips" for patching, and for all repairs during the Summer months. Never put fresh stones on the road if by cross-picking and a thorough use of the rake the surface can be made smooth and kept at the proper strength of section. The rake is the most useful tool in your collection, and it should be kept close at hand the whole year round. Never spread large patches of stone over the whole width of the road, but coat the middle or horse track first, and, when this has worn in, coat each of the sides in turn. In moderately dry weather, and on hard roads, always pick up the old surface into ridges six inches apart, and remove all large and projecting stones before applying a new coating. Never spread stones more that one stone deep, but add a second layer when the first has worn in, if one coating be not enough. Use a steel-pronged fork to load the barrows at the stone heap, so that the siftings may be available for binding and for Summer repairs. Never shoot stones on to the road and crack them where they lie, or a smooth surface will be out of the question. Go over the whole of the new coating every day or two with the rake, and never leave the stones in ridges. Never put a stone upon a road for repairing puposes that will not pass freely in every direction through a two-inch ring, and remember that still smaller stones should be used for patching and for all slight repairs. Hard stone should be broken to a finer guage than soft, but the two-inch guage is the largest that should be employed under any circumstances. Never be without your ring guage. It should be to the roadman what the compass is to the mariner, and if you have no ring guage, remember Macadam's advice that any stone you cannot easily put in your mouth should be broken smaller. Use nothing but chips for binding newly laid stones together, and remember that road sweepings, horse droppings, sods of grass, and other rubbish, when used for this purpose, will ruin the best made road.

Water-worn or rounded stones should never be used upon steep grades, or they will fail to bind together.

Never allow dust or mud to lie on the surface of the road, for either of these will double the cost of maintenance. Dust becomes mud at the first shower, and mud—as Plainfielders all know by experience—forms a wet blanket which will keep a road in a filthy condition for weeks at a time, instead of allowing it to dry in a few hours. See that all sweepings and scrapings are put into heaps and carted away immediately.

The middle of the road should always be a little higher than the sides, so that the rain may run into the side-gutters at once. Never allow the water-tables, gutters, and ditches to clog up, but keep them clear the whole year through. Always be upon your road in wet weather, and at once fill up with "chips" any hollows or ruts where the rain may lie. When the main coatings of stone have worn in, go over the whole road, and, gathering together all the loose stones—which even in Plainfield are too infrequently left lying on the surface—return them to the stone heap for use in the Winter to follow; for loose stones are a source of danger and annoyance, and should never be allowed to lie on any road.

### Plainfield Real Estate Transfers.

Among the recent real estate changes in this vicinity are recorded the following:

Lemuel E. Hart and wife to Amelia A. Mulford, all of Plainfield; lot on southwest side of Leland avenue, 59x134, $900.

Clarence J. Rice, Mary B. Loomis and Edwin Loomis to Lemuel B. Woolston and James F. Buckle, land on Sandford avenue, Plainfield, 60x218, $1,500.

Jeremiah Manning and wife to Wm. M. Sandford, of Plainfield, land on southeast side of Park place, Plainfield, 100x60, $1.

Wm. M. Sandford and wife to Jeremiah Manning, land on southeast side of Third street, Plainfield, 50x156, $1.

### Broke His Neck.

Wm. Hall, of Fanwood, broke his neck yesterday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock, and died two hours after. The unfortunate man was a carpenter and at work on the roof of John Waterson's house at Cranford. He fell twenty-five feet to the ground.

—The Bachelors' Club will hold a special meeting at 7:30 o'clock to-night.

When you have that tired feeling of exhaustion, and you have little ambition, your blood is thin and poor. There is nothing that will enrich your blood, bring back life and activity, like Hires' Root Beer. Nothing so nutritious and strengthening. Ask your druggist or grocer for a package. Makes five gallons, sparkling and delicious. Sold everywhere.

## FOR THOSE WHO GRIEVE.

### What is Good and What is Bad Form in Mourning Costumes.

There is no more glaring violation of good tastes in dress possible than an elaborate or much-trimmed mourning gown. It stamps its wearer at once as certainly ignorant, very possibly vulgar. The style follows closely the quietest shapes of the day. Thus for the street a long-waisted bodice, very possibly seamless with the fullness plainly gathered in front instead of being confined with ribbon or buckel, and a skirt with undraped back and having the front either straight also or with long Greek apron, slightly caught up on the left side. Such a skirt may be bordered, if wished, with a deep crape band.

At any fashionable milliner's will be found a variety of mourning hats and bonnets, and the straining after effect in them quite as marked as in gayer plumage. This does not apply, of course, to the first bonnet worn by the widow, which carries the vail. This vail, the doctors say, is a most unwholesome piece of drapery, and assuredly it is wearisome because so heavy. Its length in fashionable circles is carefully graduated according to whether it is worn by a widow or a mother who has lost a child. The tendency at present is to substitute nun's vailing for crape as its material, and for summer, certainly, the change is commendable. A bonnet that is to be vailed must have a low, flat crown, and in spite of the fact that a few black-headed pins and a fold here and there are all that is necessary, the arrangement of a vail to form a becoming back-ground for the face is a good deal of an art and one to which is given more and more attention, only the best milliners in good establishments being allowed to touch the drapery. Strings for the mourning bonnet, if of crape, are silk-lined. Sometimes broad ribbons are used and sometimes narrow bridles.

Mourning for young girls should be of the simplest always and not too heavy. It injures the health and spirits, and no one has a right to keep them under a cloud. For toddling children mourning-dress is nothing short of heathenish.

The mourning gloves are undressed kids, but these seldom wear well, and dressed kids are frequently substituted. A handkerchief with a simple black monogram is better than the bordered varieties, while as for the woman who sends black-bordered paper and envelopes through the mail, she ought to be stopped by an injunction. To wear black corsets and lingerie is overstepping the mark altogether, and suggests a luxury of grief that is as far removed from genuine affliction as possible. One is not called on to believe in heart-break when a woman finds her tearful eyes relieved if they rest on mourning draperies in her boudoir. It lessen's one's respect for a woman if she finds black sheets contributing to her peace of mind.—Chicago Times.

## DEALS IN IDEAS.

### Odd Business by Which a New Yorker Makes a Good Living.

There is, in an office building uptown in New York, a gentleman with a serene and humorous cast of face, an erect figure and a smile that is as much identified with his countenance as are his drooping glasses and elusive blonde mustache. His name is James Goodwin, and he is a creator of ideas. He sells the ideas in the rough, makes a capital living, and works on contentedly without a trace of yearning for fame, yet the fame many caricaturists and artists in New York belongs by right to him. Artists and newspaper illustrators are almost entirely destitute of humor, taken all in all, although there are one or two exceptions. The majority of them have the ability to draw clevery, but the inventive and humorous faculties are not included in their mental and artistic make-up. These men Mr. Goodwin supplies with ideas. His sketches are made roughly on paper and forwarded to different artists regularly every day. This week no less than nine pictures in the current issues of the comic papers were inspired by the creator of ideas, although they are all signed by the names of prominent caricaturists in very large, black and prominent letters. Mr. Goodwin declares, by the way, that the artists lack assurance more than ability, and that if they only knew the trick they could create an idea as easily as he does it for them. But they do not seem able to find the Goodwin secret.—N. Y. Letter.

### The Gold in a Gold Dollar.

Director Leach, of the mint, thus writes to the Philadelphia North American: "The amount of pure silver in the standard silver dollar has not been changed since we first began coining. The quantity of pure gold to the dollar, as fixed by the act of 1792, was 24.75 grains, the ratio in coinage being 15 to 1. By the act of June 28, 1834, the pure gold was reduced from 24.75 to 23.20 grains to the dollar, the ratio between gold and silver in coinage being 1 to 16.002. By the act of January 18, 1837, the fineness of the gold coins was increased about three-fourths of one thousandth by changing from standard of .899225 to .900, which increased the pure gold in a dollar from 23.20 to 23.22 grains, at which it has remained up to the present time. The ratio between the two metals in coinage was fixed by this act at 1 to 15.988, at which it still remains."

—The increase noted in leprosy in the West Indies is attributed to the fact that lepers are permitted to walk about without restraint, to beg, and to mix with healthy people. In the four years following 1878 twenty-two deaths from leprosy were registered there, while thirty-four deaths occurred in the three years preceding 1888.

—A pack of hyenas is reported by the Indian papers to have appeared near Monghyr. The animals are making great depredations. One night a child of about two years of age was carried away. In the morning the head and two hands were found.

### Midsummer.

The summer solstice melts the morn
To dewy vapor, and a haze
Dreams in the light of sultry days;
The heart of June is gone.

The early chirper in the woods
Forgets its virgin song, and nests
Once filled with fledgling yellow breasts
Shelter no more their broods.

The floral blooms of skyey blues,
The dainty asphodels—the mixes
Of meadow tints, have shed their smiles,
And lost their perfect hues;

Existence waits with burning breath,
And strains to catch the upland winds;
The parched earth, furnace-heated—pines
Beneath the dome of death.

Unveiled, the drooping grasses swoon:
The day is burdened; nature bears
Its cross, and pants; the ripe sun glares:
It is the year's high noon!
—Stephen H. Thayer, in Christian at Work.

### Unfreezable Dynamite.

This invention is due to Herr Edward Liebert, Berlin, and it consists in adding a small percentage of a chemical ingredient either to the nitroglycerine or to the dynamite itself. Having, says Iron, so recently pointed out the dangers attendant upon the operation of thawing dynamite, because that operation is so seldom carried out in a proper manner, we need not now dwell upon the subject. We will only observe that the reports of H. M. inspectors of explosives show that the most fruitful source of accidents with dynamite is the thawing of the cartridges, which freeze at the comparatively high temperature of about forty degrees Fahr. The ingredient added by Liebert does not commence to freeze at thirty-five degrees below zero, and it in no way detracts from the strength of the dynamite to which it is added. On the contrary, it slightly increases its effective power, being in itself explosive. The unfreezable dynamite is also said to be somewhat less sensitive to concussion than ordinary dynamite. Sir Henry Roscoe, F. R. S., has subjected unfreezable dynamite to exceedingly low temperature, and he reports that Liebert's invention "is of great value and importance, as rendering solidification practically impossible, and therefore greatly diminishing the liability to chance explosion, by avoiding the well-known danger incurred in melting the frozen nitroglycerine." We are glad to notice the advent of such an invention, the public importance of which can not be overrated.

## Paralyzed!

How often do we hear of persons being suddenly stricken with paralysis? But such persons, although apparently stricken suddenly, *had in all cases been warned* for months by premonitory symptoms, which, if they had heeded and cured by the proper remedy, would have prevented the fatal result. *Paralysis is often curable*, but it can always be prevented if taken in time.

Among the first symptoms will be noticed a *nervousness or restlessness* with *weak and tired feeling* in the limbs and *general sense of exhaustion*; any unwonted exertion will be followed by *great fatigue*, and the *weakness* will be very marked. These symptoms will often be accompanied by feeling in the head, and the person often *wakes each morning more tired and languid than on retiring*. As the diseases progresses there will be a *coldness, numbness and bad circulation in the feet and limbs*, followed, after a time, by a slight *numbness or tingling*, at first hardly noticeable, but gradually becoming more and more marked. Among the first symptoms, also, are a *weakness, tired feeling or trembling of the limbs*, with an *exhausted sensation*.

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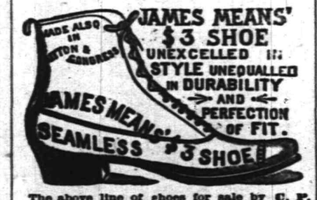


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## RICH AND PRETTY GIRLS.

### Pen Pictures of Some of the Daughters of Michigan Statesmen.

**General Alger Has an Interesting Pair of Girls—Senator McMillan's Pretty Daughter—A Michigan Girl at the Russian Court.**

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[Special Correspondence.]

"I'LL you excuse me if I sit in my shirt sleeves?" And the daughter of Ambition, as personified in the person of Russell A. Alger, of Michigan, gives an emphatic toss to her pink, silken blazer, which carries it to the ignominious seclusion of a trunk bottom.

It is reasonable to remain at home, when the thermometer is trifling with the affection of the nineties; but from a girl's standpoint such reasoning is not reasonable, and to enjoy is to flit. Hence the position in the foreground of our picture of a cavernous trunk, and unlimited girlish fripperies.

As to other accessories, be kind enough to imagine a faint odor of violets, swaying muslin draperies and that delirious and formidable confusion of "things" which render so delightful the summer room of our summer girl. The walls breathe hints of sojourns by sea and mountain side. In a corner, from amid some dainty water-color sketches, the photograph of General Sherman looms up very much as a rugged old rock rears itself from amid surrounding greeneries. The scrawl beneath it, you will observe, bears the General's signature. A severe little writing-desk indicates a lavish waste of gray matter in somebody's brain. It is here that Miss Fay Alger serves her mind, done to a turn, and garnished by one of Uncle Sam's beautiful red postage stamps.

Just at present she is perched humming-bird fashion upon the arm of a huge cane rocker, busily fanning herself with a very natty sailor hat. It is the moment of moments in which to steal her portrait. Evolution may cause monkeys to resemble closely Herbert Spencers, but all the mannish shirts and four-in-hand ties turned out by retailers could not bestow a masculine air upon Miss Alger. She is too distinctly feminine. And what nicer thing can be said of her?

Miss Fay Alger is the eldest unmarried daughter of General Alger. Perhaps just here we might observe, parenthetically, that the hazy perspective of my sketch discloses "*un Mariage D'Amour.*" She is not beautiful. She is, however, so distinctly pretty in a characteristic fashion peculiar to the Alger girls, that we immediately decide prettiness to be more seductive than beauty.

She is an *edition de lux* of the society girl. Has perhaps inherited the politician's charm of being "all things to all men"—and women. Her dark, brown eyes regard frankly the world at large, and her red curved lips naively disclose in smiling a pretty set of teeth. She is of medium height, but, being rather slight, impresses one with a belief in several more inches than she possesses.

General Alger's eldest daughter, Carrie, is the wife of Harry Sheldon, the son of one of our Michig an millionaire merchant pioneers. She makes her home in Detroit. The second, Miss Fay Alger, we have already described. The third, and younger, Miss Frances, is to be a debutante of the coming season. She closely resembles her sisters, possessing in common with them that well-bred, *well-groomed* look so characteristic of American girls of the upper classes and so highly indicative of a refined mother's presence upon the domestic stage.

MISS M'MILLAN.

Where is Don M. Dickinson this summer?

*If you wish to join a certain inner circle of rusticity, take a certain crazy little steamer leaving Detroit daily, and after various tiltings and lurchings you will at last find yourself alongside of an equally crazy little pier, cherished as a curio and antique by dwellers on Grosse Isle. Multiply nine miles of quiet by two of comfort, and you have this island.*

Here Don M. Dickinson and family are enjoying the ephemeral beauties of the summer days of 1890. It is all delightfully primitive — perhaps no place more so—from the afore mentioned insane little steamer to the negligee assumed by our erstwhile Postmaster-General.

It would remind some of the girl who said she liked to be engaged because it would be such fun to break it off. The chief pleasure in being there would be, to such ill-regulated persons, the ability to come away again.

Well! Good-bye to Grosse Isle and a glance at Detroit's amateurish Newport—Grosse Pointe.

Surrounded by rolling green lawns, tennis courts, palms and blossoming hedges, here stands the summer home of Michigan's Senator, James McMillan. Its russet tints are thrown out effectively by the contrasting blue of July skies.

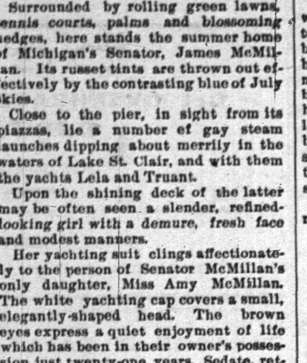
Close to the pier, in sight from its piazzas, lie a number of gay steam launches dipping about merrily in the waters of Lake St. Clair, and with them the yachts Lela and Truant.

Upon the shining deck of the latter may be often seen a slender, refined-looking girl with a demure, fresh face and modest manners.

Her yachting suit clings affectionately to the person of Senator McMillan's only daughter, Miss Amy McMillan. The white yachting cap covers a small, elegantly-shaped head. The brown eyes express a quiet enjoyment of life which has been in their owner's possession just twenty-one years. Sedate, reticent, simple in manner, Miss McMillan is utterly unspoiled by her host of admirers.

Down in the distant city, shut up in the old ivy-mantled town house, amid the Corots, Fortunys, Heniers, Geromes and Viberts, which add color to the walls of the darkened rooms, hangs the portrait of a very singular girl face. It is that of Grace McMillan Jarvis, the eldest daughter of Senator McMillan. Before this portrait flowers placed as before a shrine tell the tale. It is one familiar enough—an association of wedding bells with a fast following funeral knell.

In the Grosse Pointe nursery, with its walls as blue as a robin's egg, sleeps the Senator's little grandchild, not the



MISS HELEN LOTHROP.

least of her inheritance being the name of her mother—Grace McMillan Jarvis. One of Detroit's large hospitals—Grace—is an In Memoriam royal indeed, and one which occupies much of Senator McMillan's time and interest.

On the deck of the Truant besides Miss McMillan one may often see another of Michigan's greatest heiresses, Miss Helen Newberry, the only daughter of ex-Congressman Newberry.

Her white yachting suit clings to the form of a nineteenth century Venus. This is a distinction with a very wide difference, for who would gaze for a moment on an antique Venus nowadays?

Her figure proclaims her a devotee of physical culture, and so she is. Her light brown hair is ruffled with the lake breezes, and gray eyes look from a face of tan. Tennis player, swimmer and a veritable little sea-dog when it comes to yachting, of her we can not expect the coloring of a lily. She is well remembered in Washington, where she was the season's guest of Mrs. James McMillan, and where she was noted for wearing with exceptional grace the trying First Empire and Greek gowns. She is a skilled musician, interpreting with feeling and precision music of a high order, yet not above thrumming on a banjo in honor of the moon upon a summer evening. Last autumn while living in Paris she became the keynote in the color scheme of a gossipy little story, whose sketching outlines time has since filled in.

It all hinges—this story—upon the infatuation of a certain Count Baergraff over our very *chic* little friend, Miss Newberry; and possibly also over the glittering ducats of Newberry *pere*. Be this as it may, upon her return to this country she had added an ornament largely affected by American girls to the jangle of *bonboniers* and other noisy trifles hanging at her very small belt. It was a titled scalp.

Absence seems to have but added business-like intensity to the Count's passion, but he was at first seemingly ignorant of the best course to pursue. As Miss Newberry had given him no encouragement whatever to follow her to America, he was in despair.

Finally, light seeming to flicker, dawn-like, upon the edge of his mental horizon, he dispatched a cable to a mutual friend. The original request was made that she discover, if possible, if a certain gentleman with a German accent and a hard-up title could be found stalking about the corridors of Miss Newberry's heart.

As the heart in question proved to be unoccupied by any such person, the return message was not conducive to an American trip on the part of the Count. Miss Newberry is therefore still Miss Newberry, due perhaps to her possession of an unusual quantity of good hard common sense.

It is at Grosse Pointe also, that our ex-Minister to Russia, G. V. N. Lothrop is passing the summer in a large summer house which has quite a farm-house flavor about it, and is surrounded by sunny vineyards. Mr. Lothrop's eldest daughter Anaie is now the Baroness Huehue, having married the Baron soon after the return of the family from St. Petersburg. She now forms one of the brilliant court circle in that icily splendid city. His younger daughter is still in the home circle.

JOHANNA STAATS.

## THE SUMMER HOTEL.

### Howard Fielding Briefly Tastes Its Delights.

**He Observes with Pain the Decline of the Hotel Orchestra; and Furnishes the Feet of Genius for a Grand Tableau.**

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[Special Correspondence.]

I have just served a sentence of two weeks and three days at a summer hotel. I will not state where the hotel is, but the climate of the place was said to be a sure cure for a large variety of ailments, none of which I had ever had before I went there. During my stay, however, I enjoyed them all. The landlord told me that nothing but the salubriety of the place saved my life. I shall never impose the same strain on that climate again, for I do not wish to spoil it.

There is nothing so corrosive to a man's self esteem as to find himself

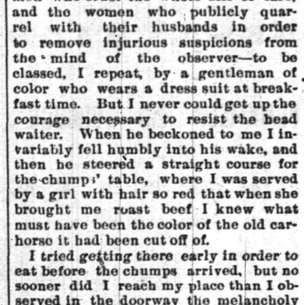
THE PRETTIEST GIRL IN THE HOTEL.

classed way down in the subcellar of the social category—down among the men who order the whole bill of fare, and the women who publicly quarrel with their husbands in order to remove injurious suspicions from the mind of the observer—to be classed, I repeat, by a gentleman of color who wears a dress suit at breakfast time. But I never could get up the courage necessary to resist the head waiter. When he beckoned to me I invariably fell humbly into his wake, and then he steered a straight course for the chumps' table, where I was served by a girl with hair so red that when she brought me roast beef I knew what must have been the color of the old carhorse it had been cut off of.

I tried getting there early in order to eat before the chumps arrived, but no sooner did I reach my place than I observed in the doorway the melancholy countenance of the lonely young man who did not wear cuffs. When he had seated the young man the head waiter at once returned to the door and brought in the husband who palpably regretted his choice, and the wife who was the amply sufficient cause of his remorse.

Then I tried coming late, but the chumps were also unavoidably detained on that occasion, and we were all fed from the same trough as usual. One day I summoned up all the nerve I had left, and asked the head waiter to give me another seat. He said: "Yes, sah; dis way, sah," seated me in my old place, and escaped. I hadn't the moral courage to move. That afternoon I asked the clerk to make the head waiter change my seat, and he promised to do it.

This change, however, was not wholly fruitless, for it enabled me to hear a fairly good thing. On my right was a table where a mother and four daughters sat. The girls were all old enough to marry rich men, and the mother was willing that they should do so, at any moment. On my left sat the sensation of the hour; the only real, live, guaranteed foreign nobleman in the place. And he was a bachelor, too. Lord Yorkshire Pudding—I can't remember his real name—was a good enough sort of fellow, for an Englishman. He had that peculiar breeding which makes even Chicago pork seem a very inferior article in England. Nobody who hasn't had the advantage of being reared in that little island, can be perfectly courteous to one whom he honors with his immediate society, and at the same time as cruelly indifferent as a barbed-wire fence to the comfort of the stranger who casually gets within range. The polished American, on the other hand, is scrupulously polite to the man



"GENIUS AND THE NINE MUSES."

he doesn't know, while he may not tip his hat to his own wife's mother.

My lord certainly kept his eye-glass bearing steadily on the table where the mother and daughters sat, and they were not slow to notice it. I could hear some pretty little squabbles between the girls, as to which one of them was getting the best of it. The mother did not enter into these disputes, but she looked at my lord in a way that meant: "Oh! how I wish there were enough of you to go around." She was in high feather, and the girls couldn't sit still in their chairs. It looked like a clear case even to my unprejudiced vision, and I was beginning to be interested to discover which of the daughters stood the best chance of being unhappy for life, when my lord pulled one of his side-whiskers with an air of decision and remarked to the man beside him, in that generously audible voice of his: "I say, deah boy, that table girl, as you call 'em, don't-yerknow, waiting on those old women over there, is the prettiest girl in this hotel, ba Jove!"

Everybody was talking about the incident after dinner while the evening promenade on the piazza was in progress. I was there, catching the neuralgia in one ear and the sweet strains of the hotel orchestra in the other. The orchestra was not what it used to be. The popularity of hotel life at American summer resorts has, on the whole, declined of late years. It seems incredible that the robust digestive apparatus of our people can have been exhausted in so short a time, but something has caused a falling away of guests, and many a seaside hotel proprietor has had to cut down expenses this season. The unhappy musician has been the first to feel the sharp edge of retrenchment. Hotels which formerly supported an orchestra of half a dozen players—and two or three dummies who worked the well-greased joints of voiceless trombones—have now come down to a violinist, a cornetist and an old maid to pound the piano.

And the "hop" is not what it was. As for that, I have a theory that the generation which succeeds our children will be too lazy to dance, and that signs of the decay of this exercise, which kept our grandmother merrily skipping about until daylight, are not wanting even now. However, far be it from me to force the results of my own deep research upon a world which can not appreciate me. I will say only that the *hops* at our hotel this summer were failures. So, in the last week of my stay, they got up some tableaux, by way of variety. As I was known to have perhaps the most refined artistic taste of any man of my weight in America, I was selected to arrange the display.

The next day I was approached by Mrs. A., mother of Miss Birdie (one of the nine). Mrs. A. tapped me playfully on the arm with her fan and inquired what I was going to do with her Birdie. I came very near saying that I didn't see what anybody could do with her, but by great self control I limited myself to a mild inquiry as to what Birdie's mother wanted me to do with her. It did not take me long to discover that the old lady wanted her Birdie to perch higher than any other in the tableau. I scented danger, and promised only that I would give the subject the consideration it deserved.

"I need not tell a person of your fine artistic sense," said Mrs. A., "that Birdie is the only girl in this hotel who can fill a position of prominence in a tableau. I only wish to inquire whether you had chosen your subject. And, by the way, I understand that the expenses are to be defrayed by the ladies. Allow me to put whatever sum you think

NO WONDER THE BALL-ROOM IS EMPTY.

necessary at your disposal. But you must promise me about Birdie."

"My dear madam," said I, "it has appeared to me necessary from the nature of the subject—which I must keep secret for the present—to give perhaps the most prominent position to Miss B."

"Oh! you can't think of it," cried Mrs. A., holding up her hands in horror, "my dear sir, she has been fading steadily for the last ten seasons. Poor girl; I pity her. Under these circumstances I must withhold my subscription from the affair."

Of course I had no idea of losing her subscription.

"I don't see how I can promise about Birdie," said I, with hesitation.

"If you only won't let Betty B. have the best place, I'll subscribe double," said Mrs. A.

"Madam," said I, "you may have my word of honor upon it."

So she took my word, and I took her subscription. Within ten minutes I was approached by Mrs. B.

"I need not tell a man of your extraordinary good taste," said she, "that my daughter Betty—"

"Madam," said I, "all that you would say has already occurred to me, but the nature of the subject points with an unerring aim to Miss Birdie A."

I thought Mrs. B. was going to faint, and, as she weighed over two hundred pounds, the moment was full of terrible anticipations. But she recovered her composure, and told me that if I would keep Birdie out of first place she would bear the whole expense of the affair herself. I accepted her proposition.

In the course of the day I encountered all the ladies whose daughters were to appear. They all complimented me on my exquisite artistic taste in all matters connected with tableaux; and they all ended with bribery. After these interviews I was somewhat shocked to reflect that I had solemnly promised to keep every blessed girl in the list in some subordinate position. This was not easy, for in a tableau some person has to shine with especial effulgence. After mature deliberation I decided that I was the person in this particular case, and I constructed a tableau representing the Nine Muses at the feet of Genius. I furnished the feet. All the lights were turned full upon me, and the spectacle was probably one of the most beautiful ever presented to an American audience. The thought that I had fulfilled my nine bargains at once fell upon my conscience as soothingly as cold cream on a sunburned nose. However, I had to leave the house very soon, to escape the consequences of too much fame.

Just before I left, I asked the landlord what he would give me to write up the hotel.

"Write it up?" he asked.

"Yes," said I, "give the facts about it."

"Do you want to kill the place?" said he, turning pale.

HOWARD FIELDING.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PUBLIC SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

## CITY OF PLAINFIELD.

*Notice is* hereby given that by virtue of a warrant issued by William R. Codington, esq, City Judge of the City of Plainfield, in the County of Union, to make the unpaid taxes assessed on lands, tenements, hereditaments and real estate, in the said city of Plainfield in the year eighteen hundred and eighty-eight, the subscriber, the officer nominated and appointed by the Common Council for that purpose, will on Wednesday, the 26th day of November next, at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon at his office, 33 Park avenue, in the City of Plainfield, sell the lands, tenements, hereditaments and real estate hereunder described, at public vendue, for the shortest time for which any person or persons will agree to take the same and pay such taxes, together with interest thereon, and costs, fees, charges and expenses.

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|---|---|
| Allen Samuel C h b and 40 acres 332 to 347 E Front street | 76 30 |
| Anthony Henrietta h and 5 lots 235 - 243 W Seventh street | 98 10 |
| Boice est of C h and 1 71 and 73 E Front st | 152 60 |
| " " " lot 85 to 89 Dunellen avenue | 4 36 |
| Borden Mrs lot 209 South avenue | 2 18 |
| Brewster J L lots Broadway | 10 90 |
| Bond Selena E lot 13 Acadia avenue | 2 18 |
| " " lot 12 Netherwood avenue | 2 18 |
| " " lot 19 " " | 2 18 |
| Bliven Edward M lot 69 Prospect avenue | 2 27 |
| Boger, Anna E 2 h and 1 355 W 3rd st | 26 16 |
| Brannan James h and 1 17 Rose street | 6 54 |
| Bastedenbeck Henry lot 4 Prescott place | 2 18 |
| Bauersachs J W A lot 2 | 2 18 |
| Bundy Henry h and 1 Elizabeth street | 8 72 |
| Cole est of Elias h b and 60 acres 269 to 304 E Front street | 218 00 |
| Cole Jacob and est of Sarah h b and 18 acres 311 to 330 E Front street | 76 30 |
| Campbell Mrs John O h and 1 55 Ruth st | 19 05 |
| Cole est of Elias h 1 and b and 1¾ acres South avenue | 32 70 |
| Cowan Margaret lot 53 Kensington avenue | 2 45 |
| Cuff Lewis H h and 1 east of Belvidere ave | 2 18 |
| Casey Patrick h and 1 21 to 25 W 3d street | 39 24 |
| Collins John E lot 59 W 4th street | 4 36 |
| Collins Peter h and 1 61 W 4th street | 13 08 |
| Conway Mary h and 1 99 W 4th street | 6 54 |
| Clark John & John Cahoes lot 6 Lee place | 2 18 |
| Craig William 2 h and 18 acres 216 to 240 Dunellen avenue | 95 93 |
| Chase Winfield h and 1 209 W Front street | 4 36 |
| Cole est of Elias lots 58 to 68 Jefferson ave | 6 54 |
| Day Richard H lot Woodland avenue | 1 09 |
| Darling William S h and 1 256 South ave | 39 24 |
| " " lot 300 feet rear of Brown's Ravine road | 2 27 |
| Darling Emma h and 1 22 - 24 Rahway road | 98 10 |
| " " lots 177-195 Woodland ave | 6 54 |
| " " lots north side Prospect ave | 6 54 |
| " " lots south side Prospect ave | 9 27 |
| Dadey est of Patrick or Mary h and 1 80 W 3d street | 19 62 |
| Dunn Solomon Y h 1 and shop 66 Park ave | 17 06 |
| Dunham Joseph T h and 1 30 Arlington ave | 26 16 |
| Darling Wm S 2 lots 23 and 25 Clinton ave | 4 36 |
| Frazee James E lot 230 E 2d street | 2 18 |
| Fish Ferdinand lot 16 Richmond st (north) | 5 45 |
| Flynn Bernhard h and 1 152 Terrell road | 8 72 |
| Fisk Alexander P h and 1 124 to 152 Woodland avenue | 109 00 |
| Fritz Adam h and 1 7 Exchange alley | 10 90 |
| Fisher est of Abram h and 1 83 W 3d street | 10 90 |
| Flannigan P J lot 467 South 2d street | 1 00 |
| Flynn Ann 2 h and lot 54 and 56 W 3d street | 10 90 |
| Field Mr lot 50 ft front W 6th street 350 | 1 09 |
| Forney Emma E lot 5 feet front 49½ E 2d st | 8 72 |
| Huff Adelia J 37 W 7th street | 21 80 |
| Hart Carrie lot 27 Jackson avenue | 2 18 |
| Hart Carrie 2 lots 42 and 44 Netherwood ave | 4 36 |
| Hart Levi E 3 lots 30 to 34 | 6 54 |
| Henderson Rachel C farm land 5¼ acres Randolph road | 11 45 |
| Harding John A h and 2 1 130-161 South 2d st | 15 08 |
| Honeyman George W h and lot 19 W 3d st | 26 16 |
| Harris J T 8 lots 230 to 244 W 7th street | 9 81 |
| Harris J T 12 lots 213 to 233 W 7th street | 16 35 |
| Huff est of Rachel h and s 64 Park avenue | 21 80 |
| Henderson Rachael C lots 36 and 39 Rose st | 2 44 |
| " " 2 1 205-207 Arlington ave | 4 36 |
| Jones est of Lewis h and s 242 E Front st | 26 16 |
| Jones Emma A 3 lots 194-198 La Grande ave | 6 54 |
| " " lots 7 to 11 Kensington ave | 6 54 |
| " " h and 1 13 Kensington ave with lot to Webster place | 32 70 |
| Jones Emma A 15 1 to 186 LaGrande avenue | 32 70 |
| " " 1 lot La Grande avenue on left W of Berckman street | 4 36 |
| Jones Emma A 1 lot La Grande avenue on left E of Berckman street | 4 36 |
| Jones Emma A 8 2 to 22 Carleton avenue | 17 44 |
| " " 5 lots 1 to 15 " " | 10 90 |
| " " 5 lots 85 to 102 Richmond st | 10 90 |
| " " 2 lots 87 and 91 " " | 4 36 |
| " " 4 lots 9 to 15 Putnam street | 13 08 |
| " " 3 lots 23 to 27 " | 32 70 |
| Jimerson Aaron L h and 7 acres 189 to 207 Leland avenue | 32 70 |
| Jacot Mr 4 1 55 ft each W 5th st 257 to 259 | 1 09 |
| Jennings Frank 2 1 8 and 10 Lee place | 4 36 |
| Kellar Susie E h and 1 97 E Front street | 27 25 |
| Ketcham Chas E h and 1 34 Kensington ave | 43 60 |
| Kane John h and 1 86 W 3d street | 13 08 |
| Kilpatrick, Matthew h and 1 79 w 6th st | 9 81 |
| Leiler, Harriet h and 1 255 La Grande ave bal | 5 10 |
| Leonard, Wm J h and 1 103 and 105 w Front st | 47 96 |
| Leonard, Wm J ½ interest in farm 136 to 17 0 Plainfield ave | 35 97 |
| Lee, Thomas h and 2 1 95 and 97 s 2d st bal | 8 26 |
| Lee, Mary M S 1 Pemberton, Field, Elizabeth and Central aves | 13 08 |
| Lewis, Israel s and 1 10 Park ave | 27 25 |
| Mulford, Eliza h and 1 44 s 4th st | 32 70 |
| Mahin, Alanson h and 2 1 13 and 15 e 6th st | 54 50 |
| Martine, James E h and 1 2 e 9th st | 21 80 |
| Martine, Anna M h and 1 6 e 9th st | 59 86 |
| Martine, estate of D h b and f land 116 a 146 to 160 Broadway | 381 50 |
| Miller, Caroline A h and 1 181 Park ave | 76 30 |
| Martin, Mrs David 1 2 George st | 1 09 |
| Miller, Wm H h and 1 34 w 2d st | 49 05 |
| Motley, Patrick h and 1 79 w 2d st | 4 36 |
| McNamara, Patrick h and 1 29 s 2d st | 6 54 |
| McDonough, Peter h and 1 153 w 3d st | 15 26 |
| Manning, Wm H h and 1 79 w 4th st | 8 72 |
| Marsh, Lucy A h and 1 15 w 6th st | 25 98 |
| Moe, Experience h and 1 25 and 27 w 5th street | 39 24 |
| McLaughlin, 9 lots 25 ft ea 321 to 329 W 5th street | 2 18 |
| Meyer Segmund T. Lot 200 ft front W 6th street 340 to 348 | 4 36 |
| McCarthy Chas. 2 h & 1 21 and 23 Plainfield ave | 19 62 |
| Marsh Randolph, h & 1 44 Plainfield ave | 19 62 |
| Murphy, Elizabeth and Mary h and 2 1 5 and 7 Stebbins place | 21 80 |
| Madden, Willis.m h and 1 671 w Front one half owner | 4 36 |
| Noel, C J 2 1 1 and 2 Prescott place | 6 54 |
| O'Neil, Jas and Richard triangle 1 172 s 2d st | 15 26 |
| O'Neil, Jas and Richard h and 1 174 s 2d st | 17 44 |
| O'Neil, Jas and Richard h and 1 176 s 2d st | 17 44 |
| O'Neil, Jas one-half s and 1 178 s 2d st | 13 08 |
| O'Neil, Richard one-half s and 1 178 s 2d st | 13 08 |
| O'Keefe, John h and 1 81 w 5th st | 13 08 |
| O'Riley Bros., 11 1 199 to 209 w 7th st | 23 98 |
| Ohl, Caroline J 6 1 and 32 s Pemberton ave, etc | 45 78 |
| Pike, estate of Josephine W ½ interest h and 1 129 to 136 E Front st | 58 14 |
| Pike, Virginia ½ interest h and 1 122 to 126 E Front st | 29 07 |
| Perrine, James E h and 1 5 La Grande ave | 76 30 |
| Pringle, Mr 1 Hillside ave n Randolph road | 2 18 |
| Pound, Daniel S h and 1 278 to 280 W Front street | 5 26 |
| Reed, David or Hattie Colburn 2 1 215 to 217 e 2d st | 8 72 |
| Reed, G B 1 219 e 2d st | 4 36 |
| Richardson, Maggie h and 1 83 E 6th st | 32 70 |
| Randolph, Nathan R 25 s f 1 h etc., 225 to 241 park ave | 29 34 |
| Roll, Chancellor h and 1 9 and 11 Peare street | 32 70 |
| Rogers, Marietta h and 1 59 Madison av bal | 28 70 |
| Snyder, Martha 2 e 21 and 23 e front st bal | 62 97 |
| Schorb, Elizabeth 3 story b h e Front st bal | 109 77 |
| Smalley, Morgan R 1 Hillside ave | 9 82 |
| Smalley, Morgan R 5¼ a f 1 Randolph road | 11 45 |
| Smalley, Samuel T a f 1 Randolph road | 15 26 |
| Smalley, Wm H 4 a f 1 Randolph road | 15 26 |
| Smalley, Mary H h and 1 242 to 274 Woodland ave | 21 80 |
| Spencer, Mr 1 500 ft by 175 Ravine road | 5 45 |
| Smith, Henry W 1 Raymond ave | 1 09 |
| Sauerman, Mary A 1 e of Belvidere ave | 1 64 |
| Smith, Ferdinand O h and 1 196 w Front street | 26 16 |
| Stephen, estate of John G b and 1 25 and 27 w 2d st | 43 60 |
| Scott, Nell 1 15 Essex street | 2 18 |
| Scribner, Mr 1 321 to 323 s 2d st | 6 54 |
| Smalley, Morgan R 1 16 Rose st | 1 31 |
| Sauerman, Mary A h e of Belvidere ave | 3 05 |
| Smalley, Samuel 1 220 Arling on ave | 2 18 |
| Smalley, Samuel 1 213 Arlington ave | 2 18 |
| Salzman, Mrs Elise h & 1 129 Central a | 117 72 |
| Smith, James F h and 1 14 Elmwood pl | 19 24 |
| Stewart, David F h and 1 7 John st | 8 72 |
| Thompson, est of Daniel— | |
| 3 1 216 to 220 e Front st | 17 44 |
| 8 1 38 to 52 Jackson ave | 17 44 |
| 6 1 54 to 64 Jackson ave | 13 08 |
| 3 1 66 to 70 Jackson ave | 6 54 |
| 1 247 to 249 North ave | 5 45 |
| 1 2 to 12 New Front st | 13 08 |
| Terry, Geo W 2 1 67 to 69 Netherwood av | 6 54 |
| Tingley, Mrs G A h 1 and 33 w 8th st | 43 60 |
| Tingley Mrs G A 1 137 Madison ave | 6 54 |
| Taylor, H 1 345 w 5th st, 75 ft front | 55 |
| Topping, W A h and 2 1 112 and 114 w 6th st | 54 50 |
| Trustees Mount Olive church, h and 1 32 Liberty st | 16 35 |
| Ulrich, est of Henry h and 1 64 to 66 w 6th st | 21 80 |
| Unknown Owners— | |
| 4 1 305 to 311 e Front st | 10 90 |
| 2 1 184 to 186 e 2nd st | 10 90 |
| 3 1 240, 241 and 253 e 2nd st | 6 54 |
| 1 55 Midway ave | 2 18 |
| 3 1 32 to 38 Webster place | 6 54 |
| 1 39 to 47 Highland ave | 13 08 |
| 1 7 Johnston ave | 2 18 |
| 1 12 Johnston ave | 2 18 |
| 4 1 18, 20, 22, 24 Johnston ave | 8 72 |
| 1 7 Jackson ave | 2 18 |
| 1 23 " | 2 18 |
| 1 18 " | 2 18 |
| 1 3 George st | 55 |
| 2 1 17 to 19 George st | 1 10 |
| Land out North ave, right from Bill ave to Johnston | 26 16 |
| 1 27 to 29 Rose st | 2 18 |
| 1 35 to 37 Rose st | 2 18 |
| 1 197 Arlington ave | 2 18 |
| 1 201 Arlington ave | 2 18 |
| Vail, Catharine S h and 1 73 e 2d st | 32 70 |
| Vansinderin, Clara h and 1 38 e 4th st | 21 80 |
| Vermeule, Sarah A h and 1 5 and 7 Pesce st | 21 80 |
| Vail, Hulda M— | |
| 1 21 Elm place | 1 09 |
| h and 1 74 to 78 Dunellen ave | 17 44 |
| 1 80 to 84 Dunellen ave | 4 36 |
| Van Winkle, Jeremiah h and 1 3 Central ave | 15 26 |
| Wiley, Evanslin h, b and 12 a 349 to 375 e Front st to Terrell road | 76 30 |
| Weber, Anna C h and s 62 e 3d st | 26 16 |
| Woodruff, James M 1 e of Belvidere av | 2 18 |
| Whitehead, est of Frasee 2 h (1 is rear) and 1 120 w Front st | 32 70 |
| Wyckoff, est of Jane h and 1 61 w 3d st | 3 82 |
| Wells, Wm H 1 430 ft front 335 to 369 w 6th st | 9 27 |
| Wierenga, John h and 2 a Randolph rd | 6 54 |
| Watson, James E 1 100 ft front 228 Central ave | 4 36 |
| Young, est of Emma H h and 1 Elm pl | 26 16 |
| O'Rourke, John 1 7 Essex st | 2 18 |

Witness my hand this 16th day of September A. D., 1890.

VINCENT W. NASH,
Special Policemanand Collector of Delinquent taxes

ELECTION.

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held in the several wards and districts of the city of Plainfield, N. J., on Tuesday, September 30, 1890, to vote for or against the proposed amendments to the Constitution of this State, as agreed upon at the last session of the Legislature of this State.

The Polling places will be as follows:

First Ward. At Hoagland's Express Office, North avenue, opposite the depot.

Second Ward. At Crescent Rink, corner of Fourth and Peace streets.

Third Ward. At John J. Sharp's carriage factory, West Sixth street, near Park avenue.

Fourth Ward—First District. At Alert Hose company's house, Madison avenue near Front street.

Second District. At the store room of John T. Fritz, corner of South Second street and Muhlenberg Place.

Polls open at 6 o'clock a. m. and close at 7 p. m.

JOSEPH B. COWARD,
City Clerk.

Plainfield, N. J., September 17, 1890.


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| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| 2d trip | 8.15 A. M. to meet | 8.59 A. M. train |
| 3d do | 9.15 | do 9.59 do |
| 4th do | 10.00 | do 10.37 do |
| 5th do | 11.00 | do 11.36 do |
| 6th do | 11.45 | do 12.08 P.M. do |
| 7th do | 1.45 P.M. | do 2.15 & 2.59 P.M. do |
| 8th do | 2.45 | do To the Post Office. |
| 9th do | 3.30 | do meet 3.51 P.M. train. |
| 10th do | 5.00 | do do 5.39 do |
| 11th do | 5.45 | do do 6.07 do |
| 12th do | 6.45 | do do 7.03 do |

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## WASHINGTON TOPICS

### The Tariff Conference Committee Ready to Report.

### ONLY ONE QUESTION LEFT OPEN.

### Deciding Upon the Date When the Bill Shall Go Into Effect.

**Newspaper Publishers Arrested for Printing Lottery Advertisements—Judge Tyner Preparing Instructions to Postmasters—Adjournment Talk—Mr. Venable Declines to Run Again.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 26.—The Republican conferees on the Tariff bill adjourned last night without completing their work. It is stated now that only binding twine is in doubt. The sugar schedule is fixed, and the rates agreed upon, it is understood, are free sugar up to No. 16 Dutch standard, a duty of five-tenths cent a pound on all above that grade; a bounty of two cents a pound on sugar above 90 polariscope test, and a bounty of 1½ cents on sugar between 80 and 90. The conference report may be presented to the House this afternoon.

There will be a meeting of the full committee to formally pass upon the the report before its presentation to the House. The only question yet left open to be decided is the date upon which the bill shall go into effect.

The period intervening between the approval of the bill and its enforcement will be brief, and it is thought will certainly not exceed two weeks.

### PUBLISHERS IN TROUBLE.

**The Proprietors of Three Papers Arrested for Printing Lottery Advertisements.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 26.—Chief Postoffice Inspector Rathbone has received telegraphic notice of the arrest of the proprietors of the Montgomery, Ala., Advertiser, and of the Age-Herald, and Evening News, at Birmingham, Ala., for violation of the lottery law in publishing and mailing lottery advertisements.

**The New Anti-Lottery Law.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 26.—Judge Tyner, the Assistant Attorney-General for the postoffice is engaged in preparing instructions to postmasters in regard to the enforcement of the new Anti-Lottery law. A number of questions have arisen in regard to the construction of this law; especially as to the right to mail back numbers of newspapers containing lottery advertisements, printed prior to the passage of the law; also whether a Canadian newspaper containing lottery advertisements can be delivered in this country through the mails. Judge Tyner will answer both of these conundrums in the negative and will solve a number of other questions relating to the new law which have been brought to his attention.

**International Railway Commission.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 26.—The first subject of conference between the President and Secretary Blaine upon the return of the latter to Washington this week will be the nomination of three gentlemen to represent the United States upon the International Railway Commission, which is to meet in Washington early in October for the purpose of initiating a survey for a trunk line of railroad to connect the systems of North and South America.

**Adjournment Talk.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 26.—The talk now is for adjournment, as the outlook at present is that the tariff conference report will be adopted to-day or to-morrow. A number of members think adjournment will take place some day next week, but there are more who think that a Sunday should intervene between the introduction of the resolution for and final adjournment. At any rate it is certain that Congress will not adjourn before October 6.

**Mr. Blaine Returning to Washington.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 26.—Secretary Wharton has received a dispatch from Mr. Blaine saying that he would leave Bar Harbor to-day for Washington. The report of Minister Mizner on the killing of General Barrundia will then be sent to the House of Representatives in response to the resolution of that body.

**Declines to Run Again.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 26.—A special dispatch from Petersburg, Va., says the Democratic convention of the Fourth Congressional district nominated James F. Epper of Nottoway county for Congress. Ex-Representative Venable, who was unseated by the House on Tuesday, absolutely declined to run again.

**Consul New's Newspaper.**

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Sept. 26.—The rumor that Consul-General New returned from London for the purpose of selling his newspaper to United States Treasurer Huston caused a reporter to ask him if it is true that he is likely to make such a deal. "No, sir, it is not true," he replied emphatically. "Mr. Huston has not money enough in the United States Treasury to buy the Journal. It is not for sale, and if it was Mr. Huston could not buy it."

**Fled to Escape Punishment.**

RONDOUT, N. Y., Sept. 26.—Chief Engineer John R. Derrenbacher, who confessed to the defalcation of $4,000 as treasurer of the Kingston City Firemen's Association a few days ago, is said to have fled to escape punishment. A warrant for his arrest, charging him with grand larceny, has been issued. Actions to recover the amount embezzled will be brought against his bondsmen, all of whom are responsible men.

## PUT POISON IN HER TEA.

**Startling Story in Which a Girl's Mental Weakness Figures.**

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Sept. 26.—Miss Nellie Fish, a sixteen-year-old Cheshire girl, is in jail in this city charged with a serious crime. She made three deliberate attempts to poison her mother by putting Rough on Rats in her tea.

The case unfolds a startling story in which the girl's mental weakness figures as much as any deliberate intent of wrong-doing. Mrs. Fish is the girl's foster mother, having adopted her when but four years of age. The girl has always been wayward and hard to keep in bounds, and has several times run away from home.

Last week she put the poison in her mother's tea. The first time it made her sick, and the second time she was taken with a severe fit of vomiting. The last time she put the poison in the tea her mother became suspicious, and had the doctor examine the food she had eaten. The examination resulted in the finding of a quantity of the poison in a half-filled cup of tea.

Suspicion pointed to the girl, and when accused she admitted that she had done it just for fun. She was arrested and locked up, and taken before a justice of the peace in Cheshire, who bound her over to the Superior Court.

About a month ago a girl named Sarah Ellis, a niece of Mrs. Fish, who resided with them, and who was appointed Postmistress of West Cheshire a short time ago, died after a brief sickness. It is now generally supposed that the girl died from the effects of poison administered by the Fish girl. Her body will be exhumed and an examination of the remains made. Her reason for administering the poison is that her mother would not let her out when she liked.

## A PITTSBURG FAILURE.

**The Iron City Bridge Company's Embarrassment Announced.**

PITTSBURG, Sept. 26.—It has just been announced that Charles J. Schultze & Sons, doing business under the name of the Iron City Bridge Company, have failed. As yet no schedules of liabilities and assets have been prepared, but it is understood that Oliver Brothers hold judgments against the concern aggregating $110,000.

The Iron City Bridge Company was one of the oldest concerns in the city, and was always believed to hold a strong financial position. This is the first failure of any consequence in this city for a long time.

Financial circles here are uneasy over the failure.

**Ray Hamilton's Will.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 26.—The will of Robert Ray Hamilton will not be filed to-day, as was announced. Edward R. Vollmer, of 229 Broadway, who has charge of Mr. Hamilton's estate, told a reporter that the testament would not be offered for probate until the arrival from Europe of Edmund L. Baylies, one of the executors, who left Liverpool yesterday for home.

**Hon. John Jay Injured.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 26.—Hon. John Jay, ex-United States Minister to Austria, was knocked down by a cab and seriously injured. Mr. Jay was taken to St. Luke's Hospital, where everything possible is being done to make him comfortable. He is bright and cheerful and suffers comparatively little. Mr. Jay is 73 years of age.

**Snow in the Adirondacks.**

AMPERSAND, SARANAC LAKE, N. Y., Sept. 26.—The thermometer at the Signal Service Station registered 28 degrees at 9 a. m. The first ice of the season was seen at Mount Marcy, and the McIntyre, Whiteface and all the high peaks of the Adirondacks were covered with snow.

**Congressional Nomination.**

RIDGEWAY, Pa., Sept. 26.—The Democrats of the Twenty-eighth Congress District to-day nominated George F. Krebbs to succeed James Kerr, the present representative in Congress, who is also chairman of the Democratic State Committee.

**The North Pacific Exposition.**

PORTLAND, Ore., Sept. 26.—The North Pacific Industrial Exposition opened in this city last night. It will continue one month. The display from the Northwest, including, as it does, agricultural, horticultural and mineral exhibits, is very attractive.

**Death of Dr. Coover.**

HARRISBURG, Pa., Sept. 26.—Dr. Joseph H. Coover, one of the leading physicians of this city, died suddenly of heart failure. He leaves a wife, son and daughter. Dr. Coover was born June 15, 1838, in Mechanicsburg, Cumberland County, Pa.

**Prohibitionist Nominations.**

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Sept. 26.—The Prohibitionists of the Thirtieth District nominated John J. Cornel for Congress. A full county ticket was also placed in the field.

## SEALING HIS FATE

### The Evidence Against Birchall Very Damaging.

### EXCITING SCENES IN COURT.

### The Crown's Counsellor Will Close His Side of the Case To-night.

**The Prisoner Tracked to the Swamp—A Young Lady Acquaintance Gives Interesting Testimony—Line of Defense to be Pursued by Birchall's Lawyers—Piekthall May Take the Stand.**

WOODSTOCK Ont., Sept. 26.—As the Birchall trial proceeds, the interest increases and the throng thickens. The great square in front of the court house had the same crowded appearance that it bore yesterday; while, if anything, the courtroom was even more fully packed, the ladies again forming fully half the spectators. Every seat was occupied, and many stood along the sides of the room. Rapt interest was depicted on every face save that of the prisoner, which alone in all the throng expressed no emotion.

Crown Counsellor Osler said only three Crown witnesses were to be called this afternoon, that their evidence would be brief and be in before adjournment.

The circle of evidence is nearly rounded out. The evidence has traced Birchall from Buffalo to the swamp and back to Eastwood station. Within that circle there is overwhelming circumstantial evidence.

**A Sensational Witness.**

John Crosby swore to meeting two Englishmen on the Governor's road between 11 and 12 o'clock, February 17. He described their dress, which was like that Birchall and Benwell wore that day. Identified the prisoner in the box as one of the men and swore he saw the other dead in Princeton cemetery when Benwell's body was exhumed. The most searching cross-examination failed to disconcert the witness, although there was a sensational interruption. Crosby grew deadly pale, tottered and fell into the supporting arms of those about him. He soon recovered. Through it all Birchall's face was immovable as that of a graven image.

**The Prisoner Turns White.**

Miss Alice Smith, who was considered the Crown's most important witness, testified that she knew the prisoner by his coming to her grandfather's at Eastwood on several occasions, and had spoken to him several times. She had seen him at Eastwood Station on February 17, and he said he was going to Hamilton for baggage. Had asked him if his name was Dudley or Somerset, to which he replied, "Don't you know me?" She recognized the prisoner as the man, which caused great excitement, the prisoner first flushing crimson and then turning white.

Mr. Blackstock—Did you know Dudley; he was a particular friend of yours!

Miss Smith—I know him, but he was not a particular friend of mine.

"Were you ever in your grandfather's kitchen alone with Dudley?"

The witnesses eyes filled as she replied, "No; he never was alone with me."

Several ladies cried in sympathy with the witness and the judge stopped any further questions on that point.

**The Line of Defence.**

In conversation this morning one of Birchall's counsel indicated to a certain extent the line of defence that will be adopted. They will not combat the fact of the deception of Benwell, and most likely will not dispute the fact that Birchall and Benwell set out together on the morning of February 17 to see the mythical farm near Woodstock. It is expected, however, that they will endeavor to show by witnesses that Benwell was not killed on that day and that he was seen alive on the following day. To this end they will lay stress on the disagreement of medical and other testimony as to the time the body had been lying in the swamp when found. But the most interesting factor in the defence promises to be one Neville H. Piekthall. He is a curious young man. He comes of a good English family, and is well educated. He came to this country as one of the "farm pupils" four years ago. His father died in the meantime in England and left him some money. With this he bought a farm of 200 acres some two miles from Woodstock. He married a daughter of a clergyman in a nearby village and was living on his farm when Birchall, masquerading as Lord Somerset, arrived here a year ago last spring. He and Birchall became close friends. The story that they quarrelled the defence will try to disprove from Birchall's diary.

**Joined His Wife in Death.**

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 26.—John New, 35 years, of No. 2821 Germantown avenue, committed suicide by shooting himself as he stood over the body of his dead wife.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—U. S. Gov't Report, Aug. 17, 1889.

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ABSOLUTELY PURE

## BASEBALL GAMES

**National League.**

AT PITTSBURG.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Pittsburg | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | —3 |
| Boston | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | —4 |

Batteries—Smith and Williams; Nichols and Bennett.

AT CLEVELAND.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Cleveland | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0—3 |
| New York | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 1—4 |

Batteries—Young and Zimmer; Sharrott and Clarke.

AT CINCINNATI.

Brooklyn and Cincinnati game postponed on account of rain.

AT CHICAGO.

Chicago and Philadelphia game postponed on account of rain.

**Players' League.**

AT PITTSBURG.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Pittsburg | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | —6 |
| Brooklyn | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | —4 |

Batteries—Staley and Fields; Weyhing and Kinslow.

AT BUFFALO.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Buffalo | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | —6 |
| New York | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | x | —10 |

Batteries—Cunningham and Clark; Crane and Brown.

AT CLEVELAND.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Cleveland | 1 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | —10 |
| Boston | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —4 |

Called on account of darkness.

Batteries—Dewald and Sutcliffe; Gumbert and Kelly.

AT CHICAGO.

Chicago and Philadelphia game postponed on account of rain.

**American Association.**

AT TOLEDO.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Toledo | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 0 | —7 |
| Baltimore | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —4 |

Batteries—Healey and Sage; German and Townsend.

POSTPONED.

Games postponed on account of rain: Louisville vs. Rochester; St. Louis vs. Athletics; Columbus vs. Syracuse.

**Atlantic Association.**

AT LEBANON.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Lebanon | 2 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 1 | —11 |
| Newark | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | —5 |

Batteries—Smith and McCaffrey; Fitzgerald and Murphy.

AT HARRISBURG.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Harrisburg | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | | —3 |
| New Haven | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | | —2 |

Game called to allow New Haven catch a train.

Batteries—Horner and Cahill; Cox and Jennings.

**Attendance at League Games.**

| | Players | League |
|---|---|---|
| Pittsburg | 728 | 200 |
| Cleveland | 575 | 367 |
| Buffalo | 713 | ..... |
| Totals | 2,016 | 567 |

**Standing of the Clubs.**

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

| | Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'ct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Brookl'n | 81 | 43 | .653 | Cincin'ti | 73 | 53 | .579 |
| Chicago | 78 | 52 | .600 | N. York | 62 | 64 | .48 |
| Philadel | 75 | 50 | .600 | Clevl'nd | 42 | 84 | .333 |
| Boston | 75 | 52 | .591 | Pittsb'rg | 22 | 110 | .167 |

PLAYERS' LEAGUE.

| | Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'ct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Boston | 78 | 45 | .639 | Philadel | 66 | 58 | .532 |
| Brookl'n | 74 | 53 | .583 | Pittsb'rg | 55 | 66 | .455 |
| N. York | 71 | 53 | .573 | Clev'l'nd | 51 | 73 | .411 |
| Chicago | 70 | 61 | .534 | Buffalo | 34 | 91 | .272 |

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

| | Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'c |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Loui'v'le | 78 | 40 | .661 | Roch'st'r | 57 | 56 | .504 |
| St. Louis | 71 | 49 | .592 | Athletic | 55 | 62 | .470 |
| Col'mb'a | 67 | 54 | .554 | Syracuse | 45 | 68 | .398 |
| Toledo | 61 | 55 | .526 | Baltim'e | 35 | 85 | .292 |

ATLANTIC ASSOCIATION.

| | Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'ct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| N. Hav'n | 80 | 33 | .708 | Harrisb'g | 49 | 69 | .415 |
| Lebanon | 59 | 49 | .542 | Wilm't'n | 33 | 62 | .300 |
| Newark | 57 | 61 | .487 | | | | |

**Schedule of To-Day's Games.**

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Cleveland vs. New York, at Cleveland.
Cincinnati vs. Brooklyn, at Cincinnati.
Pittsburg vs. Boston, at Pittsburg.
Chicago vs. Philadelphia, at Chicago.

PLAYERS' LEAGUE.

Buffalo vs. New York, at Buffalo.
Pittsburg vs. Brooklyn, at Pittsburg.
Cleveland vs. Boston, at Cleveland.
Chicago vs. Philadelphia, at Chicago.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

St. Louis vs. Athletics, at St. Louis.
Toledo vs. Baltimore, at Toledo.
Columbus vs. Syracuse, at Columbus.
Louisville vs. Rochester, at Louisville.

ATLANTIC ASSOCIATION.

No games scheduled.

**Sold His Wife for $100.**

PITTSBURG, Sept. 26.—Mrs. Mary Jones, aged 40, eloped with Andrew Pranck, aged 21. The pair were arrested before they left Connellsville on a warrant secured by the woman's husband. She offered her husband $100 if he would let her go. He agreed and gave her a release, saying he wanted no divorce, and the other fellow might have her. The elopers then set out again, all parties being apparently satisfied.

**Why the Giants Lost the Pennant.**

BUFFALO, Sept. 26.—In an interview here "Buck" Ewing, of the New York "Giants," attributed the loss of the pennant by his club to his pitchers. Keefe's injury, he said, had made a vast difference. When the championship season is over the New Yorks and Bostons will make an exhibition tour of the New England States.

**Shot While Hunting.**

WALTHAM, Mass., Sept. 26.—Walter Tracy and Warren Blaisdell, aged 16, started out on a squirrel hunt yesterday. In passing his gun over a wall, Blaisdell somehow discharged it and received the full charge in left side of his head. Tracy was badly burned by the powder. They were taken to the Hospital, where Blaisdell died within two hours.

**Seven Years for Whitney.**

BUFFALO, Sept. 26.—In the United States Court Geo. P. Whitney of Albany pleaded guilty to the charge of falsifying entries in the books of the Albany City National Bank, and acknowledged misappropriating about $17,000. Judge Coxe sentenced him to seven years in the Albany Penitentiary.

## THE TIPPERARY RIOT

### Exciting Scenes at the Irish Nationalist Trials.

### THE POLICE USE THEIR BATONS.

### The Clubbing of the Crowd Pronounced an Outrage.

**John Morley Saved from a Constable's Blow—Timothy Harrington Enters the Court Room Bleeding—The Prisoners Object to Magistrate Shannon, but Are Overruled.**

DUBLIN, Sept. 26.—The excitement of a week ago, when the arrests of Messrs. Dillon and O'Brien were so suddenly made, has its counterpart in Nationalist circles to-day. The dispatches from Tipperary describing the clubbing of the crowd before the court house by the police created a profound sensation at the National League headquarters. The action of the police was denounced as a gross outrage.

The fact that John Morley is present at the trial is considered a subject for much congratulation. It is thought that the trial will afford him more insight into the true inwardness of the Irish problem, which he came to Ireland to study for himself, than weeks of ordinary travel and investigation. He will be able to tell the English Liberals with more force than ever what the Irish people have to put up with at the hands of the police after his own rough experience at Tipperary.

The Nationalists are confident that whatever the outcome of the trial may be the brutal police episode and the evident reluctance of the court to open the doors to the public will not increase the popularity of Mr. Balfour's rule.

### THE POLICE OUTRAGE.

**John Morley Roughly Jostled by a Brutal Constable.**

TIPPERARY, Sept. 26.—When the Nationalist prisoners, Messrs. Dillon and O'Brien, and a number of friends arrived here from Dublin they started for the court house in a body.

They had not gone far when they stopped at a street corner and entered into a conversation. While they were standing, in no way disturbing the peace there, they were ordered by the police to move on. John O'Connor, member of Parliament for South Tipperary, took very vigorous exception to this order, and showed his contempt for the police by calling upon the crowd—which by that time had become large—to give three cheers for John Morley.

The cheers were given with hearty good will, much to the exasperation of the police, who thereupon charged upon the group and attempted to force it to move forward. In the melee that followed the police did not hesitate to use their batons. One burly constable aimed a blow at John Morley himself, but John O'Connor, who stood near, warded it off. The Nationalists then continued their way slowly toward the court house. As this was the day fixed for the trial of the arrested Nationalists the streets of Tipperary were full to overflowing with people interested in the case. Nationalists had thronged to the town from all adjacent parts, many of them carrying the national weapon—the shillelah—and proposed to use it if provocation would arise.

The court house door was closed against the crowd and only the prisoners and their counsel allowed to enter. The crowd did not take kindly to this treatment, but pressed forward trying to force a way into the court house. The police stontly resisted, charging repeatedly upon the crowd and using their clubs freely on whoever happened to be within reach. Many of their blows took effect, but the crowd did not yield instantly.

Among the wounded were Timothy Harrington, M. P., and he entered the court house covered with blows when Mr. O'Brien was addressing the judge about the bru ality of the police.

Then Mr. John Morley arose and addressed the court, manifesting great agitation both in tones and manner. He earnestly appealed to the court to protect the populace against the wanton use of the club by the police.

Mr. Dillon, in speaking of the subject, called the police cowards several times, and Mr. John O'Connor was also loud in denouncing their conduct.

The court room doors were finally opened and the crowd rushed in. O'Brien and Dillon protested against being tried before Magistrate Shannon on the ground that he had tried them before on similar charges and that his sitting in the present case was an insult. The objections were not admitted and the trial is now proceeding.

Mr. Ronan, counsel for the Crown, asked permission of the court to make some slight alterations in the charges against the prisoners. The latter protested vigorously, but the court permitted counsel to make the desired changes.

**Obtaining Money Under False Pretences.**

BOSTON, Sept. 26.—L. S. Drew, the Tremont Row dry goods dealer, against whom a complaint of obtaining goods under false pretences is preferred by several Boston creditors, had his bail reduced to $10,000 in the Municipal Court, and was bound over for the Supreme Court.

**Murderer Wayman's Case Appealed.**

GENESEO, N. Y., Sept. 26.—The case of Samuel B. Wayman, sentenced to be hanged October 9, for the murder of Emory Thayer five years ago, has been appealed.

**Stanley's Health Improving.**

GENEVA, Sept. 26.—Mr. Henry M. Stanley, who is staying at this place, is much feted by the people and is the lion of the hour. His health is steadily improving.

## HIS FAMILY'S DISGRACE.

**Shamed by the News of Disruption Victor Johnson Shoots Himself.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 26.—The suicide of young Victor Johnson early in the morning in Brooklyn reveals a sad bit of history. He lived with his grandfather, R. R. Wheeler. The latter had led young Johnson to believe that his father and mother were dead, but in rummaging some old trunks the boy found a letter from his father, now living at Fayetteville, N. C. The grandfather would not give him money to go to see his father.

He went to work, but not finding the money accumulating fast enough, used $300 belonging to his employers and found his father, who told him that his mother was living in East New York, discarded by him fifteen years ago for loose habits. He had disowned his daughter for the same reason. Victor was overcome by shame when he had told his grandfather, and baring his bosom, shot himself through the heart.

### THE PRISON CONGRESS.

**A Week's Convention Begins in Cincinnati To-Day.**

CINCINNATI, Sept. 26.—The National Prison Congress, an association of humanely-inclined persons and of persons whose duties are in connection with prisons and reformatory work, began its annual meeting in the Odeon, in this city, last night. The exercises were wholly preliminary.

Governor Campbell and Mayor Mosby delivered welcoming addresses, and ex-President Rutherford B. Hayes, who is president of the association, made a reply.

The real work of the Congress, which consists of reports of committees on assigned topics and of addresses and papers, commenced to-day and will continue until October 1. There are 150 delegates from all parts of the United States.

**Hunting for Murderers.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 26.—Inspector Byrnes refused to talk about the reported search for three Italians, who are alleged to have murdered a man in Hartsville, Pa., and to have fled with $18,000 in gold and bills which were stolen from him. It is believed the men are in this city.

**Their Trial Put Off.**

TROY, N. Y., Sept. 26.—Arthur Burtt, John Cain, and John Reed, the alleged train wreckers, were taken into court during the morning and the day of trial was postponed. They are back in jail, where they must remain until court convenes on December 15, unless they can furnish $20,000 bail.

**Congressional Deadlock.**

ITHACA, N. Y., Sept. 26.—The Republican Congressional convention of the 28th District resulted in a deadlock. The vote up to the 30th ballot stood 8 for Noyes of Seneca, 4 for Beach of Schuyler, and 4 for Titus of Ithaca. The contested delegation from Seneca was not admitted.

### NEWS OF THE DAY.

It is reported that Plunger Benson is studying for the stage.

Mutual concessions averted a strike on the Illinois Central.

Governor Hill spoke to 8,000 farmers at the Lockport, N. Y., fair.

A German-American prohibition league has been formed in Indianapolis.

The jury in the Abortionist McGonegal case in New York was completed to-day.

October 6 has been decided upon as the date for the conference of the Irish Nationalist party to be held in Dublin.

It is learned that the offices of the New York and Boston and Adams Express companies at Newport, R. I., will consolidate October 1.

A heavy frost all around Portland, Me., is reported. In neighboring towns the mercury went three degrees or four degrees below the freezing point.

Miss Sarah J. Henry, daughter of the late William Henry and sister of Major Thomas H. Henry of the Beaver, Pa., bar, committed suicide by shooting herself through the heart. She had been in ill health and feared that she would be placed in an asylum.

Little Gertrude Eisenberg, aged 10 years, who attempted to kill herself on Wednesday night at Newark, N. J., by taking a dose of arsenic, is reported by the hospital authorities to be in a fair way to recovery. She will not say why she took the poison, but it is thought she had been ill-treated by her mother.

**Weather Indications.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 26.—For New England: Fair; warmer; southerly winds, rain to-morrow.

For Eastern New York, Eastern Pennsylvania, New Jersey and Delaware: Rain; preceded by fair; warmer; southerly winds.

For Western New York and Western Pennsylvania: Rain; warmer; southerly winds.

### NEW YORK MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Sept. 25.—Money on call to-day and 3 per cent.

BONDS.

| | Closing Yesterday. | Closing To-day. |
|---|---|---|
| 4½s, 1891 Reg | 104¼ | 103¾ |
| 4½s, 1891 Coup | 105¾ | 105¾ |
| 4 s, 1907 Reg | 123¼ | 123¼ |
| 4 s, 1907 Coup | 120 | 119¾ |

STOCK MARKET.

| | Closing Yesterday. | Closing To-day. |
|---|---|---|
| Canadian Pacific | 78¾ | 77¼ |
| Central Pacific | — | — |
| Chicago, Bur. & Quincy | 97 | 97¼ |
| Delaware & Hudson | — | 157¼ |
| Del. Lack. & Western | — | 145¾ |
| Erie | 25 | 25 |
| Erie prof | — | — |
| Lake Shore | 107¾ | 107¾ |
| Louis. & Nash | 80¾ | 85¾ |
| Michigan Central | — | 94 |
| Missouri Pacific | 71 | 71¾ |
| New Jersey Central | 119 | 118¾ |
| Northwestern | 108¾ | 108¾ |
| Oregon Navigation | 97 | — |
| Pacific Mail | 44¾ | 44¾ |
| Reading | 41¾ | 41¾ |
| Rock Island | 82¼ | 82¾ |
| St. Paul | 85¾ | 86¾ |
| Union Pacific | 57¾ | 58¼ |

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## BY THE WAY.

—The Rev. G. K. Newell will lead the public meeting of the Hope Chapel Temperance Club this evening.

—The Somerset grand jury finished its labors yesterday, after finding 15 indictments in 50 cases before it.

—A wheelbarrow was used in delivering the mail this morning in place of the mail wagon that was wrecked yesterday morning at the corner of Park and North avenues.

—On Wednesday evening of next week Gazelle Engine Company, No. 1, will hold an important meeting in their parlors at eight o'clock sharp, to which a full attendance of the members are requested.

—Rogers Bros. have just bought a large stock of ladies' and gentlemen's shoes to sell at $3, but to make trade lively for Saturday, they will sell them for $2.50. Do not fail to buy a pair and save fifty cents.

—Several boys played ball on the street yesterday, and during their frolic a horse was struck, almost causing a runaway. The boys were arrested, and this morning Judge Codington fined them each one dollar.

—Proprietor Mosher of the "Crescent Parlor," 23 North avenue, has secured a large lot of Reina Victoria cigars at $45 a thousand which he is selling at five cents. There is a great rush for these ten-centers at five cents.

—Two boys were playing leap-frog on West Fifth street last evening. One of them kept calling for a higher "back," and finally got one so high that he fell to the pavement, rolled over to the gutter, and cut open his cheek on the edge of the curb.

—A portion of the hose connecting air-brake apparatus on a Philadelphia and Reading train became detached as the train was passing through Plainfield this morning, and a delay of several minutes was caused while repairs were being made.

—Dixon's Tourists present the never-dying "Uncle Tom's Cabin," this evening, at the Amphion Theatre. To-morrow afternoon special ladies' matinee will be given, when "East Lynne" will be repeated. Saturday evening by special request, "Ten Nights in a Bar-room."

—Complaint is made against the odor of the water used in sprinkling Front street the past few days. The sniffing of noses was especially noticeable yesterday afternoon, and pedestrians who frequently meet the sprinkling cart are beginning to be known as the handkerchief brigade.

—The Young Plainfields won another base ball game from the Harned Academy nine, yesterday, by the score of 17 to 12 The Young Plainfields say they played "all around" the Academys, and stole bases "very easy." The Academys are accused of having hired outside players to beat the Young Plainfields. The batteries were: A. Vail, E. Vargas and E. Brown, for the Academys; and G. Mattis and Simmons for the Young Plainfields. The umpire was J. Weringer.

—Dwelling houses constructed of barns are not uncommon, but it remains for North Plainfield to give to the world a barn transformed from a dwelling house. After vainly trying to sell the tenement on the rear of the lot on which he has just built a new store and dwelling, and to have it moved away, Joseph Blatz has concluded to turn it to account himself, and by several alterations has made a barn which will doubtless seem quite palatial to the live stock which will inhabit its stables.

## PARTICULAR MENTION.

J. A. Hill and family, of 33 Carlton avenue, will sail Tuesday for a coast trip South.

L. E. Howard, of East Ninth street, has returned from a business trip combined with a visit to friends, in Boston.

F. W. King, one of New York's prominent literary men, is stopping with his family at Force's hotel while a new home is being completed for them on Sandford avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Firman A. Long, of Somerset street, deny the statement of a Martinville correspondent that they were married by the "Rev. George Bowers." The Rev. Mr. Hagerty, of Mt. Horeb, was the officiating clergyman at their wedding.

### One of the Things to Expect When Such Men Are Elected to Office.

Councilmen Hetfield, Roberts and Gallup, composing the committee on fire and buildings, with the board of engineers consisting of Chief Doane and Assistants Waters and Martin, made a tour of the city this morning and located the fire alarm boxes at the following places:

Front street and Park avenue, Front street and Grove, Front street and Plainfield avenue, Spooner avenue and Seventh street, Liberty and Fifth streets, Central avenue and Seventh street, Crescent avenue and Broadway, Broadway and Webster place, LaGrande and Woodland avenues, Front and Richmond streets, Second and Washington streets, Park and North avenues.

—"Where are you going, my pretty maid?"
"I'm an ad for the newspaper, sir," she said;
"An ad, for the news?" I asked, amazed.
"Not if I know myself, sir!" she said.

## HYMENEAL.

### Hamilton—Young.

Yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the First Presbyterian church, Dunellen, W. J. Hamilton and Mrs. Mary Young were married by the Rev. D. W. Skellinger, of Albany, the former pastor of the church. Mr. Hamilton is the manager of the telegraphic department of the New Jersey Central Railroad in the New York office, and is the Superintendent of the Sunday school where Mrs. Young is a teacher. The bride was dressed in a handsome traveling suit of dark plum color. Mr. Smith, of Somerville, presided at the organ. Immediately after the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton were driven to the station, and amid a shower of rice started for the West. They expect to spend their honeymoon in California, and will be gone about six weeks.

### MARTIN—JOHNSON.

Colored society was out in full force and most correct style, last evening, at the wedding of Edward Alfred Martin and Miss Anna Johnson. The ceremony took place at the residence of Peter Gordon, 70 East Fourth street. The bride and groom were overwhelmed with compliments and congratulations, at the reception, and were showered with good wishes as they started off on their wedding trip. The Rev. Mr. Mitchell officiated.

### VANCLEVE—SCHENCK.

Wm. VanCleve, of Brooklyn, was married by the Rev. C. B. Mitchell, Wednesday afternoon, to Miss Josie Schenck, formerly of this city, at the home of the bride's parents in New Market.

### To-Morrow's Team Against The West Ends.

The Crescent nine to-morrow will be the same as last Saturday except that Schoneck will play first base in Wiegand's place, O'Rourke will go in the field instead of Lever, and Jones will catch. The batting order will be: Hatfield, right field; Martin, short stop: Lufbery, second base; Schoneck, first base; McIndoe, left field; O'Rourke, centre field; Jones catch; Lee, third base; Doran, pitch.

As to Somerville's nine, all sorts of reports are circulated to the effect that in addition to Gore, other members of the New York league team have been engaged including Sunday the great fielder, Hatfield, who is short-stop Ward's only equal, and Murphy and Hayes the phenomenal battery. Most of this is nonsense. Gore is retained at a cost of $60, and probably Gil Hatfield will take short-stop Reilly's place, but otherwise there is no need of any changes in the West End nine.

Of course the Crescents and their friends are still feeling bad at the unnecessary loss of last Saturday's game, but they point with pride to the fact that they are playing their season's team against a nine organized by the Somervillians within the last few weeks especially for the occasion. The only changes in Plainfield team have been the suspension of Wiegand for wretched ball playing, and the engaging of a change pitcher.

### A Stranger Extracts a Loan From a Kind-Hearted Plainfielder.

A middle-aged man button-holed a Plainfield citizen, recently, and would not release him till a "temporary loan" had been effected. The stranger claimed to be connected with B. McGuigan & Son, metal workers, of Jersey City, whose card he presented. He had been working, he said, on Mr. Hicking's new house near Dunellen, and some one had stolen his pocket-book, which was filled with money, and other valuables, from the pockets of his garments, which had been hanging in one of the unfinished apartments. As soon as he was given the money he asked for he vanished, and he hasn't been seen or heard of since.

### How a Dunellen Boy Made Money by Being Robbed.

A youngster in Dunellen has been breeding a fine flock of pigeons which he had planned to present to a friend, a sportsman, to be used as targets in the coming shooting tournament at the Middlesex Gun Club grounds. Last evening some one stole the entire flock, and for a time the sky of the generous-hearted fancier was dark. This morning, however, he arose bright and early, and by a bright bit of detective work discovered the robber in the person of a former playmate. Terms of restitution were made so satisfactory to the owner of the birds that now he has his pigeons again and a $5 gold piece to boot.

### Can't Even Print What is Stolen, Correctly.

*(From the Central Times of Wednesday.)*

Rev. C. L. Goodrich is intending to preach a doctrinal sermon next Sunday morning, on "Why I am a Congregationalist."

*(From the "news" of Thursday.)*

The subject chosen by the Rev. W. R. Richards for his sermon next Sunday is "Why I am a Congregationalist."

### An Evening Musicale.

A musicale was held at the residence of the Misses Flanagan on Liberty street, last evening, that was attended by a large number of invited guests. Singing and selections on the piano were the principal features of the evening's enjoyment Refreshments were served, and at an early hour this morning those present departed for their homes well pleased with the night's pleasures.

### A Course of Self Protection, Merely.

"The country at large," said Congressman Geissenhainer the other day, in conversation with a Republican of this city, "does not fully understand our position in regard to the Venable-Langston case, and no doubt there are many who blame us for absenting ourselves from the floor, and so preventing the counting of a quorum. The question is this: The district is a Republican one, and the regular Mahone-Republican candidate was Mr. Arnold. Mr. Langston (a negro) ran independently, making a bid for the negro vote. Owing to this split in the party, Mr. Venable, the Democratic candidate, was elected by a plurality of 641 votes over Langston.

"Mr. Langston bases his claim to the seat on irregularities committed in *two* wards in Petersburg, but it is conceded that even if the entire vote of the whole city was thrown out, Venable had a plurality of 487 votes. In face of these facts the Republicans have as a matter of party policy, in order to increase their strength in the House, decided to unseat Venable after a two years' occupancy, and seat Langston; and they have made this the order of business so that nothing can be done until this question is decided.

"Our position is clear. We cannot be a party to the crime of unseating one of our own party who was fairly elected. In other words we will not assist our enemies to injure us. Consequently we absent ourselves. It is all that we can do. The Republicans have a clear majority of 16, and we say that if they wish to commit any such steal, they must do it without our aid."

### Something Some of You Know Already.

If you have a telephone in your office or store, ring up "Central" and then go and wait on a customer. Pay no attention to the bell when "Central" rings back, but go to the telephone in about 15 minutes, ring up again, and make a kick if the operator is not there waiting for you.

Always speak in an undertone, in order to make "Central" ask you over what you said. If she does not hear you, tell her to "wake up," or "take the cotton out of her ears." She will then admire your originality, for she does not generally hear that advice more than 40 times a day.

Put your "plug" in before a storm, and be sure not to take it out again, but go around to the central office and offer to lick the whole telphone company for neglect of duty.

Take your time in answering your bell, or, what is better, do not answer it at all, but in about half an hour ring up and ask who called you, and get mad if "Central" has forgotten who it was. She has nothing else to do but remember.

Always ask "Central" to transfer the message for you. She likes to do this, as it helps to kill time for her.

Allow everybody who wants to, to use your telephone. Hang the receiver big end up, as in this way it gets full of dust, which makes another cause for complaint.

Bang on the transmitter with a lead pencil, as though you intended to knock it through the wall. This invariably makes it talk better. Refuse to pay toll messages, and if you are on a line with someone, always listen to their conversation, and be sure to want to use the line while they are doing so.

When you see the manager, tell him that if he cannot give you a better telephone or get that one fixed, you will throw the whole thing out of the window. When the inspector comes, deny that you have ever complained of the telephone and that it works like a charm.

Lastly, kick against everything, and cause as much trouble for the company as you can. They are delighted to have you do so, otherwise business would be monotonous.

Paste this on your telephone for future reference.

### The Best Show Plainfield Ever Saw.

A light house at Music Hall, last night, enjoyed the best minstrel show ever given in this city without excepting even Thatcher's. Cleveland's company includes most of the best people in the business, and the result is an opening and olio that are unsurpassed.

Percy Denton, the interlocutor, one of the best of middle men, with Dougherty, Schoolcraft, Emerson and Fagan on the ends, make a merry quintette of fresh and witty conversationalists. The vocalists, Benedetto, Shaw and Nankeville, are also good. Fagan's spectacular dance and drill, are even more luxurious and novel than anything he has created before. Fields and Hanson are the peers of all other instrumental comedians, while the Craggs are most marvelous.

### To the Victors Belong the Spoils.

The first of the Democratic employes in the postoffice to go, are carriers Joseph Shepherd and Peter Flynn. They were notified, Wednesday evening, that pursuant to orders from headquarters at Washington, they would be relieved from duty on Oct. 1. Postmaster Pope says he has no fault to find with them. They were appointed, however, under a Democratic administration. It is expected that Charles Stephens and Peter Weaver, who have been acting as substitutes, will take their places.

—The householders of Plainfield are constantly going into raptures over the choice wares displayed at Gavett's. Intending purchasers will be pleased to learn that a rich stock of new goods has just been received, including handsome jardinieres, cracker jars, fancy pottery, artistic lamps, fine glassware, and decorated china. The assortment is excellent, and the prices will suit all.

### Councilor-Elect Tallman.

At the regular meeting of Franklin Council, No. 41, Jr. O. U. A. M., held in their hall corner of Front street and Park avenue, last evening, after the usual routine business was transacted the following officers were elected for the ensuing quarter:

Junior Past Councilor—Gilbert S. Martin.
Councilor—Charles W. Tallman.
Vice Councilor—Louis M. Dunavan.
Asst Recording Secretary—David S. Dunavan.
Conductor—Elias R. Pope, Jr.
Warden—Charles W. Taynor.
Inside Sentinel—Harry C. Dennis.
Outside Sentinel—William B. Hardy.

### A Boroughite's First Poem.

A resident of the Borough, evidently a close observer of the happenings of waning Summer out-door life among his neighbors, immortalizes a recent incident of Washington Park life as follows:

Within a hammock snug they sat;
But how the two behaved
One could not tell, it was so dark,
Had it not been for the remark
"Oh, George, you must get shaved."

### Secured the Kingleader's Head.

LONDON, Sept. 26.—Serious disturbances are reported from Morocco. A provincial Kaid, a governor, abducted a girl. The tribe to which the girl belonged attacked the Kaid, killed him, all his women and some of his male relatives. The Sultan's troops marched against the tribe, killed some and captured others and sent the ringleader's head to the Sultan.

### Balfour Causes Another Arrest.

DUBLIN, Sept. 26.—Thomas J. Condin, member of Parliament for the eastern division of Tipperary, was arrested at noon at Limerick on a warrant sworn out at the time the warrants for the arrest of Messrs. Dillon and O'Brien were issued. Mr. Condin was conveyed at once to Tipperary.

**Rheumatism,**

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"One year ago I was taken ill with inflammatory rheumatism, being confined to my house six months. I came out of the sickness very much debilitated, with no appetite, and my system disordered in every way. I commenced using Ayer's Sarsaparilla and began to improve at once, gaining in strength and soon recovering my usual health. I cannot say too much in praise of this well-known medicine."—Mrs. L. A. Stark, Nashua, N. H.

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Caspar, Geo
Cumsiskey, Miss
Carvin, Annie R
Denton, Mrs S E
Elting, Miss Mai C
Elsong, Jr Mr
Ellis, Mrs O W
French, P J
Field, Miss M
Griffin, Miss E C
Green, Rosa
Gunning, Patrick
Headwood, Sarhor
Heinrichs, Mr
Johnston, W E
Krick, Henry
Kauanagh, John M
Latcha, Mrs S A
Larson, Sophia
Moran, Mary
Moore, Mrs Lillie E (2)
Martin, L J
Martin, Miss Minnie
Patterson, Arthur
Phillips, Mrs M A
Roberts, Mrs M
Riker, Laura
Randolph, Josephine
Smith, Murray H
Smith, Mrs E C
Wolfe, Miss E L
Woodruff, Joe
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### Arrival and Departure of Mails.

*NEW YORK MAILS.*
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*Close*—7:30 and 9:30 A. M., 1:45, 5:30 and 8 P. M.

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*Arrive*—8:40 A. M., 2:40, 6:30 P. M.
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## WANTS AND OFFERS.

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STOVE for sale; No. 12 Ridgefield Base Heater; cost $21.50; used four months, not a crack, with zinc mat, $5. Apply before Tuesday 33 Carlton avenue.

FOR SALE—Double Heater, in good order. 11 West 5th street. 9 26 3

FOR SALE—Two Top Buggies, (by French); 1 four-passenger canopy-top phaeton, $90 00, in good order; farm wagon, single and double harness, lawn mower, garden engine, &c. J. R. Parsons, New Market. 9 26 2

A NEW flat and store to let, corner Richmond and 2d streets. Apply to Peter Cassidy, No. 207 East Front street. 9 26 6

FOR SALE—A second hand piano, in good condition. Inquire 107 Park avenue. 9 22 tf

LADIES doing their own dressmaking or employing plain seamstress, can secure perfect fit and pattern for future use. Taylor system. Miss A. T. Buckley, 27 West 4th street. 9 22 tf

ROOMS, with or without board. 21 West 2d street. 9 16 2w

RYE WANTED—Highest market price paid. N. W. French, 7 E 4th street 9 11 tf

FOR SALE—A Restaurant, doing a good paying business. Reason for selling, illness of proprietress. Inquire at Boston Cafe, No. 7 Somerset street. 9 6 tf

STORAGE for furniture in separate rooms. Apply to C. Frank French, 69 somerset st. 9 2 tf

WANTED—Jobbing at painting, glazing kalsomining and roof painting. Address Isaac Kennedy, 49 Chatham street, North Plainfield. tf

WANTED—Work cleaning Vaults and Cesspools. Satisfaction guaranteed. City Odorless Excavating Works, 306 Broadway. Mrs. David Jones, Proprietor. No connection with JONES & Co. 6-11-tf

OUR MOTTO—LOWEST PRICES CONSISTENT WITH GOOD QUALITY AND HONEST QUANTITY

The choicest Creamery Butter that can be produced

Apollinaris Water; pints, $1.50, quarts, $2 dozen; Belfast Ginger Ale, $1.40 dozen.

Excelsior Sugar Cured Hams are the best—15c.

The finest Java and Mocha coffee in town, and the prices are right. Won't be undersold for same quality of goods. P. M. DEWAMESW.

25 PARK AVENUE.

9-6-1

CORPORATION NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the report of Edward C. Mulford, Jeremiah Manning and Joseph A. Hubbard, the commissioners appointed by the Common Council of the city of Plainfield to make an estimate and assessment of the damages that any owner of land and real estate, with the appurtenances necessary to be taken for the purpose, will sustain by the extending, laying out and opening of Orchard place from its present termination to New street in said city, was on the day of the date hereof filed in the office of the subscriber, the city clerk of the said city of Plainfield, and is open to the inspection of the public, and will be presented to the Common Council at its next regular meeting on the sixth day of October, 1890.

Dated September 17, 1890.

J. B. COWARD,
City Clerk of the city of Plainfield.
9 18 2w

**C. C. SHAYNE**

The Leading Manufacturing

FURRIER

Has opened a BRANCH STORE at

**124 W. 42d Street.**

Convenient to the N. Y., N. H. and H., N.Y. Central, New York and Harlem and the West Shore R. R. His Wholesale Store, **108 Prince St.,** will be found more convenient for those residing in New Jersey, Staten Island, or on any road touching New York by the down-town ferries.

**124 W. 42d St., or 108 Prince St., N. Y.**

ILLUSTRATED FASHION BOOK MAILED FREE.

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*PLAINFIELD, N. J.*

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One Week, commencing

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DIXON'S TOURISTS in a repertoire of favorite plays, as follows:

TO-NIGHT

"Uncle Tom's Cabin."

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Tickets for sale at Guttman's Segar Store.

PRICES—15c., 25c., and 35c. 9 16 tf

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8-11-tf

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Having purchased of Henry C. Drake the business known as the

AMERICAN STEAM LAUNDRY,

14 East Front St., I desire to inform the public that I will endeavor to serve them in the best possible manner, and respectfully solicit their patronage. Goods promptly called for and delivered, upon notice by postal.

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8-5-7

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Yards—Corner of Front St. & Grant Ave.

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The *BEST GRADES OF EVERYTHING* at the *MOST LIBERAL PRICES.* 9-6-1

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**"Just What I Wanted!"**

Then come to

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THE LARGEST VARIETY OF

CORSETS,

AND THE BEST MAKES!

**SEBRING'S,**

LARGE STOCK OF

**CHILDREN'S CLOTHING**

27 PARK AVENUE. 12-6-y

**NEW FALL CARPETINGS!**

JUST RECEIVED, including a few rolls of the 75c qualify Tapestry Brussels, offered at 65c.

A few rolls of the 90c Tapestry Brussels, offered at 80c.

A handsome new Body Brussels, offered at $1 00 and $1 10.

NOTE.—Any one wishing to purchase Carpets will do well to "snap up" these RARE BARGAINS. They will not last long, and cannot be duplicated.

NEW FALL DRESS GOODS—All-wool Serges, new colorings, 60c quality at 50c.

HANDSOME New All-Wool Serges, beautiful colorings, at 75c.

ELEGANT New Stripes, in all wool, at 59c., and new all-wool Plaids, at 79c. Something very desirable.

A splendid assortment of BLACK GOODS, plain and fancy effects. The prices are VERY LOW.

Everything new and fresh and cheap, at

**EDSALL'S,** No. 20 West Front St. **EDSALL'S.**

**NEW GOODS!**

JARDINIERE'S, CRACKER JARS,

FANCY POTTERY, ARTISTIC LAMPS,

FINE GLASSWARE, DECORATED CHINA

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**FURNITURE, BEDDING, UPHOLSTERY.**

Large Assortment!

New Goods!!

Low Prices!!!

—Manufacturing and Repairing a Specialty.—

GARRET Q. PACKER,

Nos. 23, 25, 27, and 29 PARK AVE. 1-1-tf

SEA FOOD!

Scale and Shell.

**ROGERS' MARKET,**

42 WEST SECOND STREET. 9-13-tf

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Baker, Confectioner and Iced Cream Manufacturer.

Iced Cream in Fancy Form, and Individual Bricks for Teas and Parties.

Plain and Fancy Cake, Charlotte Russe and Macaroons, fresh every day. MY *OWN MAKE.*

Try my Home Made Bread; it will please you; hot at 5 P. M.

If you desire FRESH and PURE CANDY, you can make *NO MISTAKE* in buying my goods.

I manufacture LARGELY, and *GUARANTEE THE QUALITY.*

26 WEST FRONT STREET. 11-18-tf

**First Annual Clearing Out Sale of WALL PAPER!**

The purpose of which is to dispose of our entire stock and renew it exclusively with the new patterns of the coming season. 20 Points worth considering:

FIRST—Our stock is very large, carefully selected, and all this season's goods.

SECOND—The first customers will have a larger stock to select from, and will get the choicest bargains.

THIRD—Prices will be the lowest ever offered—bargains being offered daily below cost. Sale closes September 1.

**A. D. VAN SCIVER, 47 NORTH AVE.,**

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N. B.—*ALL BRANCHES OF PAINTING A SPECIALTY.* 1-10-1

**COAL LUMBER**

And

**Builders Supplies**

**LOOMIS & RICE**

49 B'DWAY

## SUBURBAN NEWS.

### NEW MARKET.

The funeral services of Mrs. Asa Bush were held at her late residence yesterday morning at 9 o'clock in the presence of a large concourse of friends who held the deceased in high esteem. Her remains were taken to Jamesburg.

The district school has been refurnished with new Globe desks, a single seat for each scholar which not only adds to the comfort of the pupils but is conducive to better order.

Great and continued complaints are made as to mailing facilities here. Letters deposited in the New York office after 12 M., do not reach this place until the following day. The fact is the change of transit from the Central to the Lehigh has not been beneficial, the delays being annoying vexations and show a lamentable want of consideration to the community. The time *was* when this communication mailed to you in the morning would reach you in time for publication in THE PRESS on the same day, but deposited here at 8 A. M., I await your note to this to record the time of its receipt.

BROAD BRIM.

Sept. 25, 1890.

[The above was received in Plainfield at 2:30 P. M., of the day it was mailed.—ED.]

### DUNELLEN.

The Rev. W. C. Stinson, the new pastor of the First Presbyterian church, is very popular with his congregation. The new parsonage being completed he moved into it early this week. His sermons are eloquent and able, and all predict for him a brilliant future.

T. L. Thomas and family returned last evening from their Summer's sojourn at Ocean Grove where they have a cottage.

The anniversary of the Y. P. S. C. E., of the First Presbyterian church, will be held about the middle of October.

A juvenile fife and drum corps is being organized in town. A number of the instruments have already been purchased. Mr. Diaz, of Somerville, has been engaged as a teacher. The boys are very much in earnest and our streets will soon resound with martial music.

There are two roller toboggans in town now, and they are extensively patronized by the young people.

Charles Apgar has been appointed organist of the First Presbyterian church.

There is a marked improvement in the sidewalks in town, especially on the main streets. The Borough Commissioners have ordered the walks to be widened and improved on the New Market road, and with the exception of one or two Rip VanWinkles—who are found in every town, and who oppose any improvement—the people respond promptly to the efforts of the Commissioners to make good roads and sidewalks. Some of the people are *waiting to see what action the frost* will have on the tar walks already laid.

There is a slight improvement in school matters. The trustees in defiance of the wishes of the largest taxpayers, re-engaged the old Superintendent, who lacks the necessary backbone to enforce proper discipline. In consequence there will be the usual addition to the Plainfield schools, and several families will soon leave town for the same reason.

Wm. Rider and family, who are spending this month at Milwaukee, are expected home on October 1.

ARGUS.

### Crushed Stone Wanted, Not Mud.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE PRESS:—For several years strenuous efforts have been made by private individuals at their own expense to improve the condition of the Washington Valley road, and hundreds of dollars have been expended in crushed stone thereon. The new road master, recently appointed by the North Plainfield Township Committee, has commenced operations by digging the soft mud out of the ditches, and spreading it on the road to the depth of several inches over where tons of crushed stone were laid and spread. As one of the indignant taxpayers of the district I protest against such misuse and waste of the people's money, and ask the honorable committee to have the mud removed from the road, and such work in future prohibited. There should be no appropriation of money made for the road except for crushed stone, opening ditches and making water stops. Any other work at present is unnecessary and should not be allowed.

RUPERT W. ANDERSON.

### Terribly Mangled by the Cars.

A well-dressed man attempted to board a fast freight train on the Central Railroad near Dunellen, yesterday, and fell under the wheels. His body was terribly mangled, but though unconscious he was still alive when found. On the fly-leaf of a note-book in his pocket was the inscription "James R. Francis, 30th and Penn streets, Pittsburgh, Pa.," and on the supposition that that was his name and address his senseless, bleeding body was conveyed to that city.

### The Longest Word in the Dictionary

Is incompetent to communicate the inexpressible satisfaction and incomprehensible consequences resulting from a judicious administration of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, a preparation designed especially for the speedy relief and permanent cure of all Nervousness, and diseases peculiar to the female sex. The only remedy for woman's peculiar ills, sold by druggists, under a positive guarantee, to give satisfaction. See guarantee on wrapper of bottle. This guarantee has been faithfully carried out for many years by the proprietors.

## THE VICTOR'S TALE.

### How the Crescents Were Defeated, as Told in Somerville.

*(From the Somerset Gazette.)*

Well, the West End club has won the series with the Crescents, and the base ball cranks of both towns are playing last Saturday's game yet. There were rumors and rumors during the week as to what sort of a snag in the shape of a a battery the West Ends would run against, and up to Saturday it may have been said that it was a masked battery. It was learned then that the Crescents had secured Doran of the New Haven club, and, what was the bitterest dose of all, our own O'Rourke, who, in the three games played with the West Ends previous to this series, had done magnificent work, and had become one of the idols of the Association. The knowledge of Doran's work in the Atlantic Association during the past season, in which he has several times closed out the opposing team with a single hit, operated to somewhat intimidate the West Ends, but with their usual "do or die" policy, Manager Mack went on a "hustling" tour and secured the services of Gore, the great batter and centre-fielder of the New York Players' League club. This acquisition more than atoned for the loss of O'Rourke and the West End members experienced quite a reversion of feeling when they learned of it.

Doran pitched a grand game for the Crescents, striking out the West Ends' heavy batters with ease up to the eighth innings. Harkins, although hit hard during the innings, was very effective at critical stages when a safe hit meant one or more runs. Carbonell almost immortalized himself by throwing out two runners at the plate who attempted to score from second base on single hits. The Crescents had no chance to make any specially brilliant plays, as their put-outs were all of the easy kind, and the hits made by the West Ends were all clean ones, though discouragingly few.

After Saturday's game Manager Leggett of the Crescents advised first-baseman Wiegand to take the first train away from town. He has since been released.

The latest news from the scene of carnage is that Doran, O'Rourke and Duffy are to be added to the Crescent team next Saturday. Duffy is a catcher from the Newark club.

Editor Demarest's unique and facetious account of the game in Monday's *Press*, deserves a place in the archives of base ball history. The *Press* sold on our streets like hot sausages and rolls at a Fair.

A very courteous letter from the Crescent management has been received, asking that the series be extended to five games, all to be played at Plainfield. The West End Association will not consent to any change of the original schedule.

It is extremely gratifying to note that the utmost good feeling now prevails among the spectators at this series, and perfect order is maintained. As long as this continues the games between the two clubs will be one of the greatest attractions in Central New Jersey, to say *nothing of the financial benefit* to both.

A large number of enthusiastic West Enders paraded the streets of Plainfield last Saturday night with brooms, etc. They hired a drum corps and came to Somerville where they indulged in another parade and a bon-fire. At the pow-wow around the bon-fire a telegram of congratulation from the Rahway Athletic Association was read.

The West Ends asked permission to take a brass band with them next Saturday, which should give an hour's concert before the game and serenade the winners after the game. Over $50 had been subscribed to defray the expenses, but the Crescents refused to allow it. The Plainfield *Press* says "the Crescent managers should most certainly grant the West Ends the privilege of bringing a brass band with them next Saturday, and should provide seats for them."

### The Neighboring Old Women Tickled to Death.

*(From the Rahway Democrat.)*

The high toned Crescents cut a pretty figure last week in connection with the West End game. After being "done up" by the W. E.'s the week previous, they began to scheme to cripple the West Ends for Saturday's game, and by their peculiar tactics, so well known here, they induced some of the West End team to desert and when Saturday arrived the W. E.'s found themselves short two men. As usual such methods never pay, and the West End's secured George Gore, the celebrated professional, and by his great hit in the eighth inning four runs were secured and the game won by a score of 5-2.

### All the Committees to Meet Together.

A meeting of all the committees of the Young Men's Christian Association will be held at the Association rooms next Monday evening, September 29, at eight o'clock. After a general conference in regard to improved methods of work, the committees will meet by themselves to perfect plans for future labors. It is important that every committeeman should attend.

When you have that tired feeling of exhaustion, and you have little ambition, your blood is thin and poor. There is nothing that will enrich your blood, bring back life and activity, like Hires' Root Beer. Nothing so nutritious and strengthening. Ask your druggist or grocer for a package. Makes five gallons, sparkling and delicious. Sold everywhere.

## TOLSTOI AND THE BEAR.

### How the Celebrated Novelist's Presence of Mind Saved His Life.

An incident is related about the celebrated writer, Count Tolstoi, which nearly cost him his life. He went out on a bear hunt with some of his friends, and, after selecting a spot which commanded a good view of the surrounding grounds, some of the more experienced hunters suggested that the snow had better be trampled down so that it would be easier for them to move about and get out of bruin's way and have time enough to take a shot at him if he should come upon them unexpectedly.

The Count, however, although up to his waist in the snow, objected to this and said that it was entirely unnecessary, since the whole thing consisted of shooting the bear and not wrestling with him.

They did not have to wait long, for the bear, which had just risen from its lair, was walking along to get out of the way of the hunters when it suddenly stepped out into the open space directly in front of Tolstoi.

He coolly took aim and fired, but the ball, for some reason or other, went wide of its mark. Taking aim again he fired, this time hitting the bear in the head, and the bullet lodged in the lower jaw and of course only made a very irritating wound, which made the bear so savage that, taking a few jumps, he was upon Tolstoi before he was able to realize it. Just as the bear came close enough to him he dropped down, and of course the bear went right over his body. Tolstoi's whole body sunk into the deep snow, and the only part that remained exposed was his head, which the bear tackled as soon as he had recovered from his surprise in seeing Tolstoi disappear so suddenly.

Tolstoi did his best to push his head down as low as possible, and elevated his fur cap for the bear to bite. Twice the savage animal snapped at it, and then, discovering his mistake, made a bite deeper down, this time taking a piece of flesh from the Count's right cheek.

Just at this moment his comrades returned, and by their loud yells succeeded in driving away the bear, who very slowly turned his back upon the hunters and walked into the woods, master of the situation.—London Telegraph.

## TRAINING CHILDREN.

### Teach Them to Use Their Minds as Well as Their Eyes.

It is reported that a distinguished New York lawyer in selecting a governess for his children said to her: "I do not care so much what studies you select for my children, but one thing I shall insist upon, and that is that you take special pains to cultivate their perceptive faculties. I want them to become observers, so that they can intelligently describe what they see." This instruction has been highly commended by some of the newspapers as containing sound educational advice, but it shows that the lawyer was not an educator. It is true that observation is the foundation of all knowledge, but it is nothing more than the foundation. It is not the superstructure. Observers are not always fine scholars, nor correct thinkers. Observation furnishes facts, but they must be used well or they are worthless. It is just as important that children should be taught to think as it is that they should learn to observe. Mere observation makes them Paul Prys, but no sages or philosophers. Teach children to use their eyes and their minds both, if you would educate them wisely and well. There is a period in life when observation is the main thing, but that period is not the most important in the life of an individual. We think the New York lawyer made another grave mistake in the education of his children, and that was in putting them under the care of a private tutor instead of sending them to school where they would come in contact with their equals, who would do more for them than their teachers. Emerson says, "you send your boy to college to be instructed by learned professors, but his schoolmates educate him." It is impossible for anybody to be well educated without the stimulus of rivalry and emulation. It is possible to develop talent in solitude, but not character. The greatest of the German poets, Goethe, said, "talent grows solitude, but character is developed in the stream of life." A boy or a girl educated under tutors is sure to be a one-sided character, and to have no real knowledge of life or of the world. Children of rich parents miss the best part of training and culture.—Cumberland Presbyterian.

### A Millionaire's Frugal Lunch.

A large, elderly and fine-looking man with a black-silk cap on his head entered the restaurant on the top floor of the Mills building a few days ago and, seating himself in a quiet corner, ordered a plate of cold chicken, some bread and butter, and a glass of milk. This was his midday luncheon and he seemed to enjoy it. At another table, a few feet away, sat a young man, dressed with a scrupulous regard for the latest fashions. He was enjoying a much more elaborate meal than his elderly neighbor. Little neck clams, spring lamb with green peas, lobster salad, a pint of champagne, and a choice perfecto were necessary to his personal comfort, and he disposed of them all with a nonchalance which bespoke familiarity with that style of living. And there certainly was nothing out of the way in his manner of indulging his appetite. He paid for what he got with money honestly earned. He holds a responsible clerkship in C. P. Huntington's employ, and Mr. Huntington is known to pay good salaries to good men. The elderly man who ate the cold chicken and drank the glass of milk was Collis P. Huntington.—N. Y. Times.

### Astronomical Information.

Mrs. Sumway—I see that Venus turns round only once a year.

Sumway—She doesn't meet many women with new bonnets on, then.—N. Y. Sun.

—"Snails aren't always slow." "Djever see a fast one?" "Yes. I dropped one from the Eiffel Tower one day last summer, and he got down before I could."—Harper's Bazar.

## DOROTHY CHAMBERS.

### A Co-operative Room Plan For Eccentric Girl "Bachelors."

Dorothy chambers! did you ever hear of them? If you are a progressive young woman with a mission to accomplish or a vocation to pursue you must assert your independence by going and living in them. There is first a general sitting-room, which four young women unite in adorning with photographs and fried grasses and bric-a-brac; where they tie sashes on the chairs and necklies on the vases to their hearts' content. Out of this room open four "cubicles"—remember, you must call them nothing but "cubicles," whether you know what the term means or not. They are only little nooks where each girl preserves the sanctity of her own tooth-brush and hair-pins, where she has her crying spells all to herself, and dreams her dreams of future greatness on a single bed with band-boxes beneath it and wearing apparel hung round about. When she can pause long enough in her wild career after fame and emancipation and things, long enough to eat, she satisfies her inner woman with food served in a restaurant on the ground floor. That is a "Dorothy," as they have them in London, built on the plan of chambers for men, and the girls declare it's awfully jolly. There is a kind of brave, stoical heroism which deserves canonizing in the woman who dwells thus alone with her kind and hides her anguish from an unfeeling world. It requires a female Mark Tapley to be any thing like jolly when sharing the somewhat dreary companionship of her own sex and missing the salt and spice and spur of man's proximity. Women living continually without men are apt to develop an alarming penchant for wrappers, loose shoes, weak-tea, sentimentality and sweetmeats that is any thing but hilarious in effect. Of course it sounds like heresy to say so and is almost unwomanly to utter such radical sentiments. When Adam found himself alone in the garden he made such a time about it that a companion was created for him, but I suppose if Eve had been fashioned first she would have gone drooping and moping about the garden to this day, never daring to acknowledge that a man would be an agreeable companion, and working herself in a great state of excitement over the study of the habits of some bird or bug that she cared nothing about or the investigation of some plant or flower growth. As a little boy said of the Creator: "God knew what He was about" when He made man first.—N. Y. Sun.

### SAMBO'S ARGUMENT.

#### The Sleeping-Car Porter's Side of the Popular Tip Story.

A sleeping-car porter of more than average intelligence was drawn out on the story that employes in positions like his live in palaces when not on a run, wear diamonds, and give receptions at certain seasons.

"You would not expect me to confess that I am making money above my salary, even if it were true," he said. "I think that the story of our wealth originated with the man whose soul was tucked under the wings of the eagle on a quarter of a dollar. Suppose we have a dozen sleepers on each run, and that is above the average; out of that number it is safe to say that four will be women and children. That leaves eight passengers for us to 'work,' as the saying is. Out of that eight maybe four will hand us from ten cents to twenty-five cents, and we have more of the former than of the latter. The tip averages ten cents the year round. Say we make a dollar a run out of passengers—I mean the sleepers—we call them sleepers to distinguish them from the other passengers. There is a dollar. I suppose you think the porter puts that in his pocket. Well, if he is an old man on the road and has influence at headquarters he keeps all he can get—I don't deny that. But let me tell you something that isn't generally known. There is a spy on every train that goes out of Chicago or runs into it. I don't mean to say that the company puts a spy on every train, though it is sometimes done. But the spy is there just the same. He may want the job of porter for himself or friend. He reports every inattention and shortcoming of the man who has the job. Or the spy may be a spy for revenue only, as is frequently the case. The spy may be in any position from train-boy up, and the minute the porter finds out who he is he begins to pay him tribute, unless, as I said before, the porter is solid at headquarters. To make a long story short the porter has to pay out half he makes to hold his job. That's so, and every porter knows it. The newspapers have lots of fun at our expense, but they wouldn't think it was so funny if they had the job for awhile. I am not kicking, for I am one of the solid ones. But I know the business from the bottom up."—Chicago Tribune.

### The Reward of Knowledge.

A Brooklyn manufacturer paid a bill without a murmur the other day simply on account of the way it was worded. His engineer found that the hot water pump would not work and sent for a machinist. The latter bothered with it half a day and said it must come apart. This meant a stoppage of the factory for a long time. It was suggested that a neighboring engineer be sent for as he was a sort of genius in the matter of machinery. He came, and after studying the pump awhile he took a hammer and gave three sharp raps over the valve. "I reckon she'll go now," he quietly said, and, putting on steam, "she" did go. "The next day," says the manufacturer, "I received a bill from him for $25.50. The price amazed me, but when I had examined the items I drew a check at once. The bill read this way: 'Messrs. Blank & Co., Dr. to John Smith. For fixing pump, 50 cents; for knowing how, $25.' Had he charged me $25.50 for fixing the pump I should have considered it exorbitant. But 50 cents was reasonable, and I recognize the value of knowledge, so I paid and said nothing."—Chicago Herald.

—If you are a tall woman arrange to have your work-table and ironing-board a few inches higher than they are usually made. This little precaution will prevent many a backache.

CLOSE FIGURES.

Strange to say, we have been in Plainfield only six months, and during that time our trade has increased wonderfully; but of course we don't want it to stop here; we are bound to double it this Fall, and to do it we have selected a very

Choice Stock of Shoes,

For Fall trade, that were bought long before the rise in stock, and will give you some

Very Good Goods at Very Low Prices.

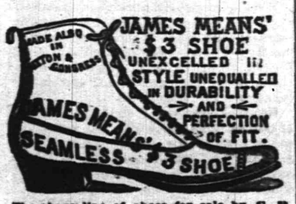
We know the people appreciate what we are doing.

ROGERS BROS.,
12 West Front St.

Irrespective of the high price of Ice, Sugar etc., the price of

SODA WATER

At MILLER'S PHARMACY,
No. 10 East Front Street,
Still remains at 5 Cents per glass, while the Syrups are manufactured direct from Fruit.
Prescriptions Accurately Prepared. 12-17-t




The above line of shoes for sale by C. P. WHEELER, at No. 27 Somerset St., where may also be found other lines of desirable footwear for Ladies, Misses, Children, Men's, Boy's and Youths', at prices that cannot fail to suit. 9-17tf

NEW LIVERY!

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First-Class Horses and Carriages
Constantly on hand for hire, calling and picnic purposes.
A share of public patronage is solicited.
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## WOULD-BE SLEUTHS.

### Youths Who Aspire to Be Full-Fledged Detectives.

**The Mournful Tale of Joel Radkin—He Came to Chicago, Only to Find That His Genius Wasn't Appreciated There.**

There is probably no occupation which for the romantically inclined dime-novel fiend possesses such a charm as that of the detective.

To the brave boy with nerve of iron and sagacity unparalleled, who sits on the shady side of a straw-stack ten hours out of the twenty-four reading tales of "Fang-Tooth Jim the Jumper," "Handsome Harry the Hustler," or "Scar-Faced Scully the Scout," the life of the detective is crammed full and running over with poetry. In fact, his lot is cast but a few miles this side of Paradise.

The idea, says the Chicago News, of being the very brain which dictates the movements of the strong arm of the law is to the heated imaginations of these amateur grangers something sublime. To rectify the wrongs of the innocent and helpless, to pursue to conviction the villainous perpetrator of the deeds

IN HOT PURSUIT.

of darkness, to hound to the gallows foul murderers, is, thinks the heroic embryo, the acme of earthly glory.

Such being the case, it is not strange that so many applications are received by the detective agencies for positions. There are scattered through the country agencies which advertise for men to do detective work in the counties of their residence, and it is this sort of an institution which generally "catches" the grangers. Advertisements are sown broadcast in the country papers, and upon application from an ambitious youth, he is cheerfully accepted. The applicant is at once informed by mail of his appointment as a detective, and requested to advance the sum of five dollars as payment for his star, credentials, etc. This the future Pinkerton is always ready to do, and upon sending in his cash he receives a large glittering tin star, a beautifully worded certificate of appointment, and instructions to lie low and await developments.

The agency, in addition to the above, generally vouchsafes the information that an important case is developing in the new detective's locality which will shortly be placed in his hands. "Only this and nothing more," for no matter how long the young sleuth waits for further instructions, they come not. It is a straight case of "soak," sufficient to cure the detective fever in most cases, and, as a general thing, the victim settles down to farm life and sets up a country grocery, with nothing to remind him of his youthful folly but his fading credentials and rusting star. In some instances, however, the would-be sleuth makes a more systematic effort to reach the much-to-be-desired goal, and makes application in person to the bona-fide agencies in the large cities. Such applications are not of rare occurrence in the agencies of Chicago, and many amusing incidents growing out of them can be told.

The applicants classified as dime-novel readers are almost exclusively fresh from farms or country towns, where the excessive quiet renders a desire for almost any sort of excitement natural. The youths, for they are always young, generally have an exaggerated idea of the important figure they are to cut in their new sphere which makes their ignorance more laughable than it would otherwise appear.

One of the most verdant of these specimens was Mr. Joel Albatross Radkin, Jr., from Switzerland County, Ind., who not long since applied for a position at one of the prominent detective agencies of this city. Joel was a picture, a chromo, a landscape. He was built upon that slim, slender plan which has been disguised by some inhuman punster as the "raillery of nature," and was about as inartistic a piece of architecture as one would see in a day's journey. An extremely small head, light blue eyes, a long, pointed nose, shocky straw-colored hair, a wide mouth, a form like a clothes-horse, and Joel Albatross is described. Joel is, in his neighborhood, accounted a literary phenomenon, for not only has he read "heaps and piles" of the Seaside Library and other dark tales, but he has even, wondrous to relate, written several Indian stories and two or three poems, a stanza from one of the latter being hereby published as a proof of the young man's genius:

"Oh, blest be the West, the far away West;
The land of the sword and guns,
Where the brave heroes the dark robber mows
Down, and also the Injuns."

Such talent could not long remain unnoticed, and Joel soon became the sage of his township. But he longed for a more glorious field in which to earn fame and fortune, and determined to seek it in our own windy city. Accordingly he gathered together what fire-arms he could scrape up in the neighborhood and landed in Chicago.

He immediately sought out one of the agencies here, and firmly grasping the old army musket which he carried entered the presence of the superintendent.

"I want to be a detective," he calmly announced, a ha-the-villain-still-pursues-her expression stealing over his noble countenance. "I'm from Indiany, and I ain't no slouch of a detective, you bet," continued Joel to the superintendent, who stood aghast, gazing at the apparition. "I've been a modling my cayreer arter Deadwood Dick, and am good enough in detectin' now to commence biz."

"Think so?" inquired the official, regaining his composure. "So you're from Indiana, hey? I would have supposed from your general appearance that you were from New York or London."

"Is that so?" said the delighted heir of the Radkins.

"I thought this here outfit of mine would fetch 'em," he continued to himself. "I ain't no dern fool, and I knowed this here muskit and butcher-knife was the proper thing fer a detective. Wall, mister, can you give me a case to begin work on immediately to once?"

"Well, don't be so fast. Suppose you give me some of the experience you have had in this work."

"Wall," said Joel, leaning his gun in a corner and sitting down on the superintendent's desk, "I hev had a right smart of experience, I kin tell you. I have run down more villyuns than any other feller in Switzerland County. One time there wuz a feller stealing pap's watermelyons an' I determined to run him to the earth. (That's what they say in the story books.) So I disguised myself with a pair of rope whiskers and man's green goggles and went out after dark one night, an' I laid for the villyun. He came, I saw an' he run like thunder. But he dropped a sack in his haste. With a stealthy tread I crept to where it lay, seized it and bore it away in triumph. It had on it Si Bradley's name, and ever afterward I knowed who it was who stole them melyons.

"Then one day I captured a feller what stole a buggy whip. I seed him take it, an' it only took me three days to prove it, and get it back. Oh, as I said before, I ain't no slouch."

"Perhaps not," said the superintendent, "but I feel that our agency is not a fit place in which to utilize your remarkable talents. I would suggest that you go back to Indiana armed with firm determination and that musket, and henceforth consecrate your life to the killing of fools. Should that gun chance some day to shoot out of the wrong end, then so much is gained. No, there is no opening for you, except the one which the carpenter, foreseeing your visit, kindly provided. Please take advantage of it as soon as possible; turn the knob to the right."

Joel did so with a dazed and dreamy expression filling every nook and corner of his extensive countenance. As one in a dream he took the first train for Indiana, where he is probably even now engaged in ferreting out deep-laid plots against hen-coops and melon

MR. RADKINS ASKS FOR A JOB.

patches with all the skill ever displayed by a professional from Scotland Yard.

"That fellow," said the official who related the story, "was a fair sample of the granger applicant for positions. They come here in all grades of verdancy and ignorance, eager for excitement and renown, generally leaving about as Mr. Radkin did. It takes a mighty smart man to be a detective, the principal acquirements being the ability to keep one's mouth shut. We get most of our men from the ranks of the police force and places of that order. Even with that sort of a man it takes at least a year's training to make a reliable detective, and you can imagine the labor it would require to manufacture a first-class man out of such material as Joel. That sort of fellow may generally rely on being given the key to the street."

### Youthful Depravity.

"Papa," he asked, "don't wasps build their nests of mud?"

"They do, my son," said his father.

"Are wasps good for any thing?"

"So far as we know, Willie, they are not."

"Then the mud is wasted, isn't it?"

"I presume it is."

"Then it's just like our Irene, isn't it?"

"How so?"

"Because it's wasp-wasted?"

And the strong man, who had always felt hopes that Willie some time would enter the ministry, went out to the coal-shed and wept.—Chicago Tribune.

### A Brainy Boy.

Chicago Teacher—Yes, corned beef is one of our most famous exports. Now, who can tell me what stands next to corned beef?

Boston Little Boy (triumphantly)—Cabbage.—American Grocer.

### A CLOSE SHAVE.

Father—Didn't I tell you I would whip you if I caught you in the water again?

Son—Yes, sir; and that's the reason I hurried out when I saw you coming.—Puck.

## OUR YOUNG FOLKS.

### NOISY IMMIGRANTS.

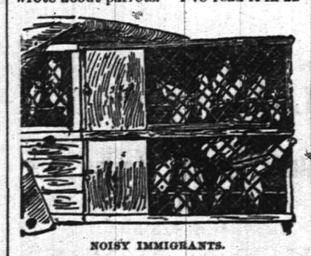
**Anxious to Learn the Language—The Increase in the Parrot Trade—Where the Birds Come from and Their Value.**

The Ward Steamship Company enjoys the distinction of being the line which brings the noisiest immigrants that are received at this port, says the New York Tribune. But Superintendent Weber has not yet called on Collector Erhardt to prohibit even one of them from landing, and as they all, at least, try to learn the language of the country, the presumption is that they make good American citizens. Yet seven or eight thousand of them have already been landed at this port this summer. That fact has so far escaped the newspapers, and they come in hundreds. It was on Tuesday that three or four hundred arrived, and they had to discover themselves to several visitors to the Ward steamer, in order to make their presence generally known, and this they did in their own way. They were probably trying to give their impressions of the country when they were first approached. They succeeded in attracting attention, at all events, for they raised such a hubbub of whirring and fluttering, punctuated with squawks and squeaks underneath their tarpaulin cover, that the visitors naturally inquired what caused the noise.

"Parrots," replied a dark-complexioned man, who seemed to feel as strong proprietary interest in the birds as a large and vigorous Thomas cat who was prancing gayly around the scene. "See!" said the dark man as he threw back the tarpaulin, disclosing to view swarms of young Mexican and Cuban parrots, who fluttered wildly and screeched in a dozen keys as the light entered their cages. They were pretty birds and had been caught in their nests only a fortnight or so before the steamer sailed from Havana.

"There are only 300 or 400 of them," said the parrot-tender in a tone as if he generally considered parrots in the abstract rather than in the concrete. "On the last voyage," he continued, "I had 900 to take care of," and he said it as if the caring for 1,000 parrots was a mere bagatelle. "Was I alone? Certainly, except that Thomas here volunteered his assistance after we left Havana, when he killed a big rat that wandered too near the cages. One healthy, vigorous rat will kill four or five parrots or a dozen canaries in one night. He will eat a parrot's brains and suck its blood in no time.

"Parrots don't have brains? It is a curious fact that the parrot has been so closely identified with history. Aristotle wrote about parrots. I've read it in an



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encyclopedia. Nero's explorers whom he sent to Africa discovered parrots and brought them back to Rome, where the Romans kept them in tortoise-shell cages Some Romans fed the lions with parrots. But when the Romans began to eat the parrot, then began the decline of the Roman Empire. Now, do you know (confidentially) that the South Americans, some of them I don't say all, eat parrots, and I don't know but that accounts for the South American troubles."

The parrot-tender was getting excited, but he calmed down when his visitors asked how the business of importing parrots to this country has developed. "It has grown to large dimensions within the last twenty years," he said, "and is a big business. There are two large establishments in New York City, Bartels' and Ruhe's, who import from 5,000 to 10,000 a year from the South Americas, Mexico and Cuba. This year there has been so much rainy weather in the parrot countries that breeding was interfered with, and the result has been that there is a falling off in numbers. The old birds nest in holes in high trees, and the rain drowns the young ones.

"We catch parrots when they are young, only a few months old. Indians and natives climb the trees and 'pull the nest.' They take the birds to the seaports, and we buy them there. We are not worried over reports that parrots are becoming scarce. That is not true. Bringing the birds here causes us the worst trouble.

"First we have to look out for the rats, and second the weather. We stow the parrots away in a warm place and cover the cages with a tarpaulin. They are very susceptible to changes in the weather. I have had nearly an entire consignment die on a voyage. We feed them on pilot bread and sugared water when they are young. I don't give old parrots pilot bread, but feed them on hempseed. Well, when we get our birds safely in port they are distributed wholesale to small dealers throughout the city and country, who retail them. The gray, or African, is the most expensive parrot, but it is rather rare.

"It is the best, too, but many people think that the Mexican parrot is the best talker. The Mexican is a large bird, and has a green and yellow head. There is also the Mexican double-yellow head. I have a Mexican bird that can sing 'Peek-a-boo,' and I would not take $300 for him. A valuable parrot is in the Brazilian Amazon, a green bird with a little blue above his head. But speaking of these parrots we got from Mexico and Cuba, the Cuban is the most numerous and cheapest. They sell from $24 to $36 a dozen. They have white heads, red throats and green bodies, and don't learn to speak very plain. The Mexicans bring from $3.50 to $5 apiece, the Africans $10, and the single yellow heads from South America $5.

"The blue head Amazon is scarce now, and I think that the Indians are eating them. Their flesh is exceedingly delicate. Last year about 15,000 parrots were imported to the United States, of which 8,000 or 10,000 were from Cuba, and the rest were from Mexico and other countries. We get only a few hundred from Africa. France sends to Africa for parrots, and we export many parrots to England, Germany and Belgium.

"You will find the parrot every where, and he makes a good citizen. The last time I was in Holland I saw one that was 150 years old, but by George, he was a cucatoo. Still, he was a species of parrot."

### THIS IS QUEER.

**The Trick Is Simple, But It Is Puzzling After All—Try It.**

Take a strip of paper of any convenient length and breadth, bend it into a ring, giving it a half-twist on the way, and uniting the ends with gum. It will then appear as above.

Now, if you divide this ring lengthwise along the dotted line, what result will follow?

At first sight, it certainly looks as if you would produce two similar rings. Take a pair of scissors, and try.

You will find, when you have cut through the length of the ring, that instead of having two you still possess one ring or band, but twice the length of the original one, and with a double twist or "kink" in it difficult to describe. On repeating the cut, you will, however, obtain two bands, curiously linked together and inseparable.

The experiment may be varied, with equally unforeseen consequences, either by commencing the first cut at a distance from the edge of the ring equa'

READY TO CUT.

to one-third of its breadth, and continuing twice round until the band is divided, or by giving the paper an *entire* twist before gumming.

A little consideration will perhaps enable you to account for these singular results, the strangeness of which, I may add, has been thought to afford some sort of illustration of what is called the fourth dimension—a condition of existence other than ours, with regard to which men of abstract science have recently indulged in some remarkable speculations bearing on the nature of the spiritual world.

For the information of those to whom such speculations are new, I will briefly explain that what we know as space is contained in *three* dimensions—viz., length, breadth and height, and by these three dimensions all our movements are circumscribed.

But it is conceivable that another race of beings may exist who can move and see in a *fourth* direction (which we may describe as *inwardness*, but which is only known to us in theory). Such a condition of existence, although supernatural to us, yet may be normal and natural to spiritual beings.

At any rate, the possibility of this fourth dimension has become a matter of speculation to certain able mathematicians, and the subject has even a religious value, as affording an answer to those who deny the existence of anything which is outside the sphere of sense and experience, by showing that the supernatural is not necessarily opposed to the convictions of the highest scientific minds.—Rev. J. R. Bartlett in Golden Days.

### WHO ATE THE PEARS?

**Two Children Didn't Want Any Dinner on Account of Them.**

Will is a long-legged, crop-headed boy of five; Josepha a chunky, sturdy-limbed, curly-pated lass of three. If it wasn't such a long word I would tell you that they were inseparables; that is, whenever you see Will's sharp little nose poked round a corner, you may be sure Josepha's fat, bare feet are twinkling along behind him.

They live in the country, and their play-ground is a big, open place, bounded on one side by a stable, cow-house and blacksmith's shop, and on the other by the corn-crib and tool-house. There they collect at least ten other little children, belonging on the big farm, and have royal times, to judge by the noise they make.

We got a bushel of fine pears the other day, and Will and Jo at once petitioned for some to take to "the chillun." So I filled their two little buckets with as many pears as I thought a dozen children ought to eat, well knowing they would be fairly divided.

It occurred to me once or twice after they left, that the tea-party was astonishingly quiet, but children *can* play quiet games, sometimes, I said to myself, and thought nothing of it. When nurse brought them in for their mid-day nap, I was engaged with company, so I did not see them until our two o'clock dinner. They came down to the dining-room looking clean and rosy after a bath and nap, but strangely solemn. There were no exclamations at sight of the sliced tomatoes, and instead of falling upon the fried chicken like little starved bear cubs, Josepha rested her short chin meditatively in her pink palm, and Will looked as if life were not worth living.

"I don't think I want any dinner," said the head partner; "I don't fink I wants any," echoed the junior member of the firm.

"Why, what's the matter?" I cried in surprise.

"Well, you see," said Will, gloomily, "the chillun had all gone away, every one of 'em."

"To tamp-meetin'," prompted Jo.

"And so," continued the little boy in a depressed voice, "*we had to eat all the pears by ourselves!*"

And they really had eaten a bucket of pears apiece! I don't know why they didn't die of cholera morbus, but somehow they didn't, and the only evil that came of it was their not having any more pears for two weeks.—Youth's Companion.

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| 3d | do | 9.15 | do | 9.32 | do |
| 4th | do | 10.00 | do | 10.17 | do |
| 5th | do | 11.00 | do | 11.24 | do |
| 6th | do | 11.45 | do | 12.06 | P. M. do |
| 7th | do | 1.45 | P. M. | do | 2.15 & 2.35 P. M. do |
| 8th | do | 2.45 | do | To the Post Office. | |
| 9th | do | 3.30 | do | meet 3.51 | P. M. train. |
| 10th | do | 5.00 | do | do | 5.20 do |
| 11th | do | 5.45 | do | do | 6.07 do |
| 12th | do | 6.45 | do | do | 7.02 do |

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Leave Plainfield 3 37, 5 24, 5 38, 6 29, 6 59, 7 26 7 30, 7 58, 8, 8 15, 8 31, 8 37, 9 32, 10 05, 11 09, 11 30 A. M., 1, 1 41, 2 07, 2 30, 3 12, 3 51, 5 08, 5 31, 6 07, 6 54, 7 08, 8 31, 10 12, 11 28 P. M. Sunday—3 37, 5 24, 8 01, 8 52, 11 02, 11 16 A. M., 12 33, 1 30, 3 30, 5 16, 7 01, 7 10, 8 23, 8 32, 10 02 P. M.

Leave New York from foot of Liberty street, 4 30, 5 45, 7, 7 45, 9 45, 10, 11, A. M., 1, 1 30, 2 00, 2 30, 3 45, 4, 4 30, 5, 5 15, 5 30, 5 45, 6, 6 15, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 8, 8 30, 9 15, 10, 11 30 P. M., 12 15, night. Sunday—4 30, 7, 8 30, 9, 9 30, A. M., 12 M., 1, 1 15, 4, 5 30, 6, 7, 9 00, 10 00 P. M., 12 15 night.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield 5 38, 6 29, 6 59, 7 30, 8, 8 37, 9 32, 10 05, 11 09, 11 30 A. M., 1, 2 07, 2 30, 3 15, 5 01, 5 08, 5 31, 6 07, 6 54, 7 08, 8 31, 10 12, 11 28 P. M. Sunday—8 01, 8 52, 11 02, 11 16, A. M., 12 33, 1 30, 3 30, 5 16, 7 01, 7 10, 8 23, 8 32, 10 02 P. M.

Leave Newark 7 10, 7 50, 8 55, 10 10, 11 05 A. M., 1 05, 1 35, 2 40, 3 40, 4 02, 4 37, 5 05, 5 30, 5 55, 6 30, 7 15, 7 35, 8 20, 9 25, 10 10, 11 25 P. M. Sunday—7 20, 8 40, 9 05, 9 50, A. M., 12 05, 1 10, 4 10, 5 40, 6 05, 7 05, 9 25, 10 20 P. M.

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PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7, 8 07, 9 42, 11, 11 58 A. M., 1 59, 2 32, 3 45, 4 34, 5 20, 5 54, 6 20, 6 38, 7 03, 7 13, 7 38, 8 20, 9 43, 11 15, 12 43 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 13, 9 48, A. M., 2 03, 2 30, 5 14, 6 25, 10 15, 11 14 P. M.

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Leave Easton 6 05, 8 44, 10 A. M., 12 32, 4 09, 7 49 P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 52, A. M., 6 40, 7 30 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 7, 9 42 A. M., 1 59, 5 20 P. M. Sunday—8 13 A. M.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

LEAVE PLAINFIELD.

5 45 A. M. for Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

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For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m. 1 p. m.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c.

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BOUND BROOK ROUTE.

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For Baltimore and Washington at 1 17, 8 45, 11 58 a. m., 2 45, 4 08, 5 34 p. m. Sundays—1 17, 9 48 a. m., 2 47, 4 08, 5 14 p. m.

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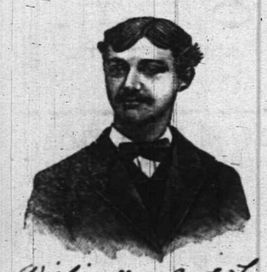

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The Witnesses Contradict Themselves on Many Points.

A Web of Circumstantial Evidence Encircles the Prisoner—He Is Paler Than Usual and Takes Little Interest in the Trial—The Case Expected to Go to the Jury on Monday.

WOODSTOCK, Ont., Sept. 27.—Reginald Birchall, alleged assassin, sat in court and smiled all morning. The leading witnesses for the Crown had been heard. They had told some startling stories, which, like a vast web, seemed to have encircled the prisoner. He didn't seem to care a rap, however.

Birchall was interested in the array of young woman who had struggled into court with streaming umbrellas and ill-smelling waterproofs. He looked paler than usual when Mr. Blackstock started in to paint his case in rosy colors, as though that was the sickening part of his ordeal.

The Defence.

Mr. Blackstock opened the case for the defence. He said: "We entertain very strong opinions as to the insufficiency of the Crown's case, but will not discuss that at present, for obvious reasons. He introduced the certificate of Birchall's marriage in England to Florence Stevenson on November 19, 1888, proving that if in England then, he could not have been in Blenheim swamp in October of that year as the witness testified."

John Rabb, who spoke with a decidedly German accent, was the first witness. John is a character in appearance and one of the most picturesque witnesses yet seen in the box. He said: "I live about half a mile from the spot where the body was found; could see from my house to the road opposite the spot; on Tuesday, the 18th, heard two shots fired and saw two men coming out of the swamp and walking west; one shot went off right after the other.

Several of the Coroner's jurymen testified that they had visited the swamp the next day after the body was found and that there were tracks of two men in the snow entering the swamp where the body was found, going in on one side and out on the other side. These tracks, the witnesses testified, were old ones. But the cross-examinations by Mr. Osler made these men contradict themselves on many points and made them admit there was no sleet in the holes, but light snow, when it was a fact that there had been sleet falling on the night of the 18th.

Three other witnesses testified to having sworn at the Coroner's inquest as having seen a man resembling the deceased selling silver polish around Woodstock on or about the 17th of February; others that they had seen *him selling jewelry, clothing, etc.* Mr. Blackstock asked the indulgence of the court till Monday to prepare his case to go the jury, to which his honor acquiesced.

The general impression here is that the defence so far presented is weak in the extreme and that the case will go to the jury on Monday at the latest.

### VICTIMS OF THE WIRE.

Two Young Men Meet With a Sudden Death in Massachusetts.

WINCHENDEN, Mass., Sept. 27.—Edward Tryan, aged 18, and George Barnard, aged 20, were instantly killed last night by an electric light guy wire coming in contact with an incandescent circuit on Pond street.

The wire had been taken from the Boston & Albany depot to allow a building to be moved, and was left hanging in a coil by the side of the pole. Both young men had hold of the wire. Barnard's hands were badly burned, and it is supposed that Tryan attempted to assist him and himself fell a victim.

Word was telephoned to the station, where the current was shut off so the men could be released. They belonged in Granville Corners.

Failures During the Week.

NEW YORK, Sept. 27.—Bradstreet's reports 179 failures in the United States during the week, against 167 in the preceding week and 180 in the corresponding week of 1889. The Middle States had 53; New England, 31; Southern, 20; Western, 47; Northwestern, 21; Pacific, 6; Territories, 1. Canada had 31, an increase of 1 over the previous week.

Wants Damages for Both Parties.

WATERBURY, Conn., Sept. 27.—Mrs. S. M. Camp of Bridgeport has sued E. A. Camp of this city for divorce and alimony, asking damages and alimony of $50,000. In addition she sues Mrs. L. E. Pearsall of Fulton Market, New York, for alienating the affections of her husband, E. A. Camp, whom she employs in New York city as business manager.

Declines to be a Candidate.

BINGHAMTON, N. Y., Sept. 27.—Hon. Milton Delano, Congressman from this district, has sent an open letter to the Republican positively declining to be a candidate for re-election, on the ground that he cannot afford another term in Washington.

Died of Bright's Disease.

NEW YORK, Sept. 27.—William Paton, a well known retired merchant of this city, died of Bright's disease last evening, after an illness extending over two or three years. Mr. Paton was born in Edinburgh, Scotland in 1818.

### BASEBALL GAMES.

National League.

AT CINCINNATI—FIRST GAME.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Brooklyn | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | — | | | | | 3 |
| Cincinnati | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | — | | | | | 2 |

Game called on account of rain.

Batteries—Lovett and Daly; Rhines and Harrington.

SECOND GAME.

Brooklyn and Cincinnati game postponed on account of rain.

AT CHICAGO.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Chicago | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 4 |
| Philadelphia | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | x | 5 |

Batteries—Hutchinson and Nagle; Gleason and Schriver.

AT ALTOONA.

Pittsburg and Boston game postponed on account of rain.

AT CLEVELAND.

Cleveland and New York game postponed on account of rain.

Players' League.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Chicago | 2 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | — | 8 |
| Philadelphia | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | — | 1 |

Batteries—Baldwin and Boyle; Husted and Hallman.

AT BUFFALO.

Buffalo and New York game postponed on account of rain.

AT PITTSBURG.

Pittsburg and Brooklyn game postponed on account of rain.

American Association.

AT ST. LOUIS—FIRST GAME.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| St. Louis | 3 | 2 | 6 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 15 |
| Athletic | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |

Batteries—Neal and Frost; O'Neill and Riddle.

SECOND GAME.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| St. Louis | 2 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 0 | — | | | | 7 |
| Athletic | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | — | | | | 3 |

Game called by mutual consent.

Batteries—Nicholas and Frost; Streckler and Riddle.

AT LOUISVILLE.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Louisville | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Rochester | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |

Game called on account of darkness.

Batteries—Barr and McGuire; Daily and Weckbecker.

AT COLUMBUS.

Columbus and Syracuse game postponed on account of rain.

Atlantic Association.

No games played in the Atlantic Association on account of rain.

Attendance at League Games.

| | Players | League |
|---|---|---|
| Chicago | 737 | 607 |
| Cleveland | .... | .... |
| Buffalo | .... | .... |
| Cincinnati | ..... | ..... |
| Pittsburg | .... | .... |
| Totals | 657 | 607 |

Standing of the Clubs.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

| | Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'ct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Brookl'n | 81 | 43 | .653 | Cincin'ti | 73 | 53 | .579 |
| Chicago | 78 | 53 | .595 | N. York | 62 | 64 | .492 |
| Philadel. | 76 | 50 | .603 | Cleve'nd | 42 | 84 | .333 |
| Boston | 75 | 52 | .591 | Pitts'rg | 22 | 110 | .167 |

PLAYERS' LEAGUE.

| | Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'ct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Boston | 78 | 44 | .639 | Philadel. | 68 | 59 | .528 |
| Brookl'n | 74 | 53 | .583 | Pittsb'rg | 55 | 66 | .455 |
| N. York | 71 | 53 | .573 | Cleve'nd | 51 | 73 | .411 |
| Chicago | 71 | 61 | .538 | Buffalo | 34 | 91 | .272 |

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

| | Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'c |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Loui'v'le | 78 | 40 | .661 | Roch'st'r | 57 | 56 | .504 |
| St. Louis | 73 | 49 | .598 | Athletic | 55 | 64 | .462 |
| Col'mb's | 67 | 54 | .554 | Syracuse | 45 | 68 | .398 |
| Toledo | 61 | 55 | .526 | Baltim'e | 35 | 85 | .292 |

ATLANTIC ASSOCIATION.

| | Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'ct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| N. Hav'n | 80 | 33 | .708 | Harrisb'g | 49 | 69 | .415 |
| Lebanon | 59 | 49 | .546 | Wilm'ton | 32 | 82 | .304 |
| Newark | 57 | 61 | .483 | | | | |

Schedule of To-Day's Games.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

New York vs. Cincinnati, at Cincinnati.
Brooklyn vs. Cleveland, at Cleveland.
Boston vs. Chicago, at Chicago.
Philadelphia vs. Pittsburg, at Pittsburg.

PLAYERS' LEAGUE.

Buffalo vs. New York, at Buffalo.
Pittsburg vs. Brooklyn, at Pittsburg.
Cleveland vs. Boston, at Cleveland.
Chicago vs. Philadelphia, at Chicago.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

Athletics vs. Toledo, at Toledo.
Baltimore vs. St. Louis, at St. Louis.
Syracuse vs. Louisville, at Louisville.
Rochester vs. Columbus, at Columbus.

ATLANTIC ASSOCIATION.

Harrisburg vs. Newark, at Newark.
Lebanon vs. New Haven, at New Haven.

Left Four Millions.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Sept. 27.—Elizabeth Drexel Smith, wife of Walter G. Smith and eldest daughter of the late Francis A. Drexel, died at Torresdale, Pa., after a brief illness. Mrs. Smith's estate is valued at about $4,000,000.

The Cuban Debt.

MADRID, Sept. 27.—It has been arranged to convert the Cuban debt at the end of the year through the French and Spanish banks.

Special Congressional Election

HARRISBURG, Pa., Sept. 27.—An election for Congressman to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Lewis F. Watson will be held on November 4.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—U. S. Gov't Report, Aug. 17, 1889.

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

## FOULLY BUTCHERED

### The Murder of Annie LeConey Startingly Recalled.

MRS. JOHN MILLER THE VICTIM.

Slashed and Mutilated While Returning to Her Home.

Robbery the Motive for the Terrible Crime—Overwhelming Proof Against the Fiend—The Body Discovered by a Searching Party—The Suspected Murderer and the LeConey Tragedy.

CAMDEN, N. J., Sept. 27.—A startling murder, peculiarly resembling in many features the cruel butchery of Annie Leconey a year ago, stirred the people of the same vicinity. Annie Miller, the wife of John Miller, a young farmer, was found with her head almost completely severed from the trunk, partly concealed in a clump of bushes a half mile from her home.

That she had had a frightful struggle for life was evident at every turn. Though the rain had beaten down, it had not obscured the indentations in the earth. Her left hand had been caught in the teeth of her assailant and shockingly bitten.

Mrs. Miller had gone to Moorestown in the morning and was returning to her home. She got off at Merchantville, and took a short cut across fields and a piece of woods.

Little Nellie De Hadroy and her brother passed Mrs. Miller on the road between 2 and 3 o'clock, and they saw her walk toward the dense woods. About a hundred yards ahead of her they saw a negro also enter the woods. That was the last seen of Mrs. Miller alive.

She failed to appear at the farm house, and a searching party soon discovered the awful truth.

Francis Lingo, a burly negro, against whom there was a strong chain of circumstantial evidence in the Leconey murder, and who was the first man arrested for that crime, had been at work on the farm. He quit early on account of the rain, saying he was going to Philadelphia. He did not go, and was found at his house. He answers the description of the man the people saw go into the woods. He was arrested and taken to Merchantville.

A piece of old blue flannel shirt found at the scene of the murder was fitted into a torn place in his sleeve and he identified the fragment. He was committed to the county jail. Coroner Stanton took charge of the case and empaneled a jury of farmers to hold an inquest.

### TIPPERARY QUIET.

O'Brien and Dillon to Leave for America on Thursday.

TIPPERARY, Sept. 27.—A deluge of telegrams from England, Scotland and America has poured in upon the Nationalist leaders at Tipperary expressing sympathy with the prisoners and disgust at the brutality of the police.

Colonel Caddell, the presiding magistrate at the trial, seems determined to deprive the accused of all facilities so far as lies in his power. He refused to allow the police ranks to be inspected in order that the Nationalists could pick out the men who had shown the most conspicuous brutality in the street attack upon the members of Parliament. This will probably make it impossible for the sufferers to obtain any redress for the assaults committed upon them.

The session of the court for the trial of the conspiracy cases lasted only a few minutes. When the hour for opening came the presiding magistrate announced that it would be impossible to go on with the cases as the judge of the county court required the building. Mr. Healey protested against the delay, but he was overruled and court adjourned.

The address with which the Government counsel, Mr. Ronan, opened the prosecution was a regular campaign speech; a rehash of all the crimes and alleged crimes that have occurred in Ireland for years past. It made evident the fact that the charges against the prisoners are mere pretexts, and that the movement is directed against the Parnellite party as a whole, and is a political, not a criminal, prosecution.

The arrangements of Mr. O'Brien and Mr. Dillon are that they are to sail on Thursday next for America. So the matter resolves itself into a race of time between the two sides, or, as Mr. O'Brien says, "between the counsel for the Crown and our ship."

Mr. John Morley, who has been personally investigating the condition of affairs in Ireland, departed for England.

Seized By the Sheriff.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 27.—The Prouty and Barr boot and shoe company of 837 Market street has been seized by the sheriff on judgments aggregating $53,151. The firm declined to make any statement or give any details except those on the records.

### PEOPLE MURDERED.

Women and Children Killed by the Troops in Goa.

CALCUTTA, Sept. 27.—It is reported that the troops in Goa are committing the wildest excesses, shooting people indiscriminately.

Several popular leaders have been arrested and shot in their residences. The residences of others are besieged and a lively fusillade proceeds between besiegers and besieged.

Numbers of people have fled to the sanctuary of the cathedral in old Goa. It is rumored that the Governor-General is in hiding in the palace, and is deaf to petitions from the inhabitants. Many women and children who fled thither for protection have been bayonetted by the palace guard.

Several dynamite bombs have been thrown into the palace by a band of citizen soldiers. The Governor justifies the acts of the troops, on the ground that a revolution has been declared. It estimated that 300 persons were killed and wounded in two days' fighting.

Meetings of Goanese have been held in Bombay to denounce the Government of Goa and to ask for British annexation.

### TRIED TO DIE IN HIS CELL.

Three Attempts at Suicide by a Prisoner in a Newark Police Station.

NEWARK, N. J., Sept. 27.—William Hilderbrandt, a six-foot German living at No. 35 Ridge street, made three attempts on his life while confined in a cell at the Second Police Precinct. Hilderbrandt threatened to break the windows of the station and was promptly locked up, and a few moments later was found suspended from a cell bar.

He was cut down and again attempted to end his life by choking himself with his handkerchief. The third time he brought his suspenders into requisition, but was foiled, and he was sent to the county jail.

"The Old Folks at Home."

NEW YORK, Sept. 27.—A movement is on foot to erect a monument to Stephen G. Foster, the composer of "The Old Folks at Home" and many other celebrated American songs. William J. Noble, a former resident of Pittsburg, is interesting himself in the matter and has conditionally arranged with D. E. Shehan, the sculptor, to fashion the statue. It is expected that before many months the monument will be erected in Allegheny Park, Pittsburg.

Mrs. Fremont Don't Need Further Aid.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Sept. 27.—Mrs. Jessie Benton Fremont, the widow of Gen. John C. Fremont, has addressed a letter to the editor of the "Times" in which she expresses great gratitude for the timely aid rendered during the recent financial straits of herself and daughter. She states further that in view of the passage of a bill granting her a pension the emergency has been tided over and she desires no further financial aid.

Von der Ahe Getting Even.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Sept. 27.—Von der Ahe is getting even with some of his men who are alleged to have signed Brotherhood contracts. Shorty Fuller, the famous little shortstop, was fined $100 yesterday and laid off for the season. He is charged with drinking a glass of beer, but the real reason is that he signed a contract with Comiskey.

Corporal Tanner an Editor.

BROOKLYN, N. Y., Sept. 27.—Corporal James Tanner assumed editorial control of the Republic, a monthly illustrated magazine devoted to the interest and entertainment of the old soldiers. He will continue to reside in Washington, where he has a lucrative pension practice, and will conduct the literary department from there.

A Court Decision Awaited.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Sept. 27.—The United States District Court has finished its labors here. The next regular term of the court will be held at Auburn, in November, but a special term will be held in Utica on Oct. 14 for the purpose of arguing the questions as to the village of Salamaca being upon Indian territory.

A Pitch Still Explodes.

BOSTON, Mass., Sept. 27.—A pitch still in a shed at Commercial Point used by James W. Ford with machinery for extracting pitch from coal tar exploded during the morning. The loss to the machinery is $8,000 and on the building $1,000. James Conway an employe was badly burned.

Mangled by a Wringer.

JERSEY CITY, N. J., Sept. 27.—Delice Gavin, of Varick street, employed in the Hudson Steam Laundry, met with a serious accident. Her arm became entangled in a steam clothes wringer and before the engines could be stopped her hand was horribly mangled.

First Degree for McIlvaine.

NEW YORK, Sept. 27.—The jury in the second trial of Charles McIlvaine for the murder of Grocer Luce, in Brooklyn, entered the court room early this morning and delivered a verdict of murder in the first degree.

Gov. Hill in the Rain.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Sept. 27.—Despite the drizzling rain 8,000 people gathered at the Franklinville Fair grounds and vigorously cheered Governor Hill, who delivered a speech in which all reference to politics was carefully avoided.

The Atlantic Squadron.

NEWPORT, R. I., Sept. 27.—The vessels of the North Atlantic Squadron are ordered here for speed and turning trials Thursday Oct. 2.

## M'AULIFFE WHIPPED

### Fairly Knocked Out by Slavin This Morning.

HE ONLY LASTED TWO ROUNDS.

Thousands of Dollars Changed Hands on the Result.

The American Contingent Heavy Losers. Both Men in the Pink of Condition. The Battle Took Place Before the Ormonde Club—Slavin Carried from the Room on the Shoulders of His Admirers.

LONDON, Sept. 27.—The postponed fight between Joe McAuliffe, the pugilist from the Pacific Slope, and Frank P. Slavin, the strong boy from the Antipodes, took place at the Ormonde Club, at 4 o'clock this morning.

Two rounds were fought and Slavin was declared the winner.

In the first round the men advanced to the centre of the ring when time was called.

Both men looked in the pink of condition, as if fit to fight for a man's life.

After brief preliminary sparring, during which no damage was done, Slavin lunged with his right rather low.

McAuliffe countered with his left, but missed the blow, which would have been disastrous to the Australian had it landed.

McAuliffe quickly recovered and planted his left effectively, following the blow with his right.

An exchange of blows followed, McAuliffe having decidedly the best of it when the men broke away.

The spectators were highly excited, and the friends of the American cheered him wildly.

Slavin caught a heavy blow from McAuliffe's right on the chest. This roused him, and he promptly retaliated, the exchange ending with McAuliffe's falling to escape punishment.

The second round had still nearly one minute to run when McAuliffe was laid sprawling on the sawdust totally unable to rise in ten seconds. He had to be assisted to his corner. The fight was declared over and Slavin's friends rushed into the ring, lifted him on their shoulders amid immense cheering. Slavin is a perfect demon in the prize ring and any American who comes here to fight him and win must be a first class left-hand hitter, as Slavin gives lots of opportunities away by the too frequent use of his right hand.

McAuliffe's friends are crestfallen and lost heavy on the fight. Richard K. Fox and Charlie Mitchell are out hundreds of dollars.

To Decide Their Political Course.

BOSTON, Mass., Sept. 27.—The British American Association of Massachusetts has issued a call for a special convention in Boston, October 14, to consider the adoption of a platform for political action to decide what course the party will follow in the coming campaign and to give endorsement to such candidates as shall be considered true to American institutions and honest Government.

### THE TARIFF AGREEMENT.

The Senate Reciprocity Feature Preserved in the Bill.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 27.—The conference report on the Tariff bill provides that the new law shall go into effect October 6, 1890.

The Senate reciprocity feature is preserved in the bill, but the date for it to go into effect has been changed from July 1, 1891 to January 1, 1892.

The duty on binding twine of all kinds is put at seven-tenths of a cent per pound, and the provision for this article is made to apply to binding twine made in part from istle or tampico fibre, manilla, sisal grass or sunn.

The sugar schedule provides that all sugars not above No. 16, Dutch standard, all tank bottom, all sugar drainings and sugar sweepings, syrups of cane juice, melada, concentrated melada and concrete and concentrated molasses and molasses shall be placed on the free list. This is the House provision, subject, however, to the restrictions of the reciprocity feature which empowers the President to suspend the free admission of sugar, molasses, coffee, tea and hides under certain conditions.

The conference changed the time for the bonded period to go into effect to February 1, 1891. The provision relative to the bonded period allows merchandise deposited prior to October 1, 1889, to be withdrawn at the present rates of duty before the time the period goes into effect. It is also provided that when duties are based upon the weight of merchandise deposited prior to October 1 the duties shall be levied upon the weight of the merchandise at the time of its withdrawal.

Mrs. Clarkson Very Ill.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 27.—The wife of ex-Assistant Postmaster-General Clarkson is lying ill with malignant diphtheria at his residence here. Her condition is so serious that Mr. Clarkson has not left her bedside for two days and a physician is in constant attendance, but to-day some improvement is noticed. Mrs. Clarkson is one of the loveliest women in Washington society, as well as one of the most popular.

Death of a Member of Parliament.

LONDON, Sept. 27.—The Hon. Alfred John Francis Egerton, member of the House of Commons for the Eccles division of Lancashire, which he represented as a Conservative since 1885, is dead. He was the brother of the Earl of Ellesmere, and was formerly a lieutenant in the Grenadier Guards.

### WHITE HOUSE DECORATION.

A Number of the Rooms Much Improved in Appearance.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 27.—The work on the interior decoration of the White House that has been in progress during the past two weeks has been completed, and as soon as the paint dries the house will be ready for the occupancy of the Presidential family. The improvements made in the mansion are quite extensive, and the dingy appearance of many of the rooms has given way to a bright and artistic arrangement of soft colors peculiarly pleasing in their entirety.

The main corridors, in which is located the private stairway, has been subjected to the most elaborate decoration. The walls are finished in plastic combing of ecru with an elaborate frieze in plastic roughing with metallic ornamentation. The private dining room has been finished in old gold of an elaborate pattern, and the small anteroom on the same floor in old rose. On the second floor the President's apartment is finished in yellow and buff, with extensive ornamentaiton about the windows and borders in bright gold, which blends so harmoniously with the other tints that the effect is peculiarly pleasing.

Mrs. Dimmick's room, at the front of the building, is in blue and cream colors combined in a pattern selected by Mrs. Harrison. The room occupied by Rev. Dr. Scott has been frescoed, papered and painted in soft cream colors, and the official rooms have also been thoroughly renovated and finished in delicate tints. Altogether the effect is artistic in every respect and has been approved highly by Mrs. Harrison and the President. The rooms that are open to the public have not been changed.

An Insane Woman's Awful Fall.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Sept. 27.—In attempting to escape from the Monroe County Insane Asylum Ellen McCandless, one of the inmates, fell a distance of nearly forty feet and sustained injuries from which she died a few hours afterward. In some way Mrs. McCandless had obtained possession of a file and sawed two bars of the iron grating in the window of her room. By bending the other bars she made an aperture just large enough to admit her body. She tore her bed clothing into strips and formed a rope of them. The woman was 65 years old and had been an inmate of the asylum since 1885.

Fighting for a Japanese Murderer.

NEW YORK, Sept. 27.—Lawyer Roger Sherman, who tried so hard by legal means to save the life of William Kemmler, has taken a second step toward saving the Japanese murderer, Jugiro, now imprisoned at Sing Sing. Mr. Sherman has cited Warden Brush of Sing Sing Prison to appear before the United States Supreme Court and show cause why he should kill Jugiro by electricity. He claims that under the treaty Jugiro is a citizen of Japan and is not amenable to the laws of the United States.

The Sultan's Liberality.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Sept. 27.—The families of the members of the crew of the warship Ertogroul, who lost their lives by the recent foundering of that vessel at sea have been granted double the usual pensions by the Sultan.

### NEWS OF THE DAY.

A terrible cyclone is reported to have done great damage in Algeria.

The recruits for the November entries to the German army number 215,000.

The Catholic Bishops of Germany will issue in October a pastoral letter dealing with Socialism.

Washington Ritter, a broker's clerk, robs his employers and deserts his wife and family for a pretty German girl in New York.

Dr. Peters states in an interview that he offered, before starting for Africa, to cooperate with the English in exploring the country, but Lord Salisbury snubbed him for his pains.

The Bethlehem, Pa., Iron company has called a meeting of its stockholders to consider a proposition to increase the capital stock from $3,000,000 to $5,000,000, the money to be spent in enlarging the company's plant.

Weather Indications.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 27.—For New England: Rains; stationary temperature; brisk to high easterly winds, becoming variable; fair to-morrow.

For Eastern New York: Rains, clearing in southern portion; cooler; variable winds, becoming northeasterly.

For Eastern Pennsylvania, New Jersey and Delaware: Fair, preceded by light rain; cooler; variable winds becoming northwesterly; fair to-morrow.

For Western New York and Western Pennsylvania: Clearing; cooler; northwesterly winds; fair Sunday.

### NEW YORK MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Sept. 26.—Money on call to-day, 3 per cent.

BONDS.

| | Closing Yesterday. | Closing To-day. |
|---|---|---|
| 4½s, 1891 Reg | 104½ | 104 |
| 4½s, 1891 Coup | 107 | 107 |
| 4 s, 1907 Reg | 123½ | 123¾ |
| 4 s, 1907 Coup | 124 | 124½ |

STOCK MARKET.

| | Closing Yesterday. | Closing To-day. |
|---|---|---|
| Canadian Pacific | 77¼ | 98¼ |
| Central Pacific | .... | .... |
| Chicago, Bur. & Quincy | 97¼ | 97 |
| Delaware & Hudson | 127½ | .... |
| Del. Lack. & Western | 145¾ | .... |
| Erie | 25 | 25 |
| Erie pref | .... | .... |
| Lake Shore | 107¼ | 106¾ |
| Louis. & Nash | 85¾ | 85½ |
| Michigan Central | 94 | .... |
| Missouri Pacific | 71¾ | 70¾ |
| New Jersey Central | 118½ | 11 |
| Northwestern | 108¾ | 107½ |
| Oregon Navigation | .... | .... |
| Pacific Mail | 44¾ | 43 |
| Reading | 41¼ | 41¼ |
| Rock Island | 83¾ | 83 |
| St. Paul | 66¾ | 65¾ |
| Union Pacific | 56¾ | 56 |
| Western Union | 83¼ | 83¼ |

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## BY THE WAY.

—The Sunday evening service at the Methodist Episcopal church, has been changed from 8 to 7:30 o'clock.

—The application of Chas. Greader, of Somerset street, for a wholesale liquor license, was granted by the Court at Somerville yesterday.

—Wetting the crosswalks is provided against by city ordinance, yet the watering carts daily violate this provision for the comfort of pedestrians.

—Robert Robinson, a gentleman of color, became befuddled with intoxicants last evening and went to sleep on the wrong man's doorstep. The police locked him up over night.

—Even Plainfield is not without its road hogs. Yesterday a man driving a team attached to a big heavy truck deliberately turned out of a road where there was an abundance of room, purposely crowded a bicycler into the gutter, ran his horses into him, and threw him to the ground, damaging both machine and rider.

—The meeting held in Hope chapel last evening under the auspices of the Hope Chapel Temperance club, was well attended. The services were conducted by the Rev. G. K. Newell, who spoke earnestly on the subject of temperance, chosing his text from the Epistle to the Romans. Messrs Gray and Firstbrook, also spoke. The pledge was signed by several young men.

## PARTICULAR MENTION.

Miss Bertha Grundie, of Ravenna, Ohio, is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. L. Adams, at Force's hotel.

Rumors that F. E. Miller, owner of Netherwood Hotel, will reopen the Park House this Winter, are not true.

The latest addition to this city's professional men, is A. P. Roberts, formerly of Philadelphia, who has opened dentistry parlors at the corner of North and Park avenues.

Gen. Schwenk, of the Holly Grove Farm, Plainfield, has been awarded several premiums for the superiority of the choice herd of Jersey cattle exhibited by him at the State Fair at Waverly.

Mr. R. P. Moore now a resident of Fanwood and formerly one of the soloists of the vested choir of Calvary church, New York city, will assist the choir at the morning service at the Holy Cross church to-morrow. Early Communion will be celebrated at 8 A. M. Morning prayer and sermon at 11 A. M., and evening prayer at 5 P. M.

Apropos of an article entitled "Old Geographers," M. S. Simpson, M. D., of this city, sends to the Philadelphia *Ledger*, of Thursday last, a transcript from "An Account of the State of the Roman Catholick Religion Throughout the World. Written for the use of Pope Innocent XI [1670-1686, M. S. S.], by Monsieur Cerri, Secretary of the Congregation de Propaganda Fide. Translated from an Authentick Italian MS., by Sir Richard Steele [1716]."

### Reckless Riding on the Public Streets.

A citizen whose indignation has been aroused at the alleged carelessness of some of the city's employes has asked for the ear of the Mayor, the Captain of Police, the Chief of the Fire Department, "the appreciated Street Commissioner," and others interested, through THE PRESS. The burden of his complaint is against the driver of the horses used in drawing the street roller over the new layers of crushed stone in the neighborhood of Park avenue, Seventh and Eighth streets. Every day this week, he says, as soon as work has stopped at noon and night, one of the men has mounted one horse, dashed rapidly down Park avenue, and caused the mate of the team also to gallop wildly along, riderless, and free to do whatever damage it pleased. Several narrow escapes from the hoofs of the flying steeds are reported, and the people who have witnessed the reckless racing are unanimous in asking that it be stopped.

### Must Wait for the Next Grand Jury.

The friends of Henry Hess, of North Plainfield, who is accused by his wife of attempting to poison himself and child, are indignant because he was not given a chance to be freed—or indicted—by the Grand Jury in session this week. The jury is said to have waited half an hour after all other cases had been disposed of, to examine the witnesses against him, but they did not appear, and, indeed, had not been summoned. Hess himself did not reach the county seat until after the jury had been discharged. He is now a prisoner at Somerville, and must wait for the next Grand Jury to act on his case.

### New Market's Mail Troubles.

A PRESS subscriber at New Market writes as follows:

"THE DAILY PRESS does not reach me till the second day after publication. For instance, Wednesday's PRESS does not arrive at this office until Friday morning, despite the fact that it is mailed promptly from Plainfield. No better illustration can be produced to show up the absurd mail facilities under present arrangements. Formerly, when our mail matter came via Dunellen on the Central Railroad, no such delays occured. Thirty-six hours is consumed for mail matter to travel 3½ miles."

## WILD WHOOPS FROM THE ENEMY.

### A Somerville Paper in a State of Mind Over the Crescents' Lost Game.

*(From the Somerville Democrat.)*

Turn that calcium the other way! Who are the people? We are the people. What's the matter with us? We're all right. Rah West, Rah End, Rah, Rah West End. Wonder if Plainfield is going to play Norwich again for the Inter-State championship. If so we'll persuade the Blue Fronts to try conclusions with the Brooklyns at the end of the season for the World's Championship. Seems to be just about as much sense in one, as in the other.

The Crescents moped around the field,
Up rose the West End whoop.
The West End boys came out on top—
Plainfield was in the soup.
Run the West End's pennant up,
Smooth down the Plainfield's mound.
The West Ends topped the highest notch,
Crescents are in the cold, cold ground.
The Somervilles cheered both loud and long,
As if of sense they were bereft,
And why? The score stood 5 to 2
And Plainfield had been left.
The boys they took the field that day,
They said, of course we'll win it;
When battle smoke had cleared away
The Crescents weren't in it.

This isn't exactly poetry, but then it was substantially what was sung by our boys when they struck town on Saturday night and headed by fife and drum, started up Main street, blazing brooms held high in the air, feet keeping time with happy hearts and throats—well, throats weren't in it. The boys had left their voices and a defeat in Plainfield. As each train reached town after the game, a procession was formed, and those who had not been fortunate enough to witness the game, cheered their returning townsmen. The climax of enthusiasm was finally capped when the team came home on the 7:35, escorted by a member of the Crescent club, Mr. George White, who had kindly furnished the West Enders with a trio of colored musicians. The club was cheered all along the route, George Gore, the hero of the hour coming in for no small share of it. Gore, Gore, the name sounds familiar. Not Gore of the Giants? The same, and thereby hangs a tale. On Friday night a telegram was received from O'Rourke, saying that it would be impossible for him to play. The general impression was that he was sick, and nothing more was thought of the matter, until a well-founded rumor came floating Somerville-wards that he was to catch for the Crescents. The rumor was soon substantiated by the Crescent management, who claimed that they had hired an outside pitcher, who was to furnish the other end of the battery and had engaged O'Rourke. To hire away a player from a club with which a game was to be played was something without parallel in the history of Somerville-Plainfield base-ball. The West Ends were hot, and the more they thought of the matter, the angrier they grew. Hot words passed between the West Ends and the Crescents on the train on their way from New York to Plainfield. Everyone seemed excited and in the last car of of the 10 o'clock a warm argument was carried on. Every one seemed to be talking except Mr. Burnett, the Crescent manager, who seemed to feel his position, and a tall handsomely dressed man, who sat in a corner of the car, sucking quietly on the head of his cane, with a faraway look in his eyes. No one seemed to know him, although occasionally a West Ender would stop for a moment to chat with him. The *populi*, however, knew just a little more about him, when three hours later he drove the ball far into left field and won the game for Somerville. It was Gore.

## OBITUARY.

### William Johnson.

William Johnson, who is well-known in this city, where he was a frequent visitor during his residence among the Hills of Somerset, back of North Plainfield, and who will be affectionately remembered by the surviving members of the old anti-slavery movement and by the elder generation of the Methodist Episcopal church, in New York city, died yesterday morning at his home, No. 354 Stuyvesant avenue, Brooklyn. He was born May 8, 1815, at Kingston-on-Hull, England, and was educated to follow his father's profession of architect and builder. Before he fully reached the age of manhood he came to America and for many years made his home in New York city, where he was associated in the construction of many notable houses, hurches and other buildings. His first work in this country was in the erection of the well-known row of brick and marble houses on the North side of Washington Square, between Fifth avenue and University place, which for more than half a century have been a landmark of New York city.

Mr. Johnson early became actively interested in the anti-slavery movement, of which he was for years a leader, and to which he devoted a large share of his time and means. His office was an important station on the "Underground Railroad," and he personally aided in the forwarding to freedom of many fugitive slaves. A reminiscence of one of the most romantic and exciting of these episodes was not long ago published under the caption of "A Slave-Hunt in New York." Mr. Johnson was from early years a member of the Methodist Episcopal church, and was active and influential in its work in New York city. He was among those who most strenuously opposed the too-prevalent subserviency to pro-slavery sentiment, and was a member of the Wesleyan Methodist organization, which was formed at the Utica convention nearly fifty years ago, as a protest against any neutral or indifferent attitude on the slavery question. He was a man of great intellectual force and scholarly tastes. All his life he was an indefatigable collector and reader of the best books, and he amassed a large library, containing, besides standard modern and classical works, a considerable collection of the earliest printed books of the fifteenth and sixteenth centuries. He was a congenial companion of many of the old "Knickerbocker" literati of New York city, and was a frequent contributor to the press of essays on current topics.

Mr. Johnson suffered much in the financial crisis of 1857, at which time he was heavily interested in the lumber trade, and in the Fall of that year went to New Providence, N. J., to live. He remained there until last year, when he removed to Brooklyn. He was twice married, and had six children. Of the two sons of his first wife, the elder, William Gervais, died at sea when a young man, and the younger, Samuel Justin Johnson, now lives in Philadelphia. His second wife, Alathea A. Coles, survives him with her four children, Darley C. Johnson, of the United States Assay Office in New York city; Wordsworth C. Johnson, of New Providence, N. J.; Sarah Imogene Johnson, of Brooklyn, and W. Fletcher Johnson, a New York newspaper man.

The funeral will be held at Mr. Johnson's home to-morrow afternoon, and the burial will be at Greenwood.

### A Young Republican of This City Tells Why Uncle Sam Cannot Secure the Latin-American Trade.

The Washington, D. C., *Post*, of last Tuesday, says that "Charles Bullman, an expert mining engineer of Plainfield, N. J., who has spent the largest part of the past seven years in South America, is at the Ebbitt. In addtition to his professional skill he is a keen observer of events and talked interestingly of the Southern end of the continent."

Mr. Bullman was bred in this city and brought up in the Plainfield public schools. He lives on Third place. He votes the Republican ticket, yet told the newspaper man: "Had Gen. Barrundia been aboard a ship flying the English flag, do you think he would have been butchered?" They would never have dared to perpetrate the outrage. In all South America there is a wholesome respect for the rights of an English subject. The Gautemalan government would have not ventured to board an English vessel.

"A citizen of the United States feels keenly the disadvantage he is under by the indifference in which his Government is held in almost every section of Latin America.

"I am directly interested in Colombia, which is beginning to make considerable headway in the development of its mining and agricultural resources. Mr. Cherry, of SanFrancisco, has contraced with the Colombian government for the completion of a railroad between Buenaventura, a seaport on the Pacific, and Cali, in the Cauca Valley. The route lies across the Andes, and will open up a magnificent country to commerce. Now, all their products, hides, coffe, and cacao have to be transported on mules over the mountains.

"Of all the South American countries Chili is by long odds the most progressive and prosperous. There are no blacks or Chinese there. The people are wonderfully bright, and are leaders in everything. I am a firm believer in reciprocity with all these people, but must confess that it is hard to see how it can be brought about. A great difficulty in the way is that the governments down there have no other way of raising revenue than by import duties. Some also have export duties. There is no tax, generally speaking, on landed estates, as in this country. A man may own 1,000,000 acres of land and not pay 1 cent of taxes. We ought to sell them more of our products, but this is out of the question as long as they can buy European goods at less cost."

### Donald Downie's Property Seized for Debt.

Donald Downie, the English traveler and lecturer, is in financial difficulties which may prevent him from fulfilling engagements in Somerville and other places where he is booked for early dates. Just after his lecture on Japan at the Warren Union Mission chapel, Thursday evening, Constable Bauerschs levied on Mr. Downie's stereopticon, views and other paraphernalia, to satisfy the $20 claim of his assistant, Edward O. Ackerman, a former Plainfielder, for wages, and the claims of parties who have furnished Mr. Ackerman with board under Mr. Downie's promise to be responsible. Mr. Downie has promised to settle the debts, and when the promise is fulfilled the goods under seizure will be restored. If he does not pay within a stipulated time the goods will be sold.

Mr. Downie has been granted the privilege of using the stereopticon plates at his lectures in Somerville, on the strength of the promise that he will settle up this evening.

### A Valuable Lot of Old Choice Wines.

Some time since we stopped at Passaic, N. J., and were really surprised to see the amount of Mr. Speer's stock of grape wine on hand; it is almost fabulous. Four storehouses are filled, and tiers upon tiers of casks, up and down stairs, and in some cases huge vats, occupy every available spot, leaving only little alleyways, through which to walk. It is a vast quantity of wine. None is sold until it has acquired the age of four years, and the buildings, 1, 2, 3 and 4, are of the first, second, third and fourth years vintage. Our druggists have supplies of the oldest of the above wine direct from Mr. Speer.—*Paterson Guardian.*

### A Female Impostor in Town.

A well dressed woman, a stranger in Plainfield, has been making her living, the past few weeks, by imposing on the sympathies of residents in the neighborhood of the Bryant school. She has led a life of leisure and has secured a good income by telling various pitiful tales which never fail to extract from twenty-five cents to one dollar from each listener. Sometimes she begs outright, claiming to want the money to go to the dying bedside of a son in New York city, and sometimes she merely asks for a loan, saying that Plainfielders for whom she has worked owe her, and promising to pay the money back as soon as she could collect what was due her. She has in every instance failed to return the loan, and finding her to be a fraud, her victims are taking steps to have her arrested.

### Nay; But We Heard the Somervillians Also.

*(From the Bound Brook Chronicle.)*

The blowing of steam whistles for the fire Saturday night was heard in Plainfield, the citizens there thinking it came from Somerville, where the people were hilarious over the victory of the West Ends.

### The Indictment of Mrs. Drake.

Mrs. Newton P. Drake, of North Plainfield, was indicted yesterday by the Somerset County Grand Jury on the charge of abusive treatment of her stepson. She will enter a plea of not guilty, and will be given a trial at an early date.

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Miss Myrtle Peck will give daily exhibitions of bareback, hurdle and Roman standing races. This famous equestrienne will exhibit fifteen thoroughbreds.
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Large entries in every department.
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## MARRIAGES.

JETER—COHENS—In this city on 17th inst., Rev. J. W. Mitchell officiating clergyman, Mr. Walter Jeter to Miss Mary Ann Cohens.

MARTIN—JOHNSON—In this city on 25th inst., Rev. J. W. Mitchell officiating clergyman, Mr. Edward A. Martin to Miss Mary E. Johnson.

## WANTS AND OFFERS.

*Advertisements under this heading, one cent for each word each insertion.*

BOY wanted to learn a trade. Apply at PRESS office.

FOR SALE—Depot wagon, in good order; $100. W. J. Roome, cor. Willow and Sycamore avenues, North Plainfield.

WANTED—Good cook, who will assist with washing. Mrs. W. J. Roome, corner Willow and Sycamore avenues, North Plainfield.

DOG LOST—A yellow and white, long-eared and long tailed dog; answers to the name of Fritz. Notify or return him to 104 Central ave., between 7th and 8th streets.

SMALL two-story house for sale; Second street, near Park avenue, to be removed at once. A. D. Thompson, opp. Depot. 9 27 6

FROST GRAPES—Wanted 100 lbs. frost grapes, thoroughly ripe. Address H. B. Smith, Scotch Plains, N. J. 9 13 20 27

FOR SALE, at a Bargain, an extension-top phæton, seating four, hardly soiled, pole and shafts; a side-bar top buggy; set new harness, woolen blankets, plush robes, stable tools, etc; price for the lot, $250; phæton was built to order for $500. Apply to F. J. Richters, Dunellen, N. J. 9 26 27 29

FOR SALE—Double Heater, in good order. 11 West 5th street. 9 26 3

FOR SALE—Two Top Buggies, (by French); 1 four-passenger canopy-top phæton, $50 00, in good order; farm wagon, single and double harness, lawn mower, garden engine, &c. J. B. Parsons, New Market. 9 26 2

A NEW flat and store to let, corner Richmond and 3d streets. Apply to Peter Cassidy, No. 207 East Front street. 9 23 6

FOR SALE—A second hand piano, in good condition. Inquire 107 Park avenue. 9 22 tf

LADIES doing their own dressmaking or employing plain seamstress, can secure perfect fit and pattern for future use. Taylor system. Miss A. T. Buckley, 27 West 4th street. 9 22 tf

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RYE WANTED—Highest market price paid H. W. French, 7 E 4th street 9 11 tf

FOR SALE—A Restaurant, doing a good paying business. Reason for selling, illness of proprietress. Inquire at Boston Cafe, No. 7 Somerset street. 9 6 tf

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CORPORATION NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the report of Edward C. Mulford, Jeremiah Manning and Joseph A. Hubbard, the commissioners appointed by the Common Council of the city of Plainfield to make an estimate and assessment of the damages that any owner of land and real estate, with the appurtenances necessary to be taken for the purpose, will sustain by the extending, laying out and opening of Orchard place from its present termination to New street in said city, was on the day of the date hereof filed in the office of the subscriber, the city clerk of the said city of Plainfield, and is open to the inspection of the public, and will be presented to the Common Council at its next regular meeting on the sixth day of October, 1890.
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Sam Jones has concluded his Summer engagement at Round Lake. Thousands of people went there to see him. Here are some of his latest sayings:

"To be a Christian you must be a prohibitionist. I don't mean a third party man; but you must be a man that is against everything that favors whiskey, and in favor of everything that is against it." To this some of the preachers shouted "Amen," when Jones said: "If you say 'amen' to that you can never vote the Republican ticket again."

"I'm so glad that I don't preach like other preachers; and I'm so glad that whenever any one else tries to preach like I do he makes an *ass of himself*."

"Most preachers could learn from the old darkey down South, who said: "My sermon will be divided into three parts—de text, de subject matter, and the arousements; and, seeing it is so warm, we'll leave off the first two parts and take to the arousements."

"I've never said a vulgar thing in the pulpit, never. When a horse has sore spots on him he thinks a curry comb is vulgar, but when he is sound he likes it."

"The dog barks and whines at the moon, but the moon shines on; and so your uncle Jones is going to let folks scold and howl, and he will try to just shine right on."

"The homes of this country are the key to success, or to failure. And as many homes have been turned over to worldliness and folly, multitudes are going to the devil."

"A man will pay a dollar a day to have his horse trained aright, and be careful to have it sheltered from every danger; but we let our children come up as they will."

"The thing now most to be dreaded in your home is yellow-backed literature."

"Don't let bad children into your yard, even if their parents are rich."

"You say I don't preach the Gospel; but you, poor soul, you wouldn't know the Gospel if you should meet it coming down the road."

"Nine-tenths of the old people are after the dollars, and nine-tenths of the young are after a good time, and it is hard to tell which are the biggest fools."

"If God loves everybody, then will not everybody be saved? No; for love never saved anybody. If it did, not another mother's son would ever go to a drunkard's grave."

"A man gives his wife $50 to buy a new dress, and she needs it; but she takes the money to buy coal and pay rent for some poor woman. She has more religion than one who rides to a missionary meeting in a $600 carriage and then pays her monthly subscription of 10 cents."

"It takes two things to make a Christian; first, to realize that God loves you, and second, for you to pitch in and love God all you can."

"God never forces a crown upon anybody who doesn't want it; if He did, the rascal would go and sell it the first chance he got."

"The happiest fellows in the world are the ministers. (Then, turning to those on the platform). True, you don't get very big salaries; but you get all you are worth."

"If a man begins to give liberally, folks begin to think he is losing his mind."

### Death of a Pioneer Meat Merchant.

David Sutton Mundy, who some months ago suffered a stroke of paralysis, and who died last week Thursday at his home near Springdale, was the first butcher to run a wagon through Washington Valley to Plainfield. He began business in 1845, and never missed a day during the whole 45 years until afflicted last Spring. The funeral took place Sunday afternoon at the Mt. Horeb church, Pastor Haggerty officiating. The church was filled with relatives and friends from New York, Brooklyn, Jersey City, New Brunswick, Plainfield and Martinville. Mr. Mundy leaves a wife, to whom he was married 41 years, five sons and two daughters. He was 69 years and 6 months of age.

### Failed to Find Indictments Here.

The Somerset County Grand Jury examined into the following cases from North Plainfield and dismissed the complaints without finding indictments:

The case against Eugene Hoerster, on the charge of illegal liquor selling.

The case against Ernest and Bernard Hengel, charged with assaulting Marshal Becker when he prevented them from kidnapping a child in the Borough.

The case against Otto Hartmann, accused by his sister, Henrietta Goetze, of inhuman treatment.

### Diehl—Vanneman.

George A. Diehl, of Bloomington, and Miss Lina Vanneman, of Somerville, were married at the residence of the bride's father, Elias Vanneman, on Main street, Somerville, Thursday evening, in the presence of a numerous company of friends. The Rev. Wm. M. Trumbower officiated. The happy couple will reside on Grant avenue, Plainfield, where Mr. Diehl is engaged in the Potter Press Works.

### The Longest Word in the Dictionary

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## SUNDAY SERVICES.

**Brief notices will be inserted under this head free of expense, but must be delivered at this office not later than eleven o'clock on Saturday morning to insure publication.**

The Rev. J. P. Taylor will preach at the Washingtonville chapel to-morrow.

The Rev. W. R. Richards will preach at Hope chapel Sunday evening. The service will begin at 7:45.

The masses in St. Mary's church to-morrow will be at 8:30, 9:45 and 10:45 A. M. Vespers will be held at 8 o'clock in the evening.

Services in the First Presbyterian church to-morrow at 10:30 A. M. and 7:45 P. M. Preaching by the pastor, the Rev. K. P. Ketcham.

Methodist Episcopal church, the Rev. J. L. Hurlbut, D. D., will preach at 11 A. M., and 7:30 P. M. Epworth League at 6:45 P. M. Sunday school at 10 A. M.

First Unitarian church, Second place, to-morrow. The Rev. Hobart Clark, pastor, will preach. Services at 10:30 A. M., and 8 P. M. Sunday school at 11:45 A. M.

Crescent Avenue church, the Rev. Wm. R. Richards, pastor. Services at 10:30 A. M., and 7:30 P. M. Sabbath school at 2:30 P. M. Seats free at the evening service.

W. D. Murray will conduct the young men's meeting at the Y. M. C. A. rooms, Sunday at 4:15 P. M. "I am the light of the World"—John VIII: 12—is the subject. All men are invited.

Two services will be held to-morrow in the German Reformed church on Craig place, North Plainfield, one at 10:30 A. M. the other at 8 o'clock P. M. Sunday school at 2:30 P. M. All are welcome.

Services will be held to-morrow, as usual, in the Trinity Reformed church at 10:30 A. M., and 7:45 P. M. The pastor, the Rev. Cornelius Schenck, will preach both morning and evening. A welcome to all.

Services in the Park Avenue Baptist church, to-morrow. Sunday school at 2:30 P. M. Preaching at 10:30 o'clock, by the pastor, the Rev. Asa Reed Dilts. Subject: "What Shall We Do?" All are welcome.

Reform Hall will be open to-morrow for meeting purposes, and the cordial welcome of all attenders, at the usual hours of 9:15 A. M., 4 and 7:45 P. M. In the evening varied and interesting exercises may be expected.

The Church of the Holy Cross, to-morrow, the Rev. T. Logan Murphy, rector. Early celebration of the Holy Communion at 8 A. M. Sunday school at 9:00 A. M. Morning prayer and sermon at 11 A. M. Vesper service at 5 P. M.

The First Church of Christ will meet at Amphion Hall, to-morrow morning and evening. The Lord willing J. B. Cleaver will preach. Morning theme, Luke XXIV: 46-47. Evening: II John: IX. All are welcomed to attend these meetings.

Congregational church, West Seventh street. Service at 10:30 A. M. The subject of the pastor's address will be: "Congregationalism; What It Is; What It Stands For; What Special Duties It Involves." Sunday school at close of morning service.

The services at Grace church to-morrow will be as follows: early celebration at 7:30 A. M.; morning prayer and sermon at 10:30. Sermon on "Bearing the marks of the Lord Jesus." Sunday school at 3. P. M. Even song service at 4:30. Baptism will be administered.

Warren Mission Sunday school to-morrow at 2.30 P. M., Temperance lesson, with singing, and an address by the Rev. Mr. Fernal, editor of *The Better Day*. Praise service at 7:30. Usual service at 8 o'clock, led by Frederick Moon. Young People's meeting Tuesday evening at eight o'clock. All are invited.

Meetings will be held in the W. C. T. U. rooms at 73 West Front street, to-night at 7:30. Sunday morning meeting for consecration at 9:15. Sunday afternoon at 4. At three o'clock Tuesday afternoon the weekly prayer meeting will be held, and a large attendance is earnestly solicited. The last week's meeting of Better Day Reading was largely attended, and pronounced by all to have been of more than usual interest and profit.

The President of the Woman's Temperence Aid Society is ill and still absent from town, but the prompt response to the call for a meeting, Thursday, Sept. 25, and the interest manifested, indicate an increased determination to work for the cause to which this band is pledged. The meetings will continue every Sunday at 9:15 A. M. and 4 P. M. Also a Mother's meeting will be held every Thursday at 3 o'clock in the auditorium of Reform Hall. Need it be said that the cause needs the aid of every Christian? The enemy is strong.

### A Plainfielder Now the Sole Proprietor.

Last week's *Hotel Gazette* contains a fine reproduction of a photograph of Geo. B. DeRevere, of this city, and a sketch of his busy and successful life. He is now proprietor of the Union Square Hotel and Hotel Dam, New York, and Taylor's Hotel, Jersey City. The paper says:

The Union Square Hotel and the Hotel Dam, Fourth avenue and Fifteenth street, Union Square, this city, have passed into the sole proprietorship of George B. DeRevere, who for the past five years has been the junior member of the firm of Dam & DeRevere, and for the past eight years proprietor of Taylor's Hotel, Jersey City. When Mr. DeRevere bought a half interest in the Union Square and Hotel Dam as one of the proprietors of the houses he paid $75,000 and on September 8 he paid about $75,000 more for his partner's half interest, and the firm of Dam & DeRevere has been dissolved by mutual and friendly consent. The sum of $150,000 would seem to be a very reasonable price for such a magnificent and profitable enterprise as the Union Square and Hotel Dam, the first with its 110 rooms and the Dam with its 140 rooms, making a total of 250 rooms, all fully furnished, including a lease which runs to the year 1897.

The late Andrew J. Dam, Sr., who built the Hotel Dam, said it cost $210,000 to build, and $75,000 to furnish; and the Union Squre $200,000 to build and $75,000 to furnish, so that the enterprise represents an outlay of about $600,000.

During the eight years that Mr. DeRevere has been proprietor of Taylor's Hotel, Jersey City, he has made over $100,000 there, and his son, Geo. B. DeRevere, Jr., superintends the running of the house and buys the supplies during the absence of his father. It must not be forgotten right here that Mrs. DeRevere is one of the most famous hotel women in America.

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### A Desecration.

This is the bitterest pang I ever bore—
To think that I will scrimp reverence
Because I've lost you. All that fiery pain
Has burned itself to ashes. Heart and brain
Have both quiescent grown; and if you stood
Before me now I would not feel my blood
Leap turbulently through my veins. Ah, no!
Nor would I turn again in voiceless woe.

It hurts me, dear, to think I do not care:
That I can look on life and find it fair;
That in my ears once more its music swells,
Sweet as the literance of silver bells.
I'm half incredulous to think that I
Am glad to be alive, and you not by.
O my one-time beloved! once I thought
Not Heaven itself could soothe my soul dis traught!

And now, behold! before my race is run,
I smile in the mid-heavens to see the sun
In splendor shine. Nor does the thought of you
Obscure the golden glory from my view!
And yet, I think that I would rather feel
The agony of passion's burning wheel
Than this content—to me it shameless seems,
And like a desecration of lost dreams!

—Susie M. Best, in Boston Transcript.

### A Western Idyl.

He shot the globes while the gas jets beamed
And considered it fun, of course;
And throughout his reckless life he seemed
To covet his neighbor's horse.

He was known as the Terror of the Plains—
Wild eyed with a wild mustache—
And he frequently held up railroad trains
When he needed a little cash.

He carried a gun in length a foot—
'Twas a toy in his horny hand;
Gun powder into his drink he put
And he spoke of his grit and sand.

His face was a maze of shining scars
That changed in the shifting light,
For a fight he would always thank his stars—
He was always sick for a fight!

On his watch-chain often a victim's ear
He would wear, that he might provoke
A laugh that would echo far and near,
For he tenderly loved a joke.

When he kicked the bar with his big top-boot,
Desperadoes with fear would quake,
And into the woods headforemost shoot,
If the doorway they could but make.

On the street they'd regard him with smiling eyes
And to bow they would take great pains,
In the hope that they mightn't antagonize
The Terror of the Plains.

Just once was he seen with a smile of peace
Spread over his knife-etched face;
All were filled with joy, and they couldn't cease
To enjoy its halcyon grace.

It was seen when the morning began to peep
O'er the mountains and down the slope,
On the day that he softly fell asleep
On the lower end of a rope.

—R. K. Munkittrick, in Once a Week.

## CROSS AND IMPATIENT.

**Two Bad Traits Possessed by Too Many Young Persons.**

**Let Us Have More of "the Music That Can Deepest Reach and Cure All Ills by Cordial Speech" in Our Homes, and Lead a Happy Life.**

"I believe," exclaimed a bright little woman one day, "that I would rather have a really wicked person in the house, if he would only be good-natured than to live with the best one who was cross."

This was extreme, says Harper's Bazar, but any one who has ever endured the society of an irritable companion for many days will feel a sympathy with even this strong statement. Such a companion is a species of torture.

It sometimes seems as though almost every duty were more forcibly impressed upon the young than the duty of amiability. In many quarters this virtue is absolutely at a disadvantage. The cross ones are likely to get a reputation for greater ability than the pleasant ones. "Fools," we are told, "are always amiable."

We plead for a reform, and so pleads everybody who happened to be in a certain house in an inland town, where a handsome and fashionable young woman was stopping with an aunt who had every claim upon her tenderest consideration.

"Are you going out to the cliff?" the young woman would demand of her aunt.

"I don't know yet," the aunt would respond, wearily.

"Oh, dear, I wish you could ever make up your mind!" the niece would fret.

"But I must wait and see how I feel after my dinner," the invalid aunt would protest.

"If it wasn't that it would be something else," the niece would exclaim, petulantly. "You're always waiting, always undecided. I get so sick of it!"

The aunt bore her young charge's (or superintendent's) vagaries almost too sweetly; but the hateful little bicker and impudence of the latter were unendurable to the outside listeners, before whom she took no pains to control herself. Yet this young girl was a member of a church. She would not have lifted her hand against her aunt, yet she gave her daily worse insults than a physical blow.

"The blow a glove gives is but weak.
Does the mark yet discolor my cheek?
But when the heart suffers a blow
Will the pain pass as soon, do you know?"

It is to women that the poets are always giving praise for their amiability. It was a woman to whom belonged those

"Sweet lips whereon perpetually did reign
The summer calm of golden charity."

But it is doubtful whether women are really so equable as men. Xantippe and poor Rip's wife are types of a very large class.

It is reasonable to expect that women should be less amiable than men. Emerson says: "All healthy things are sweet-tempered." It is only within a few years that women have begun, as a class, to take proper care of their health. Even now they are not expert in the art, and more than half our women are semi-invalids. A woman's mode of dress, her diet, her in-door and *monotonous* life, have all been against her. Women are more conscientious than men. They ought to have more principle about keeping a pleasant face on; but when the whole nervous system is ajar from insufficient nourishment and close air, an angel could not always keep her temper. It was only she who "felt so pretty and so pleased all day" who "could not take the trouble to be cross." When one is baffled and thwarted all day, crossness becomes a luxury that most women are too prone to indulge in.

But oh! how it spoils and degrades family life!

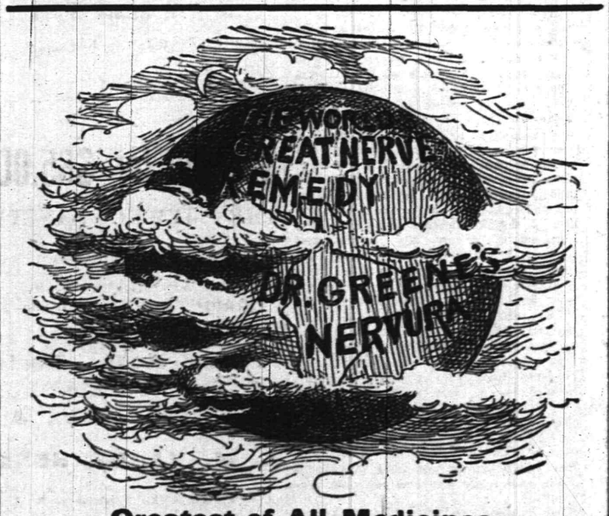
"See a word, how it severeth!
Oh, power of life and death
In the tongue, as the Preacher saith!"

We may not all of us be able to cultivate the highest virtues—constancy, generosity, magnanimity—but we can all keep a civil tongue for those around us, and put on a pleasant expression if we try. Amiability has been poohpoohed at too long. It is the source of more comfort and pleasure in any home in which it is practiced than many a more vaunted virtue.

"The music that can deepest reach
And cure all ills is cordial speech."

By all means let us have more of it in our homes.

—A pack of hyenas is reported by the Indian papers to have appeared near Monghyr. The animals are making great depredations. One night a child of about two years of age was carried away. In the morning the head and two hands were found.





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## THE COVERED WAY.

An old time wooden bridge with covered way
Spans a bright river running to the bay.

This side, rough stones and thorns and poor men's huts,
And weary paths, ill kept, hub deep with ruts;

Beyond, the city streets, and gilded spires
That peal their bells, and flame in sunset fires,

That sweetly call and beckon from afar
To all who dwell this side the river bar.

Along those pathways, daily, as I walk,
I see two children go with quiet talk.

But when the river bridge at last is nigh,
They tarry, smiling, kiss—then say "good-bye."

One passes out of sight. The other turns
And wanders homeward mid the rocks and ferns.

And daily as I pass and see them so,
*I think of other partings men must know;*

And smile to think how safe the covered way
From Earth's dim paths to an eternal day.
—Rev. Chas. S. Newhall, in The Advance.

## CHRISTIAN COURTESY.

**Two Illustrations of What Our Conduct Should Be in God's House.**

The editor of the Sunday School Times recently asked Robert J. Burdette to reply to the inquiry of a correspondent who wished a "few points on church etiquette." His reply is in a characteristic vein:

How shall we behave ourselves in church? Oh, well! it depends somewhat on the church we attend. Each has its own rules, carefully codified, for the guidance of the members in their attitude toward each other and toward strangers who may seek to worship with them. These rules are hung up in the pews, on the walls of the church, on the front of the pulpit, over the choir, everywhere in plain sight. They are not printed on cardboard, but are made "plain upon tables, that he may run that readeth it;" and that is just what he wants to do sometimes. The regular occupants of the pews, by manner, by expression of countenance, by significant gesture and action, translate these unwritten rules so clearly that every man may hear them speak in his own language, and the "wayfaring men, though fools, need not err therein"

The next time your journey leaves you stranded in the great and delightful city of New Chicorkadelphia on the Sabbath day, if you should go to the Church of Saint Indolence—I can recommend it as having the slowest singing and the softest pew cushions, with a preacher to match, in the city—you will see the following "Suggestions to Worshipers:"

"Fall or slide into the pew nearest the aisle.

"Stay there.

"Do not sit erect, but lop. Rest one elbow on the arm of the pew, and support the side of the face with the outspread hand. If the cheek can be pushed up in folds and wrinkles, so as to wholly or partially close one eye, all intelligent expression will be destroyed, and the attitude of utter and disrespectful laziness will be heightened by the charm of imbecility or natural stupidity.

"Do not rise during the singing of the hymns. The fact that you played tennis or base ball all Saturday afternoon, or walked four or five miles around a billiard-table Saturday night, entitles you to a little rest Sunday morning. This is the day of rest, and you are no Sabbath-breaker.

"Take advantage of the long prayer, when other people should have their eyes closed and their heads bowed, to adjust yourself into a position of limp and lounging listlessness that you can endure comfortably through the sermon.

"Extend your legs as far under the pew in front of you as you can make them reach without sliding off your seat.

"Gracefully and politely cover your mouth with your hand while yawning during the sermon. If the minister is looking at you, cover the mouth with both hands, and, at the close of the yawn, bring your jaws together with a cheerful snap.

"It is a mark of the highest culture and best breeding in refined society to look at your watch frequently during the service. After looking at your watch, always turn your head and gaze longingly and earnestly toward the door.

"Do not move if a stranger, accompanied by his wife and daughter, attempts to enter your pew. Permit them to climb over your legs, no matter how much they annoy you. This is the Lord's house, and all His children are welcome. It is not Christian, and it may even be questioned if it is really polite, to put your knees up against the back of the pew when a family of strangers attempt to enter. It is practiced in some churches, but we have never openly encouraged it here.

"Do not annoy strangers who may enter the church by looking at them, or even glancing in their direction. Nothing is more embarrassing to a sensitive person than to find himself an object of attention, under the eyes of strangers in a strange place. If he really wants a seat, he will find one without the obtrusive interference of other people. Some of the ablest scholars in our denomination believe the employment of ushers to be a relic of paganism and a legacy of Romanism, if, indeed, they are not the Scarlet Woman himself.

"At the close of service remark aloud, but to yourself, that you are hungry as a shark, and set off for home at a brisk trot. The house of the Lord is no place for idle chatter and worldly gossip with strangers."

He then describes the imposing edifice of the "Church of Saint Dives of Gilt-edge" and its methods:

But last of all, it may be by some mistake you stumble into the church of the Samaritans. You have no dealings with these fellows, and you would back out as soon as you see where you are going; but the Samaritans are wide awake, with some very informal notions about church etiquette. The sexton, standing on the porch sees you are a stranger, and the minute you pause hesitatingly in front of the church you are his. He hypnotizes you with a cheerful nod and a beckoning hand, and passes you on through the wide-open door almost before you know it. An old deacon in the vestibule has you by the hand at once, and introduces you to "our church clerk," adding as he reaches your part of the introduction: "I don't exactly *know your name*,"—as though he used to know it like a book, and has a pretty good inkling of it now, but can't quite place you. An usher at each door is ready for you—there is a perfect picket line of sextons and deacons and ushers along the front of the church of the Samaritans; not to keep people out, but to bring them in; it isn't a fort, it's a hospital; it's a man-trap baited with Christian courtesy, and the man who is caught there never tries to get away. The older you are the better seat you get; if you just hint to the young fellow who is leading you forward that your hearing is a little "near-sighted," he'll get you the best seat in the house, if he has to ask a resident Samaritan to give it up to you. You get comfortably seated, and somebody pushes a hassock toward you; a child from the next pew hands you a hymn-book; an old lady puts a Bible into your hands. The minister looks at you as though he had seen you before and was glad to see you again.

Before you get fairly out of the pew, after service, somebody has you by the hand, telling you he is glad to see you there, the pastor is asking you to come again, the usher is telling you the hour of evening service, the superintendent is giving you an invitation to stay to Sunday-school, and when, a little ashamed of the way you felt when you tried to back out, you say, rather meekly, you are a member of the Church of Jerusalem yourself, they say, reassuringly: "Oh, that's all right; there isn't much difference between the Samaritans and the Church of Jerusalem now; lots of your people drop in and see us on their way to Jericho;" the deacon tells you "he got the best wife in the world out of the Church of Jerusalem;" and so you have a good time, and go away with such a glow at your heart that if it wasn't Sunday, and in town, you'd take off your coat.

You see, it is just here; the Samaritans feel at home in their church, and consequently they know just how to make strangers feel at home there. It is their Father's house, and they conduct themselves there as easily, cordially, naturally as children at home. A church of that sort has a home-like atmosphere the visitor recognizes and enjoys. Any guest can tell the family living-room from the "spare-room" with his eyes shut. The trouble with some of our churches is that the members frequent them so seldom they have a *cat-in-a-strange-garrety* feeling themselves when they do go, and are consequently awkward and constrained in their efforts to make the stranger feel welcome—very much as I should probably act if, being a chance visitor at the palace, I should attempt to receive Queen Victoria's guests in the drawing-room, while she finished her luncheon of bread and honey in the kitchen.

Get acquainted in your own church; feel at home there yourself; get into the habit of frequenting the house during the week; and on Sunday attend both services and the Sunday-school—see how easily the "workers" of the hive and the little people receive and entertain guests—and you will soon find yourself as cordial and warm-hearted as those fellows over in the Church of the Samaritans, and won't ask for a letter of introduction and countersigned credentials before passing a hymn-book to a stranger. And remember always the injunction of Peter, "an apostle of Jesus Christ," writing "to the strangers scattered throughout Pontus, Galatia, Cappadocia, Asia and Bithynia:" "Finally, be ye all of one mind, having a compassion one of another, love as brethren, be pitiful, be courteous."

## CHOICE SELECTIONS.

—The unrest of this weary world is its unvoiced cry after God.—Munger.

—The more honesty a man has, the less he affects the air of a saint.—Lavater.

—The religion that don't make people religious is not a good kind to have.—Ram's Horn.

—Busy lives, like busy waters, are generally pure. Stagnant lives, like stagnant pools, breed corruption.—Nicholas.

—Prayer is not eloquence, but earnestness; not the definition of helplessness, but the feeling of it; no figures of speech, but conjunction of soul.—H. More.

—What are sciences but maps of universal laws? And universal laws but the channels of universal power? And universal power but the outgoing of a universal mind?—E. Thompson.

—Our daily life should be sanctified by doing common things in a religious way. There is no action so slight or so humble but it may be done to a great purpose, and ennobled thereby.—George Macdonald.

—David hid God's word in his heart as a preservative from sin. Let that word only be cherished in the heart and it will purify our desires and strengthen us to resist evil. John declares: "I write unto you, young men, because ye are strong, and the word of God abideth in you, and ye have overcome the wicked one."—Standard.

—The personal appropriation of God is indispensable to our peace. It is those who can say "My God" who find true rest. "Thou wilt keep him in perfect peace whose mind is stayed on Thee." The belief that God is great, wise and good is common, and a belief that His providence watches over and cares for all is generally entertained. It is necessary that we have a more conscious sense of His love than this. Each Christian ought to realize that all that God is He is willing to be to Him, so that He can accept every promise as made by God to himself.—Christian Inquirer.

# THE BOWSERS.

## Mr. B's Excited Ideas About Spontaneous Combustion.

SOON after supper the other evening, Mr. Bowser slipped upstairs, and as his action looked very mysterious to me I followed him. I found him overhauling the clothes basket.

"Mrs. Bowser," he began by way of explanation, "do you know that we have had a close call—a dozen close calls—from being burned alive in our beds?"

"Lands, no! What do you mean?"

"I mean that there hasn't been an hour in the twenty-four since we moved into this house that it was not liable to take fire. In other words, we have been slumbering on the edge of a volcano."

"Why, Mr. Bowser!"

"Nothing but the hand of Providence has prevented a great disaster," he continued, as he dumped the last of the clothes out of the hamper.

MR. BOWSER KICKED AT THE CAT.

"But what has that hamper to do with it?"

"Every thing. Mrs. Bowser, did you ever hear of spontaneous combustion?"

"Of course."

"Well, there hasn't been a day that all the elements necessary to spontaneous combustion haven't been present in this hamper. Also, in various other places in this house. I shudder over our narrow escape."

"You—you haven't gone and got another fire-escape, have you?"

"There you go! Always ready to throw up something! I suppose you'll call this a notion of mine?"

"What has spontaneous combustion got to do with our clothes hamper?"

"Every thing. Here are the elements right here to start a fire. Here are cotton, wool and silk crowded together in a temperature of at least ninety degrees. Nothing could be more favorable."

"I don't believe it!"

"What! What!" shouted Mr. Bowser holding up a pillow-slip in one hand and one of baby's stockings in the other. "You don't believe in spontaneous combustion!"

"Under certain conditions, yes, but those conditions can not be found here. Some one has been working on your imagination."

"Oh! They have! On my imagination!" he softly whispered. "When every scientist and scientific publication believes in spontaneous combustion—when it is practically demonstrated every day in the year, when it is a fact is as well known as that a horse has teeth, you stand there and tell me that I have been played on! Mrs. Bowser, will you have the kindness to go down-stairs?"

I went down, and he took every article from the hamper and spread them out on the floor. Then he went through every clothes-closet and bureau drawer, and it was fully two hours before he came down and heaved a great sigh of relief, and said:

"There! We shall not be burned alive—not to-night!"

"There was no danger," I replied.

"There wasn't, eh! Mrs. Bowser, I—I—!"

His emotion overcame him, and I got opportunity to say:

"Why don't other people's houses burn up through spontaneous combustion?"

No answer.

"I haven't seen any thing in the papers about a clothes-hamper explosion."

Mr. Bowser gritted his teeth.

"If it has got to that pass that the sheets off the spare bed can't come in contact with the baby's stockings without striking fire, we'd better fill the cellar with tin boxes."

Mr. Bowser kicked at the cat, but missed her by about two feet.

"But there'll be a fire, of course. You have overlooked an old vest somewhere, and it will get down off its hook and walk over to one of your old shoes and arrange for a bonfire. I shan't sleep a wink to-night."

Mr. Bowser circled around the room three times with great dignity, and then went off to bed. When he was out of the way I went out and had a talk with the cook. The result was that we brought an iron kettle into the front hall, got out some cotton-batting, and as I went upstairs, she whispered to me:

"I understand, ma'am. In exactly half an hour I'm to touch it off."

Mr. Bowser was in bed, and though I spoke about the cool wave, baby's cold and other things, he had nothing to say. I wasn't hurt, however. I got into bed and waited. It wasn't over ten minutes until the odor of burning cotton was plain enough in the room, and I sat up and gave Mr. Bowser a dig and asked:

"Don't you smell smoke?"

"Smoke!" he shouted, after a sniff or two. "I smell fire!"

"Perhaps the cook lighted the gas with paper."

"Perhaps the confounded house is afire! (he jumps out of bed) of course it is! (he goes to the door) she's all ablaze down-stairs! Fire! Fire!"

"The baby!" I shouted as he danced around, but he was gone, carrying his pantaloons and one shoe under his arm. He ran down the hall, shouting "fire!" at the top of his voice, came back and grabbed his necktie and shouted again, and the next I heard of him he was in front of the house yelling like an Indian. Half a dozen men were going by, on their way home from some sort of convention, and they rushed into the house and soon located the fire. I heard Mr. Bowser telling them that he had long expected it, and that he had the most careless wife in the world, and that he hadn't slept sound for three months, and then there was a pause. They had found the kettle with the smoking cotton.

I didn't hear Mr. Bowser laughing with the rest. Perhaps he tried to, and it was a failure. It took all the rest of the beer in the case to get the men out, and they also ate up all the cheese and crackers, but when they had gone Mr. Bowser came upstairs. He struck every step with the tread of a Roman Emperor. Baby and I were in bed and apparently sound asleep. He came in, walked twice around the room with his hands under his coat-tails, and then loomed up over the bed and said:

"Mrs. Bowser, I have come to kiss my child good-bye before I go."

I didn't say any thing.

"Mrs. Bowser, I shall take the child with me!"

I didn't answer.

"Mrs. Bowser!"

At that moment the cook come down the hall and asked who was there.

"It's I," answered Mr. Bowser.

"And what are you doing?"

"N-nothing."

"Then you'd better be in bed and let the poor missus and baby and me get a few winks of sleep! Such a house! Such carryings on! Such spontaneous combustuous kick-up-a-fustabus! I give you notice, sir, that I quit me place before the dishes are washed in the morning!"

She went off to bed, and Mr. Bowser made two more circles of the room, kicked the footstool under the bed and then crept into his accustomed place and was snoring away in the usual manner in less than fifteen minutes.—Detroit Free Press.

## THE DEAR LITTLE THINGS.

Farmer Haighcode (warningly)—There be a hornets' nest in that tree, young ladies!

Miss Metropole (just arrived from New York)—Oh, we won't disturb it; we both love birds.—Puck.

## SOMETHING NEW.

Purchaser—You don't call this a refrigerator? Why there is no place to hold the victuals!

Dealer—It is not intended for that madam. You see this glass gives you a full view of the ice, and the refrigerator is intended to go in the parlor among the costly bric-a-brac.—The Jury.

**Betting on a Sure Thing.**

Reggie—Cholly's matched his pair of donkeys against Bertie's cobs and Teddy's bronchos.

The Major—Cholly goin' to drive the donkeys?

Reggie—Of cou'se.

The Major—Then I back the donkeys.

Reggie—But I don't see why, don't-cherknow.

The Major—Because three of a kind beats two pairs.—Life.

## CHANGED HER MIND.

Why Miss Le Grande decided not to bathe.—Life.

**Woman's Way.**

She—Isn't that the woman who worried the life out of her husband and killed him by inches?

He—Yes, and now she goes and sobs on his grave till you can hear her over the fence.—Life.

## VICTIMS OF GASTRONOMY.

**Onion, Coffee, Water-Melon and Bread-and-Butter Fiends.**

"I was for many years a victim of the onion habit," he said. "Onions to a man who likes them are irresistibly fascinating. It was always a temptation to me to eat them at every opportunity. When I was forced to go out a day, and so was obliged to deny myself the onions, my sacrifice caused me actual misery. One of my tricks was to eat a late supper after working hard until long past midnight. Of this supper sliced onions with a salad dressing formed no unimportant part. I discovered that the more onions I ate the less I was able to resist the cajoleries of their flavor, and, determining to free myself from this servitude, I deliberately sat down one night to cure my unsavory passion. I sliced the biggest and strongest ones that I could find, made my own dressing and then set to eat them. I ate until my throat was on fire and my stomach was a furnace. I ate until tears poured from my eyes. The biggest and strongest one of all I saved for the last and as I devoured that I wept bitterly. But I was without pity toward myself and remorselessly and fiercely ate on. I have not eaten an onion since that night. I do not like them."

While on the subject of the onion habit the writer ventures to mention another no less terrible in its chains of slavery. A bachelor, who works late at night and so does not arise at an early hour, has for years had his coffee in bed immediately upon awakening. He declares that if he is forced to dress without having had his coffee he is unable to eat breakfast. He suffers from a severe headache all day and goes to bed miserable. He admits that he has not the courage to try to break himself of the habit. Wives and mothers doubtless feel no sympathy for this slave.

Another case is that of a man who was passionately fond of watermelons. Coming from San Francisco to New York once he acquired a violent "watermelon thirst." The ride across the hot plains of Nevada had left his throat with a wild craving for watermelon. At North Platte, Neb., he was able to buy a sickly green watermelon for $1.25. He returned to his sleeping car armed with his melon and six bottles of beer. He ate the melon down to the rind, drank the beer that afternoon and spent the night on an exploring trip similar to one of Dante's. That watermelon, he says, was his last. He could forgive the beer, but the melon—never!

And now men in three instances having shown themselves poor, weak creatures, the tools of the whims and fancies of a depraved taste, it is only fair to speak of the case of a woman who is the wife of one of the best-known men in New-England. Before going to bed at night she always eats a thin slice of bread and butter. She avers that without it she could not sleep. She never eats more than one slice, but that one slice is actually necessary for a peaceful slumber. She is a striking example of a victim of the bread-and-butter habit.—N. Y. Tribune.

## ALL SPEAK ENGLISH.

**Business Men on the Continent Compelled to Learn the Language.**

On the continent, both Brother Jonathan and John Bull and their families become your traveling companions. The English are the more numerous because they can cross from London to Germany in one day and to Switzerland in two days; but the Americans are nevertheless a multitude. Two-thirds of the passengers on the Rhine steamers are English and Americans. The majority of those who ascend the Righi and Pilatus are of the same nationalities, and the steamers on the beautiful Swiss lakes could not exist without them. There is no occasion to trouble yourself about your ignorance of the language along the Rhine or in Switzerland. If you can't speak their language, and it is very rarely that an American or Englishman can speak any but his own, the natives will speak yours. The Germans, the Swiss and the French are far better linguists than the Anglo-Saxons are. I doubt whether there are five hundred Americans and Englishmen who can fluently speak a foreign language; but in the more frequented parts of Germany and Switzerland about every fourth man can understand English.

The inhabitants of the picturesque portion of the Continent are compelled to learn English. The Anglo-Saxon travel has become so great that it is a business necessity. I have been informed that a hotel in Switzerland or the Rhine country will not employ a clerk, waiter or porter who does not speak English. I know that during a sojourn at many hotels in these countries I have never yet been unable to make known my wants in my own language.

In Switzerland the tide of Anglo-Saxon travel is enormous. The Swiss owe the English and us a great debt of gratitude; for without the two people it would be very difficult for them to make both ends meet. Switzerland is very picturesque and beautiful. It seems as if nature had crowded all her grandest effects into this little country, and I have not yet met a person who did not find the land of the Swiss to be all that fancy painted it; but snow-capped mountains, tremendous gorges and deep, blue lakes can not, of themselves, contribute much to the support of human life. It is only through the strangers these mountains draw that their inhabitants are able to live in frugal comfort.—Cor. Louisville Courier-Journal.

**Been a Good Boy.**

Willie (down in the country writing home to his father)—And I have been a good boy, too, papa. I haven't run away for a week.

Willie's Mamma (adding a postscript)—Willie has been confined to the house for a week with a very sore toe.—Chicago Tribune.

—A Pittsfield hardware dealer tells of a man who entered his store the other day and asked to look at some nippers or pliers. Some were shown him, whereupon he calmly affixed a pair to one of his teeth, pulled the molar from his jaw, laid it with the nippers on the counter and asked the bill.


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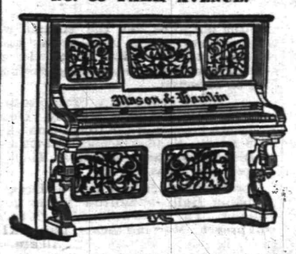


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| 2d trip | 8.15 A. M. | to meet | 8.38 A. M. | train. |
| 3d do | 9.15 | do | 9.39 | do |
| 4th do | 10.00. | do | 10.27 | do |
| 5th do | 11 00 | do | 11.24 | do |
| 6th do | 11.45 | do | 12.08 P.M. | do |
| 7th do | 1.45 P. M. | do | 2.15 & 2.38 P.M. | do |
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| 10th do | 5.00 | do do | 5.39 | do |
| 11th do | 5.45 | do do | 6.07 | do |
| 12th do | 6.45 | do do | 7.02 | do |

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Leave Plainfield 3 37, 5 24, 5 38, 6 29, 6 58, 7 26 7 50, 7 58, 8, 8 15, 8 31, 8 37, 9 32, 10 05, 11 09, 11 35 A. M., 12, 1 41, 2 07, 2 30, 3 13, 3 51, 5 06, 5 37, 6 07, 6 54, 7 03, 8 31, 9 28, 10 12, 11 28 P. M. Sunday—3 37, 5 24, 8 01, 8 52, 11 02, 11 16 A. M., 12 33, 1 33, 3 30, 5 16, 7 01, 7 10, 8 23, 8 32, 10 02 P. M.

Leave New York from foot of Liberty street, 4 30, 6 45, 7, 7 45, 8 45, 10, 11, A. M., 1, 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4, 4 30, 5, 5 15, 5 30, 5 45, 6, 6 15, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 8, 8 30, 9 15, 10, 11 30 P. M., 12 15, night. Sunday—4 30, 7, 8 30, 9, 9 30, A. M., 12 M., 1, 3 15, 4, 5 30, 6, 7, 9 00, 10 00 P. M., 12 15 night.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield 5 38, 6 29, 6 58, 7 30, 8 27, 9 32, 10 05, 11 09, 11 39, A. M., 1, 2 07, 2 30, 3 13, 3 51, 5 06, 5 31, 6 07, 6 54, 7 03, 8 31, 10 12, 11 28 P. M. Sunday—8 01, 8 52, 11 02, 11 16, A. M., 12 33, 1 30, 3 30, 5 16, 7 01, 7 10, 8 23, 8 32, 10 02 P. M.

Leave Newark 7 10, 7 50, 8 55, 10 10, 11 05 A. M., 1 05, 1 35, 2 40, 3 40, 4 02, 4 37, 5 05, 5 30, 6 55, 6 25, 7 15, 7 35, 8 20, 9 35, 10 10, 11 25 P. M. Sunday—7 20, 8 40, 9 05, 9 50, A. M., 12 05, 1 10, 4 10, 5 40, 6 05, 7 05, 9 25, 10 20 P. M.

Passengers for Newark change cars at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7, 8 07, 9 42, 11, 11 58 A. M., 1 59, 3 24, 4 34, 5 20, 6 38, 8 05, 9 36, 10, 7 13, 7 34 8 20, 9 43, 11 13, 12 43 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 13, 9 46, A. M., 2 03, 2 30, 5 14, 6 35, 10 15, 11 14 P. M.

Leave Somerville, 6, 6 30, 7 03, 7 25, 7 36, 7 48 9 05, 9 47, 11 15 A. M., 12 35, 1 15, 1 48, 2 05, 3 2 4 40, 5 12, 5 35, 6 05, 6 50, 11 05, P. M. Sunday—8 25, 10 35 A. M., 12 08, 105, 4 50, 6 40, 8 03, 8 53, 9 30 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7, 8 07, 9 42, A. M., 1 59, 4 24, 5 20, 6 38, 8 30 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 13 A. M., 2 03, 6 35 P. M.

Leave Easton 6 05, 8 44, 10 A. M., 12 32, 4 09, 6 49 P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 52, A. M., 6 40, 7 30 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 7, 9 42 A. M., 1 59, 5 20 P. M. Sunday—8 13 A. M.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

LEAVE PLAINFIELD.

5 45 A. M. for Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

7 A. M. for High Bridge Branch and Easton.

8 07 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 42 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Shamokin, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

1 59 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, &c.

4 34 P. M. for D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

5 20 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Schooley's Mountain, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, &c.

6 20 P. M. for Flemington.

6 38 P. M. for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg.

8 20 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8 13 a. m. Sundays for High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, &c., 2 03 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua and Pottsville. 6 35 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

For Atlantic City, 8 37 a. m. 1 p. m.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c.

Leave Plainfield 3 37, 8, 11 09, a. m., 1, 3 51, 5 31, p. m. Sundays—(except Ocean Grove) 8 52, a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 38, 8, 10 05, 11 09, a. m., 1, 3 51, 5 31, 7 03 p. m. Sunday—8 52 a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8, 11 09 a. m., 1, 3 51, 5 31, p. m.

BOUND BROOK ROUTE.

Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia, 1 39, 5 45, 6 29, 7, 8 45, 11 58*, a. m., 1 29*, 3 37*, 4 08, 5 54*, 8 39*, 8 20 p. m. Sundays—1 17, 9 48, a. m., 2 20* 4 08, 5 14*, 6 55 p. m.

For Baltimore and Washington at 1 17, 9 48, 11 58*, a. m., 2 45, 4 08, 5 54* p. m. Sundays—1 17, 9 48 a. m., 2 47, 4 08, 5 14* p. m.

RETURNING—LEAVE PHILADELPHIA.

Ninth and Green streets, 7 30*, 8 30*, 9 30*, 11 05 a. m., 12 45, 1 30, 3 15, 5 15, 6 15, 8 02, 8 45, 12 p. m. Sundays—9 a. m., 12 50, 3 10, 5 15, 6 10, 8, 11 p. m.

From 24th and Chestnut—8 10, 8 50*, 11 05, a. m. 12 52, 3 20, 6 18, 8 05, p. m. Sundays—3 10, 9 35 a. m., 12 52, 3 20, 6 18, 8 05 p. m.

Leave Trenton, Warren and Tucker sts., 1 20, 4 09, 7*, 9*, 10 10, 11 55 a. m. 1 28, 2 10, 5 40*, 6 55, 8 05, 8 47, 10 p. m. Sundays—1 20, 4 09, 9 45 a. m., 1 28, 4, 5 55, 7, 8 47 p. m.

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**EIGHT PERSONS WERE KILLED.**

**Two Freight Trains Run Into Each Other at Full Speed.**

**They Met on a Sharp Curve—An Engineer and Fireman Terribly Mangled—One Man's Body Crushed to a Pulp and Roasted by Fire—Twenty-three Loaded Cars Completely Demolished.**

ZANESVILLE, O., Sept. 29.—One of the worst wrecks in the history of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad occurred ten miles west of here at midnight. Eight men were killed, one terribly injured and property to the amount of $100,000 destroyed.

The wreck was caused by the failure of Francis Keelty, operator at Blackhand, to deliver orders to an east-bound freight, side tracking at that station until a west-bound train passed. The two trains collided on a sharp curve just outside of a dense wood and neither engineer saw the other train until within a few yards of it.

**Train Hands Terribly Mangled.**

The engineer and fireman on the east-bound train jumped, the latter escaping uninjured, but the former, John Kelp of Newark, had a leg cut off near his body and is not expected to live. The engineer and fireman of the west-bound train were instantly killed, the former being terribly mangled by the splintered cars which were rained into the tender. His blood and brains were scattered over the ground for several feet around. The fireman was caught between the engine and tender and crushed to a pulp. When taken out the body was roasted by the fire from the engines.

**List of Killed.**

The list of killed is as follows: John Buckingham, engineer, Newark, O.; John Cochran, residence unknown; Benjamin Smart, brakeman, Gratiot, O.; Glenn Bash, Zanesville, O.; Thomas McCreary, Newark, O.; George W. Stoneburner, Zanesville, O.; William Firestone, fireman, Newark, O. One unknown. The dead were removed to an empty car as fast as recovered and taken to Newark for preparation for burial.

A large force of men were set to work clearing the track of the debris. Twenty-three loaded cars were completely demolished. The operator fled as soon as he learned the awful result of his carelessness and has not yet been apprehended.

**Two Men Killed in Pennsylvania.**

CLARION, Pa., Sept. 29.—A south-bound freight train on the Pittsburg & Western Railroad leaped the trestle at Shepperville, near this place, at 1 o'clock, killing Fireman Silas Elder and Brakeman Shreckengost and presumably fatally injuring Engineer Frank Wood.

### WANTED FOR FORGERY.

**"Lord McKenzie's" Way of Obtaining Money at Perth Amboy.**

NEW BRUNSWICK, N. J., Sept. 29.—Edward W. Hicks, alias Lord Hugh Edward McKenzie, who created a sensation near this place about two years ago by marrying Farmer Johnson's daughter, is wanted for forgery.

After he left here he went to Perth Amboy, where he secured employment with Editor Kempson. He was overcome by the heat last summer, and when he recovered said he was going to visit his father in the West Indies. It has been discovered that he procured money from Mr. Kempson's father under false pretenses and forged the name of a collector employed by Mr. Kempson. Hicks is supposed to be at Kingston, Jamaica.

**Death of Mrs. Hannah Cook.**

FALL RIVER, Mass., Sept. 29.—Mrs. Hannah Cook, who in 1819 started the third power loom put up in this city, died yesterday in the 87th year of her age. She was at the time of starting the loom 14 years old. Mrs. Cook was also the discoverer of the skeleton which was celebrated by Longfellow in his poem "The Skeleton in Armor." The skeleton was found in a sank bark and was destroyed in the Atheneum fire in 1843.

**An Engineers' Strike Expected.**

CLEVELAND, O., Sept. 29.—T. J. Gau, Chairman of the Grievance Committee of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, is in the city to attend a conference of the leaders of that organization. He intimates that there is serious trouble brewing among the engineers, and that a sensation may be developed at Ft. Wayne, Ind. Matters have arisen, he says, that must tie up all the Ft. Wayne roads unless a speedy settlement is reached.

**An American Schooner Seized.**

HALIFAX, N. S., Sept. 29.—A telegram from Charlottetown, P. E. I., says: E. J. Hodgson, Q. C., acting under instructions from the Minister of Justice, has taken proceedings in the Vice-Admiralty Court for the condemnation of the Gloucester fishing schooner Davy Crockett on a charge of committing a breach of the fishery treaty of 1818. The vessel will be immediately seized by the marshal of the Vice-Admiralty Court.

**Major McKinley's Race for Congress.**

CANTON, O., Sept. 29.—Among those who will take part in the election of Major McKinley for Congress are Messrs Sherman, Forakes, Grosvenor, Hoar and possibly Ingalls, Frye and Blaine; that it will be a campaign of National concern and that the fight will be waged upon the tariff issue.

### THE BIRCHALL TRIAL.

**The Prisoner Will Probably Know His Fate To-Night.**

WOODSTOCK, Sept. 29.—It is the opinion of the counsel in the Benwell-Birchall case that the prisoner at the bar will know his fate to-night. The evidence is all in and the case will go to the jury during the afternoon. It is thought that it will not take long for them to agree on a verdict.

Birchall still maintains his self-control. He arose at 7 o'clock and was ready at 8 for the breakfast sent in from the Commercial Hotel, which was served in his hotel. Birchall ate with a hearty relish. He first disposed of a dish of milk and oatmeal, with an abundance of brown bread, and then fell to with a sharp appetite on some poached eggs and bacon, fried potatoes, two cups of coffee and numerous slices of buttered toast. Then he lit a cigar and turned his attention to his papers and letters.

Since Saturday Birchall has assumed a new position in his discussion of his trial. Previously he spoke confidently about the prospects of being acquitted; now, however, the most he seems to hope for in his conversation with Turnkey Forbes and the other jail officials is a disagreement of the jury.

### TIGHTENING THE COIL.

**Discovering New and Strong Evidence Against the Suspected Lingo.**

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 29.—A good deal of evidence was found yesterday which goes to strengthen the theory that the negro, Lingo, was the murderer of Annie Miller, who was found in the woods near Merchantville, with her head severed from the body. Among the most material circumstances was the finding of a deep gash and several scratches on one of Lingo's hands, which, from his failure to properly account for them, has deepened the conviction of the authorities that he is the assassin.

Lingo made a statement in which he attempted to explain the cause of the gash by saying that his knife slipped while he was cutting corn. The scratches he claimed to have received from the nails of a child he was fondling one day last week. His demeanor while he was giving this explanation was not such as to impress the authorities with its truth, and they now feel certain that they have the murderer of Annie Miller, if not the assassin of Annie Leconey.

**Mrs. Wuchter's Long Fast.**

ALLENTOWN, Pa., Sept. 29.—One hundred and eighty-two days of involuntary fasting, without a morsel of food or a drop of water, is the record made thus far by Lehigh County's now famous but unfortunate invalid, Mrs. Adam Wuchter, up at White Hall, seven miles above here. Her condition has changed but slightly for the worse since last Saturday.

**Erie Train Men Conferring.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 29.—A committee of forty-three, representing over 10,000 men employed in train service on the Erie system, is now in this city for the purpose of conferring with the officers and securing a new schedule of hours. The committee is headed by its chairman, A. B. Youngson, and C. Chapman, its secretary.

**Drowned Herself.**

HYDE PARK, Mass., Sept. 29.—Mrs. Hayes, wife of Dr. Charles C. Hayes, drowned herself in the Neponset River during the morning. She was 50 years of age. Her body, which was recovered, will be taken to Madison, Wis., where her father, ex-Governor Mills of Wisconsin, resides.

**Clerical Changes.**

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Sept. 29.—Rev. Dr. W. L. Phillips, pastor of the First Methodist Episcopal Church of this city, has accepted a call to the First Congregational Church in New Haven, Conn. He will be succeeded by Rev. Boyle, now pastor of the Park Avenue M. E. Church of New York city.

**Arrested for Abduction.**

TROY, N. Y., Sept. 29.—Eva Lee, a flashily-dressed woman who it is understood lives on 128th street, New York, is in jail here on a charge of trying to abduct young girls. She was arrested at the Union Depot as she was about to leave for New York with three Troy girls.

**Will Raise the Boycott.**

FALL RIVER, Mass., Sept. 29.—The Trades' Council has decided to raise the Fleischmann boycott, but to retain the boycott on Vienna bread. It is expected that the boycott, which has been on more than a year, will be lifted in all large cities.

**Baby Hamilton in New Hands.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 29.—Baby Beatrice Hamilton passed last night in this city, and she will hereafter be cared for by the executors of the estate of Robert Ray Hamilton whose tragic death in the Yellowstone region recently ended a career replete with sensational episodes.

## WASHINGTON TOPICS

### The Tariff Bill Before the Senate To-Day.

**OPPOSITION FROM THE WEST.**

**The Bill Expected to Go to the President To-Morrow.**

**The Deficiency Bill to be Taken Up and Passed—No Definite Plans for Work in the House—The Rules to be Suspended and Bills Rushed Through—Adjournment Day.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 29.—The conference report on the Tariff bill was taken up in the Senate to-day, and speeches on it are being made by Senator Aldrich for the Republican conferees and by Senator Carlisle for the Democrats. Senator McPherson, who has been detained from the Senate Chamber by illness for some time, has said that if he is well enough he will speak in opposition to the report, and Mr. Gorman may make some remarks in opposition. Mr. Ingalls, who was in the chair during almost all of the debate on the bill, may make a speech. He is not quite certain whether he will or not.

The Western and Northwestern Senators who are displeased with the binding twine schedule have said that they will demand a hearing, but the friends of the bill hope to persuade them not to interfere with its passage. Senator Paddock has said that he will vote against the conference report, and he says that a number of Republican Senators will vote with him.

It was whispered about last night that if the number of Republicans in the negative was sufficient to endanger the adoption of the report the friends of the bill had an assurance of negative support from two of the Democratic Senators, who will absent themselves without being paired, against the bill.

The chances are that the bill will go to the President to-night or to-morrow morning.

The Senate will make an effort to clear up a few odds and ends of legislation while the bill is before the President, notably the conference report on the Deficiency bill and the conference report on the bill to relieve the Supreme Court, if they are ready for consideration. An effort will be made also to call up the Labor bills now on the calendar. It is likely the Senate will amend the House resolution for adjournment so as to make the time for adjourning Wednesday or Thursday, or perhaps a little later.

### WORK BEFORE THE HOUSE.

**Bills on the Speaker's Table to be Passed by Unanimous Consent.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 29.—The House managers have no definite plans for the week beyond providing for discussion on the conference report on the Deficiency Appropriation bill, which will be presented to-morrow. Several committees are anxious to get days to dispose of bills in their charge but the requests will probably not be granted, and it is likely that the House will spend some time in passing bills on the Speaker's table under suspension of the rules by unanimous consent.

Bills on the Speaker's table consist of Senate bills and House bills with Senate amendments. It is possible that a conference report on the bill to relieve the Supreme Court of the United States will also be presented and considered.

**The Three New Warships.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 29.—Considerable interest is manifested in naval circles over the results of the bids that are to be opened at the Navy Department on Wednesday for the construction of three great battle ships and a swift triple screw steamer for the navy. About $15,000,000 has been appropriated for these vessels, and the conditions of their construction are sufficiently favorable to induce bids from all active vessel builders. It is not unlikely that the vessels will be divided among the bidders, as Secretary Tracy is anxious to have them completed as soon as possible.

**Bills Vetoed.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 29.—President Harrison has vetoed only five bills this session of Congress, all comparatively unimportant. In the first session of the Fiftieth Congress, Mr. Cleveland vetoed 128 bills.

**Mr. Gompers' Lieutenant Resigns.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 29.—President Gompers, of the American Federation of Labor, has received the resignation of Vice-President William Martin. Mr. Martin is a resident of Pittsburg, and until recently he was general secretary of the Amalgamated Association of Iron and Steel Workers. He was also a school trustee in Pittsburg. His reasons for his resignation is the fact that he has been elected general manager of the Commercial Company (Limited) of that city.


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### ON THE HOMESTRETCH.

**The Contest on the Diamond to End This Week.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 29.—This week will see the conclusion of the championship of the most remarkable championship season in the history of the National game. The closeness of the race for the pennant in both the Players' and National Leagues have made the games interesting, but they have not been nearly as exciting as in 1889. Then the New Yorks were not declared the champions until the last game had been played.

This season the question is positively known now and was anticipated fully a month ago. Brooklyn, Boston and Louisville will carry off the honors in the League, Brotherhood and the Association. They all have a large margin. In the League and Brotherhood second place is still in doubt, although Ward is almost certain to follow the Bostons over the line, and Anson's men have the best prospects of finishing next to the Grooms. Even as close as the New Yorks are to the Brooklyn Players' and Philadelphia is to Anson, the interest is not very great.

This is far different from the state of affairs existing twelve months ago when popular interest was at its height. That the local clubs are unable to get first or second place may have something to do with it, but even in Brooklyn there is little rejoicing over the result. The whole story is that the division of interest between League and Brotherhood has almost ruined the season, and has caused the great contrast between the present year and any former one since baseball established its claims to be called the national game.

None of the clubs has of late attracted such attention as the Chicagos. The remarkable record during the last forty-five games played is probably surpassed only by the famous Cincinnatis, who in 1886 played the season without losing a game. The old man of baseball has made friends by the score by his wonderful fight against odds that would have completely overwhelmed an ordinary captain. There was not one baseball enthusiast in a hundred who would, last spring, have picked out the Chicago colts as a possible quantity in the League race. With his crowd of youngsters the team looked to be outclassed in League company. Anson's strict field discipline, his ability to instill into his followers the energy and hustling qualities so essential to a winning team have told, and he is now right up in the swim battling for the second honors.

Cleveland made a good rally recently, and Cincinnati, Philadelphia and New York are now coming down the home stretch in fine form. Boston has fallen by the wayside, owing to its crippled condition. Philadelphia has a chance of beating the Chicagos out of second place, and the "Reds" may come in third, but no other changes can take place during the week.

Kelly's men played good ball until they were positive the pennant was won. By winning four games in succession in Chicago and Cleveland they made sure of first place.

Ward is still holding his Wonders down to their fine work. Ewing, on the other hand, is allowing his men to become careless. They can scarcely get a worse position than they have at present, and it is doubtful if his team can oust the Brooklyns out of second place.

President Byrne of the Brooklyns says that a meeting of the National League will be called in New York on October 8 to consider the proposed "deal" by which Cincinnati is to go to the Brotherhood.

### BASEBALL GAMES.

**American Association.**

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Columbus | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | —4 |
| Rochester | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | —2 |

Batteries—Knauss and Doyle; Miller and McKeoune.

AT TOLEDO.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Toledo | 1 | 4 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —11 |
| Athletic | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | —9 |

Pitchers—Cushman, Green and Stetcher.

AT ST. LOUIS.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| St. Louis | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | —2 |
| Baltimore | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | x | —4 |

Pitchers—Stivetts and McMahon.

AT LOUISVILLE.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Louisville | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | —3 |
| Syracuse | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 3 | —10 |

Pitchers—Ehret and Mars.

**Standing of the Clubs.**

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

| | Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'ct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Brookl'n | 83 | 43 | .659 | Cincin'ti | 73 | 55 | .570 |
| Chicago | 79 | 53 | .598 | N. York | 69 | 64 | .496 |
| Philadel. | 76 | 50 | .603 | Clev'l'nd | 41 | 83 | .323 |
| Boston | 75 | 53 | .586 | Pittsb'rg | 22 | 110 | .168 |

PLAYERS' LEAGUE.

| | Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'ct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Boston | 78 | 45 | .634 | Philadel. | 67 | 59 | .532 |
| Brookl'n | 75 | 53 | .586 | Pittsb'rg | 55 | 67 | .451 |
| N. York | 73 | 53 | .579 | Clev'l'nd | 52 | 73 | .416 |
| Chicago | 71 | 62 | .534 | Buffalo | 34 | 93 | .268 |

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

| | Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'ct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Louf'v'le | 78 | 41 | .655 | Roch'st'r | 57 | 57 | .500 |
| St. Louis | 75 | 50 | .600 | Athletic | 55 | 66 | .455 |
| Col'mb's | 66 | 54 | .557 | Syracuse | 46 | 69 | .400 |
| Toledo | 63 | 55 | .534 | Baltim'e | 36 | 87 | .293 |

ATLANTIC ASSOCIATION.

| | Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'ct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| N. Hav'n | 80 | 34 | .702 | Harrisb'g | 50 | 69 | .420 |
| Lebanon | 59 | 49 | .546 | Wilm't'n | 32 | 62 | .300 |
| Newark | 58 | 62 | .483 | | | | |

**Schedule of To-Day's Games.**

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Cincinnati vs. New York, at Cincinnati.
Brooklyn vs. Cleveland, at Cleveland.
Boston vs. Chicago, at Chicago.
Philadelphia vs. Pittsburg, at Pittsburg.

PLAYERS' LEAGUE.

Cleveland vs. New York, at Cleveland.
Chicago vs. Brooklyn, at Chicago.
Buffalo vs. Boston, at Buffalo.
Pittsburg vs. Philadelphia, at Philadelphia.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

Athletics vs. Toledo, at Toledo.
Baltimore vs. St. Louis, at St. Louis.
Syracuse vs. Louisville, at Louisville.
Rochester vs. Columbus, at Columbus.

ATLANTIC ASSOCIATION.

Harrisburg vs. Lebanon, at Lebanon.

## THE CZAR ESCAPED

### A Train He Was Supposed to be on Wrecked.

**PLANS OF THE CONSPIRATORS.**

**An Obstruction Tightly Wedged in Between the Rails.**

**A Critical Moment for the Dockmen in London—Suicide in a Cathedral—Spanish Republicans Express Sympathy With England—A Dinner to Michael Davitt.**

ST. PETERSBURG, Sept. 29.—Another attempt has been made upon the life of the Czar. This time the conspirators planned to wreck a train by which it was believed the Czar intended to travel from St. Petersburg to Warsaw.

An obstruction was placed upon the track in the shape of five sleepers, which was tightly wedged in between the rails. The train which was supposed to be carrying the Czar crashed into this barricade of sleepers and was thrown from the track.

No details of the outrage have been obtained, and it is not known whether any arrests have been made in connection with the affair.

### A SERIOUS SITUATION.

**A Critical Moment for London's Giant Labor Organization.**

LONDON, Sept. 29.—The critical moment in the history of the Dockers' Union is approaching, the moment which will mark the beginning of a life and death struggle between this most remarkable of labor organizations and its natural enemy, the most gigantic organization of capital, the Shipowners' Federation.

Three vessels from Australia, loaded and manned by non-unionists, are due to arrive in London this week. If the dockers refuse to unload them a general lockout is certain to follow. If they do unload them they abandon the principle of unionism and forsake their brethren in Australia.

A lockout at this particular time would be a serious blow for the men, as their funds are depleted by their liberal donations in aid of the Australian strikers.

The Shipowners' Federation has enough non-union men on its lists to form a working force, and the only trouble would be to secure sufficient police aid to protect the new men for a while from the violence of the locked out union men. The unionists realize the gravity of the situation, and the matter will be fully debated at the first annual congress of the organization, which will be in session from to-morrow to Thursday.

**Meeting of Spanish Republicans.**

MADRID, Sept. 29.—A meeting of 4,000 Republicans was held in the largest theatre here to express sympathy with Portugal in her controversy with England. The action of the Spanish Government in increasing the military force on the Portuguese frontier was taken in view of the strong Republican feeling in Spain, and to guard against any possible demonstration in aid of the Portuguse Republicans in case of an outbreak against the Lisbon Government.

**Davitt's Paper a Success.**

LONDON, Sept. 29.—Michael Davitt and his editorial staff of the Labor World were banquetted last evening by the United Democratic Club. The boom with which the paper started out has more than been sustained. The circulation is rapidly increasing, and the venture is already one of the most remarkable of modern journalistic successes.

**Tragedy in a Cathedral.**

LONDON, Sept. 29.—The morning service at St. Paul's Cathedral yesterday was interrupted by a horrible tragedy. During the service a man named Easton, who was in the congregation, committed suicide by shooting himself twice with a revolver.

**A Long Voyage.**

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 29.—The steamship Yorktown has arrived here, 166 days from New York. The voyage was a stormy one. Boatswain James Weston was lost overboard during a squall on July 1st. A boat which was sent out to attempt his rescue was capsized, but the crew were saved. James Carr, a seaman, has lodged complaint with the police that Weston's death was caused by the second mate, Thomas Nolan, deliberately cutting the line to which Weston was holding while over the ship's side doing some work that Nolan had ordered him to do during the storm. Three other sailors corroborate Carr's statement.

**Society Shocked.**

JOHNSONBURG, Pa., Sept. 29.—Dr. H. H. Smith, a well known resident of this town, and his wife, whom he married last June, have separated, and society is shocked. Mrs. Smith was a Miss Maud Miles, of Ridgway. A short time ago she discovered letters which proved that the relations between her husband and a Miss Altenburg, a clerk in his furniture store, were not what they ought to be, and that the affair which had begun before her marriage had not been ended by that event.

She at once decided to leave the doctor, and he has gone to Salamanca, N. Y., the former home of Miss Altenburg. Miss Altenburg is also said to be in Salamanca.

**New York's County Clerk Dead.**

NEW YORK, Sept 29.—County Clerk Edward F. Reilly died at his home, No. 6 Attorney street, at 6:30 o'clock. Death resulted from typhoid malaria.

### A BID FOR SULLIVAN.

**Richard K. Fox Offers to Match Him Against Slavin for $25,000.**

LONDON, Sept. 29.—Billy Madden, in an interview about the fight, says: "My opinion is that Joe McAuliffe hasn't put enough of the devil in him. If he had only fought the second round as he did the first, he would have knocked Slavin out, but then you see, it wasn't on time."

When asked if American boxers must not now take a back seat, Madden said: "Not a bit of it. I believe that in John L. Sullivan America possesses the champion fighter of the world. Why Dick Fox is ready to match Sullivan against Slavin for $25,000, if Sullivan will agree to be trained by me. You see Slavin owes his success to his being able to last a bit longer than Joe, and he was dead beat himself at the finish. If McAuliffe had fought Slavin with the same spirit that Slavin showed, he would have knocked him out.

"It was a fair and square fight, and the man who says it wasn't don't know much about the matter. There never was a fairer fight inside the ropes."

Richard K. Fox agreed with what Madden had stated, and made this offer:

"If John L. Sullivan will box Frank Slavin and allow himself to be trained by Billy Madden I will back him to win $25,000, Sullivan to take the winnings if victorious, this offer to remain open for two weeks from date, and the money to be deposited with the Sportsman or Sporting Life newspapers."

Slavin refused to confirm the report that he had promised his future bride never to fight again.

It is currently reported that warrants have been issued for the apprehension of Slavin and McAuliffe. Inspector Harvey Chisholm has been entrusted with the warrants, and it is expected that the men will soon be in custody.

**Sullivan Says It's a Bluff.**

JERSEY CITY, N. J., Sept. 29.—John L. Sullivan says he has no use for Fox. The offer, he says, "is a great big bluff, and anybody who knows Fox can see through his game without half trying."

### FIGHTING ITALIANS.

**Two Factions Face Each Other With Revolvers and Stilletos.**

HAZELTON, Pa., Sept. 29.—There are two factions of Italians in this city and surrounding country—those who belong to a secret order, and those who are opposed to it. There is a great deal of bad blood between them.

Last night both factions met at a raffle, and late in the evening began to fight. Revolvers and stillettos were produced, and for a time things looked desperate. They were finally ejected from the hall and renewed the fight on the street. The non-society men were victorious.

One of them while on his way home on the outskirts of town was fired upon from ambush and his body and limbs riddled with two charges of birdshot. He had a miraculous escape from death.

Joe Permento, who bears the reputation of being a bandit at home and upon whose head there is a price, is being looked for by the police.

The society was recently organized and is not looked upon with favor by the people, who class it with the highbinders and Mollies.

### WAR ON BISHOPS.

**A Pennsylvania Congregation Opposed to Having Any Prelates at All.**

ALLENTOWN, Pa., Sept. 29.—The war of the bishops, which convulsed the Christian Evangelical Association of the United States last winter and spring, and resulted in the successive expulsion of all three of the rival bishops, Messrs. Dubbs, Bowman and Esher, has taken on a new phase in Pennsylvania.

A majority of the congregation of the Ebenezer Church of this city are opposed to having any bishops at all, and in order to place themselves beyond the authority of any that may hereafter be chosen by the association, they have applied to the civil court here to have the church charter so changed that the control of the church property and its ecclesiastical management may be transferred from the association to the congregation itself. A vigorous minority, who are not opposed to bishops, object to this procedure, and for several weeks they have kept up the liveliest sort of a fight against the majority faction.

**The Adams Express Reduce Wages.**

ERIE, Pa., Sept. 29.—The Adams Express Company gave its messengers and office men notice here of a reduction in their salaries and of a reduction in the force. The messengers on the Philadelphia and Erie and Pittsburg Railroad were reduced $10 a month and the office men from $5 to $15 a month. There is a disposition on the part of the employes to resent the action of the new vice-president, E. C. Wier, by leaving the company.

**A Jealous Wife Shoots Herself.**

NEW HAVEN, Sept. 29.—Mrs. Ezra H. Judd blew her brains out with a 32-calibre revolver in the Orange street restaurant of her husband. Her two minor children were witnesses of her death. She quarrelled with her husband about the breakfast, and while he was in another room she shot herself. Jealousy was the cause of the suicide. Judd is the proprietor of several cheap restaurants, and has been intimate with one of his cooks.

**Explosion of a Dry-House.**

NEW HAVEN, Sept. 29.—One of the fulminate dry-houses of the Winchester Arms Company exploded at 10 a. m. with a terrific report. No one was injured. The watchman, who had just left the building, was about 100 feet away, and was thrown down by the shock. Fortunately the house, a small one, was some distance from the larger buildings, otherwise great damage would have been done.

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## BY THE WAY.

—Elegant, sparkling cider, 3 years old, $1.50 per dozen, at E. P. Thorn's 17 Park avenue.

—A harvest home, fair and supper will be given in Vincent chapel, Thursday and Friday, for the benefit of the Evona Mission.

—There will be an auction sale of furniture to-morrow at two o'clock P. M., at No. 9 Madison avenue, T. J. Gillies, auctioneer.

—O. G. Irwin, for some time chief-engineer at the electric light plant, leaves this evening for Pittsburgh where he has been transferred to the Westinghouse shops.

—Lederer's opening of Fall and Winter millinery will occur Wednesday, Oct. 1, when a choice assortment of goods which all will be glad to inspect will be placed on sale.

—The United Tea and Coffee Grower's Association, announces the arrival of their first shipments of Nicaraugus coffee, direct from the plantation. Read their ad. today.

—A large congregation and a full choir welcomed the Rev. Dr. Yerkes at yesterday morning's service in the First Baptist church, it being his first appearance in his pulpit since his vacation.

—The consecration meeting of the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor of the Trinity Reformed church will be held this evening at eight o'clock. Visitors are always welcome.

—The weather which prevented a ball game Saturday was also accountable for the scarcity of young men wanting to borrow a quarter, who of late have been so numerous Saturday nights.

—Owing to pressure of work at the Potter Press Works the lathes and planers have been run to their full capacity every night until nine o'clock, for some time past. A night shift will be started to-night, with a full squad of men to help carry out the present demand for the Potter presses.

—One has to possess the skill of a slack-wire performer to keep on some of the sidewalks over in the Park. The Borough Council ought to take out life insurance policies and then stroll along the West side of Sycamore avenue, near Mercer, and perhaps they would see fit to have one danger-spot made safe.

—Michael Cox tried to wipe a North avenue restaurant off the face of the earth Saturday night, and in consequence was this morning fined $15 and sent to jail for thirty days. Henry Goeller also got into trouble and was fined $15. Bridget Newman, who was fined $30 several days ago, decided not to appeal, and paid her fine.

—The Fall social reunion and annual business meeting of the Congregational church will be held to-morrow evening at 8 o'clock. The roll of the church will be called and the pastor desires that every member should be present to answer to his name. The Ladies' Aid Society will serve refreshments and sociability will be combined with business.

## PARTICULAR MENTION.

Mrs. Henry B. Wells and Miss Dorothea Wells, of Washington avenue, are spending a few weeks at Boston.

John Hummer and wife, of Stanton, N. J., have been spending a few days at his brother's, L. A. Hummer of the Borough.

Miss Indiana Virginia MacCardell, of Chester, Pa., who has been the guest of Miss Florence M. Randolph, of West Front street, left town Saturday for Trenton.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Mehl will leave Plainfield today for their Winter home, Hoboken. Mr. Mehl is engaged in the produce business there with C. B. Clifton, also of Plainfield.

Thomas Chamberlain, of the Potter Press Works, after an enforced vacation of nearly four months, spent in England in search of health, has returned greatly benefitted, and will soon resume his former work again.

**They Didn't Know What a Good Road It Was.**

The ten-mile handicap road race of the Brooklyn Bicycle club, which was to have been held Saturday on the Westfield-Fanwood course, over the new county road, was postponed on account of the rain, it being erroneously supposed that the road would be muddy. Capt. W. Fuller states that the race will be run next Saturday rain or shine.

The entries to he race include Fred. Comingsby, J. M. Schoefen, E. A. McLeum, Howard Spelman, C. F. Quimby and N. H Rohmisour, all members of the Brooklyn Bicycle Club and wheelmen of national reputation. Mr. Comingsby will attempt to break the ten-mile road record of America. Dr. Gale has tendered the use of the Westfield club house to the visiting wheelmen. The local clubs will be out in force to render such assistance as they can. The event promises to be very interesting.

The problem of medicine is solved by Hires' Root Beer imparting pure, rich blood. Source of health. Without pure blood a person cannot long remain healthy and free from disease. Hires' Root Beer Packages makes five gallons of a delicious, sparkling temperance drink. Cooling and quenching the thirst. All first-class druggists and grocers sell it.

## PLAINFIELD GETS A MEDAL.

**But Capt. Martin Had to Fight to Make It Second Instead of Third.**

The Elizabeth Wheelmen ran off their ten-mile handicap road race, open to all residents of Union county Saturday. From the start to the finish the men were well strung out, the handicaps not developing any close finishes. The winner proved to be a dark horse—James Blake of the Union County Roadsters, with five minutes handicap; he crossed the tape in 37 minutes 14 seconds; Stanton M. Smith, Plainfield Bicycle Club, with five minutes handicap, was second; time 39 minutes 32 seconds; Rufus Whitehead, Union County Wheelmen, four minutes handicap, third, time 40 minutes 35 seconds; A. F. Calkins, Elizabeth Wheelmen, two minutes handicap, fourth, time 47 minutes 20 seconds. Calkins virtually started from scratch, and made a good race.

A bitter war of words was waged in the matter of distribution of prizes. The members of the Union County Roadsters entered protests against the awards, in consequence of one of their members J. Blake making the best actual time as well as winning the contest. They claimed that their man was entitled to two prizes, in view of his performance, which was disputed by the donators of the trophies, the Elizabeth Wheelmen, and also by the referee, Captain Frank L. C. Martin of Plainfield. It took some three-quarters of an hour for the settlement of the difficulty, it being decided that the first man in, having made the best time, should receive the time medal, the second man, Stanton Smith, the winner's medal, and the third and fourth men the third and fourth medals, respectively. This did not meet with the Roadsters' approval, who say they will still protest.

J. E. Murray, also of the Plainfield Bicycle club, was the only Plainfielder besides Mr. Smith included among the thirteen contestants. He made a good run.

**Passed His Allotted Time.**

Thomas Oliver is now living in South Plainfield at the age of seventy-two. He was born in the old Oliver house on Main street, Rahway, where John Cornwell now lives. His father's name was Thomas Oliver, and Thoms Potter was his stepfather; he says he has traveled pretty much all over the World; was in the Mexican war, and the war of tae rebellion: was never sick in his life, except a few weeks in his childhood when he had smallpox. He is well preserved, hearty and in good health except his feet which have been lately affected with rheumatism. His mother died, and he left Rahway about sixty-four years ago, and has been roaming about ever since.

**Encroached on a Neighbor's Land.**

Isaac Lederer, the dry goods merchant, has achieved so much success in Plainfield that it has become necessary for him to enlarge his already extensive establishment. When his plans for building an addition were in progress, however, it was found that the building on the Pruden estate, adjoining, projected over on his land, and was in the way of the proposed extension. He notified the executors of the estate, who were at first inclined to dispute the claim that they were trespassers, but after surveyors had rendered their decision corroborating Mr. Lederer the executors yielded, and the building which trespassed has been cut away seven inches and is now outside of Mr. Lederer's line.

**Just Escaped With a Broken Collar Bone.**

William Edgar and his brother Alonzo, who were driving from their home in Westfield to Elizabeth, Friday morning, were almost killed by an express train at "Park Lane" crossing, Roselle. It was just about 11:30 o'clock when they reached the track at the crossing, and the 11:09 from this city for New York due at Elizabeth at 11:26, was making up lost time. The engine did not strike the horse that the Edgars were driving, but rushed by so close to its nose that the animal was dashed to one side in a heap. The buggy was smashed and Alonzo's collar bone was broken. Yet the brothers had more to be thankful than sorry for.

**The Plainfield Cornet Band to Make Merry.**

Members of the Plainfield Cornet Band are working zealously for the success of their first entertainment, which will take place at the Amphion Theatre on Wednesday evening of this week. The programme will consist of singing, dancing, recitations, solos, and the laughable farce, "Three Married Men," with Martin J. Dixon and Miss Jessie Wallack of the Tourist Co., in the leading roles, assisted by local talent.

Previous to the entertainment a parade will take place, starting from the Hall to Park avenue, to Front street, to Madison avenue, and countermarch, to Peace street, to North avenue and thence to the Hall. Tickets are on sale at Guttman's cigar store.

**A Young Girl's Grief**

At seeing her charms of face and form departing, and her health imperiled at her critical period of life, was turned to joy and gratitude after a brief self-treatment with Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It purified and enriched her blood, gave a healthy activity to the kidneys, stomach, bowels, and other organs, and her return to robust health speedily followed. It is the only medicine for women, sold by druggists, *under a positive guarantee* from the manufacturers, that it will give satisfaction in every case, or money will be refunded. This guarantee has been printed on the bottle-wrapper, and faithfully carried out for many years.

—A lost cashmere shawl is advertised elsewhere.

**Anxiety Deferred Until Saturday Next.**

Rain on Saturday caused the postponement of the third game of the Crescent-West End series, although both teams were in town and the b-nd played ——. The game will take place next Saturday on the Crescent ground.

The New York *Sun* of this morning says the West Ends had Gil Hatfield and George Gore of the New Yorks, Jack Farrel, the old-time professional, John Galligan of last year's New Havens, and Catcher Bowes of the defunct Brooklyn Association team.

## A FAITHFUL DOG.

**True to His Trust Even After His Beloved Master's Death.**

A touching incident, which happened not long ago in a Maine village, illustrates once more the fidelity of a good dog. A working-man had a handsome Newfoundland which he had reared from a puppy, and to which he was much attached.

The dog returned the owner's affection, and was extremely fond of following him to his day's work. The master did not encourage this, but sometimes the Newfoundland would creep along in the rear until he was too far from home to be sent back, and then would come to the front with every sign of delight in his own cleverness.

One morning he had followed in this way to a house where his master was at work upon the roof. To keep the dog from straying away the man put down his coat and his dinner-pail and said:

"There, old fellow, you followed me without leave, and now you may stay and watch my things."

The dog lay down as he was directed, and the master went to his work. In the course of the forenoon the man fell from a scaffold and was killed. His body was carried to his home, where his wife was lying ill, but no one could induce the dog to leave his post beside the coat and dinner-pail. For two days he remained, refusing to eat, and showing his teeth whenever any attempt was made to remove the things of which he had been left in charge.

At the end of that time, the wife of the dead man, herself too ill to leave her bed, suggested that the dog would perhaps obey her little son, a boy of two years and a half, just old enough to talk plainly.

The boy was taken to the place, and moved by the loss of his father and the excitement of the moment, ran to the dog, put his arms about his shaggy neck, and burst into tears.

The dog seemed to understand that this was no ordinary fit of weeping. He licked the child's hair soothingly, and when the boy took up his father's coat and pail, the faithful creature followed submissively at his heels as if he recognized the little one now as his master.—Youth's Companion.

## AN HISTORICAL MEDAL.

**Peace Offering Made to the Choctaws By President Adams in 1825.**

Mr. Alexander H. Handlan, manager of M. M. Buck & Co.'s railway supply house, has in his possession a relic which he values very highly. The medal was given to the Indians by President John Quincy Adams in 1825 as a peace offering The jewel is of solid silver, is three inches in diameter, and weigh six and one-half ounces. The obverse side bears an engraving of President Adams, the picture being surrounded by the inscription: "Given by John Quincy Adams, President of the United States." Under this are the figures 1825. On the reverse side are a pipe and tomahawk, denoting peace and friendship. Under this are clasped hands, a three-button military sleeve of the period, and the bared arms of an Indian, indicating that they represent the President and some Indian chief. The medal is secured by a large silver ring in the top, from which is pendant a large piece of blood-stained tape—red tape.

Mr. Handlan was put in possession of the medal in this way: In 1866 his brother, Augustus H., was in business in Fort Smith, Ark. He credited an unknown Confederate soldier to the extent of $24, and as security this medal was given him. The soldier disappeared—not, however, before telling the jewel's history. In 1864, being then in the Confederate army, he left Fort Smith and returned homeward on a leave of absence, with the privilege of taking his gun with him, through the Choctaw Nation. He met an Indian alone on the way, and they exchanged shots. The fight finally became a hand-to-hand one, and the Choctaw was choked to death. The soldier searched the pockets of the Indian, who proved to be a chief, and, among other things, found the medal in question.—Globe-Democrat.

**Artificial Edible Snails.**

A dainty, dear to the palate of Parisians, is in danger of disappearing. "Beware of escargots!" is the latest warning to epicures, "unless you know where they have been gathered." The escargot is the edible snail, the consumption of which has often been used as a reproach against Frenchmen by those who have never tasted the dish. Burgundy is the district where these luxuries are supposed to be found in their prime, and when a boastful bourgeois gives a dinner party he is generally careful to inform his guests that he has had the escargots brought direct from Burgogne. They are fattened in the vineyards of that delightful province, but since it has become customary to put sulphate of iron to protect the vines from phylloxera and other pests the escargot has become harmful and dangerous. It has been found from experiments that after eating leaves which have been treated with this decoction the snails are poisoned and die in two days. Of late years a large quantity of spurious escargots, made of milk and flour and flavored with the requisite seasoning, has been palmed off upon the market. There is little doubt that this industry will be extended considerably by this new curtailment of the supply of the real article.—St. James' Gazette.

CHICAGO, Sept. 29.—Over half of the extensive stock yards, plant and property of the Anglo-American Provision Company, an English syndicate, was destroyed by fire. The most conservative estimate of the loss is $700,000, the highest nearly $1,000,000.

**Rheumatism,**

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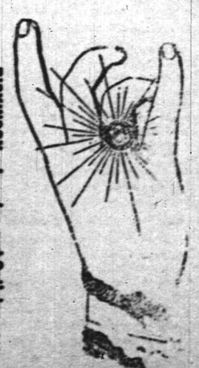

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## THE CITY'S REPLY TO CAREY.

**Corporation Counsel Marsh Says the Latter Neither Denied That He Was Guilty, Nor Made the Idle Claim That the Charges Were not Sufficient Cause for His Expulsion—And As to Carey Being Tried by the "Injured Parties" Themselves. Mr. Marsh Says That Obscene, Profane and Indecent Language Used in the Presence of Gentlemen Does Not Injure the Gentlemen.**

Following is the brief of Corporation Counsel Craig A. Marsh in answer to the argument before the Supreme Court by Frank S. Bergen, Esq., denying the right of the Mayor and the Board of Police of this city to suspend Policeman Carey from duty for three months without pay, for the use of obscene, profane and indecent language. The points made are so clear as to lend a general interest to the document, and everyone will be entertained by a perusal of it and surprised to find a brief so readable to common mortals. It is also safe to say that the majority—including those who like THE PRESS are well aware of the ability and acumen of astute Counselor Bergen—will be completely convinced that this time he has met a lawyer on the other side who has effectually answered him.

NEW JERSEY SUPREME COURT.

THE STATE, TUNIS J. CAREY, *Prosecutor*, vs. THE BOARD OF POLICE OF THE CITY OF PLAINFIELD, *Defendants* — *On Certiorari.*

BRIEF FOR DEFENDANTS.

THE PROCEEDINGS UP FOR REVIEW.

For "using obscene, profane and indecent language" while in the discharge of his duty as policeman, the prosecutor was tried before the Board of Police of the City of Plainfield, adjudged guilty and suspended from duty for three months without pay, and the resolution of the Board designating him as "the regular policeman who should act as captain of police," was revoked.

The prosecutor, by his counsel, cross-examined the witnesses produced to substantiate the charge, but made no defence *on the facts whatever, and in the reasons* assigned for reversal it is not denied (doubtless because this court would not weigh the evidence), that prosecutor was in fact guilty as charged. Nor is the idle claim made that the charge, if substantiated, is not sufficient cause to justify suspension or even expulsion from office.

The only questions raised by the reasons assigned for reversal relate to the authority of the Board of Police, the qualification of two of its members, and the regularity of the procedure.

All of the proceedings brought up for review in this cause were conducted by the Board of Police without the assistance or advice of counsel. The Board acted as practical business men investigating the question whether a policeman of the city, over whom the city ordinance gave them jurisdiction, had misbehaved himself in office. Their view was that they were competent to decide that simple question from the evidence that might be submitted, and they preferred to let the guilt or innocence of the policeman be established by the sworn statements of witnesses, unaided by prosecuting counsel, even though the defendant appeared before them championed by one of the most astute counselors of this bar. The Common Council of the city, in fact, expressly instructed the Corporation Counsel neither to prosecute or defend, but to hold himself in readiness to advise the Board upon any legal question which they might see fit to submit to him. *See case page* 33, *l.* 29. The Board did not think it necessary to take his advice on any of the questions raised.

The Board of Police, in endeavoring to strip the proceedings of all technicalities, and to investigate the matters before them in a practical, common sense way (just as they would, as private individuals, determine whether an employee had or had not so demeaned himself as to require dismissal from service), were doubtless guided by the exposition of the statute governing the case, given by the Supreme Court, in

*Devault* v. *Mayor, of Camden*, 19 *Vr.*, 433, 434.

In that case, in the opinion by Dixon, J., it is laid down:

"The technical rules that have been judicially adopted with regard to inferior criminal prosecutions are not to be applied to this investigation, for while it is proper that proceedings to deprive persons of common rights for alleged crimes should be confined by somewhat strict limits, the removal of incompetent or ill-behaved officials from their exceptional positions of authority and responsibility should be easy and prompt, and no forms should be requisite which are not in themselves substantial safeguards of justice." The brief then quotes from the charter and city ordinances, the sections pertinent to the case, and continues as follows:

The provisions of this ordinance have been strictly followed in the proceedings brought up for review, and the findings and orders of the Police Board in the premises have not been disturbed by the Common Council.

I propose to take up *seriatim* the reasons assigned for reversal, to be found on page 37 of the case.

THE FIRST REASON ASSIGNED.

The most important question sought to be raised by the prosecutor is that contained in the first reason assigned.

If it were true, in any just sense, that Elmore D. Moffett acted at one and the same time as party and judge, his conduct would be utterly indefensible, and his vote would, of course, be a nullity. The case, however, shows that while Mr. Moffett did sign the charges upon which said prosecutor was tried, he did so believing that he was merely performing the ministerial act of reducing to writing the complaints against the prosecutor then already made by other parties.

See *Case, page* 28.

The charges preferred had been made to the board orally by other parties (*Case, page* 28, *lines* 9 *to* 13), and Mr. Moffett swears that he did not consider himself a party to the case against Mr. Carey (*Case, page* 28, *lines* 6 *to* 8), except in the capacity of a judge—as a member of the Board, and he further testifies that he sat on the trial with a mind free from bias, prejudice or fixed opinion adverse to the defendant on the charges preferred; that he had not prejudged the case; that he had no animosity against Mr. Carey, and never had had; that he had repeatedly and invariably said that he could not say what would be the result until he had heard the evidence; and that if the charges had not been proved, he would have rendered a verdict of not guilty.

If counsel had been consulted by the Board, doubtless a different mode of procedure would have been advised, but it is respectfully submitted that assuming Mr. Moffett's testimony to be true, the proceedings in this matter should not be declared invalid simply because Mr. Moffett did not adopt the circuitous method of procuring some one else to sign the formal charges.

The misconduct alleged against prosecutor in this case took place in the presence of two members of the Board of Police, and for aught that appears in the case, no one outside of the Board could be found who was willing to sign the formal charges. Suppose that there were no witnesses to the alleged misconduct but those who were members of the body required by law to try the defendant, will it be pretended that the defendant must needs go scot free under those circumstances? Or suppose that such other persons as were present with members of the tribunal appointed to try the defendant, were personal friends of the prosecutor, and should refuse to sign the charges, is it rational to hold that however flagrant the offense, it was committed with impunity?

If Mr. Moffett or the Board had instructed some third party to sign these charges would the question in the case be one whit different! And yet the latter method of procedure has the sanction of this court.

See *Ayres* vs. *Newark*. 20 *Vroom*, 170, 172.

In that case the charges were made by the Chief of Police not voluntarily, or on his own motion, but by the direction of the commissioners who were to sit as judges on the trial, and the Supreme Court held:

"There is no objection to this action by the Chief of Police and the Board of Commissioners. Their proceeding was a mere form to put the charge in shape for a proper investigation."

THE SECOND REASON ASSIGNED.

The second reason assigned for reversal, it is submitted, is without foundation in law. The use of obscene, profane and indecent language by the prosecutor was misconduct in office, not because it was addressed to any particular person or persons, but because it was an offense against good order, against the entire community, against the laws of the State. If such language had been used in the presence of a justice of the peace, and addressed to such justice, the defendant could have been convicted upon view of the justice. Other instances of conviction upon view of a magistrate are a familiar exercise of judicial power, and the validity of such convictions has never been questioned.

THE THIRD REASON ASSIGNED.

The third reason assigned does not appear to be supported by the return to the writ or the evidence. See *Case, page* 7, where it is stated that the objections were presented, that the Board voted upon the same and overruled them.

The Court will infer, in the absence of any return upon the point, that the objections were overruled after full consideration. If prosecutor desired to show that there was no consideration given to the objections, he should have obtained a rule of this Court requiring the Board to make return as to whether or not any consideration was given to the objections referred to, or a rule to prove by evidence *aliunde* that no such consideration was given.

*Omnia praesumuntur legitime facta donec probatur in contrarium.*

But if the Court should consider the testimony taken, it is submitted that the evidence on cross-examination of prosecutor's witness, John Johnston (See *Case page* 24, *from line* 19), shows that counsel for prosecutor was then given opportunity to submit any papers, and to make full argument upon the facts alleged in his challenge, and that he failed to produce any proof whatever to support such facts, and that the Board, after full hearing, in the exercise of their judicial power overruled the challenge. Here follow abstracts from the cross-examination of Walter I. Clarke, Edward B. Daly and John Johnston, all witnesses for Carey, proving that the Board of Police gave Carey's counsel opportunity to submit anything he chose to offer.

Mr. Johnston's cross examination closes as follows:

"*Q.* Did the Board cut him [Mr. Bergen] short or tell him to stop talking?

"*A.* I think they didn't.

"*Q.* They heard him out, didn't they?

"*A.* I think they did."

Judge VanSyckel speaking for the Court of Errors, in *Wilkison* v. *Trenton*, 7 *Vr.*, 499-505, says: "No evidence has been taken to show the principle adopted by the Commissioners, and we must therefore presume that they acted rightly."

THE FOURTH REASON ASSIGNED.

It is submitted that the statement alleged in this reason, that Messrs Moffett and Hetfield voted to overrule the challenge of their right to sit is not supported by the return or the evidence. The prosecutor failed to point out to the Board what method of procedure should be adopted in disposing of his challenge, and the Board, it will be inferred, in the absence of proof to the contrary, acted in accordance with the principles of justice.

But assuming, for the sake of argument, that Messrs Moffett and Hetfield voted upon the question—from all that appears in the return, the Court must infer that there was a majority of the voters of said Board in favor of overruling the challenge, independent of the votes of Messrs Moffett and Hetfield. All the return says on the subject is the following: "Moved that the challenge of Mr. Bergen be filed and the same overruled. Carried." See *Case, page* 7, *line* 11.

But even if there were not, independent of the votes of Messrs Moffett and Hetfield, a majority of votes in favor of overruling the challenge, does it follow that the challenges were not properly overruled? Suppose that prosecutor had seen fit to challenge the entire Board, who could vote then whether to sustain or overrule the challenge? If by challenging the right to sit of a sufficient number of the Board to leave only a minority of votes in favor of sustaining the qualifications of the challenged members, an accused policeman can escape trial before the properly constituted authorities, no policeman, however unlawful his conduct may have been, need have any fear of removal from office for cause.

THE FIFTH REASON ASSIGNED.

The assertions contained in the fifth reason that Messrs Moffett and Hetfield entertained hostility and prejudice against the prosecutor, in respect to the matters alleged in the challenges, and were not impartial and indifferent as to the guilt or innocence of the prosecutor, find no adequate support in the evidence of prosecutor's witnesses, and are fully and explicitly met and denied by the sworn testimony of Moffett and Hetfield.

See *Case, page* 27, *line* 20, *and pages* 30 *and* 31.

The evidence as to what may have been said by Messrs Moffett and Hetfield on the trial of Joseph B. Miller has nothing to do with their action on the trial of the prosecutor. Assuming that the marks attributed to them on the occasion of the Miller trial had relation to the matters on which the prosecutor was to be tried, it has been shown that any prejudice then existing in their minds against the prosecutor, must have been completely removed before the prosecutor was tried. See the sworn testimony of both Moffett and Hetfield, to which reference has already been made. Whatever Messrs Moffett and Hetfield may have seen or heard or said prior to trial of prosecutor, this Court may safely accept their testimony to the fact that they had in no sense prejudged the defendant, but on the contrary entered upon the investigation of the charges against the prosecutor with minds free from bias, prejudice, or fixed opinion as to prosecutor's guilt or innocence.

THE SIXTH REASON ASSIGNED.

It is submitted that the return and the evidence show that the prosecutor was given a fair trial, and that the requirements of the statute of March 25, 1885, were carefully observed, under the construction placed upon that statute by the Supreme Court in

*Devault* v. *Mayor of Camden*, 19 *Vr.* 433, 434, and in *Ayers* v. *Newark*, 20 *Vr.*, 170-173.

The opinion on page 173 of the case first cited, construes the statute as follows:

"A fair trial does not mean that all the formalities shall be observed that are used in the trial of criminals for minor offences in courts or by magistrates. The policeman under charges is not regarded by this statute as a criminal, but a public servant or agent whose efficiency and fitness for the discharge of his duties may be questioned at any time in the interest of the public, and no mere forms tending to chicanery and delay, rather than substantial justice, should be regarded. The purpose of the law is to secure the services of reliable men to preserve the public peace, not to keep inefficient and litigious men in office until all the forms of criminal cases are observed, and every ingenious objection answered."

The striking paragraph in the brief of counsel for prosecutor, on page 3, is a begging of the question. Counsel there says:

"One of the principal questions in the case, if it can be called a question, is: Whether a person can have 'a fair trial,' and 'every reasonable opportunity to make his defence, *before his accusers and enemies, claiming to be the injured parties*, sitting as judges.' The mere statement of the proposition seems to answer it."

The words italicised (the italics are mine) assume the things to be proved.

That the Board of Police have not been proved to be, and in fact were not "the accusers and enemies of the prosecutor," has been already shown. Other parties were the "accusers" in fact, and the signing of the charges was, as Judge Scudder remarks in the case of Ayers v. Newark, *Supra*, "a mere form to put the charges in shape for a proper investigation." To infer that Messrs Moffett and Hetfield were "enemies" because in the performance of their sworn duty, they proceeded to put prosecutor on trial for misconduct committed in their presence, is gratuitous. As well accuse the judge of the Court of Oyer and Terminer of being an enemy of a criminal because the judge in instructing the Grand Jury respecting their duty in investigating the crime with which the criminal stood charged, denounced the crime, and declared the accused ought to be indicted if sufficient evidence were produced.

Second—Messrs Moffett and Hetfield did not "claim to be the injured parties." They were not in fact injured by the language used by the prosecutor. The injury was to the prosecutor himself and to society, as in the case of intemperance or suicide. It is a novel proposition that the use of obscene, profane and indecent language in the presence of gentlemen is an injury to them, in the sense intended by opposing counsel. True, their sense of propriety would be shocked, but so it would if prosecutor had in their presence committed an assault upon some stranger. If his contention on this point is sound, then a policeman may curse and swear *ad libitum*, if only he takes the precaution to do it in the presence of the body having power by law to punish him for the offence.

THE SEVENTH REASON ASSIGNED.

It is conceded that the point made in that part of the seventh reason which alleges that the Board of Police had no power or right to remove the prosecutor from office is well taken. But attention is called to the fact that the Board of Police did not attempt to remove the prosecutor from office. Neither does the ordinance in question attempt to confer such power upon the Board of Police. That ordinance expressly limits the power of the Board to a suspension from office for a period of not more than three months, and preserves to the Common Council the sole right of removal from office.

The statute of March 25, 1885, relied upon by the prosecutor, relates solely to removal from office. Prosecutor's view would extend the words of the act to include suspensions even pending trial before the Common Council. It cannot be supposed that by the act in question a policeman is given the right to violate any criminal law of the State, and to remain continuously exercising the functions of his office, until after he shall have been tried and convicted and expelled from office.

The charter of the city of Plainfield gave ample power to the Common Council, and such administrative boards as might be created in pursuance thereof, to temporarily suspend from duty a policeman charged with such flagrant misconduct as that alleged in this cause, and the legislature cannot be held, in the absence of clear expression, or necessary implication, to have intended to curtail this useful and necessary power.

It would be subversive of all discipline in the police department, if, despite the gross misconduct of policemen in the very faces of the Board having control, there was no power to temporarily suspend such an officer until opportunity for the Common Council to determine whether that officer merited expulsion, or whether any proceedings should be taken with this end in view. The legislature cannot reasonably be held to have intended any such result.

The act governs expulsion. Suspension is a different thing. The legislative intent clearly appears to be that a policeman should not lose his office, or, in other words, that he should not cease to be an officer, without first having a fair trial upon the charges preferred against him. If such was the intention of the legislature, that intention has not been contravened by the action of the Board of Police of the city of Plainfield.

The rescission by the Board of Police of their resolution designating prosecutor as the regular policeman who should act as captain of police, was not a removal from office within the meaning of the tenure of office act. If there were in Plainfield an office of Captain of Police within the meaning of the act, that office would have to be filled by nomination by the Mayor and confirmation by the Council. See Charter amendment 1874, Sec. 1. No such officer was ever nominated by the Mayor or confirmed by the Common Council. The Board of Police had no power to create the office, or appoint to such an office. Prosecutor was nominated and confirmed as a regular policeman, and took the oath of office as such. The title given him by the Board of Police must for the purpose of this suit be regarded as a mere decoration. The Board was powerless to create any office.

It is submitted that as the alleged office of captain of police has no existence under the charter and ordinances of the city of Plainfield, prosecutor cannot in legal contemplation have been removed from such office.

One important fact should not escape the attention of the Court, namely, that the entire Police Board, to the qualifications of the majority of whose members prosecutor makes no exception whatever, unanimously agreed that the prosecutor had been proven guilty of the charges preferred against him. See *Case, page* 9, *line* 34. The Board disagreed solely as to the penalty to be imposed. Id.

It is respectfully submitted that nothing in the reasons assigned require the setting aside of the proceedings had before the Police Board of the city of Plainfield, whereby for the use of obscene, profane and indecent language, the prosecutor was temporarily suspended from office

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### An Episode of the Late New York Central Strike.

[Written for This Paper.]

None respect the recent strike on the New York Central was far from being a failure, as I will endeavor to show.

About seven o'clock p. m. Friday, August, 1890, A. D., there could have been seen sitting in a car in the Third avenue elevated train, at City Hall station, a middle-aged gentleman, wearing a tired look, a high silk hat, and also the peculiar name of Jones. He was, and is, for he still lives, the proprietor of one of the numerous hostelries in the vicinity of the Grand Central depot.

Although Jones is far from being rich himself, he nevertheless has a great veneration for those who are. In fact, the Jones family had been rich, and he himself was born with a silver spoon in his mouth; but reverses came, and he went into business in order to find something to eat with the spoon.

Jones is an individual of marked conservative tendencies, and he regards what he is pleased to call the "lower classes" as a dangerous element that is liable by strikes and similar labor demonstrations to knock the keystone out of the arch upon which rests our entire social fabric. Jones is the friend of capital, which he invariably spells with a large C. Socially Jones, although not a millionaire, is a capital fellow. The tired look on Jones' face, and to which I have already alluded, was caused by a note about to fall due, to meet which he was somewhat unprepared. The truth is Jones' hotel is not very popular. In the language of a competing landlord, "as a competent hotel it stands without arrival."

While Jones was sitting in the car waiting for the train to start another middle-aged gentleman entered. It was Smith, who is moderately prosperous and who lives at Mount Vernon.

Smith is, and has been, a strong personal friend of Jones. There is only one point on which they disagree, and that is in regard to the relations of capital and labor. Smith, although no office-seeker, is the friend of the laboring man, or, rather, was, the friend of the laboring men. Why he no longer is the friend of labor will appear if the reader will make an earnest effort to keep on reading this sketch.

On this occasion Smith, the chum, so to speak, of horny-fisted toil, was extremely anxious to reach his home in Mount Vernon, as he had an appointment that evening with a man appropriately named Wriggles, a real estate agent, of whom Smith wanted to buy a vacant lot adjoining the Smithsonian mansion. There was another party in Mount Vernon who was after that lot, hence for Smith the delay of the train was almost sure to result in the defeat of his most cherished scheme.

Smith, the radical friend of toil, took the vacant seat by the side of conservative Jones, and they conversed pleasantly about the leading topics of the day until they reached that of the cloakmakers' strike. Smith said that the striking cloakmakers were fully justified in resisting their employers, while Jones maintained that no matter what concessions were made to them they would still ask for more, and in an abrupt and insolent manner. "Owing to their tendency to gush and spout and create a bad odor, flare up and go off when they ain't loaded, these strikes remind me very much of a gas well," remarked Jones.

"When it comes to strikes," said Smith, impressively, "you will almost always find that the strikers have real grievances that fully justify them in quitting work."

"In my opinion," retorted Jones, the advocate of capital, "more trouble is caused by men who can get work, but refuse to work, than by those who want work, but can not get it."

"My sympathies," replied Smith, "are invariably with the strikers, and I am not only willing, but anxious, to assist them against the grinding monopolies and bloated bondholders."

"Grinding monopolies!" sneered Jones; "the only grinding monopoly I ever knew was when the Italian organ grinders in New York got up a 'combine.' And as for bloated bondholders, I've seen lots of bondholders who held plenty of stock and were not bloated at all, while it has been my misfortune to have known men who never held any thing except whisky, and who were really bloated. Smith, do you know that at times I think you are a little off?"

"Of course I'm off, because I'm opposed to monopolies," replied Smith, peevishly.

"A monopoly," resumed Jones, with a cynical smile, "is the rival establishment over the way, but, as soon as you get possession of it, it mysteriously ceases to be a monopoly. The anti-monopolist is often the fellow who would like to put himself in the place of the millionaire. My dear sir, there are lots of millionaires who work harder than their clerks."

"That's the way it should be, when you take into consideration how much more pay they get," said Smith, scoring a point.

"It is no use talking. The more you concede to strikers the more they will demand. If, for instance, there was a strike on this road, and Superintendent Hain were to grant an inch the strikers would take the ell; but joking aside: I'm in favor of putting down strikes by the strong arm of the law. It would be mercy to the strikers, for in the long run the striker soon exhausts his resources and has to strike his friends for money. The only time they are successful is when they strike for fewer hours and it results in their not working at all."

"Jones, we should beware of those who do not show their love for humanity by their every-day acts and utterances. You have no milk of human kindness in your composition. My plan would be to treat the strikers with kindness," said Smith.

By this time the train had reached the Forty-second street station, and Smith and Jones hurried into the cross-car, the former remarking that he would not miss the 7:30 train for Mount Vernon for five hundred dollars in gold. As the cross-car approached the Grand Central depot, Jones, who was looking into the street, said with a puzzled expression on his face:

"I wonder what's up. It must be a riot. The whole street is blocked with people running around as if they were crazy."

Smith and Jones descended as soon as possible into the street, which was suffering from a congestion of excited pedestrians, struggling with grip-sacks and suppressed excitement, with occasional outbursts of crude profanity.

"What's the matter with the mob?" asked Jones of Brown whom they met, and with whom both were well acquainted.

"There are no trains running. The railroad employes have struck," replied Brown.

"What!" gasped Smith, thinking of his appointment at Mount Vernon, and turning as pale as a piece of antique tripe.

"There will be no more trains to-night. The railroad employes struck at 7:15."

"No train to Mount Vernon?"

"I don't think there will be any trains for two or three days, if the strikers can prevent it."

"Oh, the malignant hyenas!" howled Smith, the former friend of the laboring man, "they are toads with devilish arts; they are a disgrace to the nineteenth century, they are—they are no good! No train for Mount Vernon! I never realized before what a National calamity these strikes are."

"When it comes to strikes you will always find that the strikers have real grievances that justify them in quitting work," calmly replied Jones, quoting the very words of Smith, the ex-friend of the working-men, and winking at Brown.

"What is the name of that whelp of sin, the blatant sneak who ordered this strike?" asked Smith, gritting his teeth.

"I'm not sure whether it is Powderly, or a fellow named Holland," replied Brown, punching Jones in the ribs on the sly, for Smith's crankiness on this subject was well known to all his friends.

"Whoever he is, he is a reptile with sneaking ambition. He ought to be lynched. No train for Mount Vernon! This settles the labor question. I'd like

"WHAT" GASPED SMITH, "NO TRAIN TO MOUNT VERNON?"

to have him in some secluded dell for about ten minutes. I'd give him some points about strikes that would startle him. Are you sure, Brown, that there is no train for Mount Vernon?"

"I am."

"Where is the militia! What are the police doing!"

"My way would be," quoted Jones, with a sanctimonious grin, "to treat the strikers with kindness. I tell you, Smith, beware of those who do not show their love for humanity by their every-days acts and utterances. However, hard-hearted as you are, come along with me over to my hotel, and I'll take care of you for to-night."

When they reached Jones' hotel, the people were seen standing in line as if tickets for a Patti concert were for sale. The number of passengers who had to remain in town in consequence of the strike was so great that Jones' hotel was crowded like a Harlem flat, and he, taking a leaf from the book of the railroad companies, advanced the local rate for board and lodgings, thereby reaping a rich harvest, which enabled him to meet the note, causing a permanent, sunny, bright smile to spread out over the Southern frontier of his face and curl up under his ears. Appreciating the fact that this windfall was due to the strikers, Jones is not so severe on them as he was. He thinks now that the strikers in this isolated case had a real grievance, and he censures General Webb for having acted harshly in refusing to confer with the men. Jones says now that labor, as well as capital, has its rights.

On the other hand, Smith, whose worst fears were realized, for Wriggles wriggled out of the bargain and sold the coveted lot to the other party, says that he hopes his right arm may cling to the roof of his mouth if he has another good word to say for the cause of labor, that the laboring man knows no more about gratitude than a double-nosed pointer does about the refraction of light.

If the strike had been as successful in other respects as it was in changing the sentiments of Smith the humblest brakeman would soon be able to stand the expense of running a great religious daily in New York and indulge in all other luxuries of the metropolis.

ALEX. E. SWEET.

## TEMPERANCE NOTES.

### HIS FIRST SPREE.

**It Taught Him a Wholesome Lesson Which He Never Forgot.**

Pretty Mary Owens! How sweet she looked that balmy May evening. Fair, modest, innocent, yet as proud and self-reliant in her bearing as a young queen.

This evening in question she seemed troubled and perplexed. "Marry me now, Mary;" said the handsome young man at her side. "Time is precious, and I may lose you, you know. True, the marriage must be kept secret for awhile for reasons I can not explain. As we love one another, what matters it, though?"

"I have never told you I loved you, sir," said Mary, coloring to the roots of her hair, and flashing an angry glance from her tender blue eyes! Yet the trembling lips told too plainly that the heart was interested.

"No, dear, not in so many words, I know; but women are very transparent, and men of the world keen-sighted, and all that. Don't get angry. You know you love me, little Mary, and I simply adore you. One kiss, now, before we part."

"You are insolent, James Lee! Something is the matter with you. I perceived it the moment you opened your mouth to-night. You have been drinking!"

"Not enough liquor has gone into my mouth, little one, to drown a mouse. Only a small bottle of wine to celebrate the birthday of a friend; but I tell you, Mary Owens, your cruelty will drive me to drink two more on my way home. Your conscience ought to trouble you at the thought of that." And James Lee smiled sarcastically, showing his handsome white teeth, whose beauty was lost on Mary, smelling, as she did, the fumes of his wine-laden breath.

"It would kill your mother, James, if she knew it. You know what you promised her when you left home to come here."

"*How you can harrow a fellow when* you have a mind to, you little mite of humanity! Why bring my mother in at this time? Blessed old soul! Never mind! Good-bye, petite—you'll feel in better humor, I hope, when I call to-morrow evening." And James Lee turned on his heel and strode down the path, but not before he heard the tearful yet determined voice of Mary say:

"I shall not be at home to you, James Lee, until you prove yourself a man of your word! As I mean never to be the wife of a drinking man, your coming would only be wasted time for us both."

James Lee strode on with unsteady steps and a hot pain throbbing at his temples, until he reached the saloon where he had left his friend.

"What is the matter with you, Jim? you look shaken up," said the latter.

"Don't ask me! Yet I might as well tell you. I am a fool; yes, worse than a fool. I have lost the sweetest girl that ever drew the breath of life, and all for that accursed stuff over there. She saw me in liquor, and she won't have me."

"Cheer up, old fellow," said Sam Howe, who with friends had been celebrating his twenty-first birthday. "Good riddance, say I. Think of marrying her and losing your blessed liberty."

"Another bottle of wine for liberty, sweet liberty!" and the revel went on.

Meanwhile Mary, uneasy and heart-sick, crept early to her little chamber, excusing herself to her anxious mother and two sisters. She read a chapter in the Bible and prepared to retire, and it was not until she knelt down by the side of her little white bed that the floodgates of her sorrow opened; and then she wept as if her heart would break.

"Lord bless and save him I love," was the import of her fervent prayer, before she slept the sleep of innocence.

The faint streaks of the golden dawn dyed the fleecy clouds ere the revellers started for home, after borrowing a tin horn and two old flags from the landlord.

"I'm twenty-one! I'm twenty-one! Hurrah for liberty," screamed out Samuel Howe, staggering along. "Let's go past Widow Owens' cottage, Jim; *we'll let 'em know what liberty is.*"

"No, Sam, I won't do that," said James, who still had some shame left; "but we'll go down through the field back of the house and cut across lots."

Widow Owens, who was an early riser, was dressing, when she was startled by a fearful din at the back of the house, as also was "Ben," the old bull, who had been turned out early by the hired man to get his breakfast in the field.

Mrs. Owens pitied the young revellers (not recognizing them), but Ben did more than that. He was mortally offended at their encroachment on his domain. The flags were bad enough, but the tooting of the tin horn as an accompaniment to: "We won't go home till morning," made him mad with rage, as with head down and hoofs pawing the ground, he made for the intruders. There was a maudlin cry, then a shriek, then one man was seen running for dear life, having stumbled over the fence, while the other lay white and still on the ground, his life-blood staining the green grass below!

Mrs. Owens saw it all from her chamber window, which was in the back of the house; and going down softly, without waking Mary, bade John, the hired man, after securing the bull, to bring the sufferer into the house.

"It is James Lee, marm. He's pretty badly hurted, but he knowed me, and begged me not to bring him in here."

"Never mind, John; bring him in, with the help of the stable boys; lay him in the spare chamber, and then go for the doctor."

James Lee, being badly gored by the mad bull, lingered a long while in agony, but he did not die.

Mary did not see him until he was out of danger, the doctor fearing the consequences; but one day in the early autumn he asked her the all-important question: "Will you be my wife?" after signing the pledge of total abstinence; and with tears in her tender blue eyes she consented.

"I have had a terrible lesson," he said. "It was my first spree, and it shall be my last."

He kept his word.—National Temperance Advocate.

### HEATHEN AND LIQUOR.

**A Work in Which the Good Men of All Nations Can Unite.**

We copy with satisfaction the following paragraphs, which we find in a late number of the Christian Standard of Cincinnati. They speak well for the cause of humanity:

It is encouraging to know that there is in Great Britain a committee (of which the Duke of Westminster is president) whose object is prevention of the demoralization of heathen races by the liquor traffic. Christendom has discovered that it is not only highly profitable to sell rum to the thousand millions of our race which are still under the bondage of appetite, but also that the easiest way to defraud them of their possessions and destroy their spirit of independence, is to make them drunk. The committee presented a memorial to Lord Salisbury requesting that it be presented by the British representatives to the Brussels anti-slavery conference. The memorial urged that, with reference to all the native territories, the laws and customs of which prohibited the manufacture and importation of intoxicating liquors, any European government which assumed the administration or protectorate of the territory should take all due steps to maintain and strengthen laws so beneficial, and that in native countries where such laws had not obtained, prohibition should be introduced as speedily as possible.

At the third annual meeting of the committee in London a few weeks ago the chairman stated that since the conference at Berlin in 1885 it was satisfactory to find that this question of the supply of alcoholic drink to native races had come very much to the front, largely owing to the declarations of our own ministers at home and the expression of an adverse public opinion abroad. While the liquor for the native races came mainly from Germany and Holland, a quantity was conveyed in British ships from Germany, and hence this country had not clean hands in this matter. Mr. Caine's exposure of the prevalence of drink shops in India had led to inquiry on the part of the Indian Government, of which they might soon expect to hear the result. The native races who were unable to protect themselves looked to the governments of the civilized countries of the world to protect them. The chairman moved: "That this meeting expresses its earnest hope that the International Anti-Slavery conference now assembled at Brussels will be able to recommend measures whereby the native races of Africa may be protected against the introduction and sale by European traders of alcoholic liquors, which are so detrimental to the progress of civilization, of the Christian religion and of sound commerce." Cardinal Manning seconded the resolution, which was supported by Hon. and Rev. Canon Leigh and adopted unanimously.

And let all the people say "Amen!" Here is a work in which Catholic and Protestant, Agnostic and Nothingarian can unite, and one large enough to require their united energies.

### THE TREE OF DEATH.

**A Tropical Plant Which Resembles Our Saloons and Gaming Houses.**

A tree of death has been sent to a lady in Savannah, Ga., by her brother, who is living in Java. He says that the natives warned him against handling a certain tree, which grows in the volcanic districts of Java and Sumatra, and which they called Kali Mujah. They said its breath would kill birds and even human beings. He paid little heed to the story until, chasing a bird of paradise one day, he saw it drop lifeless to the ground without apparent cause. He found the bird under a tree which gave forth the peculiar odor described by the natives, and knew that he had found one of the famous death-trees. He examined it closely. It had long, slender stems, armed with thorns nearly an inch long, and covered with broad satin-smooth leaves of a heart shape and of a delicate emerald on one side and blood red, streaked with cream, on the other. The flowers were large, milk-white and cup-like, and gave forth a faint perfume resembling that of chloroform. After inhailing it he became almost insensible, had a violent headache, singing in the ears and twitching of the muscles. It appeared to have a baleful influence on other plants; for, though the soil was fertile, none were growing near it. It was fatal to all insects; and small birds felt its effects at a distance of fully three feet. They dropped to the ground, and, if not speedily removed, soon died. He procured this specimen with some difficulty and sent it to America. It is the first living one that has ever been brought here. Unhappily, however, we have many forms of evil which produce still more disastrous results. Though the "death tree" does not flourish here, our saloons, gambling houses and haunts of vice do the same deadly work on the souls of the people that the "death-tree" does on animal life. They attract the multitude, while few go the way to the "tree of life," the leaves of which are "for the healing of the nations." (Rev. 22:2.)—Nashville (Tenn.) Banner.

### ITEMIZED FACTS.

JOSEPH THOMPSON, a well-known British traveler, writes to a London missionary society from Africa: "Gin and brandy are depriving the native Africans of whatever native virtues they possess."

DISEASE is the essential consequence of repeated poisoning from alcohol. It may begin at the first poisoning or excessive use of spirits. The brain tissue may be injured at that time in some way, and require ever after spirits to relieve the system of organic change.—Journal of Inebriety.

THE Federal Grand Jury at Paris, Texas, said in its report last month: "We believe, from our investigations, that more than one-half of the offenses committed in the Indian country originate from the introduction of spirituous liquors, hence we think that a rigid enforcement of the liquor law is essential."

## PUBLIC SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

## CITY OF PLAINFIELD.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a warrant issued by William R. Codington, esq., City Judge of the City of Plainfield, in the County of Union, to make the unpaid taxes assessed on lands tenements, hereditaments and real estate, in the said city of Plainfield in the year eighteen hundred and eighty-eight, the subscriber, the officer nominated and appointed by the Common Council for that purpose, will on Wednesday, the 26th day of November next, at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon at his office, 53 Park avenue, in the City of Plainfield, sell the lands, tenements, hereditaments and real estate hereunder described, at public vendue, for the shortest time for which any person or persons will agree to take the same and pay such taxes, together with interest thereon, and costs, fees, charges and expenses.

| | |
|---|---|
| Allen Samuel C h b and 40 acres 334 to 347 E Front street | 76 30 |
| Anthony Henrietta h and 3 lots 225 - 243 W Seventh street | 98 10 |
| Boice est of C h and l 71 and 75 E Front st | 152 60 |
| " " h, lot 85 to 89 Dunellen avenue | 98 10 |
| Borden Mrs lot 269 South avenue | 2 18 |
| Brewster J L lots Broadway | 10 90 |
| Bond Selena E lot 15 Jackson avenue | 2 18 |
| " " lot 12 Netherwood avenue | 2 18 |
| " " lot 19 " " | 2 18 |
| Bliven Edward M lot 69 Prospect avenue | 2 18 |
| Bogart B F h and l 353 W Sixth street | 26 16 |
| Brannan James h and l 17 Rose street | 6 54 |
| Bastedesack Henry lot 4 Prescott place | 2 18 |
| Bauersachs J W A lot 6 " | 2 18 |
| Bundy Henry h and l Elizabeth street | 8 72 |
| Cole est of Elias h b and 60 acres 260 to 304 E Front street | 218 00 |
| Cole Jacob and est of Sarah h b and 13 acres 312 to 339 E Front street | 76 30 |
| Campbell Mrs John C h and l 53 E 5th st | 19 05 |
| Cole est of Elias h l and b and 1 K acres South avenue | 32 70 |
| Cowan Margaret lot 83 Kensington avenue | 5 45 |
| Cuff Lewis it h and l east of Beivedere ave | 2 18 |
| Casey Patrick h and l 21 to 25 W 3d street | 39 24 |
| Collins John E lot 39 W 4th street | 4 36 |
| Collins Peter h and l 61 W 4th street | 13 08 |
| Conway Mary h and l 92 W 4th street | 6 54 |
| Clark John & John Cahoes lot 6 Lee place | 2 18 |
| Craig William J h and 18 acres 216 to 240 Dunellen avenue | 95 92 |
| Chase Winfield h and l 469 W Front street | 4 36 |
| Cole est of Elias lots 36 to 68 Jefferson ave | 6 54 |
| Day Richard E lot Woodland avenue | 1 09 |
| Darling William S h and l 256 South ave | 39 24 |
| " " lot 300 feet rear of Brown's Ravine road | 3 27 |
| Darling Emma h and l 22 - 34 Rahway road | 9 62 |
| " " lots 177-195 Woodland ave | 6 54 |
| " " lots north side Prospect ave | 4 91 |
| " " lots south side Prospect ave | 9 27 |
| Dadey est of Patrick or Mary h and l 86 W 3d street | 19 62 |
| Dunn Solomon F h l and shop 66 Park ave | 37 06 |
| Dunham Joseph T h and l 30 Arlington ave | 26 16 |
| Darling Wm S 2 lots 23 and 25 Clinton ave | 4 36 |
| Frazee James R lot 230 E 2d street | 2 18 |
| Fish Ferdinand lot 16 Richmond st (north) | 5 45 |
| Flynn Bernhard h and l 152 Terrell road | 8 72 |
| Fisk Alexander F h and l 124 to 152 Woodland avenue | 109 00 |
| Fritz Adam h and l 7 Exchange alley | 10 90 |
| Fisher est of Abram h and l 85 W 3d street | 10 90 |
| Flannigan P J lot 467 South 2d street | 1 09 |
| Flynn Ann E h and lot 54 and 56 W 3d street | 10 90 |
| Field Mr lot 50 it front W 6th street 350 | 1 09 |
| Force James H lot 5 feet front 40½ E 2d st | 1 64 |
| Huff Adelia J 37 W 7th st | 21 80 |
| Hu t Carrie lot 27 Jackson avenue | 2 18 |
| Hart Carrie 2 lots 42 and 44 Netherwood ave | 4 36 |
| Hart Levi E 3 lots 30 to 34 " | 6 54 |
| Henderson Rachel C farm land 5¾ acres Randolph road | 11 45 |
| Harding John h and 2 l 159-161 South 2d st | 13 08 |
| Houseman George W h and lot 19 W 3d st | 26 16 |
| Harris J T 8 lots 230 to 244 W 7th street | 9 81 |
| Harris J T 12 lots 213 to 232 W 7th street | 16 35 |
| Huff est of Rachel h and s 64 Park avenue | 21 80 |
| Henderson Rachael C lots 36 and 38 Rose st | 2 44 |
| " 2 l 205-207 Arlington ave | 4 36 |
| Jones est of Lewis h and 2 l 242 E Front st | 26 16 |
| Jones Emma A 3 lots 194-196 La Grande ave | 6 54 |
| " " lots 7 to 11 Kensington ave | 6 54 |
| " " h and 1 13 Kensington ave with lot to Webster place | 32 70 |
| Jones Emma A 15 l to 186 LaGrande avenue | 32 70 |
| " 1 lot La Grande avenue on left W of Berckman street | 4 36 |
| Jones Emma A 1 lot La Grande avenue on left E of Berckman street | 4 36 |
| Jones Emma A 8 2 to 22 Carleton avenue | 17 44 |
| " " 5 lots 1 to 15 " | 10 90 |
| " " 5 lots 88 to 102 Richmond st | 10 90 |
| " " 2 lots 87 and 91 " | 4 36 |
| " " 4 lots 9 to 15 Putnam street | 13 08 |
| " " 3 lots 23 to 27 " | 32 70 |
| Jimerson Aaron L h and 7 acres 189 to 207 Leland avenue | 32 70 |
| Jacot Mr 4 l 25 ft each W 5th st 357 to 359 | 0 09 |
| Jennings Frank 2 l 8 and 10 Lee places | 4 26 |
| Kellar Susie E h and l 97 E Front street | 27 25 |
| Ketcham Chas E h and l 34 Kensington ave | 43 60 |
| Kane John h and l 88 W 3d street | 4 36 |
| Kilpatrick, Matthew h and l 79 W 6th st | 9 81 |
| Lefler, Harriet h and l 255 La Grande ave bal | 5 10 |
| Leonard, Wm J h and 1 108 and 105 w Front st | 47 96 |
| Leonard, Wm J ½ interest in farm 138 to 17 0 Plainfield ave | 35 97 |
| Lee, Thomas h and 2 l 95 and 97 s 2d st bal | 8 26 |
| Lane, Mary M S l Pemberton, Field, Elizabeth and Central aves | 13 08 |
| Lewis, Israel s and l 10 Park ave | 27 25 |
| Mulford, Elias h and l 44 s 4th st | 32 70 |
| Mahin, Alanson h and 2 l 13 and 15 e 6th st | 54 50 |
| Martine, James E h and 1 2 e 9th st | 21 80 |
| Martine, Anna M h and l 6 s 9th st | 5 86 |
| Martine:, estate of D h b and f land 116 a 146 to 160 Broadway | 381 50 |
| Miller, Caroline A h and l 181 Park ave | 76 30 |
| Martin, Mrs David l 2 George st | 1 09 |
| Miller, Wm H h and l 34 w 2d st | 49 05 |
| Motley, Patrick h and l 79 w 2d st | 4 36 |
| McNamara, Patrick h and l 129 e 2d st | 6 54 |
| McDonough, Peter h and l 153 w 3d st | 15 26 |
| Manning, Wm H h and l 79 w 4th st | 8 72 |
| Marsh, Lucy A h and l 15 w 5th st | 23 98 |
| Moe, Experience h and l 25 and 27 w 5th street | 39 24 |
| McLaughlin, 9 lots 25 ft es 321 to 329 W. 5th street | 2 18 |
| Meyer Segmund T. Lot 200 ft front W 6th street 340 to 348 | 4 36 |
| McCarthy Chas. 2 h & l 21 and 23 Plainfield ave | 19 62 |
| Marsh Randolph, h & l 44 Plainfield ave | 19 62 |
| Murphy, Elizabeth and Mary h and 2 l 5 and 7 Stebbins place | 21 80 |
| Madden, William h and l 471 w Front one half owner | 4 36 |
| Noel, C J 2 l 1 and 2 Prescott place | 6 54 |
| O'Neil, Jas and Richard triangle l 172 s 2d st | 15 26 |
| O'Neil, Jas and Richard h and l 174 s 2d st | 17 44 |
| O'Neil, Jas and Richard h and l 176 s 2d st | 17 44 |
| O'Neil, Jas one-half s and l 178 s 2d st | 13 08 |
| O'Neil, Richard one-half s and l 178 s 2d st | 13 08 |
| O'Keefe, John h and l 81 w 8th st | 13 08 |
| O'Riley Bros., 11 l 189 to 209 w 7th st | 23 98 |
| Ohl, Caroline J 6 l and 33 a Pemberton ave, etc | 45 78 |
| Pike, estate of Josephine W ⅔ interest h and l 122 to 126 E Front st | 58 14 |
| Pike, Virginia ⅓ interest h and l 122 to 126 E Front st | 29 07 |
| Perrine, James R h and l 5 La Grande ave | 76 30 |
| Pringle, Mr l Hillside ave n Randolph road | 2 18 |
| Pound, Daniel S h and l 378 to 380 w Front street | 5 26 |
| Reed, Dawid or Hattie Colburn 2 l 215 to 217 e 2d st | 8 72 |
| Reed, O B l 219 e 2d st | 4 36 |
| Richardson, Maggie h and l 53 E 6th st | 32 70 |
| Randolph, Nathan H 25 a r l h etc., 321 to 345 Park ave | 29 34 |
| Roll, Chancellor h and l 9 and 11 Peace street | 32 70 |
| Beers, Marietta h and l 39 Madison av bal | 28 70 |
| Suydam, Martha 2 s 21 and 23 e front st bal | 62 87 |
| Schorb, Elizabeth 3 story b h e Front st bal | 102 77 |
| Smalley, Morgan R l Hillside ave | 3 82 |
| Smalley, Morgan R 5¾ a l Randolph road | 11 45 |
| Smalley, Samuel T a l l Randolph road | 15 26 |
| Smalley, Wm H 4 a l l Randolph road | 15 26 |
| Smalley, Mary B h and l 242 to 276 Woodland ave | 21 80 |
| Spencer, Mr l 500 ft by 175 Ravine road | 5 45 |
| Smith, Henry W l Raymond ave | 1 09 |
| Sauerman, Mary A l e of Belvidere ave | 1 64 |
| Smith, Ferdinand O h and l 196 w Front street | 26 16 |
| Suthpen, estate of John C h and l 25 and 27 w 2d st | 43 66 |
| Scott, Nell l 15 Essex street | 2 18 |
| Scribner, Mr l 321 to 323 s 2d st | 6 54 |
| Smalley, Morgan R l 16 Rose st | 1 31 |
| Smalley, Samuel l 30 to 34 Rose st | 3 05 |
| Smalley, Samuel l 220 Arlington ave | 2 18 |
| Smalley, Samuel l 213 Arlington ave | 2 18 |
| Salsman, Mrs Elise h & l 129 Central a | 117 72 |
| Smith, James F h and l 14 Elmwood pl | 19 34 |
| Steward, David F h and l 7 John st | 8 72 |
| Thompson, est of Daniel— S l 216 to 220 e Front st | 17 44 |
| " " l 38 to 52 Jackson ave | 17 44 |
| " " 6 l 54 to 64 Jackson ave | 13 08 |
| " " 3 l 66 to 70 Jackson ave | 6 54 |
| " " l 247 to 249 North ave | 5 45 |
| " " l 2 to 12 New Front st | 13 08 |
| Terry, Geo W 2 l 67 to 69 Netherwood av | 6 54 |
| Tingley, Mrs G A h l and 35 width st | 43 60 |
| Tingley Mrs G A l 137 Madison ave | 6 54 |
| Taylor, H l 249 w 5th st, 25 ft front | 55 |
| Topping, W A h and 2 l 112 and 114 w 8th st | 54 50 |
| Trustees Mount Olive church, h and l 32 Liberty st | 16 35 |
| Ulrich, est of Henry h and l 64 to 66 w 6th st | 21 80 |
| Unknown Owners— 4 l 365 to 311 e Front st | 10 90 |
| 2 l 184 to 186 e 2nd st | 10 90 |
| 3 l 249, 251 and 253 e 2nd st | 6 54 |
| 1 55 Midway ave | 2 18 |
| 3 l 32 to 34 Webster place | 6 54 |
| 1 39 to 47 Highland ave | 13 08 |
| 1 7 Johnston ave | 2 18 |
| 1 13 Johnston ave | 2 18 |
| 4 l 18, 20, 22, 24 Johnston ave | 8 72 |
| 1 7 Jackson ave | 2 18 |
| 1 24 " | 2 18 |
| 1 8 " | 2 18 |
| 1 18 " | 2 18 |
| 1 3 George st | 55 |
| 2 l 17 to 19 George st | 1 10 |
| Land on North ave. on right from hill ave to Johnston | 26 16 |
| 1 27 to 29 Rose st | 2 18 |
| 1 35 to 37 Rose st | 2 18 |
| 1 197 Arlington ave | 2 18 |
| 1 201 Arlington ave | 2 18 |
| Vail, Catherine S h and 73 e 2d st | 32 70 |
| Vansinderin, Clara h and l 36 e 6th st | 21 80 |
| Vermeule, Sarah A h and l 5 and 7 Peace st | 21 80 |
| Vail, Huida M— 1 21 Elm place | 1 09 |
| 1 a. and l 74 to 78 Dunellen ave | 17 44 |
| 1 80 to 84 Dunellen ave | 4 36 |
| Van Winkle, Jeremiah h and l 3 Central ave | 15 26 |
| Wiley, Erastus h, b and 12 a 349 to 375 e Front st to Terrell road | 76 30 |
| Weber, Anna C h and s 69 e 3d st | 26 16 |
| Woodruff, James M l e of Belvidere av | 2 18 |
| Whitehead, est of Frazee J h (1 in rear) and l 120 w Front st | 32 70 |
| Wyckhoff, est of Jane h and l 61 w 3d st | 3 82 |
| Wells, Wm H 1 430 ft front 355 to 369 w 6th st | 9 27 |
| Wierenga, John h and 2 a Randolph rd | 6 54 |
| Watson, James E l 100 ft front 228 Central ave | 4 36 |
| Young, est of Emma H h and l Elm pl | 26 16 |
| O'Rourke, John 17 Essex st | 2 18 |

Witness my hand this 16th day of September A. D., 1890.

VINCENT W. NASH,
Special Policemanand Collector of Delinquent Taxes

## ELECTION.

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held in the several wards and districts of the city of Plainfield, N. J., on Tuesday, September 30, 1890, to vote for or against the proposed amendments to the Constitution of this State, as agreed upon at the last session of the Legislature of this state.

The Polling places will be as follows:

First Ward—At Rousland's Express Office, North avenue, opposite the depot.

Second Ward. At Crescent Rink, corner of Fourth and Peace streets.

Third Ward. At John J. Sharp's carriage factory, West Sixth street, near Park avenue.

Fourth Ward—First District. At Alert Hose company's house, Madison avenue near Front street.

Second District. At the store room of John T. Frits, corner of South Second street and Muhlenberg Place.

Polls open at 6 o'clock a. m. and close at 7 p. m.
JOSEPH B. COWARD,
City Clerk.

Plainfield, N. J., September 17, 1890.


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## BIRCHALL TO HANG

### The Jury Find Him Guilty of Murdering Benwell.

### HE IS PROMPTLY SENTENCED.

The Prisoner's Wonderful Composure Never Deserts Him.

**The Verdict Gives General Satisfaction. Pathetic Scenes in Court During the Closing Scenes—Mrs. Birchall Listens to the Summing Up for Her Husband. To be Executed November 14.**

WOODSTOCK, Ont., Sept. 30.—It took the Birchall jury only about one hour and forty minutes to complete the case. Judge McMahon's closing injunction was: "Weigh well the facts."

**The Plea for the Prisoner.**

Mr. Blackstock, counsel for Birchall, talked to the jury for nearly five hours. He referred to the fact that the prisoner could not testify in his own behalf and stated that the Crown had prepared their case with the aid of all necessary funds while the defense had no money with which to bring witnesses from England and other places. He spoke of newspaper criticism and cautioned the jury and judge to be careful and not be biased thereby. He made insinuations against the class of witnesses for the people and the manner in which they were secured. As to the prisoner's previous character in his dealings he admitted they were shady, but as to the murder of Benwell he declared him innocent.

Mr. Blackstock closed with a touching reference to the devotion of Mrs. Birchall to her husband, and asked how they would face her if, after a verdict of guilty and the execution, they would be able to meet her and answer her when she asked: "Where is my husband?"

Mrs. Birchall's head bent slowly forward until it hung upon her breast, while her cheek flushed deeply, but she did not weep.

Mr. Osler then began his closing address for the Crown. He went carefully over the main features of the testimony, especially Birchall's attempt to get the $2,500 from Benwell's father. Everything, he declared, pointed to the climax in Blenheim Swamp.

At the close of Mr. Osler's address Justice MacMahon made a strong summing, taking the best points in the evidence produced on both sides, and urged the jury to be faithful in adhering to impressions produced by the testimony rather than by the picturesque descriptions of counsel.

There was considerable excitement in court when the jurors filed out. Birchall sat as though transfixed. He did not speak, but sat with his eyes riveted on the judge. Mr. Blackstock moved over and whispered a few words to him, but it was evident the prisoner did not relish either the tone or matter of his honor's summing up.

The jury returned to the court room at 11:15.

**Birchall Hears the Verdict.**

Judge McMahon came into court at 11:30 and at once inquired if a verdict had been reached. The foreman of the jury replied in the affirmative. The judge sent for the prisoner and in a short time he was brought in, heavily ironed and placed in the box.

The court was crowded to suffocation. When called upon, the foreman arose and said the verdict was "guilty."

Mr. Blackstock asked that the jury be polled, and all in turn said "guilty." Then Judge McMahon addressed the prisoner, ending up with the question whether he had anything to say why sentence should not be pronounced upon him.

The prisoner was now standing in the dock. All eyes were focussed upon him. He gazed unflinchingly at the judge, and as he spoke his voice was as firm, his features as composed, his glance as resolute as at any time during his long trial. He said:

"Simply that I am not guilty of the crime, my Lord."

**Passing the Sentence.**

"I fully concur with the verdict," said His Lordship, "as brought by the jury. You have been defended with great ability, and no point connected with the evidence which could be urged in your behalf has been neglected. It must be the inevitable conclusion of all attending this trial that you premeditated and carried out the murder of a young man, who had been entrusted to you by an aged father. It was your duty to have looked after him and cared for him, and yet without compunction you deliberately prepared to take his life in order that you might reap the miserable reward of the drafts from England and property you then were in possession of. I can hold out no hope to you for a commutation of the sentence I am about to pass upon you. There is but a short time in which you can be permitted to live, and I can but advise you to spend that time in supplication to the heavenly throne from which you can now alone look for mercy. The sentence of the Court is that you now be taken back to the jail from whence you came and, between the hours of 8 a. m. and 6 p. m., on Friday, November 14, next you be hanged by the neck until you are dead, and may the Lord have mercy on your soul."

Birchall, although he looked pale, never moved a feature through the ceremony, and afterward shook hands with Messrs. McKay and each time a pleasant smile came over his face. He was afterward taken back to the jail and placed in his cell.

**Mrs. Birchall Hears the News.**

When the carriage containing the prisoner was passing the Commercial Hotel, a light was burning in Mrs. Birchall's room. Driver Stewart whipped up his horses and the carriage rolled by. Mrs. Birchall, who has been in her bed since leaving court, received early intelligence of her husband's conviction. Shortly before the verdict was announced the Rev. Mr. Farthing was sent for, and he immediately went to Mrs. Birchall at the Commercial Hotel. As soon as the reverand gentleman entered her room Mrs. Birchall, who was sitting in a chair, knowing his mission, fell in a faint. Although restored to consciousness she is dangerously ill and not expected to recover.

## THE JERSEY MYSTERY.

**Strong Efforts Making to Find Positive Proof Against Lingo.**

CAMDEN, N. J., Sept. 30.—In the neighborhood of the scene of the Miller murder there is little doubt entertained but that in Lingo the authorities have the perpetrator of both the Miller and LeConey crimes.

Assistant Prosecutor Ridgway, however, who was seen this morning, gives it as his positive opinion that Lingo is innocent of both murders, but in this belief he is alone out of thousands.

That the meshes of circumstantial evidence are slowly closing about the suspected man is, however, admitted by Mr. Ridgway.

Lingo is the only suspect, and strong efforts are making toward bringing the crime home to him.

A microscopical examination of Lingo's underclothing failed to reveal any traces of blood, but stains produced by other causes were detected which may prove important factors in proving his guilt. He still sticks to his original story that he was not near the scene of the murder at the time it is supposed to have been committed.

Two Pinkerton detectives are now securing evidence against Lingo. They have been engaged to do that work by the close friends of Chalkley Leconey, who assert that the man who murdered Annie Miller is also guilty of killing Annie Leconey. To clear up that mystery they will spend any amount of money, and they believe that the opportunity to bring the murderer of Annie Leconey to justice has arrived, and hence they have secured the two detectives now working on the case.

County Physician Izard says the announcement that the post mortem examination revealed that Mrs. Miller had been criminally assaulted was premature. He says the result of the post mortem will not be made known until the coroners' inquest, which Coroner Stanton has indefinitely postponed, awaiting the preparation of the evidence.

## STARTLING STATEMENT.

**The Farmers' Position Discussed at the Albany Inter-State Fair.**

ALBANY, N. Y., Sept. 30.—Mr. N. G. Spaulding, secretary of the State Farmers' League, made some startling statements of the farmers' position in his address at the Inter-State Fair. He said in substance:

Why is it that the American farmer is abandoning his home, fleeing from his once happy fireside as from a pestilence, to give place to the Swede and the pauperized labor of Europe? Why is it that land in the Empire State has declined three hundred millions in ten years, while stocks and bonds and mortgages are above par?

Fifty years ago our Government legislated for the benefit of agriculture—a farm was the ideal American home; then agriculture was king and the whole Nation was prosperous, but now there comes a change. Government overlooks this greatest industry of the country. The fireside is forgotten; personal property receives special protection. This has developed an abnormal relation between real estate and personal property, much to the advantage of personal property; and we can never have agricultural prosperity until we restore this normal relation.

**Morley's Speech at St. Helen's.**

LONDON, Sept. 30.—Mr. John Morley, speaking at St. Helen's last night, asked the coercionists of that constituency and of the whole country whether the state of Ireland to-day was what they had bargained for when they voted for the present Government? As an instance of the situation in Ireland he would cite the fact that when Mr. John Dillon went to address his constituents a week ago he found the depot surrounded by military and police, and was advised by the local authorities to be careful in his language or the meeting would be dispersed.

**King Kelly to Leave the Bostons.**

BOSTON, Sept. 30.—Baseball enthusiasts here were surprised over the dispatch from Cleveland, saying that after the Boston Brotherhood club left that city yesterday President Johnson, of the Cleveland club, said: "You may say authoritatively that I have secured Mike Kelly to manage and captain the Cleveland team of 1891. Mike may have his faults, but he is a winning player, and I want the championship flag to float in Cleveland just once. Tebeau will still captain the team when Kelly is off the field."

**Two Weeks by the Sea.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 30.—Immediately after Congress adjourns Senator Quay will start for Atlantic City, and has telegraphed Mark Soo to get his yacht and fishing gear in readiness. The Senator says he expects to pass at least two weeks at Atlantic City.

**Signed by the President.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 30.—The Land Grant Forfeiture bill which passed both Houses of Congress, but was in conference committee for some time reached the Executive Mansion and was approved by the President.

**Another Presidential Tour.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 30.—The President will leave next Monday for the purpose of attending the Grand Army reunions at Galesburg, Ill., Ottumwa, Ia., and at Topeka, Kan. The details of the trip have not yet been arranged.

## THE TARIFF DEBATE

### A Final Vote Expected in the Senate This Evening.

### THE BILL READY FOR SIGNING.

The Measure Will Become a Law Agreed Upon in Conference.

**Nearly 4,000 Messages Acted Upon by the Senate This Session—The President Sends in Important Nominations—The Land Grant Forfeiture Bill Signed—The First Census Estimates Too High.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 30.—It is ascertained, as nearly as anything can be before it is accomplished and final, that the Tariff bill will become a law before the end of the week. Whatever discontent there is among the Republican Senators will not amount to enough to defeat the conference report. The bill will become a law just as agreed upon in conference on Friday.

Four or five Democrats are to talk before the vote is taken, and there will be some speaking on the Republican side, though not much. The purpose of the Republicans is to get the vote as soon as possible.

The feature of the debate was the statement of Senator Paddock, of Nebraska, that he could not consistently support the report and that he would be, therefore, constrained to vote against it.

The enrolling clerks of the House have been working almost continually since the conference report on the Tariff bill was presented, and they have just completed the enrollment of the bill. As a result, the measure can be placed in the hands of the President for approval within an hour after the Senate adopts the conference report.

It is in the power of the Democrats of the House to block the measure by demanding the presence of a quorum when the Speaker announces his signature to the bill, but there appears no probability that they will take advantage of the opportunity. Many members of both parties have gone home, and it would be easy to break a quorum.

It is expected that to-morrow will be the day when the session will end.

## THE SENATE'S WORK.

**Nearly 4,000 Messages Acted Upon at the Present Session.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 30.—The Senate has almost cleared up the Executive business which has come before it during the present session of Congress.

It has received during the session 3,472 messages, each message (except those of unimportant naval and army promotions) representing a single nomination. All of these have been acted upon except 33. Ten of these were received last evening from the President.

Only two nominations have been rejected at this session—those of J. B. Eaves, collector of internal revenue for the Fifth district of North Carolina, and H. H. Schrock, postmaster at Selins Grove, Pa. Several nominations will doubtless be left hanging at the time the Senate adjourns. The President has withdrawn 39 nominations during the session; but the withdrawals were due to clerical errors in the messages or deaths of nominees.

## IMPORTANT NOMINATIONS.

**The President Names the Continental Railway Commission.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 30.—The President sent to the Senate the following nominations: Smith A. Whitfield of Ohio to be First Assistant Postmaster-General. James Lowrie Bell of Pennsylvania to be Second Assistant Postmaster-General.

Frederick M. Dow of Maine to be Collector of Customs for the district of Portland and Falmouth, Maine. This nomination was immediately confirmed.

Members of the Continental Railway Commission: Alexander J. Cassatt, of Pennsylvania; George M. Pullman, of Illinois; Henry G. Davis, of West Virginia.

Charles H. Shepard of Massachusetts to be United States Consul to Gothenberg.

**The First Estimate Too High.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 30.—It is stated on excellent authority that the count of the census, when finished, will show the number of persons in the United States to be scarcely 64,000,000. The estimates, first of 65,000,000 and then of 64,500,000 have been found incorrect, and now the count has progressed so far as to show that the total will hardly be 64,000,000.

**A Sensational Divorce Recalled.**

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Sept. 30.—The engagement is announced of Colonel Rutherford Trowbridge, of this city, and Miss Mary Parrell, the daughter of an Ansonia millionaire. Col. Trowbridge was divorced from his wife, the daughter of John C. Anderson, the tobacconist, two years ago.


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## AN ATTRACTIVE FAIR.

**A Fine Exhibition at Trenton, N. J., Now in Progress.**

TRENTON, N. J., Sept. 30.—The great Interstate Fair was opened under the most favorable auspices. The weather is perfect, the grounds in good condition and the half-mile track, upon which the horses of this and adjoining States will show their speed, is in fine condition.

There has never been a better exhibition in this State of fine cattle, pretty sheep, rare fowls, farm machinery and all other things that delight the rural heart, and besides these there is a collection containing 2,000 specimens of needle and other work by women. In this New York, Brooklyn and Philadelphia are well represented.

Thursday will be the big day of the fair, when Governor Abbett, Governor Briggs, of Delaware, and Governor Beaver, of Pennsylvania, are expected to be present. This is known as "Politicians Day."

## PUGILISTS SURRENDER.

**Slavin and McAuliffe Will Have a Hearing on Friday.**

LONDON, Sept. 30.—The heavyweight pugilists, Slavin and McAuliffe, surrendered at the Lambeth Police court during the morning on a charge of assaulting each other and committing a breach of the peace. The hearing was set down for Friday.

An inspector of police testified in court that though the men wore gloves which had the appearance of ordinary boxing gloves, he had seen the seconds working the padding from the backs down to the points of the fingers while putting them on the men. Gloves thus manipulated were, he said, useless as a protection against the infliction of injury. He described the contest as a fierce and savage fight, not a scientific boxing match.

**Mass Meeting for Postoffice Clerks.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 30.—Four thousand persons attended a citizens' mass meeting last night under the auspices of the Postoffice Clerks' Association. There were present letter carriers and clerks from every station in the city and delegations from Brooklyn, Jersey City, Long Island, Hoboken, Newark and Paterson. The meeting was held to urge the necessity of the speedy passage of the bill, now before Congress, making eight hours a legal day's work for postoffice clerks. A number of prominent gentlemen addressed the meeting, among them ex-Postmaster-General James and Doctor McGlynn.

**Petition from Ben Franklin's Heirs.**

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 30.—In the Orphans' Court a petition was filed by the heirs of Benjamin Franklin, praying that the sum of $100,000, now held by the Board of City Trusts, be turned over to them, on the ground that the provisions of Franklin's will are in violation of the law and therefore void. The object of the suit is to compel the distribution of this fund to the Franklin heirs through his only daughter, Sarah Franklin Bache. It is estimated that there are over fifty heirs in this city.

**The Iron and Steel Congress.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 30.—One of the most notable gatherings of mining engineers and iron and steel manufacturers that has ever occurred took place here when the first of the series of sessions to be held by the International Iron and Steel Congress was convened at Chickering Hall. President Hewitt called the meeting to order, and made a short address of welcome in which he expressed the pleasure felt by the New Yorkers at seeing so many guests present.

**Great Day in Pawtucket.**

PAWTUCKET, R. I., Sept. 30.—This place is handsomely decorated in honor of the celebration of the one hundredth anniversary of the establishment of cotton spinning by power in this country. To-day is military day, and probably the finest military parade ever made in Rhode Island was witnessed. There was a dress parade by the Rhode Island Brigade, and the troops were reviewed by the Governors of Rhode Island and Connecticut.

**An Astor Boy Changes His Name.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 30.—John Jacob Armstrong Astor, 4 years old, son of William Waldorf Astor, had his name changed by an order of Judge Daly, of the Court of Common Pleas, to John Jacob Astor. The change goes into effect November 2. The child's grandfather and great-grandfather had the name of John Jacob Astor, and this was the principal cause of the change.

**Death of a Candidate for Sheriff.**

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Sept. 30.—Charles F. Bidwell, Democratic candidate for Sheriff of Monroe County, died last evening, aged 30 years. Mr. Bidwell had been suffering for several weeks from an attack of typhoid fever, from which it was at one time thought that he had nearly recovered, but he suffered a relapse, followed by peritonitis, causing his death.

**Hot Political Fight.**

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Sept. 30.—There was a hot fight over the organization of the Republican County Committee here, and the two factions almost came to blows. The contest was over the chairmanship, and the dividing line was between the Hiscock men and the friends of Mr. Belden. Mr. Belden's candidate, Edgar P. Glass, won by a vote of 19 to 14.

**Her Son-in-Law Stabbed Her.**

ELIZABETH, N. J., Sept. 30.—As Mrs. Margaret Hunt was sitting in her room reading a book she was suddenly interrupted by her son-in-law, Richard Hoy. He was in a drunken mood, and at once began to quarrel with Mrs. Hunt who is 65. During the quarrel Hoy drew a large case knife and plunged it into the breast of the helpless woman. Hay was arrested. The woman will die.

## THE PENNANTS WON

### The Baseball Struggle is Practically Settled.

### SATURDAY TO CLOSE THE SEASON

Brooklyn Cannot Lose First Place in the National League.

**Hot Race for Second Place Between Anson's Colts and the Phillies—The Giants and Brooklyns Close Together in the Brotherhood—Brooklyn and Louisville to Battle for the World's Championship.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 30.—The baseball season of 1890 is practically settled. The pennants have been won, and it now only remains for the clubs nearest to the leaders to settle the question of their final position. In the National League the Brooklyn Club cannot now lose first place.

The season will close on Saturday and the club has only four scheduled games to play, three of them with Pittsburg. Chicago comes next to Brooklyn and also has four games to play, but Ausen's men will have more work to do than the Brooklyns, for they have yet three games to play with the New Yorks. In the event of the Brooklyns losing all of their games from now out—which is not likely—and Chicago winning all of her games—which is just as unlikely—Brooklyn would still win the pennant by a fair percentage over Chicago.

In the Players' League, Boston has a commanding lead for first place, and cannot lose even if the team should drop all of its games.

In the American Association the season will not end for some two weeks yet, but this will not diminish the Louisville club's chances for first place. They have so long a lead now that it will be impossible to catch them.

When the American Association has finished its season the Brooklyn National League and Louisville clubs will battle for the world's championship, just as the leaders in these two organizations have done in years gone by. They will not play the Boston Players' League Club, unless there should be some sort of an agreement when the National League meeting takes place within the next ten days in this city.

### BASEBALL GAMES.

**National League.**

AT CINCINNATI.

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| Cincinnati | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | —5 |
| New York | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —4 |

Batteries—Rhines and Harrington; Sharrotte and Buckley.

AT CHICAGO.

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| Chicago | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | —3 |
| Boston | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —0 |

Batteries—Hutchinson and Nagle; Nichols and Bennett.

AT PITTSBURG.

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| Pittsburg | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —2 |
| Philadelphia | 1 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —6 |

Batteries—Anderson and Decker; Vickery and Gleason and Schriver.

AT CLEVELAND.

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| Cleveland | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —5 |
| Brooklyn | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | —6 |

Batteries—Beatin and Zimmer; Lovett and Clarke.

**Players' League.**

AT CHICAGO.

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| Chicago | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | —6 |
| Brooklyn | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —1 |

Batteries—Baldwin and Farrell; Weyhing and Kinslow.

AT BUFFALO.

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| Buffalo | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | —7 |
| Boston | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —4 |

Batteries—Cunningham and Mack; Radbourne and Murphy.

AT PITTSBURG.

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| Pittsburg | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 3 | 0 | —8 |
| Philadelphia | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —1 |

Batteries—Staley and Fields; Knell and Hallman.

AT CLEVELAND.

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| Cleveland | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 5 | —8 |
| New York | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —3 |

Batteries—O'Brien and Sutcliffe; Ewing and Brown.

**American Association.**

AT COLUMBUS.

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| Columbus | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | — | 5 |
| Rochester | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | — | 2 |

Game called at the end of the eighth inning on account of darkness.

Batteries—Chamberlain and O'Connor; Barr and McGuire.

AT LOUISVILLE.

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| Louisville | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 1 | 0 | 0 | x | —6 |
| Syracuse | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —1 |

Batteries—Stratton and Weckbecker; Keefe and Pitz.

**Atlantic Association.**

AT LEBANON.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Lebanon | 2 | 1 | 2 | 4 | 1 | 5 | 2 | 0 | 1 | —18 |
| Harrisburg | 3 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 1 | —11 |

Batteries—Swift and Coons; Cox and Jennings.

AT NEW HAVEN.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| New Haven | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —4 |
| Newark | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | —2 |

Batteries—Gilliland and Hofford; Fitzgerald and Murphy.

**Standing of the Clubs.**

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

| Won | Lost | Pct | | Won | Lost | Pct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Brookl'n .84 | 43 | .661 | Cincin'ti.74 | 55 | .574 | |
| Philadel..77 | 50 | .606 | N. York..63 | 65 | .492 | |
| Chicago..80 | 53 | .502 | Clev'l'nd..41 | 84 | .328 | |
| Boston...75 | 54 | .581 | Pitsb'rg..23 | 110 | .167 | |

PLAYERS' LEAGUE.

| Won | Lost | Pct | | Won | Lost | Pct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Boston....76 | 46 | .629 | Philadel..67 | 60 | .528 | |
| Brookl'n..75 | 54 | .581 | Pitsb'rg..56 | 67 | .455 | |
| N. York...73 | 54 | .575 | Clev'l'nd..53 | 73 | .421 | |
| Chicago...72 | 62 | .537 | Buffalo...35 | 99 | .273 | |

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

| Won | Lost | Pct | | Won | Lost | P c |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Loui'v'le..79 | 41 | .658 | Roch'st'r.57 | 58 | .496 | |
| St. Louis..75 | 50 | .600 | Athletic .55 | 66 | .455 | |
| Col'mb's..69 | 54 | .561 | Syracuse.46 | 70 | .397 | |
| Toledo....63 | 55 | .534 | Baltim'e.36 | 87 | .293 | |

**Nearly 400 Natives Killed.**

PARIS, Sept. 30.—Advices from Senegal state that a native army under Chief Ahmadon besieged Kumakari, but were repulsed by the French. Three hundred and eighty of the natives were killed.

## BEEF AS WELL AS PORK.

**The German Government Making Inquiries About Chicago Slaughter Houses.**

BERLIN, Sept. 30.—The German Government has no intention of making an early withdrawal of its prohibition against the importation of American pork into this country. On the contrary, it is currently reported that the condition of the great slaughter houses of Chicago and other places in the United States, and at the instance of the German Government, have shown, according to the allegation of German officials, that almost all the meat which is killed in them is unhealthy, and therefore Germany is considering whether she ought not also prohibit imports of American beef as well as pork, as being almost equally unwholesome.

Of course it stands to reason that all this is politics rather than facts; in other words, that the Government here desires to get up some good reason for shutting out American beef for economical considerations. It is not believed that anything will come of this rather blundering attempt at a scare.

## THE IRISH TRIALS.

**Counsel for Dillon and O'Brien Still Protesting Against Justice Shannon.**

DUBLIN, Sept. 30.—Mr. Healy is applying to-day to the High Court in this city for a writ to prohibit the sitting magistrates from proceeding in the case of Dillon and O'Brien. The application, Mr. Healy said, is made on the ground of the bias of the Crown counsel. Mr. Healy submitted that the time had arrived when it should be decided whether the trial proceed further pending the receipt of the decision on the application.

The Government will prosecute Mr. Harrison, Member of Parliament for the Middle Division of Tipperary, and others who were present on the occasion for inciting to riot in Tipperary on Thursday last.

## READY TO FIGHT.

**Turks Preparing for a Stubborn Conflict With Russian Troops.**

ERZEROUM, Sept. 30.—The situation is serious. Russia has massed 72,000 troops on the frontier.

The Turks are expecting an attack, and are preparing for a stubborn conflict.

**The McGonegal Trial.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 30.—The trial of Dr. McGonegal, charged with manslaughter in killing Annie Goodwin by malpractice, was continued to-day in General Sessions. The first witnesses examined were Messrs. Merritt and Nagle, and Annie Goodwin's sister, Mrs. Mary Halliday. The latter swore to her identification of her sister's body.

## NEWS OF THE DAY.

Mr. Joseph Savory has been elected Lord Mayor of London.

The President has approved the bill granting a pension to the widow of Gen. Crook.

The annual convention of the National Wholesale Druggists' Association opened in Washington last night.

D. K. Trimmer, of York, Pa., was nominated for Congress by the Nineteenth District Republican Convention.

The Hon. Isaac W. Hammond, A. M., of Concord, State Historian for New Hampshire, is dead, aged 50 years. During the war he served three years in the Army of the Potomac.

D. J. Curtis, of Springfield, Mass., has been awarded the contract for the construction of the Troy (N. Y.) public building at his bid of $32,200. Dummerston, Vt., marble will be used.

John Keen, driven insane by grief over the death of three children out of five within three days from diphtheria at Newark, N. J., killed himself with a revolver in a Bowery hotel, New York.

The steamer Spaarndam, of the Netherlands Line, has just arrived at New York from Rotterdam. She has among other cargo 6,500 bales of Sumatra tobacco valued at $1,500,000.

The furnace workers of Boston and surrounding towns, who as an independent union have vainly endeavored to force a nine-hour work day, having become convinced that the aid of the entire trade will be necessary to attain this end, last night voted to affiliate with the Furnace Workers International Union, and will be initiated to-morrow.

**Weather Indications.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 30.—For New England: Fair; warmer; southeasterly winds, becoming variable.

For Eastern New York, Eastern Pennsylvania and New Jersey: Fair; warmer; variable winds.

For Western New York and Western Pennsylvania: Fair; warmer; easterly winds.

## NEW YORK MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Sept. 29.—Money on call to-day 3 and 4 per cent.

BONDS.

| | Closing Saturday. | Closing To-day. |
|---|---|---|
| 4½s, 1891 Reg | 104½ | 103¼ |
| 4½s, 1891 Coup | 105 | 103¾ |
| 4 s, 1907 Reg | 121½ | 123 |
| 4 s, 1907 Coup | 121 | 120 |

STOCK MARKET.

| | Closing Saturday. | Closing To-day |
|---|---|---|
| Canadian Pacific | 78¾ | 77¾ |
| Central Pacific | — | — |
| Chicago, Bur. & Quincy | 97 | 97 |
| Delaware & Hudson | — | 135¼ |
| Del. Lack. & Western | — | 147½ |
| Erie | 25 | 24¾ |
| Erie pref | — | — |
| Lake Shore | 105¾ | 106¾ |
| Louis. & Nash | 83¾ | 84¾ |
| Michigan Central | — | — |
| Missouri Pacific | 79¼ | 80¾ |
| New Jersey Central | 111 | 111¾ |
| Northwestern | 107½ | 108¾ |
| Oregon Navigation | — | — |
| Pacific Mail | 43 | 43¾ |
| Reading | 41¼ | 41¾ |
| Rock Island | 81 | 80¾ |
| St. Paul | 69¾ | 69 |
| Union Pacific | 54 | 55 |

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## BY THE WAY.

—Buy your window shades at Fairchild's furniture store 21 and 23 East Front street.

—Beginning to-morrow, Stephenson of North avenue, will make a reduction in the price of iced cream.

—The New Jersey Division, League of American Wheelmen, lost about $80 at the annual meet at Plainfield last Spring.

—Plainfield will this year receive $668 as its share of the taxes assessed by the State against railroads and canal property.

—The Clerks Association will meet this evening in the rooms of the Jr. O. U. A. M., corner of Park avenue and Front street.

—The boy cornet player, Morris Sorenson, will play a cornet solo at the entertainment of the Plainfield Cornet Band at Amphion Hall to-morrow night.

—The regular Fall session of the Classis of Newark of the Reformed church, will be held Tuesday, October 14, in the *Trinity Reformed* church of this city.

—The name of Henry Goeller, arrested and fined yesterday, was furnished by the police records yesterday. The name should have been recorded as William Goeller.

—Mrs. Dr. Edwards, the clairvoyant, has so far recovered from her recent illness that she is again able to see her patrons on and after Wednesday at the City Hotel, from 2 till 8 o'clock P. M.

—The attention of the members of Franklin Council, No. 41, Jr. O. U. A. M., is called in the special notices today to attend the institution of the new Council at Somerville to-morrow night.

—Gazelle Engine Company, No. 1, will hold a regular meeting in their parlors, to-morrow evening at 7:30 o'clock, sharp. A full attendance is desired as business of importance will be brought before the meeting.

—William Kirk, of this city, representing Milliken Bros., the iron merchants of New York, who are also residents of Plainfield, was awarded the contract for a county bridge on North avenue, Westfield, last week.

—A social gathering is to be held in Hope chapel this evening under the auspices of the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor. Those in charge promise to make everything enjoyable, and everybody is invited.

—The writer of Edsall's new advertisement in another column, seems to have caught a new inspiration while he has been rusticating in the monntains or along the shores of the deep, deep, blue sea. It reads like business all the same.

—At the Polo grounds, New York, yesterday, the Detroit "amateurs" succeeded in defeating the N. J. A. C., in spite of Umpire Quinn. He declared Reidy of the Detroits out on third when the man was plainly safe to everybody. Quinn is the Crescent-West End umpire.

—The managers of the Crescent team propose to give the entire receipts of a closing game as a benefit, and left it with the players to choose whom their opponents should be. They have decided to have the "Ridgewoods," who defeated the Crescents, August 2, by a score of 8 to 3, and who were defeated by the Crescents September 1, 4 to 3.

—An interesting debate may be expected at the meeting of the Young Men's Auxiliary of the Young Men's Christian Association this evening. The subject will be "Resolved, That reading is more beneficial than observation." In the affirmative, Vincent Rockwell, James Kimball and Charles Fernald will speak; in the negative, William Crawford, Walter Dobbins and Warren Rice.

—Lever, centre-field of the Crescents, came to Plainfield on August 23, with the Metropolitans. He was the second man at the bat, and knocked the ball over the fence. He was engaged by the Crescents at once. Since then he has played six games with the Plainfield team, in which he has been at the bat twenty times but has only made one little hit. Yet Sunday he played with the Metropolitans again, and batted a single, a two-bagger and a home run.

### North Plainfield Young Men in Texas.

Fred. Obitz, of North Plainfield, who was one of the Craig brothers' party to go to Texas last Spring, is expected home today. David French will remain a short time longer. The landed interests of the Craigs are demanding much attention from George and Wm. D., whose ranch contains extensive droves of cattle. George Stiner also has bought Texas property, and will raise cattle. The young men are all in the best of health and spirits. They are delighted with Texas, and say that its unlimited resources have only just begun to be developed.

### A Young Girl's Grief

At seeing her charms of face and form departing, and her health imperiled at her critical period of life, was turned to joy and gratitude after a brief self-treatment with Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It purified and enriched her blood, gave a healthy activity to the kidneys, stomach, bowels, and other organs, and her return to robust health speedily followed. It is *the only medicine for women*, sold by druggists, *under a positive guarantee* from the manufacturers, that it will give satisfaction in every case, or money will be refunded. This guarantee has been printed on the bottle-wrapper, and faithfully carried out for many years.

## CAST INTO OUTER DARKNESS.

**A Colored Congregation in a Ferment Over a School-Girl's Error—Calling Names, and Questioning the Morals of Those Throwing the First Stone—The Choir Threaten to Strike.**

The sensation caused among the colored people of the Mt. Olive Baptist church, some months ago, by the scandal aroused over the alleged shortcomings of their pastor, was repeated last night, when the congregation met and wrought themselves up into a state of mind over the case of Laura Robinson, the young school-girl who was recently brought back by her mother, from Boston, after a most unhappy elopement with Wm. Mc Quay, whom she has since refused to marry.

Laura's mother was present, and spoke right out in meeting as soon as the suggestion had been made to scratch Laura's name off the membership list and to cast her into the outer darkness outside the pale of the church.

"My daughter's a virtuous girl," she said, "as good and virtuous as any one else inside these walls. She isn't to blame because a *big strong man* lured her away—she who belongs to a sex so weak and helpless."

And if the truth were known—she continued, waving her hands about with a gesture that meant a great deal, in a generalizing way—those who were so ready to find fault with Laura were just the ones who weren't the most pure in heart.

Laura had been abducted away,—she said—but she had kept from committing wrong herself. Anyhow, whether she was a good girl or not, let the guiltless one—and she glanced around significantly—let the sinless one, cast the first stone.

This made the strong-minded sisters mad, and in energetic language they disagreed with Mrs. Robinson, and told her to "go 'way!" and to do other things which, as Mrs. Robinson said, no decent lady would suggest. An excited war of words resulted. Uncomplimentary remarks were freely made. Such pleasant characterizations as "brazen hussy," "bold, bad thing" and "scand'lous critter" were heaped by feminine tongues on feminine heads. The members of the church choir got up and said that they considered themselves Laura's superiors, and if Laura ever played the organ in that church again they'd strike, and never sing again, so there!

"Oh, I tell you, we had a hot time of it!" said one of the colored sisters this morning. The upshot of it was that Laura was excommunicated, her name was stricken off the roll, and she was "cast into outer darkness," so far as one congregation could cast her.

### All This to be Inaugurated in a Few Days.

TO THE PEOPLE: On Monday evening next at eight o'clock, John C. Collins, general organizer of Boys' Clubs in the United States and Canada, will inaugurate the Boys' Club of Plainfield.

Central Hall will appear to better advantage than ever before, when dressed to receive these uncut diamonds. This large, light, and well ventilated room, will be furnished with chairs, tables and bookcases, filled with *new* books; the tasteful, clean walls will be more beautiful, with 75 new pictures, the indefinite loan of the Century Company, New York. The new iron sink will hold its own in one corner and the reflected cheerfulness from these clean faces is going to brighten ours.

We will offer brightness, beauty, comfort and warmth to the part of our community, who have probably never before received these four things, at once, in one room. We expect to be a beacon in our elevated position, for who can overlook our 13 windows, our command of the prominent avenues, and our sweep of the railroad. We shall be all light and our love to man will shine forth like our lights that are to beckon boys in. We shall be merry for games will be there. Sometimes quiet for a corner will be there for those who wish to write, perhaps to a mother, far, far off.

Our hall, our beautiful hall is ready; our superintendent is here, and our starter, Mr. Collins, will welcome all subscribers, all interested and all boys, between the ages of 6 and 20. Our hall contains 3,000 feet. On Monday evening let there be 6,000!

THE BOARD OF MANAGERS.

### A Plainfield Woman Makes an Interesting Speech.

At the meeting in Reform Hall Sunday evening President Harper occupied the chair, the Rev. W. E. Honeyman, Chaplain of the Club, conducted the devotional services, and a full choir, led by Mr. Vanderbeek, with Miss Doremus as accompanist, rendered well the music.

The speaker of the evening was George M. Angleman, who in a clear and forcible manner reviewed the temperance question, and commented on the individual responsibility it involved. Mrs. Rachel Bogart, by invitation, followed Mr. Angleman with a few very appropriate remarks.

The President made several announcements, and prefaced the offering of the pledge with a short address, after which the Rev. Mr. Honeyman pronounced the benediction.

### Willie Gets a Free Ride.

George VanNest's boy Willie, who is only a few years old, boarded a passenger train yesterday for New York. He informed the conductor that he was under age and did not have to have a ticket. When the train arrived in Jersey City the news of Willie's arrival was telephoned to his father who lives on East Fifth street and the boy was sent for.

## PARTICULAR MENTION.

The engagement of G. Harry Squires of Broadway, and Miss Grace Howard, of Ninth street, has been announced.

John Mortimer and family, of East Fifth street, are home again after a long season at their Summer cottage in Asbury Park.

John H. Doane, senior member of the firm of Doane & VanArsdale, has been very ill at his home on LaGrande avenue, but is now recovering.

Latest advices from Peter Hoagland locate him at Denver, Col., the extreme Western point of his pleasure trip. He will return by way of Council Bluff and St. Paul.

Miss May Hurd, daughter of John W. Hurd, of Dover, has entered Miss Kenyon's Seminary, "The Chestnuts," and is becoming a popular member of West Seventh street society.

Mrs. Hannah Stiles, of Illinois, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. David Pangborn, of West Fifth street, for some time, died Sunday, aged 48 years. The funeral will take place to-morrow at 2:30 P. M.

Maggie May Maire, daughter of the late Joseph Maire and May Fahn, died yesterday at the home of her step-father, Lawrence Fahn, in North Plainfield. The funeral services will take place to-morrow afternoon at half-past three o'clock.

The County Convention of the Christian Endeavor Union will be held in the *Trinity Reformed* church, this city, on Friday evening of next week. Addresses will be made by the Rev. W. H. Shermer, of Elizabeth, and the Rev. George H. Payson, of Rahway.

T. E. H. Curtis, Secretary of the Colorado Coal and Iron company, who is building himself a beautiful home on Eighth street adjoining H. G. Runkle's, has just returned from a fishing trip to Lake Bell. One of his stories (which was quite a good one in them days) is the catching of two bass on one hook. One of the fish, he says, weighed two pounds, eight ounces.

Counselor W. K. McClure has purchased the handsome residence at the corner of Crescent avenue and Third place, built some years ago by the late Washington Lithgow, a former Councilman of this city. It is considered one of the best built and finest finished houses in Plainfield. It cost Mr. Lithgow a great deal of money. Even the mahogony in the lower hall was imported from Santo Domingo especially for that house.

Engineer Charles Bigelow, a cousin of Mrs. C. H. Rugg, of this city, was killed last night in a collision on the L. & S. Div., near Mauch Chunk. Owing to a blockade, only one track was in use and the telegraph operator was ordered to hold back all coal and freight to let the passenger trains through. The operator, however, neglected to transfer this order to the night man who succeeded him, and Bigelow's engine drawing a train of coal cars met a passenger engine on the same track.

M. H. A.

MUSIC HALL.

TWO NIGHTS ONLY.

Monday and Tuesday, Oct. 6 and 7.

Jefferson & Taylor's Great Aquatic Spectacle,

"A DARK SECRET."

With the original cast, scenery and realistic effects. The new Henley regatta scene; real boats, racing shells, steam launches on a river of real water.

George Hosmer, the popular oarsman, in the winning shell; the Herbert Bros., 3 heaviest gymnasts in the World; the Manhattan Quartette, in vocal selections; the realistic drowning scene, the sensation of a lifetimes.

PRICES—35, 50, 75c., and $1.

Seats on sale Friday. 9 30 td

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MRS. DR. EDWARDS

Having entirely recovered from her severe illness, is now able to see her patrons again

On and after Wednesday, Oct. 1,

at the City Hotel, from 2 to 8 o'clock P. M. Room 4, one flight up.

Ladies 50c to $1 Gentlemen $1.

After this week she can be consulted all day. 9 30 tf

WHY WOMEN TALK ABOUT IT.

THIS IS WHY.

Ontario Center, N. Y.
May 7, 1890.
F.E.C. Medicine Co., Rochester, N.Y.:

For seven or eight years my wife has been troubled with some kind of kidney trouble. She tried many different remedies but all in vain. She continued to grow worse. Last fall I induced her to try the F. E. C. Remedy, and before using one bottle she began to improve, and now, after using six bottles, she is entirely cured. I have recommended it to many and it has benefitted in every case heard from.

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*Permanently Cured* by using Dr. Comfort's little "Compills." *Prevent Paralysis.* Nothing like them on the market. At druggists, or sent by mail on receipt of 25 cents, by the F. E. C. Medicine Co., Rochester, N. Y.

For sale by R. J. SHAW, Druggist, Sole Agent. 6 oct

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COAL.

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YARD—Madison Avenue, opp. Electric Light Station. 12-

ATTENTION, CLERKS!

Meeting of the Clerks' Association TO-NIGHT, Sept. 30, at 8 o'clock, in the rooms of the Jr. O. U. A. M., corner Park avenue and Front street Every member is earnestly requested to be present.

HOME OIL CO.,

W. A. WESTPHAL, Manager.

Families supplied with the

Best Kerosene,

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Ladies' Class—Thursday afternoons, 3 to 6 o'clock; terms, $12 per year.

Boys' Class—Saturday mornings, 9 to 12 o'clock; terms $8 per year.

For admission or information apply to

J. H. COOLEY, M. D.,

Chairman Gymnasium Committee. 9 26 6

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This Wednesday Ev'g, Oct. 1.

Grand initial entertainment given by the Plainfield Cornet Band.

The programme will consist of Singing, Dancing, Recitations, Solos, and the very laughable Farce,

"The Three Married Men,"

In which Mr. Martin J. Dixon and Miss Jessie Wallack of the Tourist's Co. appear, assisted by local talent. Violin solo by Prof. F. L. Orode.

PRICES—35c., 25c., and 15c. On sale at Guttman's. 27-See the parade on same evening previous to entertainment. 9 29 3

M. H. A.

Music Hall.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 3.

Special Engagement. The Distinguished Artiste—Miss JOSEPHINE CAMERON, supported by her own Company, presenting Herrman Merrivale's London success—

FORGET-ME-NOT.

Magnificent wardrobe designed and made by Worth of Paris.

Seats on sale Wednesday.

PRICES—35c., 50c., 75c., and $1. 9 29 5

Harvest Home Fair and Supper

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Thursday Evening, and Friday Afternoon and Evening,

For the Benefit of

The Evona Mission.

ADMISSION, - - Ten Cents.

SUPPER, 50c., including admission. 9 29 5

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Special attention paid to

Children's Hair Cutting. 3-25-tf

### Attention, Franklin Council!

The members of Franklin Council No. 41, Jr. O. U. A. M., are requested to meet at their rooms, corner Front street and Park avenue, on Wednesday evening, October 1, at 5:30 o'clock, to attend the instituting of a new Council at Somerville.

### 1890. TAXES.

Notice is hereby given to the Taxpayers of the City of Plainfield, that the Taxes assessed in said city for the year 1890, are now due and payable, and that if the said Taxes be not paid by the 20th day of December next, the names of the defaulters, with their respective taxes, will be returned to the City Judge for prosecution.

The Commissioners of Appeal in cases of taxation, will meet in the Council chamber on the *Fourth TUESDAY in November next*, (the 25th), and sit from 2 o'clock P. M. until 5 o'clock P. M., or longer if found necessary, to dispose of all cases submitted to them for consideration.

JOHN JOHNSON, Collector of Taxes.

Dated Plainfield, N. J. Oct. 1, 1890. 9 30 caw td

## DEATHS.

STILES—In this city, Sept. 28, Mrs. Hannah Stiles, aged 48 years.

Funeral services from the residence of her sister, Mrs. David Pangborn, 35 West 5th street, on Wednesday, Oct. 1, at 2:30 P. M.

MAIRE—In North Plainfield, Sept. 29, 1890, Maggie May, daughter of the late Joseph Maire and May Fahn, aged 14 years, 6 months.

Funeral services will be held Wednesday afternoon, Oct. 1, from the residence of her step-father, Lawrence Fahn, 186 Grove street, at 3:30 o'clock. Relatives and friends are invited to attend.

## WANTS AND OFFERS.

*Advertisements under this heading, one cent for each word each insertion.*

GOOD girl for general housework wanted at 29 Carlton avenue. 9 30 2

HALF of a double house to let, 6 rooms. 29 Emily street. 9 30 3

FOR SALE—Seven room house on Pearl street; price $1,650; $450 cash, or two payments required; balance on mortgage, ample time. J. Leonard, 11 West 6th street. 9 30 4

WANTED—An experienced colored woman as cook and laundress in small family; good wages. Call Wednesday at 97 Rockview avenue.

FLATS to let on Somerset street, first-class order. Inquire of F. W. Bird, 107 East Front street.

BOY, 17 years old, wants situation of any kind, willing to work. 21 W. Second street.

SEVERAL loads of very fine, well-rotted manure for sale; suitable for potting plants and lawns. Inquire at PRESS office. 9 30 5

WANTED—Two competent girls to do the work for family of four; must have reference. 99 Rockview avenue. 9 30 tf

YOUNG lady desires situation in a store as cashier or clerk; is a good penman, and correct at figures. Address A., PRESS office.

TEACHER wanted; wanted a gentleman to teach boy 15 mathematics; references required. Address, by letter only, S. S., 12 East 9th street.

BOARD wanted in a private family for a mother and two children. Address Board, PRESS office. 9 29 2

FOR SALE, cheap for cash, a new Singer (Improved) Sewing Machine. No. 5 Duer st. 9 29 2

BOY, 17 years old, wants a situation in a store. Apply 64 Manning avenue. 9 29 2

TO LET—Desirable house; 9 rooms; convenient to Fond Tool Works. Apply at City Mills. 9 29 3

CORNER Netherwood avenue and Front street, desirable house and barn to let; 12 rooms, all improvements. Apply at City Mills. 9 29 3

SMALL two-story house for sale; Second street, near Park avenue, to be removed at once. A. D. Thompson, opp. Depot. 9 27 6

FOR SALE—A second hand piano, in good condition. Inquire 107 Park avenue. 9 23 tf

LADIES doing their own dressmaking or employing plain seamstress, can secure perfect fit and pattern for future use. Taylor system. Miss A. T. Buckley, 27 West 4th street. 9 23 tf

RYE WANTED—Highest market price paid. N. W. French, 7 E. 4th street 9 11 tf

FOR SALE—A Restaurant, doing a good paying business. Reason for selling, illness of proprietress. Inquire at Boston Cafe, No. 7 Somerset street. 9 6 tf

STORAGE for furniture in separate rooms. Apply to C. Frank French, 69 somerset st. 9 2 tf

WANTED—Jobbing at painting, glazing, kalsomining and roof painting. Address James Kennedy, 49 Chatham street, North Plainfield. tf

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CORPORATION NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the report of Edward C. Mulford, Jeremiah Manning and Joseph A. Hubbard, the commissioners appointed by the Common Council of the city of Plainfield to make an estimate and assessment of the damages that any owner of land and real estate, with the appurtenances necessary to be taken for the purpose, will sustain by the extending, laying out and opening of Orchard place from its present termination to New street in said city, was on the day of the date hereof filed in the office of the subscriber, the city clerk of the said city of Plainfield, and is open to the inspection of the public, and will be presented to the Common Council at its next regular meeting on the sixth day of October, 1890.

Dated September 17, 1890.

J. B. COWARD, City Clerk of the city of Plainfield. 9 18 2w

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## PIGEON-SHOOTING AT DUNELLEN.

**Excellent Sport in Pleasant Weather.—How Birds Are Killed at the Tournament.**

A notable gathering of shooting men is in attendance today at the sixth annual shooting tournament of the Middlesex Gun Club at Dunellen. The marksmen are favored with glorious weather, and great sport is anticipated. The atmosphere is just sufficiently crisp to be exhilarating, and the utmost good spirit prevails.

Today and to-morrow will be devoted to shooting at inanimate targets—"blue rock" pigeons. These are circular moulds of clay, convex and ridged on top, and concave underneath. They are colored a dead black, except for a narrow circle of yellow paint midway between the pivotal centre and the outer edge. They are very hard and brittle.

While the real sport of the tournament is not in full blast till the live bird shooting begins, there is still a deal of excitement and zest over the destruction of clay pigeons. These frail products of man's handiwork skim gracefully away through the air at the speed of a swift-winged bird, the instant the triggerstrings of the traps are pulled. One soon becomes fascinated with watching how their flight is checked. The steady-nerved marksman stands ready waiting for the click of the released springs of the trap. With a sudden movement of arm and gun he gets the manufactured bird, spinning like a teetotum, under cover of his fire. As it seems about to poise itself for a final upward sweep the "blue rock," shattered by the heavy charge from the unerring shotgun, vanishes into a puff of fine black powder.

The first live-bird event will take place Thursday morning, after the sportsmen have had two days' practice at the inanimate targets, and during Thursday and Friday hundreds of cooing pigeons will be sacrificed to the sportsmen's skill. The birds are brought to the grounds in large wire crates, and bask in the sunshine and balmy atmosphere unconsciously awaiting execution. The marksmen abandon the inanimate sport and stand in a long row, with both barrels of their guns charged, alert to their duties. In front of each, and about fifty yards distant, is a green box, in which is confined a bird. A pull of the string, and a trap collapses, a pigeon is released, and a fluttering bit of flannel arouses it into flight. There is a sharp report, a puff of smoke, and in nearly every instance the pigeon falls to the ground instantly killed. If the first shot fails to bring down the game, the second barrel is used.

Some of the pigeons are very wary, and, despite the frantic waving of small red flags, refuse to leave the neighborhood of the traps; they smooth their ruffled plumage, the excited marksman becomes nervous, and when he finally fires he misses. Other birds adopt different tactics, dart instantly away, and tack so swiftly from side to side, intent on reaching the distant woodland, that they get beyond range, unless their hunter is unerringly swift, and are safe. Safe not for long, however, as just outside the circular high board fence inclosing the grounds are vigilant armed sentinels whose mission is to kill all straylings. Few birds can wholly escape, and none if wounded. Although there is one man for each cage, no man knows from which box his bird will rise. The birds most annoying to the shooters are the incomers, those which when released fly towards the row of guns. Not infrequently these are only crippled, and have to have their necks wrung. There was a time when the shooting of pigeons at some tournaments was more of a brutal slaughter than a sport, but nowadays the marksmen are humane, and kill all wounded birds at once.

The Middlesex Gun club is famous for the quality of the birds it furnishes for its tournaments. They are strong-winged, and the hardest kind to hit, and the fact that so few of them escape the sportsmen's fire attests the accuracy of their aim.

New Jersey is noted as the home of the live-bird shooters, and the Dunellen tournament is one of the best patronized during the year and the most popular among the best marksmen. This year many new faces are seen on the grounds, but many of the sports who are familiar features of the Middlesex shoots are again visitors at Dunellen.

Among the prominent shots present is J. Lamberson of the Midway Club, a gray-haired and gray-bearded patriarch. He is 68 years of age, is one of the oldest sports in the State, and is always on hand at live-bird events. He is a member of the team that has held the State trophy for the past five years.

Among other shooters present are: Tony Kuzer, A. Turford, Chas. Van Camp, Mahlon Fox and Ed. Updegrove of the Mercer Gun Club of Trenton; F. Post, Wm. Ely, Ress Van Riper, J. A. Blauvelt and Wm. H. Jersey of the Bergen Gun Club of Cherry Hill; C. M. Hedden, Sam Castle, John Erb, Frank Class, Chas. Heath, Wm. S. Green, Hugh Leddy and Jacob Pentz of the Newark Gun Club; S. G. Smith, T. H. Keller, Chas. Smith, John Riggott, Emory Robinson and W. S. Cannon, the noted one-armed shot, of the Middlesex Gun Club of Dunellen; Al Heritage, Fred Quimby, Milt Lindsley, Wm. Hughes, Capt. Jones, Dr. Burdette, B. S. Payne, F. Payne, Geo. Eaton and Wm. Sigler of the Jersey City Heights Gun Club; Dr. Lendell, R. H. Brientnall, A. Hedden, Wm. Hayes, Asa Whitehead, Ed Carrington, J. R. Burnett and A. E. Hedden of the Essex Gun Club of Newark; T. Compton, J. VanBrackle, James Beddle, J. Lamberson, Dr. Taylor and J. L. Terhune of the Midway Gun Club of Matawan; E. D. Miller, E. Collins and W. H. Wolstencroft of the Union Gun Club of Springfield; James L. Smith of the Hackettstown Gun Club, and Phil Daly, Jr., of the North End Gun Club of Long Branch.

Several among this number deserve special mention; one of them, W. H. Wolstencroft, is a young man who has probably seen 24 summers. He is one of the best all-round shots in the country, and his style of shooting is very easy and graceful, and his rapidity wonderful, his birds being coppered almost the instant they are sprung. He has achieved some reputation as a fancy shot and frequently breaks four clay targets sprung simultaneously, using a Winchester repeating shotgun.

Frank Class, of Pine Brook, is another noted figure whose reputation is national. He does very little at the clay birds, confining himself almost entirely to live pigeons. He is known as a match shooter, his ability being backed by an iron nerve, which stands him in good stead when shooting an uphill race. He has met and defeated many of the best live-bird shots.

A. E. Hedden of Newark is another wonderful shot. He is probably the youngest contestant on the grounds, being only about 21 years old. This is only his second season at the traps, but he comes from a noted shooting family, so takes naturally to the sport. He holds his gun well below his elbow, not taking advantage of the rules, which allow it to be held in any position except against the shoulder, but as soon as the bird takes wing he is on to him, and his rapidity and accuracy rarely requires the use of the second barrel.

With all this talent to draw from, the number of entries in each event cannot but be large, and the results close. It takes but a half-hour's shooting to make an enthusiast of one who has hitherto been a stranger to the fascinations of the sport.

The perfect weather of today put the marksmen in high spirits, and much enthusiasm has been manifested over the various events, which up to noon were as follows:

Regular No. 1—Each man shooting at 10 blue rocks, using only a single barrel for each clay bird—Chas. Smith won first money. W. Wolstencroft and Rowley divided second. Quimby took third.

Regular No. 3—Ten single blue rocks—Dean took first money. Figler, Miller, A. Soper, Quimby, Wolstencroft, Cooper and Russell shared second. C. Smith, Simpson and Brientnall divided third. There were twenty-four entries.

Extra No. 1—Ten single blue rocks—Cooper first, Quimby second, Rowley third.

Extra No. 2—Ten single blue rocks—Rowley, Cooper and Smith divided first money. Quimby won second.

Regular No. 3—This was a very pretty event, each man shooting at fifteen blue rocks, single barrel practice. A guarantee purse of $40 was at stake. The contest was very close, but Wolstencroft was the only one who shattered every clay bird he shot at. He took first money amid rounds of applause.

## JOHN F. DORAN.

**Something About the Speedy Left Hander Who Has Been Pitching for the Crescents.**

John F. Doran, whose effectiveness won the game that Wiegand threw away to the West Ends, Saturday, September 20, will don a Brooklyn uniform as the Atlantic league season is closed. If the rumored series of games for the local and and inter-state championship between the representative national and players' leagues teams are brought off, he may exhibit his skill this year against some of the best batsmen in the country. If the labors of the arbitration committee are in vain and no contest takes place in October he will not wear the blue and white until next season. If reports and records are to be trusted the new acquisition will be a great help to Ward's team. Weyhing, Sowders, Hemming and Dorsan—right and left handed alternately—will make a quartette of twirlers that will be hard to beat. John F. Doran is one of the youngest twirlers in the professional ranks. Notwithstanding the fact that he has only been in a major organization one year, he has gained for himself a reputation which places him on a par with the best pitchers of the players' and national leagues. He is a Jerseyite by birth and is only 20 years old, but has the appearance of a born athlete. He is about 5 feet 4 inches in height and weighs 160 pounds. Two years ago he made a good showing against the Newarks while playing for the Elmiras, of the Central league. Pat Powers, of the Jersey City team, took a liking to him and signed him. After a few trials he was considered too slow for the company he was in and was released. New Haven took him up, but he did not do very well until this season, when he got rid of his wildness and began pitching a game which has brought the New Haven team up to its present position as certain winner of the Atlantic association pennant. He combines speed with headwork. His delivery is a puzzling one, and he has a better command of the ball than the usual run of left handed twirlers. He is said to be cool and collected in critical stages of the game, and there is no doubt that should his present form continue, he will prove a great find for Captain Ward and the Brooklyn team. He will pitch for the Crescents again next Saturday.

**Whistling Mrs. Shaw.**

Mrs. Shaw, who rented ex-Councilman Squires' home in this city during one Summer, is to go to Russia to whistle for roubles. Her tour was arranged for by the Grand Duke, when he was in London. Her whistle will produce a sum equal to $2,000 a night.

## TO REDUCE ITS WORKING FORCE.

**Over 100 Employees of the Adams Express Company to be Discharged—The Plainfield Service Discontinued.**

It has leaked out in this city that the Adams Express Company, which controls the express business along the Pennsylvania road, has decided to reduce its working force on October 1, and that over one hundred men in the main and branch offices of the company will be discharged. The Company will discontinue its service in Plainfield after today, and also its service in Somerville.

The company has reduced its working force in Philadelphia, and the number of messengers running between Philadelphia and New York will also be reduced, so that the force will be but about one-half its present size.

T is will compel the men who are retained to do double work. It is said that there has been considerable confusion at the main office in New York, which has compelled President Hoey to be at the office every day for the last week for the purpose of consulting with the heads of the different departments.

The reduction of the working force has caused dissatisfaction among the employees, and some of the men are talking of a strike. They claim that the company is doing a larger business now than ever and that there is no excuse for reducing the force and making some of the employees do double work.

**Learned Early How to Swim.**

Harry Roughtenhausen, age four years, was playing with several other cherubs of similar age, along the raceway back of French's mills, Sunday, when the bank caved in, and Harry was precipitated into the water. He floundered about so vigorously that he succeeded in keeping his head above the surface of the stream, and by an instinct whose success seemed miraculous, struck out like a veteran swimmer, reached shore and crawled out. His infant companions took great delight in removing most of his garments, and they trailed the majority of his wardrobe gleefully through the alley and along West Front street, while he, scantily clad, and shivering and chattering, tottered along behind. "I fell in," he kept saying sobbingly in tearful pride, "but I swum'd out, I swum'd out."

**Real Estate Changes Hands.**

Among the recent real estate transfers in this vicinity are recorded the following:

Josephine A. Huff and husband to John F. McIntyre, all of Plainfield, land Southeast side Park avenue, Plainfield, 69x200 feet, $700.

John B. Mills and wife to Elizabeth S. Addis, all of Plainfield, lot Southeast side Orange street, Plainfield, 160 feet Northeast from Elm place, 40x107 feet, $2,300.

Warren Ackerman and wife, of Fanwood, to James W. Hope, of Linden, land on West side Vine street, 518 feet from First avenue, 50x164 feet, $150.

Walter L. Hetfield, exr., to Peter Frazer, of Fanwood, lots 1, 2, 3, block 1, corner Westfield road and South side Stout avenue, Fanwood, $370.

**Dates for Young Men.**

The following special dates have been arranged for October by the Young Men's Christian Association:

Oct. 9—Reception to Machinists.

Oct. 10—Organization of short-hand and type writing classes.

Oct. 14—Organization of Mechanical Drawing classes.

Oct. 16—Address by the Rev. W. R. Richards on "College Experiences."

Oct. 23—Members' reception and camp fire.

Oct. 30—Address on "The Land of the Midnight Sun," by W. D. Murray.

**Almost Cut Off His Foot.**

A son of Edward H. Woodward, President of the Cuba Manganese Company, of Carleton avenue, was using a hatchet this morning when the implement slipped, and the blade was imbedded in the young man's leg, just above the ankle, inflicting a terrible wound. Dr. Tomlinson dressed the injury, which will keep the patient indoors a long time.

The problem of medicine is solved by Hires' Root Beer imparting pure, rich blood. Source of health. Without pure blood a person cannot long remain healthy and free from disease. Hires' Root Beer Packages makes five gallons of a delicious, sparkling temperance drink. Cooling and quenching the thirst. All first-class druggists and grocers sell it.

**Acting Superintendent of Census.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 30.—Chief Clerk A. F. Childs will act as Superintendent of the Census in the absence of Mr. Porter in Europe.

**An Order to Seize All Sealers.**

PORT TOWNSEND, Wash., Sept. 30.—The revenue cutter Wolcott has received final and definite orders to proceed at once to Behring Sea and seize all schooners found there.

**Dead at 107.**

NEWARK, N. J., Sept. 30.—Mrs. Anna Gilroy died at her residence, No. 256 Academy street, yesterday, at the age of 107. She was born in Fermanagh, Ireland, in 1783.

**Fell Down an Elevator Well.**

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Sept. 30.—William Fitting, an employe at the Powers Hotel, fell from the fifth floor of the building to the bottom of the baggage elevator well last night. His head was crushed by the fall and he died instantly. Fitting had been employed at the hotel only four days.

**Fighting for Election Inspectors.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 30.—An order was heard in the Supreme Court Chambers to-day in behalf of the County Democracy to show cause why the Police Board shall not give that organization an equal number of election inspectors with Tammany Hall.

**John Swinton Creates Surprise.**

CHICAGO, Sept. 30.—Considerable surprise is expressed here over the announcement that John Swinton, of New York, has consented to be one of the orators at the great demonstration over the graves of the executed anarchists in Waldheim Cemetery in November.

**On Trial for Killing His Housekeeper.**

SKOWHEGAN, Me., Sept. 30.—The trial of Uicah W. Norton of New Portland for the murder of Mrs. Ann Cooley, his housekeeper, is now on. A large crowd is in attendance.

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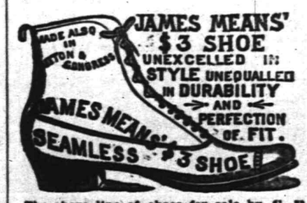


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### SUMMER IN THE HEART.

Spring-time may lose its freshest tints,
And autumn leaves their gold,
The bitter blast and snowy wreath
May sweep across the wold;
But the years are full of splendors
That never will depart,
For they shed eternal fragrance
When there's summer in the heart.

The shadows linger on the earth,
The sunbeams bide away,
The sad mists fold their chill white hands
About the face of day;
The tumult and the rush of life
Sound aye in street and mart;
But they can not drown life's music
When there's summer in the heart.

The city towers are crumbling fast,
And totter to their fall;
The tried castle on the height
Shows many a ruined wall;
But men build eternal dwellings
With strange and wondrous art,
They are shrines for the immortals
When there's summer in the heart.
—David R. Aitken, in Chamber's Journal.

## IN A HANSOM CAB.

### That Is Where a Young Married Man Lost His Valuables.

In London, not many hundred yards from the rows of tall houses and trim squares which contain all that is most respectable in Bayswater—and very awe-inspiring that respectability is—lie some very gloomy, very dirty and very much neglected slums, which, if they do not contain as large a proportion of the criminal classes as do some of the courts and alleys of the East End, contain a good many members of that class whose means of living are too precarious to leave their integrity absolutely above suspicion.

Charlie Farrington felt this as he picked his way through the puddles, and wished he had waited half an hour for his train at Latimer road instead of making a short cut. He had been playing the banjo with a view to relieving the monotony of the slum-dweller's existence at a penny reading—so called because nobody read and admission was free—organized by the energetic incumbent of St. Cuthbert's.

Short cuts, as every one knows, are often the longest ways; and Charlie very soon found himself in a blind alley between two dark rows of squalid cottages, with a black wall, four costermongers' barrows, and a heap of rubbish at the end, which last he could feel and smell only. He now began to wish that he had taken his wife to the penny reading, in which case they would have gone home together in a hansom; whereas now he was trying to return on the cheap, as a dutiful young husband should. There were some very nasty-looking customers slinking out of the cottage—should he ask them the way? Better not, perhaps. A banjo is not an effective weapon, and he was all alone, and had his gold watch and chain on, given to him by his friends at the bank when he married. If only he could get a cab now! And then, as if in answer to his wish, there came a hansom trotting into the blind alley until the horse nearly struck the wall at the end with its head, and the driver pulled it back on its haunches and swore.

A pretty girl was in the cab. She saw Charlie by the light of the lamps, and called out in a frightened voice: "Can you tell me where I am, sir? I think the driver is taking me the wrong way."

The driver was turning his horse rapidly and using the whip.

"Where do you want to go?" said Charlie Farrington, going to the horse's head and standing there.

"To Chester Square."

"Where from?"

"Vicarage Gate."

Charlie Farrington whistled to himself. He stood where the driver could get a full view of his stalwart frame by the light of the cab-lamps. He was six feet two in his stockings and ex-captain of a foot-ball club, and he said to the driver:

"Look here, my friend; this is not the way to Chester Square, and you know it."

The man grunted that he had lost his bearings.

"Then you had better find them again," said Charlie, dryly; "or you'll have a cup of tea with me. Will you allow me to come with you?" he continued, raising his hat to the girl in the cab, and as she said nothing, he got in and sat beside her.

She trembled and clung to his arm, which he rather liked. "Where was he taking me to?" she said.

"Due west instead of south," he replied.

"Should I have been robbed and murdered if you had not come?"

"I don't know. I always thought yarns about wicked cabmen and their victims were all nonsense till now. Certainly it looked rather queer."

"I've heard they sometimes stab you through the little trap," she said, clinging still more closely to him in her agitation and apparently going to faint.

"I never knew them to do any worse than look down," he answered, thinking of his engaged days. "Curious," he continued; "very curious. You say you came from Vicarage Gate, and I could have sworn I saw this gray horse and cab with yellow wheels standing outside the concert-hall I've been singing at."

She did not answer. Was she really going to faint? How awkward—he had better put his arm round her waist to steady her. A jolt made her lurch very near him, and he felt the little gloved hand fall upon his. He pressed it slightly for a few moments; then he thought of Mrs. Farrington sitting up waiting to give him his whisky-and-soda, and he repented and dropped it. Still, he rather enjoyed the drive; more, perhaps, than his good little wife would have done if she had seen him. The driver evidently was on his best behavior, and was taking them straight to Chester Square. "I shall write down the man's number and inform the police of this," he said, presently; "what is it, .00156?" The little plate was rather blurred and hard to read inside the cab. "I'll call a policeman, now, I think, and take you on in a fresh cab."

"Please don't," she said, quickly, though in a rather timid voice; "the truth of the matter is, my people think I have been in the country for the day; but I have really been to see a friend whom I, who—you know one has one's private pals. A good fellow like you will understand."

The slang rather jarred on Charlie Farrington, and the voice was not quite a refined one.

"You mean you would rather have no fuss made?"

"That's it," she answered; "I thought you'd understand. The cabby may have meant to murder me; but to give him into custody and have to give evidence of where I took him from, would be worse."

Charlie looked inquisitively at her. She had ceased clinging to his arm and was lying well back in the cab. Suddenly she peered out of the window, lifting the little blind at the side to see the houses better.

"Here is the square," she said; "he has come along well; do you mind getting out? We must not drive up to the door together."

He got out.

"Thank you so much," she said, pressing his fingers rather hard. He reciprocated slightly, though he was a young married man and a very good husband, too. "You have saved my life, perhaps."

"Does the driver know your number?"

"Yes; I told him when I got in." And off she drove.

"She must live right the other end of the square," said Charlie to himself as he walked in the same direction and saw the hansom steadily pursuing its way; "by Jove! they are passing the church! The villain can't be playing more tricks; he must know I should have his number. Phew! I must go home before I do any thing. I wish I'd not gone out."

And home he went to his little house, and his wife was very glad to see him back so early; but, before he could tell her any thing about his drive—and he meant to tell her something—she exclaimed: "Why, where is your watch?"

Sure enough, it was gone—presentation watch, chain, and all, and all his money, and his pearl studs nipped clean off at the setting as if with a pair of shears.

Then he managed to tell his story—more of it, perhaps, than he originally intended, for there was some reproach in his wife's eyes as she tried to console him and they talked over what they should do.

But the constable on duty outside the concert-hall knows nothing of the man who drove a gray horse in a yellow-wheeled hansom, and who was waiting there when the people came out on the night of the penny reading.

And there is no cab licensed with the number .00156.—St. James' Gazette.

### CAUSES OF SUICIDE.

**A Medical View of One of the Burning Questions of the Day.**

It is commonly believed that the tendency to suicide, like the tendency to madness, runs in families, and that is no doubt true. But the strongest-minded and clearest-headed man in the world has the possibility of suicide in him. On the other hand, the disposition to madness and suicide, which is so decided a characteristic of some families, is in many cases easily to be kept at bay by resolution and intelligence on the part of particular individuals. So that in most cases, if the story of a suicide be read from the very beginning, the full responsibility must be placed upon the victim himself. In our own time the pressure of highly civilized environment urges man in the direction of brain weariness and so of disgust with life. But it is to be borne in mind that no man is compelled to enter into the keenest competitions of his age. The brain is fairly mature before the age of twenty-five, and before that age few educated men are married, and fewer still are irrevocably committed to a particular calling or way of life. A young man of average intelligence is then quite able to judge his own intellectual force and staying power, and he is also able to take into consideration the history of his family and his own inherited tendencies. It is incumbent upon him at that stage to take stock of his mental and physical resources exactly as he takes stock of his capital. If his available money amount to no more than one or two thousand pounds he would consider himself a madman were he to embark in a business requiring a capital of half a million. But is he not just as much a madman if, with a mind of merely average powers, he enters upon a line of life requiring an intellect of the strongest and clearest order and mental endurance of the most persistent kind? A young man acting thus invites brain worry, invites chronic dyspepsia, invites sleeplessness, throws the door wide open for the entrance of all the physiological foes that destroy health and drive sanity out of the home.

### A QUEEN'S CHARITIES.

**Margarita of Italy Makes Unexpected Visits to Hospitals.**

Queen Margaret of Italy has a fashion of determining to her satisfaction the workings of the various charitable institutions in which she is interested, which lady patrons of beneficences might do well to consider. Her Majesty, in spite of court ceremonials and social functions, finds time to visit these institutions, especially those devoted to children, very often, but her visits are always unannounced and made at most unexpected times, which procedure keeps the superintendents constantly on the alert. Recently on her return from her evening drive the royal carriage drew up before the entrance of a hospital for crippled boys, and learning that the inmates had been put to bed she went up into the dormitories and examined them all, praising the gentle Sisters for the exquisite order and neatness of the wards. The delight of the children, their wonder and surprise, was pretty to see as the beautiful lady in her rich apparel bent over each cot to smile a benediction at the little sufferers like some angel visitant, to smooth the pillows with her white, jeweled hands, and to speak gentle words of comfort in her soft, low voice.

It is little wonder that the Italians worship this sovereign lady who rules over them with such graciousness and tact and sympathy.

## THE HOUSEHOLD.

### HINTS ON ECONOMY.

**Helpful Suggestions Concerning Various Little Matters of Household Management.**

Only a piece of string! Never mind, save it; you may not need it this moment, but before long you will be glad that the string was not lost or destroyed, for short pieces of twine are often useful.

Hang the string on a convenient hook, and do the same with every piece of cord that comes into the house on parcels from the grocery or dry-goods store, or elsewhere. Save all kinds of string, and

FIG. 1.

when a large number of pieces have been accumulated, sort out the different styles, and at odd moments tie together all similar pieces with firm, neat knots. If tied properly in a square knot—see Fig. 1—the knot will never slip. Make each kind of string into a separate ball.

When winding the twine, allow one end of it to hang over the hand from between the thumb and forefinger; then wind the cord over the first and second fingers, as in Fig. 1; keep on winding until it becomes bulky, then carefully slip the string off of the fingers and place it on the thumb, as shown in the illustration. The ball can be held in this way until all the string is wound.

The object in placing the ball on the thumb is to keep a hole in the center of the ball with the end of the cord hanging out of it, so that the twine can be unwound from the center by simply pulling the depending end.

FIG. 2.

Make the string up into balls about as large as a good-sized apple.

A very pretty cover for a ball of twine can be made of four different colored ribbons, each about an inch and a half in width, sewed together in the form of a bag, with the ribbons at the bottom of the bag folded over into a point before sewing, so the divisions may be smooth and pointed at the base, where a small hole should be left for the end of the string to pass through (Fig. 2). The ends of the ribbon at the top of the bag may be turned over on the right side of the bag, and allowed to hang down in pointed flats, the points being made by turning the corners of the ribbon in on the under side and fastening them in place with two or three stitches. There should also be a casing at the top of the bag, and a narrow, bright ribbon run through for a draw-string. If this little ornament be hung in a handy place with a small pair of scissors attached, for cutting the string, the common twine ball will prove very useful and may save many a precious moment, which otherwise might be lost in hunting for a piece of twine.

Pieces of candles are often wasted because people do not understand how to use them to the best advantage.

When a candle has been burned down to the edge of the candle-stick, take the candle out, and stick four pins in the candle near the bottom, according to Fig. 3; then place the candle on the

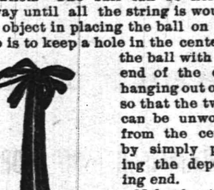

FIG. 3.

candle-stick so that the pins will rest on and be supported by the candle-stick. In this way the small piece of candle can be burned entirely down, leaving no waste piece. There is more truth than one would believe in the old saying of: "Waste not, want not," and though it be only a wee piece of candle, the piece will give light, and is worthy of being saved.

Another way to use the short bits of candle is this: Let a drop of the hot oil or wax fall from the candle upon a saucer or small plate; press the bottom of the candle firmly upon this melted drop; it will adhere readily, and burn down to the end of the wick, without danger or trouble.

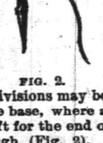

FIG. 4.

All the little scraps of soap can be used, even the tiniest ones. Save the bits from the kitchen soap, and when you have half a dozen or more put by, take a small-sized baking-powder can, soak off the label, and puncture holes in both ends by hammering a nail through the tin (Fig. 4). Select a can with a cover that fits firm and close, for there must be no danger of the lid slipping off.

Drop the pieces of soap inside the can and place the lid on securely. This transforms the can into a soap-shaker to be used in hot water for washing dishes, where it will prove to be a great convenience, and in using it there will be no danger of getting streaks of soapon the china, which is liable to happen when a large cake of soap is used in the water with the dishes.

For saving small pieces of toilet soap, make a five-inch square bag of white flannel, and use white cotton tape to form a loop at the top of the bag, so it can be hung up when not in use (Fig. 5). Before sewing up the bag, outline the word "soap" in fancy letters on one side of the bag and any other desired decoration. Turkey red cotton is best to use for the lettering, as it does not fade.

FIG. 5.

Hang the bag in a convenient place, and from time to time, as the toilet soap decreases in size until too small for use, drop the pieces into the bag, and when it is half-full, sew up the opening at the top, and the bath-bag will be ready for use.

With a little care brooms can be kept equal to new for a long time; as with every thing else, they must be well treated to do their best work.

Always scald a new broom before it has ever been used. Pour boiling water all over the broom where it is attached to the handle; then stand the broom up to dry, with the end of the handle resting on the floor and the straws uppermost. This treatment renders the broom soft and pliable, making it wear better.

When a broom is not in use never stand it with the straws next the floor, for it tends to make the broom one-

FIG. 6. FIG. 7. FIG. 8.

sided and spoils its shape. Rather stand the broom so it will rest on the end of the handle, with the straws lightly leaning against the wall; or, better still, pierce a hole through the top of the broom-handle with a red-hot nail, run a strong string through the hole and tie it in a loop to hang the broom up by.

Then see that the broom is always hung up clear of the floor when it is put away.

If, after a time, the broom begins to grow brittle again, subject it to the same treatment as at first, and it will again become pliable. Or it is a good plan to put the broom into the hot suds in the boiler on washing day, after the clothes are removed, and leave it a few moments to soak; then shake it out thoroughly, and stand it up to dry. This will not only render the straws more pliable, but will cleanse the broom from the lint or dirt in the inside of it.

To restore a worn broom (Fig. 6), soak it thoroughly in scalding water, and be sure that every straw is well scalded; then shake out the broom, and while it is wet bend it in its proper form, so that all the straws will lie straight and even. This done, fasten a cloth band around the broom to keep it in shape until it has completely dried (Fig. 7). Next remove the band, and with a large pair of scissors clip the long, uneven straws on the edge, and you will be surprised at the improved appearance of the broom (Fig. 8).

If these suggestions are faithfully carried out, brooms will wear better, last longer, sweep cleaner, and in every way prove far more satisfactory. —Youth's Companion.

### A MUSICAL TABBY.

**An Irish Cat with a Decidedly Critical Ear for Music.**

A clergyman in the south of Ireland, a quiet but keen observer of animal nature, some time ago described the odd effects of music on a cat in a friend's house. His host, in course of a chat, told him that kitty was exceedingly cross and upset if a certain air from an opera (the "Miserere" from the Trovatore) was played on the piano-forte, and that she would not even allow it to be whistled in her hearing. The clergyman could scarcely believe this. Pussy was lying on the rug, with a young family about her. Her master at once began whistling, first one air, then another. The cat paid no attention to them. Suddenly he whistled the tune spoken of in Verdi's opera. Immediately the cat stopped playing; her ears pricked up, her tail waved angrily. As he continued to whistle, she ran from her family to his side, and at last—as he described it—began climbing up with a sharp and piteous mew, looked into his face, rubbed her head against his shoulder, and at last put her paw directly against his lips.

The clergyman asked if it was not a trick that the cat had been taught. But his host told him no, pussy had started her conduct herself. One day he had been gazing out of the window, and whistling that air. He was not thinking of the cat, until suddenly she came up to him with mews and curious squeaks, and before he knew it was climbing up his trousers, and presently, from his shoulder, she laid her little foot on his mouth. The whistler made different tests of the matter, and soon satisfied himself that it was that tune and no other one that interested his pet. She came to him from any part of the house if he whistled or played it; and one gentle man put her in such a passion by it that she nearly scratched one of his eyes out, and behaved generally like a little tiger. —Harper's Young People.

### A Close Calculation.

Boarder—Forty cents for cherries! What do you mean?

Farmer—Cherries is extra. I see you up the tree.

Boarder—Well, thunders! how could you tell how many I ate, Shylock?

Farmer—I counted the pits.—Once a Week.

## LITTLE IKIE'S FUNERAL.

### A Pathetic Story in Verse by Rev. Miller Hageman.

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TWO little ragamuffins, comrades for many a day,
Covered with blood and bruises fought at the wheels of a dray;
Doubled and bit and tumbled till the crowd cried out—"a cop,"
And a ring of bantering gamin lustily shouted—"stop."

Back sprang the little urchins at sight of the star of steel,
But Ikie slipped on the cobstone and fell right under the wheel!
One lurch of the startled leader, one crunch of the heavy dray,
A shriek—and poor little Ikie a limbless newsboy lay.

"Fall back," said the officer sternly, but Jakie crept out of the crowd,
And over the blood-stained breeches with woe-begone face he bowed:
"He's awfully hurted, mister, but 'twas only in fun we fout,"

"HE'S AWFULLY HURTED, MISTER."

As he wound his one suspender round the veins while the blood gushed out.
"Brace up now, Ike," said Jakie, "fur yez ain't a goin' to die,"
And the pale, cold lips smiled faintly as the film floated over the eye;
Clang! Clang! on the glossy cobbles that blazed in the yellow heat,
And the ambulance rattled Ike away down the swimming street.

"Your name?" said the judge. "It's Jake, sir." "And your age?" "I'm just struck tin,"
"And what do you do for a living?" "I sells all the papers I kin."
"And what does your father do, Jakie?" "He's in prison sir, doin' time."
"And your mother?" "She's went to help him; they's callouses, jedge, in crime."
"And what are you here for, Jakie?" "Fur behaving unrudely, sir,
"I hain't werry fly on such 'scursions cause I never was here befur;"
"Discharged"—said the judge, and Jakie shot out through the prison-line,
And busted a stand just started that soon took in its sign.

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"See, Ikie," said Jake, "what I've fetched you," as he drew out with boyish pride,

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From a bag, two pies and an orange, some cakes and a cigarette:
And on all the beds about them the eyes of the people were wet.
But when at last he fastened on Ike a wilted rose
And said: "Breve on her, Ike, breve on her till she blows,"
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"No hole where the unknown pauperses a hundred deep are lowered."
Down the steps wound the little mourners, torn coat and rimless hat,

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Leave Plainfield 3 37, 5 24, 5 30, 6 29, 6 59, 7 26, 7 30, 7 58, 8, 8 15, 8 31, 8 37, 9 32, 10 05, 11 09, 11 39 A. M., 1, 1 41, 2 07, 2 30, 3 12, 3 31, 5 08, 5 31, 6 07, 6 34, 7 05, 8 31, 9 26, 10 12, 11 28 P. M. Sunday—3 37, 5 34, 8 01, 8 52, 11 02, 11 16 A. M., 12 35, 1 33, 3 30, 5 16, 7 01, 7 10, 8 23, 8 32, 10 02 P. M.

Leave New York from foot of Liberty street, 4 30, 5 45, 7, 7 45, 8 45, 10, 11, A. M., 1, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4, 4 30, 5, 5 15, 5 30, 5 45, 6, 6 15, 6 30, 7 30, 8, 8 30, 9 15, 10, 11 30 P. M., 12 15, night. Sunday—4 30, 7, 8 30, 9, 9 30, A. M., 12 M., 1, 1 15, 5 30, 6, 7, 9 00, 10 00 P. M., 12 15 night.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield 5 38, 6 29, 6 59, 7 30, 8, 8 32, 9 32, 10 05, 11 09, 11 39, A. M., 1, 2 07, 2 30, 3 12, 3 31, 5 08, 5 31, 6 07, 6 34, 7 05, 8 31, 10 12, 11 28 P. M. Sunday—8 01, 8 52, 11 02, 11 16, A. M., 12 33, 1 33, 3 30, 5 16, 7 01, 7 10, 8 23, 8 32, 10 02 P. M.

Leave Newark 7 10, 7 50, 8 55, 10 10, 11 05 A. M., 1 05, 1 35, 2 40, 3 40, 4 02, 4 37, 5 05, 5 50, 6 25, 7 15, 7 35, 8 20, 9 35, 10 10, 11 25 P. M. Sunday—7 20, 8 40, 9 05, 9 50, A. M., 12 05, 1 10, 4 10, 5 40, 6 05, 7 05, 9 25, 10 20 P. M.

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Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7, 8 07, 9 42, 11, 11 58 A. M., 1 59, 2 32, 3 45, 4 34, 5 20, 5 34, 6 20, 6 38, 7 03, 7 12, 7 36, 8 20, 9 43, 11 13, 12 43 P. M. Sunday—6 45, 8 15, 9 48, A. M., 2 16, 3 05, 3 30, 5 14, 6 35, 10 15, 11 16 P. M.

Leave Somerville, 6, 6 30, 7 09, 7 25, 7 35, 7 46, 9 05, 9 47, 11 15 A. M., 12 35, 1 15, 1 48, 2 05, 2 55, 4 40, 5 12, 5 35, 8 05, 8 50, 11 05, P. M. Sunday—8 35, 10 35 A. M., 12 08, 105, 4 50, 6 40, 8 05, 8 05, 9 30 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7, 8 07, 9 42, A. M., 1 59, 4 34, 5 20, 6 38, 8 20 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 15 A. M., 2 05, 6 35 P. M.

Leave Easton 6 05, 8 44, 10 A. M., 12 32, 4 09, 6 49 P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 52, A. M., 6 40, 7 30 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 7, 9 42 A. M., 1 59, 5 20 P. M. Sunday—8 13 A. M.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

LEAVE PLAINFIELD.

5 45 A. M. for Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

7 A. M. for High Bridge Branch and Easton.

8 07 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 42 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Nanticoke, Drifton, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c.

1 59 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, &c.

4 34 P. M. for D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

5 20 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Schooley's Mountain, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, &c.

6 30 P. M. for Flemington.

6 38 P. M. for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg.

8 20 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 9, 12 a. m. Sundays for High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, &c., 3 06 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua and Pottsville. 6 35 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m. 1 p. m.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c.

Leave Plainfield 3 37, 8, 11 09, a. m., 1, 3 31, 5 31, p. m. Sundays—(except Ocean Grove) 8 52, a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 38, 8, 10 05, 11 09 a. m., 1, 3 31, 5 31, 7 03 p. m. Sunday—8 52 a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8, 11 09 a. m., 1, 3 31, 5 31, p. m.

BOUND BROOK ROUTE.

Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia, 1 17, 6 15, 8 29, 9 48, 11 50* a. m., 1 50*, 3 23*, 4 08, 5 54*, 6 30*, 8 20 p. m. Sundays—1 17, 9 48, a. m., 2 50*, 4 08, 5 14*, 6 55 p. m.

For Baltimore and Washington at 1 17, 9 48, 11 50* a. m., 2 45, 4 08, 5 54* p. m. Sundays—1 17, 9 48 a. m., 2 47, 4 08, 5 14* p. m.

RETURNING—LEAVE PHILADELPHIA, Ninth and Green streets, 7 30*, 9 30*, 9 50, 11 05 a. m., 12 45, 1 30, 3 15, 5 15, 8 02, 9 45, 12 05 m Sundays—9 a. m., 12 50, 3 10, 5 15, 6 10, 8, 12 p. m.

From 24th and Chestnut—8 10, 8 20*, 11 08, a. m. 12 52, 3 20, 6 18, 8 05, p. m. Sundays—3 10, 8 05 a. m., 12 52, 3 20, 5 18, 8 05 p. m.

Leave Trenton, Warren and Tucker sts., 4 30, 4 00, 7*, 9*, 10 10, 11 55 a. m., 1 25, 2 10, 3 40*, 5 10, 5 55, 6 05, 8 47, 10 p. m. Sundays—1 30, 4 09, 9 55 a. m., 1 25, 4, 5 55, 7, 8 47 p. m.

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## LINGO STILL HELD

### The Suspected Murderer's Statements Contradicted.

### WHAT THE PROSECUTOR SAYS.

### The Only Evidence the State Has is Against the Negro.

**Not the Slightest Suspicion Entertained Against Chalkley Leconey—The Murdered Woman's Husband Indignant Over a Report that the Crime Was Committed by a Member of His Family.**

CAMDEN, N. J., Oct. 1.—Prosecutor Jenkins states that the only evidence which the State thus far had as to the murderer of Mrs. Miller was that against Lingo. He admitted that that which he had was not very strong, but he felt justified in still holding the man. The report circulated connecting Chalkley Leconey's name with this crime Mr. Jenkins declared to be an outrage, and added that he had not the slightest suspicion that he had any connection with the case.

**The Evidence Against Lingo.**

The principal evidence against the colored man is the contradictions made of his own statements. In the first place, the half sleeve of his shirt which is in the prosecutor's possession, and which Lingo had admitted to be his, he says he tore off his shirt and threw it into a cornfield on his way to Miller's farm that morning. The cornfield is near the woods in which Mrs. Miller's body was found, and 300 yards from a bush on which County Physician Izard says the sleeve was found.

The negro's statement next is to the effect that he went to his home, ate his dinner and set out for Tom Young's farm. All this could happen and he still leave his home by about a quarter or ten minutes of three. But here his wife contradicts him and says he told her he was going to Miller's to work. These places lie in two opposite directions from each other, and in going to Miller's he would have turned to the left and to go to Young's he would have taken the right. In going to Miller's he would have gone past or through the Mitcheson woods, and the Du Hadway children say they saw him go in the woods. His arrival at Young's after four o'clock, with two cuts or scratches on his hand he explained by saying that one was made by a butcher knife in the hands of his child at the dinner table, and the other by a stalk knife, is flatly contradicted by the physicians, who say that one at least, on the back of his hand, was a finger nail scratch. The negro, it is said, has also stated that he had a conversation with one or two men in Merchantville about 2 o'clock, and one at least of them says he does not know Lingo and is positive he never saw him.

**Mr. Miller Indignant.**

Mr. Miller, husband of the murdered woman, was seen at the homestead in reference to a report that suspicion had attached itself now to one of the members of the Miller family. Mr. Miller seemed indignant over it and said: "None of the family ever had a cross word with poor, dear Annie, and not one of them ever laid a straw in her way, and not one of them ever had a cross or angry word with her in any shape, and as for us, we never had a cross word between us, and all our future looked bright and cheerful."

Coroner Stanton was asked when the inquest would be held. He said that no time had been fixed. It will probably, however, not be for some time, and he said that three days' notice of it would be given to the newspapers. It was not thought best to hold the inquest until the case had been thoroughly sifted.

## TARRED AND FEATHERED.

**A Party of Masked Men Punish a Cruel Husband.**

TROY, N. Y., Oct. 1.—An employe of one of the railroads leading into this city was tarred and feathered on the Hoosick road at about 8 p. m., by a party of masked men, led on by an indignant and outraged woman.

The man is charged by those who took him in hand with having treated his wife cruelly, compelling her to procure a divorce from her. In defiance of the mandate of the court he was married again a few days since.

On his way home with his bride his carriage was stopped by a dozen masked men, who dragged him struggling into an adjoining field and administered a coat of tar and feathers.

**Shot His Sister and Himself.**

LOWELL, Mass., Oct. 1.—John Q. Nichols, about 45 years, shot his sister, Mrs. Ida Cunningham, of Reading, Mass., fired at his nephews, Fred A. Nichols and Walter Lyman, and then fired four shots in his own head on Appleton street. There is but little hope of the recovery of Mrs. Cunningham or her brother. The cause of the shooting was a quarrel over the division of property, of which Nichols claimed he had not received his share.

**End of a Will Contest.**

TROY, N. Y., Oct. 1.—Contestants of the will of the late Shibboleth B. McCoy of Waterford, withdrew their objections and the will was admitted to probate by Surrogate Peters, of Saratoga. The estate is valued at upward of $1,250,000, the bulk of which is left to Mrs. William F. Burden, of this city, a niece of the testator.

**Another Boston Failure.**

BOSTON, Oct. 1.—Raphael & Lewenburg, dealers and manufacturers of cloaking at No. 40 Summer street, have assigned to N. P. Jones, of Cumner, Jones & Cumner. Their liabilities are estimated at $200,000.

## SEVEN UNDER THE RUINS.

**Firemen Meet With a Terrible Accident in a Chicago Fire.**

CHICAGO, Oct. 1.—A fire destroyed the picture frame factory of Brankiin & Son on Canal street, near Adams, early this morning.

While the flames were burning fiercely an explosion, thought to be naptha, occurred and buried seven firemen of Engine Company No. 17 under the flooring. Their names are: Richard Hoverson, Charles Klextor, William Carey, Andrew Nelson, Sylvester Higgins, William Kelly, Daniel Toomey. Nelson was dead when taken out, and it is thought all the others will die.

The Seventeenth's men are known as the "Tigers" of the fire department and is composed of picked men. The loss is estimated at about $100,000.

**The New Jersey Election.**

TRENTON, N. J., Oct. 1.—The special election held throughout the State was against the proposed constitutional amendments. Reports received from the leading cities and towns in the State, including Newark, Jersey City, Elizabeth and Paterson, show that the vote was extremely light and that little or no interest were taken in the election. The voting was done under the old law. The amendment was opposed by the leading men of the State, because special legislation expands the statute books, complicates the laws and is generally against the interests of the cities and towns.

**Vermont's New Legislature.**

MONTPELIER, Vt., Oct. 1.—A large majority of the Senate and House are here. The Republican candidates for Speaker are H. R. Start, attorney for the Central Vermont Railroad; Hosea Mann, Jr., of Wilmington; Dr. Henry Boynton of Woodstock and L. H. Thompson of Irasburgh. All the candidates are on the ground and it looks as though Start had the best show. If the Republicans do not harmonize their differences a Democrat stands a possible chance of election. The Democrats in caucus nominated T. W. Maloney of Rutland as candidate for Speaker.

**Two Men Shot by a Foreman.**

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Oct. 1.—Last night Foreman Henry of the Valley Stone Works, at Meshoppen, shot a stone cutter named Leslie Kellogg through the lungs, inflicting a fatal wound. Henry fired a second shot, missing Kellogg, but hitting a hostler named John Lord, inflicting a painful flesh wound. The shooting caused great excitement, and Henry, who was arrested, has several times during the day been threatened with lynching. The cause of the shooting is not known.

**World's Fair Commissioners Angry.**

CHICAGO, Oct 1.—The National Commissioners of the World's Fair are highly displeased over the announcement that Congressman Candler and his Congressional Committee are coming to Chicago to see what the commission is doing. Commissioner Williams, of Tennessee, says that if Congressman Candler and his committee come here they will be told to go home and mind their own own business.

**Charged With a Double Murder.**

SKOWHEGAN, Me., Oct. 1.—In the trial of Micah W. Norton for the murder of his housekeeper, Mrs. Cooley, the prosecution claim that the motive for the crime was that Mrs. Cooley secretly gave birth to a child in 1887, which Norton killed and burned; that subsequently the couple quarreled and Norton feared Mrs. Cooley would disclose his crime.

**The Bell Telephone Case.**

BOSTON, Oct. 1.—In the United States Cricuit Court, before Judge Colt, argument was made in behalf of a motion to extend the time allowed the Government to take testimony in the case of the United States vs. The Bell Telephone Company. The defendant's counsel filed a formal protest, but made no argument and the court extended the time to January 1, 1891.

**Ten Business Houses Burned.**

ILION, N. Y., Oct. 1.—The Hotel Daniels in this place and ten business houses were burned to the ground and a half a dozen others more or less damaged by fire and water before the flames were gotten under control. The loss is $45,000; mostly covered by insurance.

**Arrested for the Jersey Central Wreck.**

EASTON, Pa., Oct. 1.—Frank Glosser, day operator at Lehighton, was arrested on the charge of having caused, by his negligence, the wreck on the Jersey Central Railroad Monday night, by which three men lost their lives.

**Narrow Escape of Iron Mill Men.**

PITTSBURG, Oct. 1.—The gas receiver at the Clinton Iron Mill exploded during the morning blowing the roof and sides out of the building. Although the mill was crowded with workmen, no one was hurt.

**Bishop Wigger a Candidate.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 1.—It is stated upon the authority of Bishop Wigger, of the diocese of Newark, N. J., that his name has been sent before the Holy See as a candidate for the vacant Archbishoprie [illegible]

## PASSED THE SENATE

### The Tariff Bill in the President's Hands.

### THE FINAL VOTE WAS 33 TO 27.

### Three Republican Senators Records Against the Bill.

**Closing Scenes in Congress—Adjournment Expected Late This Afternoon—The President Signs the River and Harbor Bill—A Large Number of Postmasters Appointed—A Flood of Silver Dollars.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 1.—The Senate by a vote of 33 yeas to 27 nays adopted the conferees' report on the McKinley Tariff bill. The bill was sent to the President to-day and will be signed by him without delay.

Since the agreement of the conferees on Friday last the President has been acquainting himself with the provisions of the bill, and the engrossed copy therefore will receive but little attention from him. The bill becomes operative October 6, although, as has been previously stated, imported goods may remain in bond until February 1, 1891.

The debate which preceded the adoption of the report was in many respects the most interesting of the entire discussion. The principal participants were Messrs. Carlisle and Aldrich, although several other gentlemen spoke briefly.

When the clerk began calling the roll upon passage of the report a number of representatives from the House were scattered about in the rear of the chamber. The galleries were well filled. Senators Paddock of Nebraska, Pettigrew of South Dakota and Plumb of Kansas, Republicans, voted in the negative with the Democrats. The Senate immediately following the roll call went into executive session.

## A FLOOD OF SILVER.

**The Treasury Practically Drained of Small Treasury and Bank Notes.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 1.—A famine in small treasury and bank notes is threatened for the Eastern cities. The banks of this city, which have a more immediate connection with the treasury, are now bare of notes of small denominations, and the scarcity is being severely felt. The cause is the large shipment of small bills to the West to meet the obligations of the Silver bill and the movement of crops.

The Treasury has been practically drained of small notes.

A prominent banker said to-day that the result will be that the Treasury will be compelled to put out several millions of silver dollars and force them into circulation. The prospects are, therefore, likely for a flood of silver for the East in the immediate future.

**Presidential Nominations.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 1.—Among the last batch of nominations sent to the Senate by the President were the following: George S. Batchellor, of New York, to be Minister Resident and Consul-General of the United States to Portugal, vice George B. Loring, resigned; Consul at Bermuda, Horace W. Metcalf of Maine, and the following postmasters: Frank L. Martin, Bethel, Vt.; Daniel A. Hurd, North Berwick, Me.; George M. Douglass, West Rutland, Vt.; Hubert E. Carpenter, East Hamton, Conn.; C. S. Randall, Rouse's Point, N. Y.; W. S. Raynor, Sayville, N. Y.; W. P. Phelps, Merchantville, N. J., Thomas W. Palmer, Frenchtown, N. J.; H. Christopher Ehni, Raritan, N. J.; Robert H. Wilson, Tarentum, Pa.; Seth Orme, St. Claire, Pa.; N. H. Hastings, Austin, Pa.; Henry Andrews, Ardmore, Pa.; Anna H. Griscom, Jenkinton, Pa.; J. B. Haines, Jeannette, Pa.; Michael M. Kistler, East Stroudsburg, Pa.

**Bills Approved by the President.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 1.—The President has approved the River and Harbor bill; the joint resolution authorizing the Secretary of the Navy to purchase nickel ore for use in the manufacture of nickel steel armor; extending the limit of cost for public building at Hoboken, N. J.; amending an act of Congress relative to fire limit of site of postoffice and Federal building at Brooklyn, N. Y.; an act to divide the State of Iowa into two judicial districts; making Peoria, Ill., a port of delivery, and the bill providing for a statue to Gen. Lafayette.

**Adjournment Expected This Afternoon.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 1.—The impression seems to prevail that Congress will adjourn late this afternoon. The Tariff bill was sent to the President at 1 o'clock, and he will be able to notify the House that it has been signed about 4. Then nothing will intervene between the two houses and an adjournment. It is possible that the President will not sign the bill in time to permit an adjournment this evening. Vice-President Morton said that Congress would adjourn sure this afternoon.

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## BASEBALL GAMES.

**National League.**

AT CINCINNATI.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Cincinnati | 2 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0—5 |
| New York | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0—2 |

Batteries—Duryea and Keenan; Burkett and Murphy.

AT CHICAGO.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Chicago | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 0—6 |
| Boston | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0—4 |

Batteries—Luby and Nagle; Clarkson and Bennett.

AT PITTSBURG.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Pittsburg | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 2 | 2 | x—10 |
| Philadelphia | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0—1 |

Batteries—Vickery and Schriver; Smith and Berger.

AT CLEVELAND.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Cleveland | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1—3 |
| Brooklyn | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1—4 |

Batteries—Viau and Zimmer; Caruthers and Clarke.

**Players' League.**

AT CHICAGO.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Chicago | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4—8 |
| Brooklyn | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0—4 |

Batteries—King and Boyle; Hemming and Cook.

AT BUFFALO.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Buffalo | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0—1 |
| Boston | 0 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | x—7 |

Batteries—Stafford and Mack; Daley and Murphy.

AT CLEVELAND.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Cleveland | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1—7 |
| New York | 2 | 0 | 4 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1—8 |

Batteries—McGill and Sutcliffe; O'Day and Ewing.

AT PITTSBURG.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Pittsburg | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 1 | —5 |
| Philadelphia | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1—4 |

Batteries—Maul and Fields; Sanders and Hallman.

**American Association.**

AT COLUMBUS.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Columbus | 4 | 5 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 2—14 |
| Athletic | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2—2 |

Batteries—Easton and O'Connor; O'Neill and Daly.

AT LOUISVILLE.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Baltimore | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —0 |
| Louisville | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | —1 |

Game called on account of darkness.

Batteries—Meakim and Weckbecker; German and Townsend.

AT TOLEDO.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Toledo | 2 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0—6 |
| Rochester | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0—1 |

Batteries—Smith and Sage; Titcomb and Grimm.

AT ST. LOUIS.

Syracuse and St. Louis game postponed on account of threatening weather.

**Atlantic Association.**

AT HARRISBURG.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Lebanon | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0—1 |
| Harrisburg | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0—0 |

Batteries—Winkleman and McCaffrey; Cox and Jennings.

AT NEW HAVEN.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Newark | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1—7 |
| New Haven | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0—4 |

Batteries—Horner and Cahill; Stalb and Murphy.

This game closes the Atlantic Association championship season.

**Attendance at League Games.**

| | Players | League |
|---|---|---|
| Cleveland | 450 | 400 |
| Pittsburg | 509 | 229 |
| Chicago | 479 | 879 |
| Cincinnati | .... | 648 |
| Buffalo | 723 | .... |
| Totals | 2,152 | 2,156 |

**Standing of the Clubs.**

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

| | Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'ct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Brookl'n | 84 | 43 | .661 | Cincin'ti | 75 | 55 | .581 |
| Philadel. | 77 | 51 | .602 | N. York | 63 | 66 | .488 |
| Chicago | 81 | 53 | .604 | Clevl'nd | 42 | 87 | .326 |
| Boston | 75 | 55 | .577 | Pitts'rg | 33 | 111 | .172 |

PLAYERS' LEAGUE.

| | Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'ct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Boston | 79 | 46 | .632 | Philadel. | 67 | 61 | .524 |
| Brookl'n | 75 | 53 | .577 | Pittsb'rg | 57 | 67 | .460 |
| N. York | 74 | 54 | .578 | Clev'l'nd | 53 | 74 | .417 |
| Chicago | 73 | 62 | .541 | Buffalo | 35 | 94 | .271 |

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

| | Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P c |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Lou'v'le | 81 | 41 | .664 | Roch'st'r | 60 | 67 | .513 |
| St. Louis | 74 | 50 | .597 | Athletic | 54 | 70 | .435 |
| Col'mb's | 69 | 54 | .561 | Syracuse | 47 | 70 | .402 |
| Toledo | 68 | 56 | .537 | Baltim'e | 36 | 88 | .290 |

ATLANTIC ASSOCIATION.

| | Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'ct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| N. Hav'n | 80 | 35 | .696 | Harrisb'g | 50 | 67 | .427 |
| Lebanon | 57 | 49 | .542 | Wilm't'n | 33 | 62 | .300 |
| Newark | 60 | 61 | .496 | | | | |

**Schedule of To-Day's Games.**

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

No Games scheduled.

PLAYERS' LEAGUE.

Cleveland vs. New York, at Cleveland.
Chicago vs. Brooklyn, at Chicago.
Buffalo vs. Boston, at Buffalo.
Pittsburg vs. Philadelphia, at Philadelphia.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

Baltimore vs. Louisville, at Louisville.
Syracuse vs. St. Louis, at St. Louis.
Rochester vs. Toledo, at Toledo.
Athletics vs. Columbus, at Columbus.

## SLAVIN TO FIGHT JACKSON.

**A Purse of $15,000 Has Been Guaranteed for the Battle.**

LONDON, Oct. 1.—Arrangements have been completed by cable for the meeting of Peter Jackson and Frank P. Slavin in the rooms of the Melbourne Athletic Club within the next six months. A purse of £3,000 has been guaranteed, and Jack Dougherty has lodged a deposit in Melbourne in behalf of Slavin, who readily accepted Jackson's challenge.

A stipulation was made that the fight be arranged for such a time as will not prevent Slavin's presence in England to receive any sentence that may be imposed on him in connection with his recent Ormonde Club battle.

**Closing Scenes in the House.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 1.—This being the last day of the session, the members of the House fairly tumbled over one another to rush through bills in which they were particularly interested. From the hour that Speaker Reed called the House to order the well was jammed with Representatives clamoring for recognition. Many bills were left upon the Speaker's table, either to die or to be resurrected in December.

## PARNELL'S POSITION

### He Is Anxious About the New Irish Movement.

### IMPORTANT MEETING TO BE HELD

### American Irishmen to be Asked to Support the Plan of Campaign.

**Rejoicing in Germany Over the Return of the Exiled Socialists—No Decision by the High Court in the Dillon and O'Brien Case—A German Lady Arrested as a Spy in France.**

LONDON, Oct. 1.—A meeting of the members of the Irish party has been fixed for Oct. 16. It will probably be a very important affair, and at it Mr. Parnell is expected to take very decisive action. He will either resign his present position or he will come out strongly and squarely for the plan of campaign. The need of money overshadows all questions and the American trip is a most important item in the programme.

Mr. Parnell has ordered all the members to cancel their engagements for the 16th. A supreme effort will be made in order to conciliate the American Irish to unite with the party here.

The report that the Vatican has determined to put pressure on the Irish bishops to enforce the Papal rescript receives confirmation from a pastoral issued yesterday by the Bishop of Kildare. The Parnellites are anxious to avoid any breach with the church, and it is thought that no further attempt will be made to put the plan of campaign in force. Mr. Parnell is anxious that home rule should again be brought to the front.

## SOCIALISTS REJOICE.

**Great Excitement in Germany Over the Expiration of the Anti-Socialist Law.**

BERLIN, Oct. 1.—There was much excitement in Germany over the expiration of the anti-Socialist law, the Socialists indulging in general rejoicing.

Thirty Socialists who had been in exile arrived in Berlin last evening and received an ovation. Public meetings were held in seven halls, all being crowded. Many illuminations appeared in the streets in honor of the occasion. Numerous processions were formed, and some of them became disorderly and were dispersed by the police, but no violence or injury resulted.

At Hamburg 19 exiles returned and were enthusiastically greeted. Similar scenes were enacted in all the large cities.

**Strikers to Come to America.**

DUBLIN, Oct. 1.—The Executive Committee of the Amalgamated Railway Servants has decided to send to America a hundred of the men who took part in the unsuccessful strike on the Dublin, Wicklow and Wexford line.

**The High Court Reserves Its Decision.**

DUBLIN, Oct. 1.—After hearing argument upon the motion to remove the case of O'Brien, Dillon and others from the Tipperary court on the ground of bias, the High Court of Justice reserved its decision.

**O'Brien and Dillon Will Not Leave.**

DUBLIN, Oct. 1.—The tedious prolongation of the Tipperary trial seems to have succeeded in its object, for Messrs. O'Brien and Dillon have entirely given up hope of making the American trip.

**Another German Spy.**

PARIS, Oct. 1.—A German lady has been arrested at Cannes who had in her possession a number of topographical charts of the fortress and plans of the other defenses of the town.

**Two Priests Detained.**

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 1.—Rev. Dr. H. A. Kenkenberg and Rev. Dr. J. Saentgerath, Catholic priests from Europe, who arrived at this port on the steamship Belgenland are detained under the contract labor law. The priests acknowledge that they were hired to come to this country as teachers in the Catholic college at St. Paul, Minn., founded by Bishop Ireland. The matter has been referred to the custom authorities, and the two priests will be detained on board the Belgenland pending a decision.

**Crushed by a Railroad Train.**

CAMDEN, N. J., Oct. 1.—Mr. and Mrs. Arthur H. Williams, while attempting to cross the Camden & Atlantic Railroad in their carriage, were struck by the Haddonfield express train and Mr. Williams was instantly killed. Mrs. Williams is dying in the Cooper Hospital from a compound fracture of the skull. Her arm is broken in two places and she is internally injured. Mr. and Mrs. Williams were over seventy years old, wealthy and prominent in church circles here.

**$48,000 Asked for the Cincinnati Club.**

CINCINNATI, Oct. 1.—The following are President Stern's terms for the Cincinnati club of the National League made to the Brotherhood and if accepted the transfer will be made next Tuesday: The price to be paid is $48,000, of which sum $30,000 is to be cash in hand on that date and a lien of $18,000 on the property delivered. It is thought the offer will be accepted.

**Captain Kelly's Denial.**

BOSTON, Oct. 1.—Secretary Hart, of the Boston Brotherhood League club, shows a telegram from Mike Kelly saying: "Pay no attention to reports about my signing with other clubs. I shall play in Boston and captain the team just as long as the directors want me to."

**Hustler Phillips in an Insane Asylum.**

PITTSBURG, Oct. 1.—H. B. Phillips, the baseball magnate, is once more confined in the insane asylum at Merchantville, N. J. Word was received here that the chances are against his recovery.

## WATCHING BIRCHALL.

**A Belief that He Will Cheat the Gallows by Committing Suicide.**

WOODSTOCK, Ont., Oct., 1.—Birchall's cell was carefully searched in every nook and corner for poison or any weapon with which he might make away with himself, and his clothing were subjected to the same microscopic examination. From this time on he will be watched night and day.

No one is allowed to see Birchall without an order from the sheriff. The strictest watch is kept over him. Many believe he will cheat the gallows yet by committing suicide.

Jailer Cameron and the sheriff held a consultation to determine some line of conduct with reference to Birchall's management. Mr. Cameron is strongly in favor of allowing his wife just one more final interview. He thinks it will be better for Birchall, and above all better for Mrs. Birchall. He will advise her strongly to go back at once, in company with her sister, to England. So long as she is in the same atmosphere with Birchall she is under his influence, and so long as she is under that influence she will grieve to the point of putting her life in peril.

Birchall broke down and wept profusely when told his wife fainted when she learned of his conviction.

## SMALL-SIZED SENSATION.

**The President's Coachman Elopes With One of the Chambermaids.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 1.—A White House elopement is furnishing a small-sized sensation. The colored coachman of President Harrison is the hero of the escapade, and he has run off with one of the chambermaids of the White House.

The story is invested with some additional interest from the fact that the heroine is the niece of Congressman Langston, of Virginia, who was seated a few days ago.

**A Lawyer Becomes a Criminal.**

BUFFALO, N. Y., Oct. 1.—Harry E. Hopkins, alias E. H. Corry was arrested by detectives here on warrants sworn out in New York charging him with grand larceny. It is said that Hopkins was educated for a lawyer and admitted to the bar of the Supreme Court of this State. His dissipated habits, however, brought him to the grade of a common criminal. He committed a serious offense some time ago in New York, and to save himself fled to Texas, where he remained until he supposed all had blown over, and then returning, he committed other thefts.

**Baby Beatrice's Mother Found.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 1.—Gilbert M. Speir, Jr., one of the executors of Robert Ray Hamilton's will, said that it was true that the real mother of baby Beatrice had been discovered, and that she could be produced in court whenever the executors wish.

**Dr. McGonegal's Trial.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 1.—The court room is crowded with people listening to the evidence in the Dr. McGonegal trial for malpractice. Many ladies are present. Sadie Traphagen, the principal witness for the prosecution, gave damaging testimony against the doctor.

## NEWS OF THE DAY.

Lewis Sperry of South Windsor, Conn., was nominated for Congress by the Democrats.

Inaugural exercises of the School of Law of Dickinson College were held at Carlisle, Pa., last evening.

The Republicans of the Seventh district of Massachusetts renominated General William Cogswell for Congress.

In a quarrel at Scottdale, Pa., William Raymond was fatally cut in the abdomen by a colored man named Jacobs.

The British steamer Picton, from Wilmington, N. C., has arrived at Liverpool with the engineer suffering from cholera.

The large summer hotel known as the Agawam, Lake George, N. Y., was burned early in the morning. Loss, $20,000; insurance, $9,000.

Mrs. Mary Loveland Hoyt, wife of ex-Governor Henry Hoyt, of Pennsylvania, died at Wilkesbarre, Pa., during the morning of paralysis, aged 51.

The Democratic Congressional convention for the Twentieth District of New York, held at Schenectady, nominated Alexander B. Baucus of Saratoga.

Strong efforts are being made by local manufacturers of Fall River, Mass., to induce the Rhode Island mill owners to join the combination to stop work one week in October, but so far they have been unsuccessful.

**Weather Indications.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 1.—For New England: Fair; slightly warmer, westerly winds.

For Eastern New York, Eastern Pennsylvania, New Jersey and Delaware: Fair; slightly warmer; variable winds.

For Western New York and Western Pennsylvania: Fair; stationary temperature; variable winds.

## NEW YORK MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Sept. 30.—*Money* on call to-day 3 and 4 per cent.

BONDS.

| | Closing Saturday. | Closing To-day. |
|---|---|---|
| 4½s, 1891 Reg | 103¾ | 103 |
| 4½s, 1891 Coup | 103¾ | 103 |
| 4 s, 1907 Reg | 123 | 123 |
| 4 s, 1907 Coup | 123 | 123 |

STOCK MARKET.

| | Closing Yesterday. | Closing To-day. |
|---|---|---|
| Canadian Pacific | 77¾ | 77 |
| Central Pacific | — | — |
| Chicago, Bur. & Quincy | 67 | 68¼ |
| Delaware & Hudson | 135¼ | 135 |
| Del. Lack. & Western | 147½ | 147 |
| Erie | 24½ | 24½ |
| Erie pref | — | — |
| Lake Shore | 103¾ | 103 |
| Louis. & Nash | 84½ | 85¼ |
| Michigan Central | — | 98 |
| Missouri Pacific | 69¾ | 69¾ |
| New Jersey Central | 111¾ | 111¾ |
| Northwestern | 106¾ | 106¾ |
| Oregon Navigation | — | — |
| Pacific Mail | 40¾ | 40¾ |
| Reading | 41¾ | 40¾ |
| Rock Island | 80¾ | 80¾ |

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## LINGO STILL HELD

### The Suspected Murderer's Statements Contradicted.

### WHAT THE PROSECUTOR SAYS.

**The Only Evidence the State Has is Against the Negro.**

**Not the Slightest Suspicion Entertained Against Chalkley Leconey—The Murdered Woman's Husband Indignant Over a Report that the Crime Was Committed by a Member of His Family.**

CAMDEN, N. J., Oct. 1.—Prosecutor Jenkins states that the only evidence which the State thus far had as to the murderer of Mrs. Miller was that against Lingo. He admitted that that which he had was not very strong, but he felt justified in still holding the man. The report circulated connecting Chalkley Leconey's name with this crime Mr. Jenkins declared to be an outrage, and added that he had not the slightest suspicion that he had any connection with the case.

**The Evidence Against Lingo.**

The principal evidence against the colored man is the contradictions made of his own statements. In the first place, the half sleeve of his shirt which is in the prosecutor's possession, and which Lingo had admitted to be his, he says he tore off his shirt and threw it into a cornfield on his way to Miller's farm that morning. The cornfield is near the woods in which Mrs. Miller's body was found, and 300 yards from a bush on which County Physician Izard says the sleeve was found.

The negro's statement next is to the effect that he went to his home, ate his dinner and set out for Tom Young's farm. All this could happen and he still leave his home by about a quarter or ten minutes of three. But here his wife contradicts him and says he told her he was going to Miller's to work. These places lie in two opposite directions from each other, and in going to Miller's he would have turned to the left and to go to Young's he would have taken the right. In going to Miller's he would have gone past or through the Mitcheson woods, and the Du Hadway children say they saw him go in the woods. His arrival at Young's after four o'clock, with two cuts or scratches on his hand he explained by saying that one was made by a butcher knife in the hands of his child at the dinner table, and the other by a stalk knife, is flatly contradicted by the physicians, who say that one at least, on the back of his hand, was a finger nail scratch. The negro, it is said, has also stated that he had a conversation with one or two men in Merchantville about 2 o'clock, and one at least of them says he does not know Lingo and is positive he never saw him.

**Mr. Miller Indignant.**

Mr. Miller, husband of the murdered woman, was seen at the homestead in reference to a report that suspicion had attached itself now to one of the members of the Miller family. Mr. Miller seemed indignant over it and said: "None of the family ever had a cross word with poor, dear Annie, and not one of them ever laid a straw in her way, and not one of them ever had a cross or angry word with her in any shape, and as for us, we never had a cross word between us, and all our future looked bright and cheerful."

Coroner Stanton was asked when the inquest would be held. He said that no time had been fixed. It will probably, however, not be for some time, and he said that three days' notice of it would be given to the newspapers. It was not thought best to hold the inquest until the case had been thoroughly sifted.

## TARRED AND FEATHERED.

**A Party of Masked Men Punish a Cruel Husband.**

TROY, N. Y., Oct. 1.—An employe of one of the railroads leading into this city was tarred and feathered on the Hoosick road at about 8 p. m., by a party of masked men, led on by an indignant and outraged woman.

The man is charged by those who took him in hand with having treated his wife cruelly, compelling her to procure a divorce from her. In defiance of the mandate of the court he was married again a few days since.

On his way home with his bride his carriage was stopped by a dozen masked men, who dragged him struggling into an adjoining field and administered a coat of tar and feathers.

**Shot His Sister and Himself.**

LOWELL, Mass., Oct. 1.—John Q. Nichols, about 45 years, shot his sister, Mrs. Ida Cunningham, of Reading, Mass., fired at his nephews, Fred A. Nichols and Walter Lyman, and then fired four shots in his own head on Appleton street. There is but little hope of the recovery of Mrs. Cunningham or her brother. The cause of the shooting was a quarrel over the division of property, of which Nichols claimed he had not received his share.

**End of a Will Contest.**

TROY, N. Y., Oct. 1.—Contestants of the will of the late Shibboleth B. McCoy, of Waterford, withdrew their objections and the will was admitted to probate by Surrogate Peters, of Saratoga. The estate is valued at upward of $1,250,000, the bulk of which is left to Mrs. William F. Burden, of this city, a niece of the testator.

**Another Boston Failure.**

BOSTON, Oct. 1.—Raphael & Lewenburg, dealers and manufacturers of cloaking at No. 40 Summer street, have assigned to N. P. Jones, of Cumner, Jones & Cumner. Their liabilities are estimated at $200,000.

## SEVEN UNDER THE RUINS.

**Firemen Meet With a Terrible Accident in a Chicago Fire.**

CHICAGO, Oct. 1.—A fire destroyed the picture frame factory of Branklin & Son on Canal street, near Adams, early this morning.

While the flames were burning fiercely an explosion, thought to be naptha, occurred and buried seven firemen of Engine Company No. 17 under the flooring. Their names are: Richard Hoverson, Charles Klextor, William Carey, Andrew Nelson, Sylvester Higgins, William Kelly, Daniel Toomey. Nelson was dead when taken out, and it is thought all the others will die.

The Seventeenth's men are known as the "Tigers" of the fire department and is composed of picked men. The loss is estimated at about $100,000.

**The New Jersey Election.**

TRENTON, N. J., Oct. 1.—The special election held throughout the State was against the proposed constitutional amendments. Reports received from the leading cities and towns in the State, including Newark, Jersey City, Elizabeth and Paterson, show that the vote was extremely light and that little or no interest were taken in the election. The voting was done under the old law. The amendment was opposed by the leading men of the State, because special legislation expands the statute books, complicates the laws and is generally against the interests of the cities and towns.

**Vermont's New Legislature.**

MONTPELIER, Vt., Oct. 1.—A large majority of the Senate and House are here. The Republican candidates for Speaker are H. R. Start, attorney for the Central Vermont Railroad; Hosea Mann, Jr., of Wilmington; Dr. Henry Boynton of Woodstock and L. H. Thompson of Irasburgh. All the candidates are on the ground and it looks as though Start had the best show. If the Republicans do not harmonize their differences a Democrat stands a possible chance of election. The Democrats in caucus nominated T. W. Maloney of Rutland as candidate for Speaker.

**Two Men Shot by a Foreman.**

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Oct. 1.—Last night Foreman Henry of the Valley Stone Works, at Meshoppen, shot a stone cutter named Leslie Kellogg through the lungs, inflicting a fatal wound. Henry fired a second shot, missing Kellogg, but hitting a hostler named John Lord, inflicting a painful flesh wound. The shooting caused great excitement, and Henry, who was arrested, has several times during the day been threatened with lynching. The cause of the shooting is not known.

**World's Fair Commissioners Angry.**

CHICAGO, Oct 1.—The National Commissioners of the World's Fair are highly displeased over the announcement that Congressman Candler and his Congressional Committee are coming to Chicago to see what the commission is doing. Commissioner Williams, of Tennessee, says that if Congressman Candler and his committee come here they will be told to go home and mind their own own business.

**Charged With a Double Murder.**

SKOWHEGAN, Me., Oct. 1.—In the trial of Micah W. Norton for the murder of his housekeeper, Mrs. Cooley, the prosecution claim that the motive for the crime was that Mrs. Cooley secretly gave birth to a child in 1887, which Norton killed and burned; that subsequently the couple quarreled and Norton feared Mrs. Cooley would disclose his crime.

**The Bell Telephone Case.**

BOSTON, Oct. 1.—In the United States Cricuit Court, before Judge Colt, argument was made in behalf of a motion to extend the time allowed the Government to take testimony in the case of the United States vs. The Bell Telephone Company. The defendant's counsel filed a formal protest, but made no argument and the court extended the time to January 1, 1891.

**Ten Business Houses Burned.**

ILION, N. Y., Oct. 1.—The Hotel Daniels in this place and ten business houses were burned to the ground and a half a dozen others more or less damaged by fire and water before the flames were gotten under control. The loss is $45,000; mostly covered by insurance.

**Arrested for the Jersey Central Wreck.**

EASTON, Pa., Oct. 1.—Frank Glosser, day operator at Lehighton, was arrested on the charge of having caused, by his negligence, the wreck on the Jersey Central Railroad Monday night, by which three men lost their lives.

**Narrow Escape of Iron Mill Men.**

PITTSBURG, Oct. 1.—The gas receiver at the Clinton Iron Mill exploded during the morning blowing the roof and sides out of the building. Although the mill was crowded with workmen, no one was hurt.

**Bishop Wigger a Candidate.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 1.—It is stated upon the authority of Bishop Wigger, of the diocese of Newark, N. J., that his name has been sent before the Holy See as a candidate for the vacant Archbishopric

## PASSED THE SENATE

### The Tariff Bill in the President's Hands.

### THE FINAL VOTE WAS 33 TO 27.

**Three Republican Senators Recorded Against the Bill.**

**Closing Scenes in Congress—Adjournment Expected Late This Afternoon—The President Signs the River and Harbor Bill—A Large Number of Postmasters Appointed—A Flood of Silver Dollars.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 1.—The Senate by a vote of 33 yeas to 27 nays adopted the conferees' report on the McKinley Tariff bill. The bill was sent to the President to-day and will be signed by him without delay.

Since the agreement of the conferees on Friday last the President has been acquainting himself with the provisions of the bill, and the engrossed copy therefore will receive but little attention from him. The bill becomes operative October 6, although, as has been previously stated, imported goods may remain in bond until February 1, 1891.

The debate which preceded the adoption of the report was in many respects the most interesting of the entire discussion. The principal participants were Messrs. Carlisle and Aldrich, although several other gentlemen spoke briefly.

When the clerk began calling the roll upon passage of the report a number of representatives from the House were scattered about in the rear of the chamber. The galleries were well filled. Senators Paddock of Nebraska, Pettigrew of South Dakota and Plumb of Kansas, Republicans, voted in the negative with the Democrats. The Senate immediately following the roll call went into executive session.

## A FLOOD OF SILVER.

**The Treasury Practically Drained of Small Treasury and Bank Notes.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 1.—A famine in small treasury and bank notes is threatened for the Eastern cities. The banks of this city, which have a more immediate connection with the treasury, are now bare of notes of small denominations, and the scarcity is being severely felt. The cause is the large shipment of small bills to the West to meet the obligations of the Silver bill and the movement of crops.

The Treasury has been practically drained of small notes.

A prominent banker said to-day that the result will be that the Treasury will be compelled to put out several millions of silver dollars and force them into circulation. The prospects are, therefore, likely for a flood of silver for the East in the immediate future.

**Presidential Nominations.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 1.—Among the last batch of nominations sent to the Senate by the President were the following: George S. Batcheller, of New York, to be Minister Resident and Consul-General of the United States to Portugal, vice George B. Loring, resigned; Consul at Bermuda, Horace W. Metcalf of Maine, and the following postmasters: Frank L. Martin, Bethel, Vt.; Daniel A. Hurd, North Berwick, Me.; George M. Douglass, West Rutland, Vt.; Hubert E. Carpenter, East Hamton, Conn.; C. S. Randall, Rouse's Point, N. Y.; W. S. Raynor, Sayville, N. Y.; W. P. Phelps, Merchantville, N. J., Thomas W. Palmer, Frenchtown, N. J.; H. Christopher Ehni, Raritan, N. J.; Robert H. Wilson, Tarentum, Pa.; Seth Orme, St. Claire, Pa.; N. H. Hastings, Austin, Pa.; Henry Andrews, Ardmore, Pa.; Anna H. Griscom, Jenkinton, Pa.; J. B. Haines, Jeannette, Pa.; Michael M. Kistler, East Stroudsburg, Pa.

**Bills Approved by the President.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 1.—The President has approved the River and Harbor bill; the joint resolution authorizing the Secretary of the Navy to purchase nickel ore for use in the manufacture of nickel steel armor; extending the limit of cost for public building at Hoboken, N. J.; amending an act of Congress relative to fire limit of site of postoffice and Federal building at Brooklyn, N. Y.; an act to divide the State of Iowa into two judicial districts; making Peoria, Ill., a port of delivery, and the bill providing for a statue to Gen. Lafayette.

**Adjournment Expected This Afternoon.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 1.—The impression seems to prevail that Congress will adjourn late this afternoon. The Tariff bill was sent to the President at 1 o'clock, and he will be able to notify the House that it has been signed about 4. Then nothing will intervene between the two houses and an adjournment. It is possible that the President will not sign the bill in time to permit an adjournment this evening. Vice-President Morton said that Congress would adjourn sure this afternoon.


Highest of all in Leavening Power.—U. S. Gov't Report, Aug. 17, 1889.

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ABSOLUTELY PURE


## BASEBALL GAMES.

**National League.**

AT CINCINNATI.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Cincinnati | 2 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —5 |
| New York | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —2 |

Batteries—Duryea and Keenan; Burkett and Murphy.

AT CHICAGO.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Chicago | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 0 | —6 |
| Boston | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | —4 |

Batteries—Luby and Nagle; Clarkson and Bennett.

AT PITTSBURG.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Pittsburg | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 2 | 2 | x | —10 |
| Philadelphia | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —1 |

Batteries—Vickery and Schriver; Smith and Berger.

AT CLEVELAND.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Cleveland | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | —3 |
| Brooklyn | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | —4 |

Batteries—Viau and Zimmer; Caruthers and Clarke.

**Players' League.**

AT CHICAGO.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Chicago | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | —8 |
| Brooklyn | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —4 |

Batteries—King and Boyle; Hemming and Cook.

AT BUFFALO.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Buffalo | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | —1 |
| Boston | 0 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | x | —7 |

Batteries—Stafford and Mack; Daley and Murphy.

AT CLEVELAND.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Cleveland | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | —7 |
| New York | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | —3 |

Batteries—McGill and Sutcliffe; O'Day and Ewing.

AT PITTSBURG.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Pittsburg | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 1 | —5 |
| Philadelphia | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | —4 |

Batteries—Maul and Fields; Sanders and Hallman.

**American Association.**

AT COLUMBUS.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Columbus | 4 | 5 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 2 | —14 |
| Athletic | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | —2 |

Batteries—Easton and O'Connor; O'Neill and Daly.

AT LOUISVILLE.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Baltimore | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | | —0 |
| Louisville | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | | —1 |

Game called on account of darkness.

Batteries—Meakim and Weckbecker; German and Townsend.

AT TOLEDO.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Toledo | 2 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —6 |
| Rochester | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —1 |

Batteries—Smith and Sage; Titcomb and Grimm.

AT ST. LOUIS.

Syracuse and St. Louis game postponed on account of threatening weather.

**Atlantic Association.**

AT HARRISBURG.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Lebanon | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —1 |
| Harrisburg | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —0 |

Batteries—Winkleman and McCaffrey; Cox and Jennings.

AT NEW HAVEN.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Newark | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | —7 |
| New Haven | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | —4 |

Batteries—Horner and Cahill; Staib and Murphy.

This game closes the Atlantic Association championship season.

**Attendance at League Games.**

| | Players | League |
|---|---|---|
| Cleveland | 450 | 400 |
| Pittsburg | 500 | 229 |
| Chicago | 479 | 879 |
| Cincinnati | .... | 648 |
| Buffalo | 723 | .... |
| Totals | 2,152 | 2,156 |

**Standing of the Clubs.**

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

| | Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'ct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Brookl'n | 84 | 43 | .661 | Cincin'ti | 75 | 55 | .581 |
| Philadel. | 77 | 51 | .602 | N. York | 63 | 66 | .488 |
| Chicago | 81 | 53 | .604 | Clev'l'nd | 62 | 67 | .326 |
| Boston | 75 | 55 | .577 | Pittsb'rg | 23 | 111 | .172 |

PLAYERS' LEAGUE.

| | Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'ct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Boston | 79 | 46 | .632 | Philadel. | 67 | 61 | .524 |
| Brookl'n | 75 | 55 | .577 | Pittsb'rg | 57 | 67 | .460 |
| N. York | 74 | 54 | .578 | Clev'l'nd | 53 | 74 | .417 |
| Chicago | 73 | 62 | .541 | Buffalo | 35 | 94 | .271 |

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

| | Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'ct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Loui'v'le | 81 | 41 | .664 | Roch'st'r | 60 | 57 | .513 |
| St. Louis | 74 | 50 | .597 | Athletic | 54 | 70 | .435 |
| Col'mb'a | 69 | 54 | .561 | Syracuse | 47 | 79 | .402 |
| Toledo | 65 | 56 | .537 | Baltim'e | 36 | 88 | .296 |

ATLANTIC ASSOCIATION.

| | Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'ct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| N. Hav'n | 60 | 35 | .606 | Harrisb'g | 50 | 67 | .427 |
| Lebanon | 57 | 49 | .542 | Wilm't'n | 32 | 82 | .300 |
| Newark | 60 | 61 | .496 | | | | |

**Schedule of To-Day's Games.**

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

No Games scheduled.

PLAYERS' LEAGUE.

Cleveland vs. New York, at Cleveland.
Chicago vs. Brooklyn, at Chicago.
Buffalo vs. Boston, at Buffalo.
Pittsburg vs. Philadelphia, at Philadelphia.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

Baltimore vs. Louisville, at Louisville.
Syracuse vs. St. Louis, at St. Louis.
Rochester vs. Toledo, at Toledo.
Athletics vs. Columbus, at Columbus.

## SLAVIN TO FIGHT JACKSON.

**A Purse of $15,000 Has Been Guaranteed for the Battle.**

LONDON, Oct. 1.—Arrangements have been completed by cable for the meeting of Peter Jackson and Frank P. Slavin in the rooms of the Melbourne Athletic Club within the next six months. A purse of £3,000 has been guaranteed, and Jack Dougherty has lodged a deposit in Melbourne in behalf of Slavin, who readily accepted Jackson's challenge.

A stipulation was made that the fight be arranged for such a time as will not prevent Slavin's presence in England to receive any sentence that may be imposed on him in connection with his recent Ormonde Club battle.

**Closing Scenes in the House.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 1.—This being the last day of the session, the members of the House fairly tumbled over one another to rush through bills in which they were particularly interested. From the hour that Speaker Reed called the House to order the well was jammed with Representatives clamoring for recognition. Many bills were left upon the Speaker's table, either to die or to be resurrected in December.

## PARNELL'S POSITION

### He Is Anxious About the New Irish Movement.

### IMPORTANT MEETING TO BE HELD

**American Irishmen to be Asked to Support the Plan of Campaign.**

**Rejoicing in Germany Over the Return of the Exiled Socialists—No Decision by the High Court in the Dillon and O'Brien Case—A German Lady Arrested as a Spy in France.**

LONDON, Oct. 1.—A meeting of the members of the Irish party has been fixed for Oct. 16. It will probably be a very important affair, and at it Mr. Parnell is expected to take very decisive action. He will either resign his present position or he will come out strongly and squarely for the plan of campaign. The need of money overshadows all questions and the American trip is a most important item in the programme.

Mr. Parnell has ordered all the members to cancel their engagements for the 16th. A supreme effort will be made in order to conciliate the American Irish to unite with the party here.

The report that the Vatican has determined to put pressure on the Irish bishops to enforce the Papal rescript receives confirmation from a pastoral issued yesterday by the Bishop of Kildare. The Parnellites are anxious to avoid any breach with the church, and it is thought that no further attempt will be made to put the plan of campaign in force. Mr. Parnell is anxious that home rule should again be brought to the front.

## SOCIALISTS REJOICE.

**Great Excitement in Germany Over the Expiration of the Anti-Socialist Law.**

BERLIN, Oct. 1.—There was much excitement in Germany over the expiration of the anti-Socialist law, the Socialists indulging in general rejoicing.

Thirty Socialists who had been in exile arrived in Berlin last evening and received an ovation. Public meetings were held in seven halls, all being crowded. Many illuminations appeared in the streets in honor of the occasion. Numerous processions were formed, and some of them became disorderly and were dispersed by the police, but no violence or injury resulted.

At Hamburg 19 exiles returned and were enthusiastically greeted. Similar scenes were enacted in all the large cities.

**Strikers to Come to America.**

DUBLIN, Oct. 1.—The Executive Committee of the Amalgamated Railway Servants has decided to send to America a hundred of the men who took part in the unsuccessful strike on the Dublin, Wicklow and Wexford line.

**The High Court Reserves Its Decision.**

DUBLIN, Oct. 1.—After hearing argument upon the motion to remove the case of O'Brien, Dillon and others from the Tipperary court on the ground of bias, the High Court of Justice reserved its decision.

**O'Brien and Dillon Will Not Leave.**

DUBLIN, Oct. 1.—The tedious prolongation of the Tipperary trial seems to have succeeded in its object, for Messrs. O'Brien and Dillon have entirely given up hope of making the American trip.

**Another German Spy.**

PARIS, Oct. 1.—A German lady has been arrested at Cannes who had in her possession a number of topographical charts of the fortress and plans of the other defenses of the town.

**Two Priests Detained.**

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 1.—Rev. Dr. H. A. Kenkenberg and Rev. Dr. J. Saentgerath, Catholic priests from Europe, who arrived at this port on the steamship Belgenland are detained under the contract labor law. The priests acknowledge that they were hired to come to this country as teachers in the Catholic college at St. Paul, Minn., founded by Bishop Ireland. The matter has been referred to the custom authorities, and the two priests will be detained on board the Belgenland pending a decision.

**Crushed by a Railroad Train.**

CAMDEN, N. J., Oct. 1.—Mr. and Mrs. Arthur H. Williams, while attempting to cross the Camden & Atlantic Railroad in their carriage, were struck by the Haddonfield express train and Mr. Williams was instantly killed. Mrs. Williams is dying in the Cooper Hospital from a compound fracture of the skull. Her arm is broken in two places and she is internally injured. Mr. and Mrs. Williams were over seventy years old, wealthy and prominent in church circles here.

**$48,000 Asked for the Cincinnati Club.**

CINCINNATI, Oct. 1.—The following are President Stern's terms for the Cincinnati club of the National League made to the Brotherhood and if accepted the transfer will be made next Tuesday: The price to be paid is $48,000, of which sum $30,000 is to be cash in hand on that date and a lien of $18,000 on the property delivered. It is thought the offer will be accepted.

**Captain Kelly's Denial.**

BOSTON, Oct. 1.—Secretary Hart, of the Boston Brotherhood League club, shows a telegram from Mike Kelly saying: "Pay no attention to reports about my signing with other clubs. I shall play in Boston and captain the team just as long as the directors want me to."

**Hustler Phillips in an Insane Asylum.**

PITTSBURG, Oct. 1.—H. B. Phillips, the baseball magnate, is once more confined in the insane asylum at Merchantville, N. J. Word was received here that the chances are against his recovery.

## WATCHING BIRCHALL.

**A Belief that He Will Cheat the Gallows by Committing Suicide.**

WOODSTOCK, Ont., Oct., 1.—Birchall's cell was carefully searched in every nook and corner for poison or any weapon with which he might make away with himself, and his clothing were subjected to the same microscopic examination. From this time on he will be watched night and day.

No one is allowed to see Birchall without an order from the sheriff. The strictest watch is kept over him. Many believe he will cheat the gallows yet by committing suicide.

Jailer Cameron and the sheriff held a consultation to determine some line of conduct with reference to Birchall's management. Mr. Cameron is strongly in favor of allowing his wife just one more final interview. He thinks it will be better for Birchall, and above all better for Mrs. Birchall. He will advise her strongly to go back at once, in company with her sister, to England. So long as she is in the same atmosphere with Birchall she is under his influence, and so long as she is under that influence she will grieve to the point of putting her life in peril.

Birchall broke down and wept profusely when told his wife fainted when she learned of his conviction.

## SMALL-SIZED SENSATION.

**The President's Coachman Elopes With One of the Chambermaids.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 1.—A White House elopement is furnishing a small-sized sensation. The colored coachman of President Harrison is the hero of the escapade, and he has run off with one of the chambermaids of the White House.

The story is invested with some additional interest from the fact that the heroine is the niece of Congressman Langston, of Virginia, who was seated a few days ago.

**A Lawyer Becomes a Criminal.**

BUFFALO, N. Y., Oct. 1.—Harry E. Hopkins, alias E. H. Corry was arrested by detectives here on warrants sworn out in New York charging him with grand larceny. It is said that Hopkins was educated for a lawyer and admitted to the bar of the Supreme Court of this State. His dissipated habits, however, brought him to the grade of a common criminal. He committed a serious offense some time ago in New York, and to save himself fled to Texas, where he remained until he supposed all had blown over, and then returning, he committed other thefts.

**Baby Beatrice's Mother Found.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 1.—Gilbert M. Speir, Jr., one of the executors of Robert Ray Hamilton's will, said that it was true that the real mother of baby Beatrice had been discovered, and that she could be produced in court whenever the executors wish.

**Dr. McGonegal's Trial.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 1.—The court room is crowded with people listening to the evidence in the Dr. McGonegal trial for malpractice. Many ladies are present, Sadie Traphagen, the principal witness for the prosecution, gave damaging testimony against the doctor.

## NEWS OF THE DAY.

Lewis Sperry of South Windsor, Conn., was nominated for Congress by the Democrats.

Inaugural exercises of the School of Law of Dickinson College were held at Carlisle, Pa., last evening.

The Republicans of the Seventh district of Massachusetts renominated General William Cogswell for Congress.

In a quarrel at Scottdale, Pa., William Raymond was fatally cut in the abdomen by a colored man named Jacobs.

The British steamer Picton, from Wilmington, N. C., has arrived at Liverpool with the engineer suffering from cholera.

The large summer hotel known as the Agawam, Lake George, N. Y., was burned early in the morning. Loss, $20,000; insurance, $9,000.

Mrs. Mary Loveland Hoyt, wife of ex-Governor Henry Hoyt, of Pennsylvania, died at Wilkesbarre, Pa., during the morning of paralysis, aged 51.

The Democratic Congressional convention for the Twentieth District of New York, held at Schenectady, nominated Alexander B. Baucus of Saratoga.

Strong efforts are being made by local manufacturers of Fall River, Mass., to induce the Rhode Island mill owners to join the combination to stop work one week in October, but so far they have been unsuccessful.

**Weather Indications.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 1.—For New England: Fair; slightly warmer, westerly winds.

For Eastern New York, Eastern Pennsylvania, New Jersey and Delaware: Fair; slightly warmer; variable winds.

For Western New York and Western Pennsylvania: Fair; stationary temperature; variable winds.

## NEW YORK MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Sept. 30.—Money on call to-day 3 and 4 per cent.

BONDS.

| | Closing Saturday. | Closing To-day. |
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| 4½s, 1891 Reg | 103¾ | 104 |
| 4½s, 1891 Coup | 103¾ | 104 |
| 4 s, 1907 Reg | 123 | 123 |
| 4 s, 1907 Coup | 123 | 124 |

STOCK MARKET.

| | Closing Yesterday. | Closing To-day. |
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| Canadian Pacific | 77¾ | .... |
| Central Pacific | .... | .... |
| Chicago, Bur. & Quincy | 97 | 96¾ |
| Delaware & Hudson | 135¼ | .... |
| Del. Lack. & Western | 147¾ | 147 |
| Erie | 24¾ | .... |
| Erie pref. | .... | .... |
| Lake Shore | 108¾ | 108 |
| Louis. & Nash | 84¾ | 84¾ |
| Michigan Central | .... | 96¾ |
| Missouri Pacific | 96¾ | 96¾ |
| New Jersey Central | 111¾ | 111¾ |
| Northwestern | 108½ | 108½ |
| Oregon Navigation | .... | .... |
| Pacific Mail | 40¾ | 41 |
| Reading | 41¾ | 42¼ |
| Rock Island | 90¾ | 90¾ |

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## BY THE WAY.

—Laugh—laughing—laughter—to-night at the Plainfield Cornet Band entertainment in the "Three Married Men."

—The quarterly business meeting of the Crescent Avenue Sunday School Teachers will be held this evening at 9 o'clock.

—The child elocutionist, Miss Jessie Hall, will recite "Bill Snyder's Boy," to-night at the Plainfield Cornet Band entertainment.

—Gilbert and Whitely, the song and dance artists, will perform some of their specialties to-night at the Plainfield Cornet Band entertainment.

—The Ladies' Aid Society of Hope Chapel will have a bazar and entertainment in the chapel on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings of next week.

—The Catholic Young Men's Literary Union have just purchased the desirably located property at the corner of Fifth and Liberty streets. Alterations will be made to the house for the convenience of the members.

—A conference of delegates from the different gun clubs of the State will be held at Dunellen, Friday evening, to arrange for the annual Fall tournament of the New Jersey State Sportsmen's Association.

—Gazelle Engine Company, No. 1, will hold a regular meeting in their parlors, this evening, at 7:30 o'clock, sharp. A full attendance is desired as business of importance will be brought before the meeting.

—A reduction in the cost of ice, is the reason Stephenson, the caterer, has lowered the price of his iced cream. Ice is costing him 25 cents a hundred less, and he proposes that the people shall have the benefit of it.

—Robert Brait and wife, Margaret E. Ayres and husband, and Virginia J. Monday, all of Rahway, with Sarah M. Potter and husband, of Raritan, have sold to Sarah A. McNabb, of Bound Brook, 12244-1000 acres of land, partly in Plainfield and partly in Fanwood township, for $3,061.

—Wilbur Benjamin Randolph has become proprietor of Edwin Maynard's barber rooms, 28 Park avenue. Mr. Randolph has been in Mr. Maynard's barber rooms, 28 Park avenue. Mr. Randolph has been in Mr. Maynard's employ many years, and is a most popular barber with a large number of Plainfield gentlemen who all wish him success.

—The original Fisk Jubilee Singers from Tennessee, are to appear at Reform Hall, Friday evening of this week, and give one of their grand concerts. As they have been highly praised by the crowned heads and the nobility of Europe, it is hardly necessary to say anything more than that those who fail to hear them will miss a great treat, for there is none like them.

## PARTICULAR MENTION.

Wm. M. Demarest is at the Niagara House, Niagara Falls, N. Y.

Teaching ladies how to play a violin gracefully, is a specialty with Andrew J. Carpenter, 51 Westervelt avenue, who also takes pupils in piano and organ playing.

Willet S. Marsh and Miss Florence Laible, both of this city, were united in marriage by the Rev. Cornelius Schenck at the Trinity Reformed church parsonage last evening.

Dr. Thomas Brown, of Rochester, N. Y., is visiting his Plainfield relatives, among them his brother, Isaac P. Brown, of Broadway, and his sister, Mrs. Jacob Thorn, of East Second street.

The wedding of Miss Fannie Kissam and Milton C. Barkalew, of the firm of Barkalew & Dunn, will take place Wednesday evening, October 15, at 7 o'clock, at 14 Elm place, this city. The Rev. N. W. Cadwell, D. D., of Westfield, will officiate.

### Five Hundred Dollars for Seventy-Five.

Assembly No. 42, of the Non-Secret Endowment Order, was organized at the City Hotel, last evening by Edgar R. Howe, Supreme Organizer, of Worcester, Mass. The following officers were selected:

President—Charles H. Schermerhorn.
Vice President—Horace J. Martin.
Secretary—Frank W. Runyon.
Treasurer—Lewis R. Blackford.
Counselor—Walter L. Hetfield.
Trustees—W. R. Codington, Alexander Thorn, Bateman Thatcher.

The new assembly will be instituted this evening. It is the most tempting of all recent benefit and insurance schemes. You pay $1.50 a month, and at the end of five years you get $500 cash, dead or alive.

### The Bachelors Make a Night of It.

The members of the Bachelors' Club had a gay time at their anniversary last night. An elaborate banquet was provided by Caterer Stephenson, and good music was furnished by Conde and Rogers. The table was exquisitely decorated with flowers and cut glass. In the centre was a floral pyramid three feet high, surmounted by a dazzling crown of electric lights. Mirth and conviviality prevailed till daylight. T'were a long story to tell all the merry events of the feast and frolic, but the keynote of it all may be found in the Club motto: "When a man's single he lives at his ease."

## HARRY HOPKINS' DOWNFALL.

### Is This the Erstwhile Business Manager of the Park House?

Harry E. Hopkins, alias Corry—who, it is said, is "Count Hopkins" who was business manager while his father was proprietor of the Park House, this city, in 1886—was arrested last night by detectives in Buffalo, on warrants sworn out in New York charging him with grand larceny. It is said that Hopkins was educated for a lawyer and admitted to the Bar of the Supreme Court of New York State. His dissipated habits, however, brought him to the grade of a criminal. He committed a serious offense some time ago in New York, and to save himself fled to Texas, where he remained until he supposed all had blown over, and then returning he committed other thefts.

### Mrs. Newton P. Drake Goes Free.

Those, if there are any, who hoped to gratify their abnormal appetites for scandal by witnessing a sensational trial in the Drake case at Somerville, will be disappointed. Counsel for Mrs. Drake executed a flank movement against such this morning and the result is that Mrs. Drake entered a plea to the charge of simple assault that she was unwilling to contend against the State, and was set free without even so much as one word of rebuke or reprimand. Indeed the Court said that the Court of course did not know whether she was guilty or not.

THE PRESS agrees with the observation of the Court upon making final disposition of the case, that "the Court has not made any mistake this time." The way in which the matter was presented was this: When the prosecutor asked Mrs. Drake how she pleaded "guilty or not guilty," Craig A. Marsh arose and asked permission to be heard on behalf of his client before pleading. The Court granted permission, and counsel then made a calm statement of the facts of the case, followed by an impassioned appeal to the court to allow defendant to plead non vult contendere to simple assault, and to allow the suffering already endured by the defendant to stand as the only penalty. A petition was presented containing about twenty names of representative men heartily approving the course suggested by counsel. The petition after referring to the physical and mental suffering of defendant and the fear that the strain of a protracted trial would be fraught with danger to her health, concludes as follows:

These considerations may induce the defendant to enter a plea that she is unwilling to contend against the State, but the undersigned firmly believe that even if the accused should be adjudged guilty as charged, the ends of justice would be fully met if the Court should regard the punishment already borne, a sufficient penalty, and refrain from adding thereto.

The undersigned as residents of the community most interested, respectfully and very earnestly ask the Honorable Judges of this Court to adopt this view as the one prompted alike by justice and humanity.

The Court said that of course it knew nothing of the guilt or innocence of defendant but it was bound to respect the views of such representative men of the community. They were the leaders of all philanthropic and humane undertakings and institutions and were known to the Court to be men of the highest integrity, intelligence and good judgment. It would not be right for the Court to disregard this request. They undoubtedly might be safely taken as exponents of the best public sentiment in Plainfield and North Plainfield. Under the circumstances, the Court would suspend sentence.

That disposed of the case. We congratulate the defendant's respected parents and family who have from the beginning had the profound sympathy of THE PRESS and the best people of this community.

### It Seemed to Strangers, Very Like a Suicide.

A sad accident occurred at Fanwood at 2:25 yesterday. The large and magnificent thoroughbred dog, belonging to the Hon. George Kyte—which has been in the care of his trainer, Isaac Crue—was executing his well-known feat of jumping from the over-head bridge, just East of the Fanwood station and alighting upon moving trains. Miscalculating the speed with which the express from the East was moving, the dog struck the track in front of the locomotive and was instantly killed.

The noble animal was the pet of the ladies and children of the suburban town. The accident was witnessed by a number of the residents. The remains were tenderly removed and given a respectable interment.

—Although the de of the Adams Express company in this city has not lessened, and so many of the people prefer its service to that of the United States, yet the former has withdrawn its business from Plainfield as told exclusively in THE PRESS of yesterday. Manager E. H. Holmes, however, will continue his local express business with an office at 27 North avenue, and will put in your Winter coal, too.

### $10,000 Found in an Ash Barrel.

A New York rag-picker is reported to have found $10,000 in greenbacks in an ash barrel. This was a rare piece of good luck, but how much more fortunate is the sufferer from consumption who learns that, although the doctors may have pronounced his case hopeless, Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery will cure him. Consumption is a scrofulous disease of the lungs. The "Discovery," which is the most potent blood-purifier of the age, strikes right at the root of the evil, and there is no resisting it, if taken in time. In all scrofulous or other blood taints, skin and scalp diseases, old sores and swellings, it is *guaranteed* to cure, or money paid for it promptly refunded. By druggists.

## FOR ARTIST ARTISANS.

### Progress of the Institute Founded by a Plainfielder.

The New York Institute for Artist Artisans at 140 West Twenty-third street, New York, was today opened for the Fall term with 250 enrolled pupils. Prof. John Ward Stimson, of Plainfield, the founder and Superintendent of the Institute, is in charge, with a full corps of instructors, including those of the last two years, and classes in painting, sculpture, architecture, illustration, etching, stained glass, ceramics, carving, metal working, jewelry, interior decoration, and plastic modeling, with studies from still life and life models.

Mr. Stimson's idea in the establishment of the institute was to make it the nucleus of a Central National Art University, teaching principles instead of mere imitation, and developing the democratic American idea that art is not necessarily the mere foible of the foolish, the fad of a few fashionables, or the *monopoly* of the speculator. He has been working practically and successfully on lines which have engaged the attention of the artists and manufacturers of Great Britain for a year with the result that a national organization has been formed for the promotion of art and its application to industry.

As an example of the esteem in which the institute is held by those who have looked into it, Gen. Webb, President of the College of the City of New York, has just arranged for four scholarships to be awarded to successful competing graduates from the college. Among the patrons of the institute are Tiffany & Co., the Gorham Manufacturing Company, Howard & Son, Cottier & Co., Herter Brothers, Lamb Brothers, Robert Graves, Warren, Fuller & Lange, Frederick Beck, Cheney Brothers, William Strange, the *Phœnix Silk Company*, William Kyle & Co., Doughley & Wadsworth, Charles Danforth, B. Richardson, and others representing the jewelry, wall paper, stained glass, silk, and other art industries. Yesterday H. O. Havemeyer sent a contribution of $1,000 toward establishing the institute on a sound basis.

The institute depends largely upon popular support for its success and has been maintained thus far only by sacrifices which Mr. Stimson is no longer able to make. It is the most promising among the art educational institutions of the country.

### Manager Burnet Gets Back at Manager Perkins.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE N. Y. SUN—*Sir:* I notice in *The Sun* of September 19 a card from Manager Perkins of the Hackett, Carhart & Co. team in relation to a guarantee of $45 alleged to be due his club since July. In answer to the above I would say that the managers of Plainfield Crescent League never withheld a guarantee due any club that was justly entitled to it and honestly earned it; and such clubs as the Flushings, Acmes, Gorhams and Cuban Giants, and, in fact, any club that has visited Plainfield, will substantiate this, and for Manager Perkins to come out at this late date looks very small.

We played two games in all with the Hackett, Carhart & Co. team, and won both. The Hackett, Carhart & Co. team refused to continue the second game because of the umpire's decision in giving one man at the bat his base on an illegal delivery. I asked Mr. Perkins to finish the game and not disappoint the people present, and told him if he would not I should not pay the guarantee, as he had not fulfilled his contract. He said he did not care for his guarantee, and wanted all of the umpire's decisions reversed or he would not play ball; and upon my refusal to agree to such an unjust demand he left the grounds.

We have played games with all of the principal clubs in and around New York, and they can testify as to whether we kept back a guarantee from them. I would say that if Mr. Perkins thinks he has been unjustly treated by us, how is it that as late as September 13 he was trying to arrange games with us, to be played in Plainfield?

C. C. BURNET,
Manager Crescent League.

### To Bible Students.

The American Institute of Sacred Literature, of which Prof. W. R. Harper is principal, will offer in this city, on December 30, an examination on the *Gospel of Luke*. Those who pass this examination will receive a certificate from the institute. Those who have been engaged in the study of the International Sunday School Lesson ought to be sufficiently prepared for this examination. The object of the examination is to induce more careful study of the Life of Christ as set forth in Luke. Those who desire to take the examination must enter their names before December 1, 1890. I shall be glad to furnish any further information to those who are interested in the subject.

WM. D. MURRAY,
Special Examiner.

### The Longest Fly on Record.

J. Hervey Doane's carrier pigeon "Dude" is home after over a year's absence. He sailed for Europe in 1889 with Scripps' League, and was released hundreds of miles out at sea in company with another bird bearing a message from Julian Hawthorne. This latter bird after flying two days and a night lighted on a ship bound for New York, and was captured. Dude was never seen since until Thursday, when he returned to his old perch in his owner's loft on La Grande avenue.

## SHOOTING AT CLAY PIGEONS.

### Interest Increasing at the Dunellen Tournament—Who the Winners Are—Thousands of Birds Ready for the Live Pigeon Sport To-Morrow.

The liveliest kind of shooting is in progress at the Middlesex Gun Club tournament now being held at Dunellen. The weather is glorious, the sportsmen alert, and the firing incessant. The field is thickly strewn with shattered clay pigeons, and the ground at the feet of the marksmen is covered with empty cartridge shells. A large number of notables arrived this morning. Many new faces are on the grounds. The rivalry is great, and the fact that the springs of the traps are the strongest that could be procured, sending the wingless birds with tremendous speed through the air, operates to add to the extreme closeness of each contest, as even the most famous of the sportsmen find it easy to misjudge the speed, and to miss. The events of today up to half-past one o'clock are as follows:

Regular event No. 10—Each man shot at fifteen single blue rock clay pigeons. First money was divided by Marsh, Wolstencroft and Whitney. Second by Peacock, Miller and Elliott. Third by VonLengerke and Money. Fourth by Quimby, Penrose and Rowley.

Regular event No. 11—Ten single blue rocks. Collins broke all and took first money. Bowley and Quimby missed one each and divided second. Wolstencroft, C. Smith, Dean and Peacock shared third. Rothacker, Elliott, Wild and Whitney went shares on fourth.

Regular event No. 12—Ten single blue rocks. Whitney had a clean score and won first money. Quimby, J. L. Smith, Elliott and Collins tied on second. Rupell, Rothacker, Wolstencroft, Thurman, Dean and W. Smith divided third. Miller took fourth.

Regular event No. 13 was at fifteen targets each, single blue rocks, for a guaranteed purse of $40. Whitney smashed every target and pocketed first money. Quimby broke fourteen and took second. Marsh and Brantingham shared third. Miller and Wolstencroft divided fourth.

Regular event No. 14 was at twenty single blue rocks each, for a guaranteed purse of $50. First money went to Whitney. Second to Wolstencroft. Third to Rowley and Brantingham. Fourth to E. D. Miller.

Regular event No. 15 was at twenty single blue rocks. Not a single clean record was made. Wolstencroft broke nineteen, missing one, and took first money. Whitney and Sigler divided second. Penrose and Marsh tied on third. Crosby secured fourth.

Extra Event No. 3—Ten single blue rocks—Whitney won first money. Wolstencroft second. Dean and Tee Kay third. Quimby fourth.

Extra Event No. 4—Ten single blue rocks—Whitney and Quimby divided first. Bowley, Elliott, Miller and Wolstencroft second. Tee Kay, C. Smith and W. Smith third. Thurman, Marsh and Dean fourth.

Of a special prize of $10 offered for yesterday's best average Collins secured sixty per cent., and Wolstencroft forty per cent.

The three thousand pigeons that have arrived for the live bird shooting of Thursday and Friday are a handsome lot. They are strong-winged, vigorous birds, and will give the marksmen hard work and excellent sport.

—The season is at hand when weather strips and storm doors ought to be placed in position to defy the onslaughts of the frost. Whitlock & Hulick, of 11 Somerset street, are prepared to do such work. They take pride in their reputation for reliability and low prices.

### Notice of Attachment.

*UNION COUNTY CIRCUIT COURT.*

The Hockanum Company, Pltf. vs John F. Plummer, Albert T. Plummer and William S. Darling, Defts. | On Contract. On Attachment.

Notice is hereby given that a writ of attachment at the suit of The Hockanum Company against the rights and credits, moneys and effects, goods and chattels, lands and tenements of John F. Plummer, Albert T. Plummer and William S. Darling, non-resident debtors, for the sum of Four hundred and fifty thousand dollars, issued out of the Union County Circuit Court on the twelfth day of May, A. D., 1890. Returnable and returned into Court duly executed by the Sheriff of the County of Union, on the second day of June, A. D., 1890.

Dated July 2nd, 1890.

JOHN L. CROWELL, Clerk.

Bacot & Record, Att'y's for Pl't'ff, No. 1 Montgomery Street, Jersey City. 10 1 10 oaw

### Notice of Attachment.

*UNION COUNTY CIRCUIT COURT.*

The New England Company, Pl't'ff. vs John F. Plummer, Albert T. Plummer and William S. Darling, Def'ts. | On Contract. Attachment.

Notice is hereby given that a writ of attachment at the suit of the New England Company, against the rights and credits, moneys and effects, goods and chattels, lands and tenements of John F. Plummer, Albert T. Plummer and William S. Darling, non-resident debtors, for the sum of Three hundred thousand six hundred and twenty-eight 22-100 dollars, issued out of the Union County Circuit Court, on the twentieth day of June, A. D., 1890. Returnable and returned into Court, duly executed by the Sheriff of the County of Union on the first day of July, A. D., 1890.

Dated July 2nd, 1890.

JOHN L. CROWELL, Clerk.

Bacot & Record, Att'ys for Pl't'ff, No. 1 Montgomery Street, Jersey City. 10 1 10 oaw

### Notice of Attachment.

*UNION COUNTY CIRCUIT COURT.*

John C. Payne, Pl't'ff. vs John F. Plummer, Albert T. Plummer and William S. Darling, Def'ts. | On Contract. On Attachment.

Notice is hereby given that a writ of attachment at the suit of John C. Payne, against the rights and credits, moneys and effects, goods and chattels, lands and tenements of John F. Plummer, Albert T. Plummer and William S. Darling, non-resident debtors, for the sum of Twenty thousand dollars, issued out of the Union County Circuit Court on the third day of July, A. D., 1890. Returnable and returned into Court duly executed by the Sheriff of the County of Union, on the fourteenth day of July, A. D., 1890.

Dated July 17th, 1890.

JOHN L. CROWELL, Clerk.

Bacot & Record, Att'ys of Pl't'ff, 1 Montgomery Street, Jersey City. 10 1 20 oaw

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IS a blood disease. Until the poison is expelled from the system, there can be no cure for this loathsome and dangerous malady. Therefore, the only effective treatment is a thorough course of **Ayer's Sarsaparilla**—the best of all blood purifiers. The sooner you begin the better; delay is dangerous.

"I was troubled with catarrh for over two years. I tried various remedies, and was treated by a number of physicians, but received no benefit until I began to take Ayer's Sarsaparilla. A few bottles of this medicine cured me of this troublesome complaint and completely restored my health."—Jesse M. Boggs, Holman's Mills, N. C.

"When Ayer's Sarsaparilla was recommended to me for catarrh, I was inclined to doubt its efficacy. Having tried so many remedies, with little benefit, I had no faith that anything would cure me. I became emaciated from loss of appetite and impaired digestion. I had nearly lost the sense of smell, and my system was badly deranged. I was about discouraged, when a friend urged me to try Ayer's Sarsaparilla, and referred me to persons whom it had cured of catarrh. After taking half a dozen bottles of this medicine, I am convinced that the only sure way of treating this obstinate disease is through the blood."—Charles H. Maloney, 113 River st., Lowell, Mass.

## Ayer's Sarsaparilla,

PREPARED BY
Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass.
Price $1; six bottles, $5. Worth $5 a bottle.

THE ORIGINAL
# FISK JUBILEE SINGERS

Will render their matchless and soul-stirring music at

**REFORM HALL,**
**Friday Evening, October 3,**
At 8 O'clock.

ADMISSION, - - - 50 Cents.
Seats secured at Reynolds', and Randolph's drug stores. 10 1 3

# BAZAR & ENTERTAINMENT

Under the auspices of the
**Ladies' Aid Society of Hope Chapel,**
ON
**Tuesday & Wednesday Ev'gs,**
OCTOBER 7 and 8.
Admission, - - - 10 Cents.
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## HOAGLAND'S EXPRESS.

OFFICE—39 North Avenue
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**Valuable Building Lots for Sale,**
On Grove street and Craig place, North Plainfield. This plot is one of the most desirable in the Borough, and is offered for sale at a reasonable price and on easy terms. Will be sold in quantities to suit. Apply to Owner, at 28 Craig place. 8-16-tf

### Arrival and Departure of Mails.

*NEW YORK MAILS.*
*Arrive*—7:30, 8 40, A. M., 12:15, 2:30, 5:30 P. M.
*Close*—7:30 and 9:30 A. M., 1:45, 5:30 and 8 P. M.

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Direct mail to Trenton and Philadelphia at 4:30 P. M.

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Office open from 9:30 to 10:30 A. M.
Mail closes at 6:30 P. M.

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## MARRIAGES.

MARSH—LAIBLE—In Plainfield, Sept. 30, 1890, by the Rev. Cornelius Schenck, Mr. Willet S. Marsh and Miss Florence Laible, both of this city.

## WANTS AND OFFERS.

*Advertisements under this heading, one cent for each word each insertion.*

ESTEY Organ for sale. Apply 160 East Second street. 10 1 6

TO LET—A small house containing six rooms, in North Plainfield. Apply at Fairchild's furniture store, 21 and 23 E. Front st. 10 1 3

TYPEWRITER—Young lady would give services in exchange for use of typewriter. Address Careful, PRESS office.

GOOD girl for general housework wanted at 29 Carlton avenue. 9 30 2

FOR SALE—Seven room house on Pearl street; price $1,650; $450 cash, or two payments required; balance on mortgage, ample time. J. Leonard, 11 West 6th street. 9 30 4

FLATS to let on Somerset street, first-class order. Inquire of F. W. Bird, 107 East Front street. 9 30 3

SEVERAL loads of very fine, well-rotted manure for sale; suitable for potting plants and lawns. Inquire at PRESS office. 9 30 5

WANTED—A competent German girl as chambermaid and waitress; reference required. 99 Rockview avenue. 9 30 tf

TO LET—Desirable house; 9 rooms; convenient to Pond Tool Works. Apply at City Mills. 9 29 3

CORNER Netherwood avenue and Front street, desirable house and barn to let; 12 rooms, all improvements. Apply at City Mills. 9 29 3

SMALL two-story house for sale; Second street, near Park avenue, to be removed at once. D. Thompson, opp. Depot. 9 27 6

FOR SALE—A second hand piano, in good condition. Inquire 107 Park avenue. 9 22 tf

LADIES doing their own dressmaking or employing plain seamstress, can secure perfect fit and pattern for future use. Taylor system. Miss A. T. Buckley, 27 West 4th street. 9 25 tf

RYE WANTED—Highest market price paid. N. W. French, 7 E. 4th street 9 11 tf

FOR SALE—A Restaurant, doing a good paying business. Reason for selling, illness of proprietress. Inquire at Boston Cafe, No. 7 Somerset street. 9 6 tf

STORAGE for furniture in separate rooms. Apply to C. Frank French, 69 somerset st. 9 2 tf

WANTED—Jobbing at painting, glazing kalsomining and roof painting. Address Isaac Kennedy, 49 Chatham street, North Plainfield. tf

WANTED—Work cleaning Vaults and Cesspools. Satisfaction guaranteed. City Odorless Excavating Works, 206 Broadway. Mrs. David Jones, Proprietor. No connection with JOHN A Co. 6-11-tf

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The choicest Creamery Butter that can be produced
Apollinaris Water; pints, $1.50, quarts, $2 dozen; Belfast Ginger Ale, $1.40 dozen.
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The finest Java and Mocha coffee in town, and the prices are right. Won't be undersold for same quality of goods. F. M. DEMAREST,
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# Amphion Theatre.

PLAINFIELD, N. J.
## TO-NIGHT
Grand initial entertainment given by the Plainfield Cornet Band.
The programme will consist of Singing, Dancing, Recitations, Solos, and the very laughable Farce,
**"The Three Married Men,"**
In which Mr. Martin J. Dixon and Miss Jessie Wallack of the Tourist's Co. appear, assisted by local talent. Violin solo by Prof. P. L. Conde.
PRICES—25c., 35c., and 15c. On sale at Guttman's. 27 See the parade on same evening previous to entertainment. 9 29 3

M. H. A.
# Music Hall.
## FRIDAY, OCTOBER 3.
Special Engagement. The Distinguished Artiste—Miss JOSEPHINE CAMERON, supported by her own Company, presenting Herrman Merrivale's London success—
**FORGET-ME-NOT.**
Magnificent wardrobe designed and made by Worth of Paris.
Seats on sale Wednesday.
PRICES—35c., 50c., 75c., and $1. 9 29 5

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TWO NIGHTS ONLY.
**Monday and Tuesday, Oct. 6 and 7.**
Jefferson & Taylor's Great Aquatic Spectacle,
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With the original cast, scenery and realistic effects. The new Henley regatta scene; real boats, racing shells, steam launches on a river of real water.
George Rosmer, the popular oarsman, in the winning shell; the Herbert Bros., 3 heaviest gymnasts in the World; the Manhattan Quartette, in vocal selections; the realistic drowning scene, the sensation of a lifetimes.
PRICES—35, 50, 75c., and $1.
Seats on sale Friday. 9 30 td

# Harvest Home Fair and Supper

To be held in Vincent Chapel
**Thursday Evening, and Friday Afternoon and Evening,**
For the Benefit of
**The Evona Mission.**
ADMISSION, - - Ten Cents.
SUPPER, 50c., including admission. 9 29 5

# Gymnasium Classes
## Plainfield Bicycle Club.

Ladies' Class—Thursday afternoons, 3 to 6 o'clock; terms, $12 per year.
Boys' Class—Saturday mornings, 9 to 12 o'clock; terms $8 per year.
For admission or information apply to
J. H COOLEY, M. D.,
Chairman Gymnasium Committee. 9 24 6

# CLAIRVOYANT
MRS. DR. EDWARDS
Having entirely recovered from her severe illness, is now able to see her patrons again
**On and after Wednesday, Oct. 1,**
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Ladies 50c to $1 Gentlemen $1.
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WE expect to do a larger business than ever, and to this end we have added extra help, and made heavy purchases in all of our departments.
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The purpose of which is to dispose of our entire stock and renew it exclusively with the new patterns of the coming season. Points worth considering:
FIRST—Our stock is very large, carefully selected, and all this season's goods.
SECOND—The first customers will have a larger stock to select from; and will get the choicest bargains.
THIRD—Prices will be the lowest ever offered—bargains being offered daily below cost. Sale closes September 1.
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## GOVERNOR ABBETT DENOUNCED IT

**And Plainfield Votes Emphatically That the Constitution Shall Not Be Amended so as to Permit Special Legislation.**

There was a special election in New Jersey yesterday to decide whether the State Constitution shall be amended. Subdivision 11 of section 7 of article 4 of the Constitution says the Legislature shall not pass private, local, or special laws "regulating the internal affairs of towns and counties." The Legislature of 1889 agreed to amend the Constitution by striking out this clause, and the Legislature of 1890 approved of the proposed amendment. The matter was then in shape under the New Jersey laws to be submitted to the people.

Many of the leading men in the State were opposed to the proposed amendment. The State Agricultural Society issued a letter advising the people of the State to vote against the amendment, and the Hudson County Democratic Committee has also put itself on record against it. Gov. Abbett has denounced it as dangerous, and lawyers have given reasons why the proposed amendment should be defeated. The main argument is that to give the Legislature the right to pass special laws for the government of towns and cities would open the way for corrupt jobs, and would lead to dangerous and slipshod legislation.

Those who favored the amendment argued that special laws have been passed under the guise of general legislation, and that the clause in the Constitution prohibiting special legislation does not, in fact, prohibit it. For that reason they think the clause should be stricken from the Constitution. The people in general were apathetic, and the vote was light.

Those who did vote in this city, indorsed the Governor's view. The second ward, where Councilman Spangenberg comes from, proved itself again the banner district. Its vote was unanimous against special legislation. Although in most other places in the State the saloons were open as usual, Captain Grant closed all of Plainfield's drinking places during the entire day. The election cost this county alone, about $2,000.

The detailed vote of this city and the borough was as follows—the first amendment being to permit special legislation, and the second to provide that judges of common pleas courts shall hold office for five years:

PLAINFIELD.

| 1st Am'dt—For, | Ag'st. | 2d Am'dt— For, | Ag'st. |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1st ward 3 | 100 | 28 | 75 |
| 2d ward 0 | 144 | 45 | 99 |
| 3d ward 3 | 116 | 38 | 81 |
| 4th ward, 1st Dist 4 | 98 | 23 | 79 |
| 2d Dist 3 | 67 | 35 | 35 |
| 13 | 525 | 169 | 369 |

NORTH PLAINFIELD

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|---|---|---|---|---|
| First District | 3 | 128 | 20 | 111 |
| Second " | 4 | 106 | 5 | 105 |
| | 7 | 234 | 25 | 216 |

Returns and intelligent estimates from other cities and counties of the State show that the proposed amendment to the Constitution permitting the Legislature to pass special laws for municipalities has been beaten by an overwhelming vote of the people. It will require a day or two to cast up the result in figures, but the returns received by THE PRESS indicate that not more than 20 per cent. at most of the whole vote cast was in the affirmative. Only a fraction of the qualified citizens of the State went to the polls, and the vote was very light. The scenes around the polls in Newark, Jersey City, Paterson, Plainfield, Elizabeth and other large cities were very peaceful. There were no poll captains, no workers and few bystanders.

### "Forget Me Not."

Miss Josephine Cameron, who has now such high recognition abroad as an artiste of rare ability, appears at Music Hall, Friday, October 3, in the London success, "Forget Me Not," a play of absorbing interest, in which she has full scope for her talents. She is provided with competent support and a perfect production is assured. The play is an expose of what society every day witnesses, only of course with the curtains drawn.

The *Demerara Press*, speaking of Miss Cameron in "Forget Me Not," says: "Her acting was faultless and her impersonation, both in the wicked, scheming, fashionable woman and the penitent, terror-stricken lady, was perfect in every way."

### Voted for the New Name.

The question of changing the name of the Junior Order of United American Mechanics has for several weeks been a subject of consideration throughout the country, and finally the National Council of the order ordered that a vote should be taken in each Council and the result be certified to the National Council by the State Council of each State. Franklin Council, of this city, one of the most vigorous in this State, has voted unanimously to change the name of the order to the Order United Americans, the proposed new name. The subject is to do away with the confusion now existing between the present name and that of the United American Mechanics.

### To Organize a Colored Methodist Church.

The Rev. Horatio McCoy, of Jersey City, desires to announce that a meeting will be held next Sunday night at Isaac Peterson's, 35 Cottage place, for the purpose of organizing a Colored Methodist church. All wishing to attend are cordially invited.

—Buy your window shades at Fairchild's furniture store 21 and 23 East Front street.

## IN THE FRUIT MARKET.

**Few Peaches—High Prices for Apples—Grapes and Quinces at Their Best.**

There will be so few peaches here this week that they will scarcely be noticed in the market. Most of the peaches now offered for sale are from California. They have the merit of not decaying very rapidly, and of making pleasing store decorations. They sell very slowly, few persons buying them more than once during the season. It will be possible to procure a few good peaches during the next two or three weeks, as there are some in Ohio and in New York State that will be marketed within the next fifteen days.

Apples of fine quality will sell for upward of $4 per barrel at any time this season. That is the belief of a great majority of those engaged in buying and selling that fruit. Many believe that between $5 and $6 per barrel will be the ruling price as soon as the Hudson River apple crop has been marketed, and it is being marketed at a much more rapid rate than usual. Fairly good greenings in the smallest package a Hudson River fruit grower can induce himself to believe to be a barrel will readily wholesale for $4 per barrel, and Hudson River "seconds" Greenings will wholesale at from $2.50 to $3 per barrel. The best apples now to be had for general purposes are the Gravensteins. These apples are mostly grown in Canada, and they are being hurried into the market to escape the extra duty imposed upon apples by the McKinley bill. They will sell at wholesale this week at from $4 to $5 per barrel for those of the best quality, but will undoubtedly sell for higher prices next week. The Newtown and Albemarle Pippin apple crop appears this season to be a complete failure.

There will not be a very large quantity of pears here this season. All the pears are now about ripe upon the trees, and those which will ripen before freezing weather sets in, will be bought from the growers by icehouse men and sent to market during the Winter. Consequently, a limited supply of the icehoused pears will be shipped to the market regularly until next Spring. Any good table pear will sell for from $3 to $5 per bushel, for in that size package they are mostly sent by the icehouse men.

More hard, jelly-making quinces may be had than before in several years. This variety of quinces is cultivated and grown wild on the highlands adjacent to the salt water bays of New Jersey, New York and Connecticut, and this season there are more of them than usual. They make excellent jelly. They will be in good condition this week, but will be better next week, and will sell for as low prices as any quinces will be sold this year. The tender Apple Quince, which is largely cultivated in Western New York and grown more perfectly there than anywhere else in the country, will be somewhat more abundant than last season, but the crop is small. There have been a few of them in the market already, but they will be in their best condition in about ten days. The apple quinces will doubtless sell for good prices. The best of them probably will wholesale as high as $7 per barrel, but the pear, or jelly-making, quince may be had this week of as good quality as any to be had this year, and it will be retailed at not more than two-thirds of the price at which the apple quinces will be sold.

The best Tokay grapes of the season may be had this week. The very best of these grapes will be sold in five-pound baskets by the fancy fruit retailers for about $1 per basket, or 20 cents per pound. Excellent ones may be bought from retail dealers for 75 cents per five-pound basket, and fairly good Tokay grapes may be bought for 10 cents per pound.

### Finished by Daylight, a Tie.

It is reported that the House Committee of the Fanwood Club entertained a prominent resident of Fanwood at the Club Monday evening in a series of games of billiards—three ball cushion-caroms.

Twenty-six games were played of thirty-four points each, resulting in a tie between the Chairman of the House Committee and the guest of the club—each winning thirteen games. The contest was highly exciting and immensely enjoyed by the spectators present, as each of the gentlemen won alternate games.

It is proposed to have another exhibition at an early date, and although, as in the Crescent League, no betting is permitted at the Fanwood Club—it is understood that large amounts have been wagered on the result of the next contest. Abner P. Downer, the expert bowler of the Club, is slated as referee.

### If Men Didn't Observe, There Would Be No Books to Read.

The debate held by the Young Men's Auxiliary of the Young Men's Christian Association last evening was a very interesting event. The speeches were fresh, and the arguments spirited. Vincent Rockwell, James Kimball and Charles Fernald spoke in the affirmative of the question "Resolved, That reading is more beneficial than observation." William Crawford, Walter Dobbins and Warren Rice supported the negative. Judge J. H. Allen, and jurors Rockfellow, Frost, Cook, VanEmburgh and Currie decided that the negative debaters had the best of the argument.

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## TEMPERANCE NOTES

### THE RAILWAY SERVICE.

**Total Abstinence Required by the Managers of Many Companies.**

The operatives of our railways form the best drilled army of workmen in the country. It has seemed that it would be very instructive to learn what is expected of these men, as to their use of intoxicating liquors. Not a little of interest might be learned from this source. Acting on this idea the editor of the New York Independent sent a letter to the managers of seventy railroad companies asking for the desired information. The following, taken at random, are fair examples of the answers received:

MAINE CENTRAL RAILROAD.

The attached rule is the only one we have bearing particularly on intoxicants:

"89. The use of intoxicating drink on the road or about the premises of the company, and smoking while on duty, are strictly forbidden. Any employe appearing on duty in a state of intoxication will be forthwith dismissed, and those who do not use intoxicating drinks will receive the preference in promotion and employment. Smoking is also prohibited at all stations and on all trains, except in the smoking-car."

It is well understood by our men, however, that the use of intoxicating liquors, either when on or off duty, is not countenanced in the slightest degree by the management.

PAYSON TUCKER, General Manager.

NEW YORK, LAKE ERIE & WESTERN RAILROAD.

The rules of this company prohibit employes from drinking while on duty. In addition to this, train-masters, division superintendents, yard masters and others having charge of men are expected to watch the men under their charge, and discourage the practice of visiting saloons. A man known to be a regular habitue of saloons is regarded with suspicion, and it works against him for promotion, and in the case where the habit has become chronic, and where remonstrance fails to effect reformation, the employe is liable to dismissal. The penalty of intoxication, either on or off duty, is dismissal. From this there is no appeal.

The above is, in brief, the practice on this road.

J. H. BARRETT, Superintendent Trans.

DELAWARE & HUDSON CANAL COMPANY.

The following general rule concerning the use of intoxicating liquors by our employes has been in effect a number of years:

"No person in the employ of this company will be allowed to use intoxicating liquors as a beverage while on duty."

Practically this rule has a much wider application and significance, as we do not retain in our employe anybody known to use intoxicating liquors, whether on or off duty; and employes who are known to visit saloons are closely watched, and if such practice is persistently continued we seek an opportunity to dispense with their services.

H. G. YOUNG, Vice-President.

CENTRAL RAILROAD OF NEW JERSEY.

I beg to quote you Rule No. 13 from our book of Rules and Regulations, which reads as follows:

"As the habitual use of intoxicating liquors is incompatible with the duties of railroad employes, those who abstain from their use will be more favorably considered for promotion. The use of such liquors by employes on duty is positively forbidden, and the penalty for disregard of this order is dismissal from the service."

In conclusion I desire to say that this rule is rigidly enforced on the Central railroad of New Jersey.

J. H. OLHAUSEN, General Superintendent.

ATCHISON, TOPEKA & SANTA FE ROAD.

I inclose herewith our rule, number 200, relative to intoxicating liquors.

"200. The use of intoxicating liquors have proven a most fruitful source of trouble to railroads as well as to individuals. The company will exercise the most rigid scrutiny in reference to the habits of employes in this respect. Drinking when on duty or frequenting saloons will not be tolerated, and preference will be given to those who do not drink at all."

GEORGE L. SANDS, General Superintendent.

PROVIDENCE & SPRINGFIELD RAILROAD.

I do not employ any drinking men on the road. Have none but temperate, industrious men that want to lay up what they can of their earnings. Such men are always the cheapest. They are more saving and take better care of the company's property.

WILLIAM TINKHAM, President.

LAKE SHORE & MICHIGAN SOUTHERN RAILWAY.

The following rule is incorporated in our book of rules and regulations for the government of employes:

"2. No person will be retained in the service of this company who is known to frequent saloons or places of low resort, or who is known to make habitual use of intoxicating liquors. Every person in charge of employes is hereby directed to dismiss from the service any who are guilty of these practices, and they will themselves be held personally responsible for having such men in their employ, for such are certain sooner or later to cause injury to lives and property." JOHN NEWELL, President.

NEW YORK, CHICAGO & ST. LOUIS RAILROAD.

This company does not knowingly employ men who are in the habit of becoming intoxicated, and preference is given to those who do not use intoxicating liquors as a beverage.

D. W. CALDWELL, President.

PITTSBURGH & WESTERN RAILWAY.

In regard to rules governing employes of this road about drinking intoxicating drinks I would say that our rules are very strict, and we do not hire anybody who is in the habit of using intoxicants of any kind, and if they are known to visit saloons either on duty or off duty we at once dismiss them from the service. It is getting to be a well-established rule with all railroad companies that no one shall be employed on a railroad in any capacity whatever who drinks.

M. A. MCDONALD, General Manager.

BALTIMORE & OHIO RAILROAD.

"On and after this date," May 21, 1890, "this company will not, under any circumstances, employ persons who are in the habit of becoming intoxicated. All employes who are known to frequent drinking places must be warned to discontinue such practice if they desire to remain in this company's service, and they will be promptly discharged for intoxication, either while on or off duty. No person discharged for intoxication will be re-employed."

J. T. ODELL, General Manager.

LEHIGH & HUDSON RIVER RAILROAD.

We have no special rule governing the matter referred to. It is generally understood, however, that we do not tolerate intemperance among our employes.

GRINNELL BURT, President.

DELAWARE, LACKAWANNA & WESTERN RAILROAD.

I herewith inclose copy of rule in regard to the matter referred to:

"Rule 47. The use of intoxicating drinks on the road or about the premises of the company is strictly forbidden. No one will be employed nor continued in employment who is known to be in the habit of drinking intoxicating liquor."

W. F. HALSTEAD, General Manager.

FLINT & PERE MARQUETTE RAILROAD.

Inclosed I hand you a clipping from our working time card which will give you the information asked for. Section 5 of Article IV, of the general railroad laws of the State of Michigan, reads as follows:

"No person shall be employed as an engineer, train dispatcher, fireman, baggage-master, conductor, brakeman, or any other servant upon any railroad, in any of its operating departments, who uses intoxicating drinks as a beverage; and any company in whose service any such person shall knowingly be employed shall be liable to a penalty of five hundred dollars for every such offense, to be sued for in the name of the people of the State of Michigan."

"The use of intoxicating liquors, while on duty, is prohibited. Persons known to be habitual in the use of them will not be retained in the service. Agents and passenger train men are prohibited from smoking while on duty."

SANFORD KEELER, Superintendent.

CHICAGO & ALTON RAILROAD.

The following is an extract from the regulations of the company:

"Intoxication or habitual or frequent use of intoxicating liquors will be sufficient reason for dismissal. Persons employed in running trains, in any capacity, who are known to practice drinking intoxicating liquors, will be forthwith discharged."

C. H. CHAPPELL, General Manager.

CHICAGO, MILWAUKEE & ST. PAUL RAILWAY.

Since about three years ago the rule in regard to the use of intoxicating liquor by employes, a copy of which is inclosed herewith, has been printed on our time cards and is strictly enforced. As far as my experience goes, it has proven to be the most practical rule governing the matter that we could devise.

"The use of intoxicating drinks has proven a most fruitful source of trouble to railways as well as to individuals. The company will exercise the most rigid scrutiny in reference to the habits of employes in this respect, and any employe who has been dismissed on this account will not be re-employed. Drinking when on duty or frequenting saloons will not be tolerated, and preference will be given to those who do not drink at all."

ROSWELL MILLER, President.

OHIO & MISSISSIPPI RAILWAY.

This company has issued no order recently with regard to the use of intoxicants by employes; but in our book of rules governing employes of the transportation department, which took effect in November, 1888, the following appears:

"The use of intoxicating drinks while on duty is prohibited. Employes known to use them in excess at any time will not be retained in the service." J. F. BARNARD, President.

These answers, remarks the Independent editorially, present a most one-sided view of a great question. But it is none the worse for being one-sided, for there is only one side to it. The fact that it is so one-sided makes it impressive.

We wanted to know what are the rules enforced by the railway companies of the Nation in reference to the use of intoxicating liquors by their employes; and here we have them—a long, monotonous, emphatic repetition of a single rule. No intoxicating liquors allowed; conductors, or brakemen, or switchmen using them dismissed. Sometimes the rule is formulated, and sometimes it is assumed as so evident that it is not worth while to print it. But in every case the man who is not temperate must lose his place. Sometimes reasons are given in printed rules, but most companies assume that the reason is so plain that it need not be given.

There is no kind of business in the country which requires more careful management, more clear-headed intelligence, on the part of those engaged in it, than the railroad business. A thick-headed conductor, a boozy switchman or a muddled brakeman may, by an act of stupidity or negligence, cost a score of lives to the passengers and hundreds of thousands of dollars' loss to the company. The railroads are in the light of day, everybody sees and criticises them, and their management must be made as safe as possible; and the unanimous testimony is that in order to make them safe the servants of the road must be abstemious men.

After this testimony of the best experience, absolutely unanimous, what use is there of raising the question further, whether the saloon is a blessing or a curse. The saloon, by the general voice of the most enterprising business in the country, the business of transportation, is declared to be a menace and a curse. The saloon has its interdict. The saloon is the enemy of life and property. The saloon deserves to be outlawed by the general voice of the State and Nation, as it is already outlawed by the railroads. We are glad to be able to give to our readers such an impressive array of testimony on this subject.

### MORRIS AND SAMMIE.

**They Are Fond of Pudding but Won't Take Brandy Sauce.**

Some big folks think it is all nonsense to get little boys and girls to make promises, because they will forget, and will soon break them. As you know, we have often told you that a pledge is a promise, and one who signs a pledge makes a solemn promise before God. We have something to tell you of two little boys that shows that little folks do understand more than some folks think.

Morris and Sammie are the two boys; they are only six and seven years of age. They live in New Jersey, and every Sunday are to be found in their places in Sunday-school. They think they have the best teacher in the world. He loves his scholars as much as they love him, and he teaches them as few others can about God. He tells them how they ought to take care of their bodies, because they belong to God, he has shown them that strong drink is bad, and they know they ought never to drink it. Morris and Sammie are very fond of pudding, as all children are. They like it extra well when it has sauce on it. But fond as they are of it, they won't touch it if it has brandy or wine in the sauce. They can not be coaxed to eat it.

Some one told them that they would not be breaking their pledge if they ate it, because they had only promised not drink it. "No," said they, "it is bad, and we promised not to touch it."

It was a year ago that they signed the pledge, and then the minister said they would not understand. Don't you think they do? They do what some big folks can not, for they will sit at the hotel table, those two brave little men, and see others enjoying the pudding while they deny themselves, and go without. We feel like waving our hat and saying: "Hurrah for Morris and Sammie!" —Temperance Cause.

### ITEMIZED FACTS.

"A MAN," says the Commercial Advertiser, "who never knows whether to take beer or whisky is confronted by a dilemma, either horn of which is refreshing." But what if he gets out in a still more refreshing way by taking neither and so taking the bull by the horns?

I MET with a brother minister the other day who said he could not be a teetotaller; his conscience would not allow him. He thought he would be diverging from the Scripture. I did not say any thing at all to him. I thought he was too far gone for me.—Mr. Spurgeon.

I FIND that he who made the human frame made it so wisely that it does not need the stimulus of beverages, which, when taken in excess, blind the reason, inflame the blood, sow the seed of disease and implant an unconquerable craving for the fatal poison.—Sir Edward Baines.

FIFTY years ago, Sir Edward Baines found himself in a position in which he might be able to save a man addicted to drink if he himself became a total abstainer. He made the sacrifice, and from that time down to the end of his life he continued a staunch and consistent teetotaller.—Leeds Mercury. ■

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CORPORATION NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the report of Edward C. Mulford, Jeremiah Manning and Joseph A. Hubbard, the commissioners appointed by the Common Council of the city of Plainfield to make an estimate and assessment of the damages that any owner of land and real estate, with the appurtenances necessary to be taken for the purpose, will sustain by the extending, laying out and opening of Orchard place from its present termination to New street in said city, was on the day of the date hereof filed in the office of the subscriber, the city clerk of the said city of Plainfield, and is open to the inspection of the public, and will be presented to the Common Council at its next regular meeting on the sixth day of October, 1890.

Dated September 17, 1890.

J. B. COWARD,
City Clerk of the city of Plainfield.
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# CALLING ON A KING.

## A Photographic Interview with the Monarch of the Turf.

**Why Salvator Fell Out with Pretender Tenny — Some Surprising Information Concerning the Track—Haggin's Famous Horse Thinks He Could Distance Blaine and Cleveland in the Great Presidential Stakes.**

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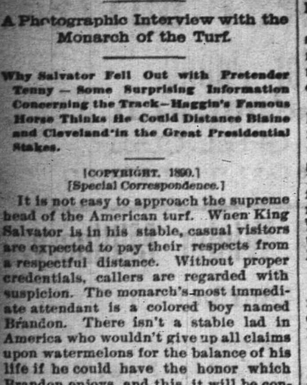
It is not easy to approach the supreme head of the American turf. When King Salvator is in his stable, casual visitors are expected to pay their respects from a respectful distance. Without proper credentials, callers are regarded with suspicion. The monarch's most immediate attendant is a colored boy named Brandon. There isn't a stable lad in America who wouldn't give up all claims upon watermelons for the balance of his life if he could have the honor which Brandon enjoys and this, it will be conceded, is saying a good deal. When the Haggin horses are out for an airing, the king is invariably at the head of the procession. The fitness of things finds further illustration in the fact that next in line comes the queen of the track, Firenze, whose claims to royal honors have been vindicated on so many hard-fought fields. Successes have not turned the head of Salvator; greatness sits as easily upon him as his exercise blanket. A more tractable animal was never foaled. He is apt to be a trifle sluggish in the early spring when it becomes essential that about fifty pounds of his superfluous tissue should be worked off.

High living and little exercise, however, do not make him inordinately fat, and he takes kindly to the rather disagreeable business of getting down to his running weight of about a thousand pounds. His royal highness is a chestnut, bald faced and white legged below the knees. It would be easy to mistake him for an English horse with his remarkable muscular development and unusual length. A thousand pounds is not above the average weight, neither is his height un-



THE KING AND HIS TRAINER.
(from an instantaneous photograph.)

usual, but the shoulders stand up in more than proportion to his altitude and account in some degree for his phenomenal propelling power. He is a handsome horse, but not remarkably so. Senorita has perhaps greater beauty to the square ounce of tissue than Salvator has to the square pound, but he is a superb looking beast notwithstanding. Senorita is a perfect model of equine daintiness and finish; Salvator's light barrel and magnificent quarters tell a story of speed and strength. All his lines are consistent with his astonishing achievements. To see Salvator in his stable and to see him under a jockey is to look at two different quadrupeds. When he is being exercised at a slow walk his head is carried low and his motions give little promise of his possibilities; when he is fighting for his head and leaving his "field" behind, his stride, long, easy, smooth and natural, is perhaps as pure a gait as ever adorned the turf. For entertaining the opinion that take him all in all we shall see Salvator's like no more, Trainer Matthew Byrnes may readily be pardoned. The racing at Sheepshead Bay was not over for the day when he introduced me to the monarch.

"Why didn't you wait and see the last race run, Mr. Byrnes?" I asked.

"I would rather come here to see Salvator walk than to see other horses going at full speed," was the reply.

Salvator received me with condescending graciousness.

"You are perfectly welcome," said the affable autocrat of the track, "to any information I can give, but I have a natural reluctance to entering upon anything in the nature of a personal discussion. Nothing in my judgment can be so unbecoming as the habit—"

"Pardon me," I interrupted; "there are the highest precedents for it. The Emperor William, for instance, discusses himself constantly without the least

A MORNING TROT.
(from an instantaneous photograph.)

reserve. As a matter of common justice it is due you that some misapprehension concerning your relations with Pretender Tenny should be cleared up. This audacious attempt to seize your throne for insta—"

"I beg that you will make no allusion to so trivial a matter," broke in the monarch with much stateliness. "At the risk of seeming to be discourteous, I must decline to talk about Tenny. There are some topics which can be tolerated only at a loss of self respect, and that is one of them. I trust you will not regard me as unduly sensitive about my personal dignity, but even were that not at stake I could not but look upon his pretensions as too ridiculous for consideration."

"Still it must be confessed that in his match race with you he was dangerously near your throat latch at the finish."

Something more than remotely resembling a horse laugh followed this remark. When this flash of equine merriment subsided the king jocosely observed:

"It is quite probable that you still have a good deal to learn about close finishes. Your innocence is not unnatural. From my coithood up I have given them a good deal of attention, and I must confess that even to me they still, in exceptional cases, possess a few elements of mystery. That anybody should be deceived, however, about that particular close finish after what happened at Monmouth is scarcely credible."

"Will you please explain?"

"I prefer not. As another sprig of royalty once remarked—I allude, of course, to the sire of the Melancholy Dame—I could a tale unfold."

"Do you mean your own?"

This ill-timed levity came near bringing the interview to an abrupt termination. After profuse apologies the

SALVATOR AND HIS VALET.
(from an instantaneous photograph.)

atmosphere cleared up somewhat and Brandon's pet was induced to proceed.

"Place not your faith in close finishes. I am not in a position to disclose the secrets of my profession, but if I were I could tell you a story which would make interesting reading."

"Can't you give it to me in confidence?"

This question, for some inexplicable reason, seemed to completely upset Salvator's gravity. He laughed most immoderately.

"The idea of telling any thing to an interviewer in confidence! Now see, young man, let me give you a tip. Don't shudder; I don't mean a tip in the racing sense of the word. I trust I'm too well bred for that. You can look at my pedigree if you don't believe me. What I meant to say was: Let me give you a hint. I know an interviewer the minute I see him. I don't know how I came to talk to you at all. You come and catch me when I have a lucid interval and see how reticent I'll be."

"Well, it's too late to regret it now."

"I know it, but there's one thing I want to tell you, and people can make the most of it. The fact is that up to the time of that affair at Sheepshead Bay Tenny and I had an understanding. He didn't keep faith with me, and so I gave him a licking at Monmouth that he won't forget in a hurry."

"What was the understanding?"

"Well, you see Mr. Haggin told Byrnes in my presence that if I held my supremacy until the end of the season he'd retire me. I put the matter to Tenny in this way: He could have a clear field next year if he wouldn't bother me this season. Tenny agreed, and you know how he tried to steal a march on me at Sheepshead. Well, the game didn't work, and I made a show of him at Monmouth. You would have done the same thing in my place, wouldn't you?"

"That was rather underhanded."

"Wasn't it? Since then Tenny has been trying to bring about a reconciliation, but it won't work."

"You astonish me."

"I suppose I do, but if you doubt my word ask Firenze; she'll tell you the same thing. Tenny tried to get her to persuade me to let up on him."

"I don't doubt your word, but I don't see where the necessity is for making

A SPIN AROUND THE BEND AT FULL SPEED.
(from an instantaneous photograph.)

any bargain with Tenny if you can beat him so easily."

"It does look a little strange, doesn't it? But I think I know what I'm about. You see, Tenny isn't like any other horse. Sometimes he can give a streak of lightning a good start and beat it, and at other times he's no better than a selling plaster. You never know where to find him. Now that we've fallen out, I have to keep keyed up to the top notch to be sure he don't get away from me. All I'm afraid of is that some day he'll catch me when I'm not feeling well. If he does, he'll come near doing the trick in spite of me if it's one of his good days. But, let's change the subject. I don't like unpleasant topics."

"What on earth do you, of all other horses, want to retire from the turf for? Now, if you were an old plug, bringing up the rear all the time, I could understand it."

"Well, you go into training during the hot weather, and you'll find out. To say nothing of the hard work, I can't take a drink when I feel like it. Then there's that fellow Brandon. I used to like him at first, but I've got bravely over it. He watches me like a cat and haunts me like a ghost. How would you like it? I've been tempted to kick his whole head off many a time. Haggin's a good fellow, but I don't see much of him. That's the worst of being owned by a millionaire. Of course I could have an easy time if I wanted to, but I'd have to pay for it in the end."

"How's that?"

"Well, I could get beaten half a dozen times and they'd take me off the track; but after that they wouldn't think much of me at the stock farm, where I'm going to spend the balance of my days; and I wouldn't be treated with the deference I am accustomed to. That's what I'm working so hard for."

"Will you excuse me if I ask you a rather pointed question?"

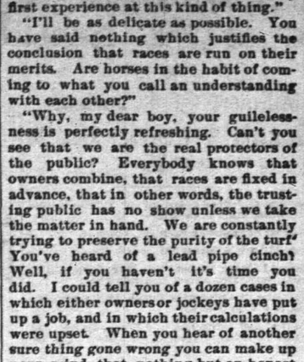
"Don't make it too pointed; it's my first experience at this kind of thing."

"I'll be as delicate as possible. You have said nothing which justifies the conclusion that races are run on their merits. Are horses in the habit of coming to what you call an understanding with each other?"

"Why, my dear boy, your guilelessness is perfectly refreshing. Can't you see that we are the real protectors of the public? Everybody knows that owners combine, that races are fixed in advance, that in other words, the trusting public has no show unless we take the matter in hand. We are constantly trying to preserve the purity of the turf. You've heard of a lead pipe cinch? Well, if you haven't it's time you did. I could tell you of a dozen cases in which either owners or jockeys have put up a job, and in which their calculations were upset. When you hear of another sure thing gone wrong you can make up your mind that nothing but an honest horse broke the combination. You didn't know, I suppose, that I am the president of our anti-crookedness society?"

"Well, I've heard of a good many pretty little schemes coming to grief, but I had no idea that the horses took any hand in defeating them."

"I want to tell you just one thing more. It's a mystery to me why, as a class, racers do their level best to beat each other. They usually have in the saddle either a little brute or an imbecile, who draws blood and uses the whip just at the moment when he should be sitting still and giving his mount a chance. They think that is riding. We know better. We will do more in response to a touch for an intelligent fellow like McLaughlin than we will for all the punishment that the troop of little scamps who weigh in at the races can inflict. I don't say that horses are perfect. Some of them have bad tempers, and many of them are vicious enough to be a human being. I know horses on the track who have no more business to be there than an elephant has to be on a bicycle, but they are driven, harried, butchered and worried,



EXERCISING AFTER A RUN.
(from an instantaneous photograph.)

and the marvel is that they don't display greater infirmities of character. However, this discussion is taking a somewhat serious turn, which I am sure was not my design."

At this moment Brandon thrust his head through the half-open door, surveyed his majesty for an instant and withdrew.

"There he is again," said Salvador. "I shouldn't be surprised if he's been listening to every word we've said. Now you begin to have some idea of the unfortunate position of a horse in training. I can't hold a confidential conversation with a visitor without fear of interruption. There's one thing I want to ask you before you go. I understand I'm to be photographed in a variety of attitudes, and that the photographs are likely to be printed. Now, I'll leave that to you if that isn't a fine thing—the king of the turf masquerading about in front of a photographer? What indignity will Byrnes want to affront me with next?"

"Do you regard it as an indignity?"

"Wouldn't any self-respecting animal?"

"Well, all I have to say is that you needn't go far to find a precedent. Don't you remember that a celebrated Brooklyn divine was recently photographed in every conceivable posture, except, perhaps, that of standing upside down?"

"You don't tell me; I hadn't heard of it."

"Who do you suppose it was?"

"Oh, you needn't tell me. It must have been Talmage. But here's Brandon coming again. You'll have to hurry off. By the way, just a word before you go. I wish you'd make a little announcement for me."

"Why, certainly. What is it?"

"I see something in the papers about a Presidential race. What are the stakes?"

"About fifty thousand dollars."

"Why, that isn't much. It isn't as much as the Futurity, but still it's worth winning. Are there many entries?"

"Quite a number."

"When is it to be run?"

"Not until 1892."

"That shuts me out. I'll be off the turf by that time. Thank heaven, but I'd like to give them a run for it. Who are the favorites?"

"Well, there's Blaine on one side and Cleveland on the other. Blaine is aged and Cleveland's a six-year-old."

"Are they in training?"

"Yes, but Cleveland hasn't got down to weight yet."

"What are their performances?"

"Cleveland won it once and was once beaten by a head for it. Blaine has been beaten for it, too. He lost it by a nose."

"Close finishes, eh? Well, you can tell them both that if Haggin enters me they won't be in it."

With a coquettish flourish of his tail the king of the turf dipped his nose fastidiously in a pail of water, while Brandon harmoniously whistled, "Oh, that watermelon."

GEO. F. DOBSON.

A STITCH in time saves nine, but it isn't always the nine you bet on.

# SECRET SOCIETIES.

### Masonic.

At the special convention of the coordinate bodies of the Scottish Rite recently held in Chicago, thirty-eight candidates were advanced from the third to the thirty-second degree. Upward of three hundred members of the Rite were present, many of them visitors from sister jurisdictions.

The assembly of the Supreme Council held in Cleveland last week was the largest gathering of Scottish Rite Masons ever seen in the Northern States, and the magnificent appearance of Oriental Consistory of Chicago, doing public escort duty for the Sovereign Grand Commander, Henry L. Palmer, attracted a great deal of attention. The reception given at the Forest City House, although informal, was a very brilliant affair, at which nearly all the prominent Masons of the country were present and many of the civic authorities of Cleveland.

The fifty-first annual communication of the Grand Lodge of Illinois will be opened at Chicago October 7 at 10 a. m. Nearly five hundred masters of lodges and grand officers will attend, and the session promises to be an important one for the fraternity in the State.

The most beautiful and touching ceremony in the sphere of Masonry is the rite of baptism, when administered with all the splendor and solemnity provided for in the ritual. The ceremony is never witnessed in this country except among the lodges working in the French language in some of the Eastern jurisdictions. In Mexico, however, and in many of the European countries the ceremony is performed yearly with imposing rites at the festival of St. John the Baptist.

The Canadian lodges are now earnestly discussing the question as to whether they will hereafter adopt the American plan of opening the lodge and transacting all business in the third degree or stick to the ancient rule of opening and doing all business in the first degree. There are many directions in which Masonry can afford to progress a little, and this seems to be one of them; and, although the craft in Canada are great sticklers for the traditional landmarks, most of the lodges will probably follow the example set by the United States in this respect.

The New Jersey Knights Templar field day recently held at Ashbury Park was a great success. Nearly every commandery in the State was represented, and many prominent Templars from other States were in the ranks. These public Templar displays have been maintained for many years in New Jersey and never fail to attract great public attention.

### Royal Adelphia.

At the Supreme conclave of the order recently held at Grand Rapids, Mich., the subordinate bodies of the order in every Western State were fully represented. This order, although but recently organized, is doing an excellent work in providing for both sickness and death among the members. During the past year the order distributed $130,000 for death benefits and the relief of sick members. The Supreme officers for the ensuing year are: John D. Mavis, Detroit, Supreme Commander; J. S. Martin, Racine, Supreme Vice-Commander; G. S. Salomon, Chicago, Supreme Assistant Commander; L. E. Mavis, Detroit, Supreme Past Commander; J. F. Lardner, Chicago, Supreme Lecturer; R. S. Thornton, Detroit, Supreme Secretary; Frank Haup, Detroit, Supreme Treasurer; J. F. Bauschek, Milwaukee, Supreme Guide; W. A. Jones, Supreme Guard; O. W. Carlson, Milwaukee, Supreme Medical Director; Fred Schreiber, Milwaukee, Supreme Legal Counsel. The next Supreme conclave will be held in Chicago.

### Improved Order of Red Men.

At the great sun council fire kindled recently on the Boston reservation, there were over two hundred great chiefs present. Charles H. Symonds, Great Sachem of Massachusetts, made the long talk of welcome, and the Incohonee made an eloquent reply. The reports showed a large increase of membership on all the reservations, the aggregate now being 197,164. The entire tribal wampum received during the last great sun amounted to $925,781.92, of which $233,069 had been expended for the relief of distressed braves. The degree of Pocahontas was reported in a favorable condition in the Eastern States.

### Ancient Order United Workmen.

The Grand Master Workman of Illinois has called a meeting of his associate grand officers to be held in Springfield, September 23, for the purpose of arranging a series of union meetings among the lodges of the State, at which addresses will be delivered pertaining to the aims and work of the order.

The members of the order in the United States are interested in the recent decision of the Supreme Court of Iowa, which held that a member of the order has the right, with the consent of the body to which he belongs, to make a change in his beneficiary without requiring the consent of the beneficiary for the reason that such beneficiary has no vested rights in the certificate of membership until the death of the member occurs.

### Knights of Pythias.

This order, following the example of some of the older fraternities in Chicago, are preparing to erect a Pythian Temple. A corporation has been organized for the purpose with a capital of $150,000, and active operations will be started early in the spring.

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| 3d do | 9.15 | | do | 9.32 | do |
| 4th do | 10.00 | | do | 10.27 | do |
| 5th do | 11 00 | | do | 11.24 | do |
| 6th do | 11.45 | | do | 12.08 | P.M. do |
| 7th do | 1.45 | P. M. | do | 2.15 & 2.35 | P.M. do |
| 8th do | 2.45 | do | To the Post Office. | | |
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| 11th do | 5.45 | do | do | 6.07 | do |
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PLAINFIELD AND NEW YORK.

Leave Plainfield 3 37, 5 24, 5 38, 6 29, 6 59, 7 26 7 30, 7 58, 8, 8 15, 8 31, 8 37, 9 22, 10 05, 11 09, 11 39, A. M., 1, 1 41, 2 07, 2 30, 3 12, 3 51, 5 08, 5 31, 6 07, 6 54, 7 05, 8 31, 9 28, 10 12, 11 28 P. M. Sunday—3 37, 5 24, 8 01, 8 53, 11 02, 11 16 A. M., 12 33, 1 33, 3 30, 5 16 7 01, 9 10, 9 22, 11 02 P. M.

Leave New York from foot of Liberty street, 4 30, 5 45, 7, 7 45, 8 45, 10, 11, A. M., 1, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4, 4 30, 5, 5 15, 5 30, 5 45, 6, 6 15, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 8, 8 30, 9, 10, 11 30 P. M., 12 night. Sunday—4 30, 7 8 30, 9, 9 30, A. M., 12 M., 1, 1 15, 4, 5 30, 6, 7, 9 00, 10 00 P. M., 12 15 night.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield 5 38, 6 29, 6 59, 7 30, 8, 8 37, 9 32, 10 05, 11 09, 11 39, A. M., 1, 2 07, 2 30, 3 12, 3 51, 5 08, 5 31, 6 07, 6 54, 7 05, 8 31, 10 12, 11 28 P. M. Sunday—8 01, 8 53, 11 02, 11 16, A. M., 12 33, 1 33, 3 30, 5 16, 7 01, 7 10, 8 22, 11 02 P. M.

Leave Newark 7 10, 7 50, 8 55, 10 10, 11 05 A. M., 1 05, 1 35, 2 40, 3 40, 4 02, 4 37, 5 05, 5 30, 6 55, 8 22, 7 15, 7 35, 8 20, 9 30, 10 10, 11 25 P. M. Sunday—7 20, 8 40, 9 05, 9 50, A. M., 12 05, 1 10, 4 10, 5 40, 6 05, 7 05, 9 25, 10 29 P. M.

Passengers for Newark change cars at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7, 8 07, 9 42, 11, 11 58 A. M., 1 52, 2 32, 3 45, 4 34, 5 20, 5 34, 6 20, 6 38, 7 03, 7 12, 7 34 8 20, 9 43, 11 13, 12 43 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 13, 9 48, A. M., 2 03, 2 30, 5 14, 6 35, 10 15, 11 14 P. M.

Leave Somerville, 6, 6 30, 7 03, 7 35, 7 48 9 05, 9 47, 11 15 A. M., 12 35, 1 15, 1 48, 2 05, 3 2 4 40, 5 12, 5 35, 8 05, 8 50, 11 05, P. M. Sunday—8 25, 10 35 A. M., 12 08, 305, 4 50, 6 40, 8 03, 8 05, 9 30 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7, 8 07, 9 42, A. M., 1 52, 4 34, 5 20, 6 38, 8 20 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 13 A. M., 2 03, 6 35 P. M.

Leave Easton 6 05, 8 44, 10 A. M., 12 32, 4 09, 6 49 P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 02, A. M., 6 40, 7 30 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 7, 9 42 A. M., 1 52, 5 20 P. M. Sunday—8 13 A. M.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.
LEAVE PLAINFIELD.

5 45 A. M. for Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

7 A. M. for High Bridge Branch and Easton.

9 07 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 42 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Manticoke, Drifton, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c.

1 52 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, &c.

4 34 P. M. for D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

5 20 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Schooley's Mountain, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, &c.

6 20 P. M. for Flemington.

6 38 P. M. for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg.

8 20 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8, 10 a. m. Sundays for High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, &c., 2 08 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua and Pottsville. 6 35 p. m Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m. 1 p. m.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c.

Leave Plainfield 3 37, 8, 11 09, a. m., 1, 3 51, 5 31, p. m. Sundays—(except Ocean Grove) 8 52, a. m., 3 20 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 25, 8, 10 05, 11 09 a. m., 1, 3 51, 5 31, 7 08 p. m. Sunday—8 52 a. m., 3 20 p. m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8, 11 09 a. m., 1, 3 51, 5 31, p. m.

BOUND BROOK ROUTE.

Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia, 1 17, 5 45, 8 29, 9 48, 11 58* a. m., 1 59*, 2 29*, 4 08, 5 34*, 6 39*, 8 20 p. m. Sundays—1 17, 9 48, a. m., 2 30* 4 08, 5 14*, 6 55 p. m.

For Baltimore and Washington at 1 17, 9 48, 11 58* a. m., 2 45, 4 08, 5 34* p. m. Sundays—1 17, 9 48 a. m., 2 47, 4 08, 5 14* p. m.

RETURNING—LEAVE PHILADELPHIA.

Ninth and Green streets, 7 30*, 8 30*, 9 30, 11 05 a. m., 12 45, 1 30, 3 15, 5 18, 6 15, 8 02, 8 45, 12 p. m. Sundays—9 a. m., 12 50, 3 10, 5 15, 6 10*, 8, 12 p. m.

From 24th and Chestnut—8 10, 8 30*, 11 06, a. m. 12 52, 3 30, 6 18, 8 05, p. m. Sundays—3 10, 9 35 a. m., 12 52, 3 30, 6 18, 8 05 p. m.

Leave Trenton, Warren and Tucker sts., 1 30, 4 00, 7*, 8*, 9*, 10 10, 11 55 a. m., 1 25, 3 10, 3 40*, 5 18, 5 55 6 02, 8 47, 10 p. m., Sundays—1 30, 4 00, 9 05 a. m., 1 25, 4, 5 55, 7, 8 47 p. m.

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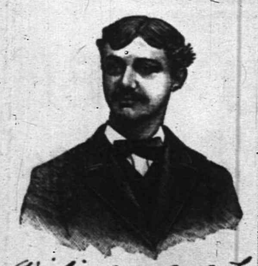

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## CAUGHT BY A LETTER

### A Probable Murderer Arrested at Camden, N. J.

WANTED FOR A HORRIBLE CRIME

Charged With Killing His Sweetheart's Mother and Cutting Her Body to Pieces.

He Makes a Partial Confession—The Murdered Woman's Daughter Implicated. A Number of Suspicious Papers Found Upon Him—The Prisoner to be Taken to the Scene of the Tragedy.

CAMDEN, N. J., Oct. 2.—Deputy Sheriff Pickens arrived here from Leavenworth, Kan., last night to identify Arthur Fe den, alias C. A. Benson, who is wanted there for murder. Felden was arrested here yesterday. The officials knew the man at once, and a partial confession of incriminating facts has been obtained from him.

The police were notified on Monday that the man was wanted, and he was caught in the postoffice while asking for a letter. It was found that he recently moved to No. 916 Hamilton street, Philadelphia, but came here for his mail. Up to the arrival of Deputy Pickens, Felden denied his identity, but last night admitted it. The officials will not allow him to be interviewed, but in their presence he acknowledges that he courted Mary Rautzhan and was at the house the night before the murder. He states that the daughter gave him the bag of money, but denies that he is the murderer. He says he is willing to return, and claims that he knows who murdered Mrs. Mettman.

It has been learned that the man has purchased seven building lots in Berlin, Camden County, in the name of George Rau. A number of suspicious papers were found upon him. Pickens intimates that the daughter is implicated in the crime.

Felden will be taken to Leavenworth as soon as requisition papers are issued. He is said to have a wife and children in Kansas City.

**History of the Crime.**

LEAVENWORTH, Kan., Oct. 2.—At last the man directly charged with the murder of Mrs. Mettman, here, last March, is under arrest. This man is A. C. Benson, the lover of Mrs. Rautzhan, the daughter of the murdered woman, who has been in jail since the crime. Benson was captured at Camden, N. J., where he went under the name of "Attar Felton."

On March 20 last Mrs. Mettman disappeared from her home in Leavenworth. She had $440 on her person at the time. Five days later a headless, armless and legless body was found in the Missouri river, just above the city. There was no clew to its identity until the discovery of a human head in a sack was also made in the river where the trunk was found. The head was that of Mrs. Mettman.

Her husband was at once arrested, but was released, as nothing could be proven against him. Then her married daughter, Mrs. Rautzhan, who lived with her parents, was put in jail. It was found that she was intimate with a married man named C. A. Benson, who lived near, and that the money the mother carried with her, representing the savings of her son, had been the subject of conversation between them.

Benson disappeared after Mrs. Rautzhan's arrest, and though he was heard of both East and West the police could not lay their hands on him.

The police say that Benson and Mrs. Rautzhan conspired to kill Mrs. Mettman, and that Benson killed her in a clump of bushes in the Government reservation some distance north of her house, where he had decoyed her. They believe he then dismembered the body, and carrying the trunk, head and limbs to the river threw them in.

## SENSATIONAL ARREST.

**Sir Thomas Freake of London Held for Forgery and Assault.**

LONDON, Oct. 2.—The magistrate of the Westminster police court remanded Sir Thomas Freake, a wealthy gentleman widely known in social circles, on charges of forgery and assault preferred by a gentleman named Gibson.

Sir Thomas lured Gibson into the cellar of an unoccupied house in Kensington, where, with the help of friends who were in league with him, he overpowered and handcuffed Gibson and took his keys from him.

Sir Thomas then went to the St. George's Club, opened Gibson's box, secured the letters and photograph of a certain woman and destroyed them. He had previously forged Gibson's name to a telegram notifying the club officials that a man would be sent to open Gibson's box.

Sir Thomas and Gibson were formerly close friends. They had a falling out on account of the woman referred to with whom both were intimate. The woman was present in the cellar when Gibson was attacked. The affair has caused a sensation.

**Murdered for a Trifle.**

BUFFALO, N. Y., Oct. 2.—The remains of the old man found in Black Rock Harbor on Monday last with a gag tied in his mouth, have been identified at the Morgue as those of John Lansman, who lived at No. 233 Johnson street. The deceased's son identified the body, and stated that his father was in all probability murdered for a small sum of money which he carried with him.

**National Civil Service Reform League**

BOSTON, Oct. 2.—A public meeting preliminary to the annual meeting of the National Civil Service Reform League, which opened to-day, was held in Tremont Temple last night, President George William Curtis delivering his annual address.

## GUARDING BIRCHALL

**His Daily Walk in the Jail Yard Has Been Stopped.**

WOODSTOCK, Ont., Oct. 2.—The excitement over the great Birchall trial is fast subsiding. While everybody is satisfied as to the justness of the verdict, universal sympathy is felt for the young wife who is suffering from the strain of the past week and the result of the trial.

Birchall seems unmoved by the sentence. He drew a fancy picture during the moring for a friend who called to ask after him, and signed it "J. Rex Birchall, Oct. 2, 1890." He shows no sign whatever of fear and evinces no animosity towards those who testified against him.

Another guard has been appointed, so that there will be a guard in his cell with him continually day and night. His daily walk in the jail yard has been stopped and he will never more go down the jail stairway until he goes to the gallows.

## A TRAIN WRECKED.

**Derailed by Sleepers Placed Crosswise. No Lives Lost, but Several Injured.**

BANGOR, Me., Oct. 2.—A report received here tells of the serious wreck of a Canadian Pacific train at some place beyond Greenville Junction. The report says that obstructions in the form of sleepers were placed on the track into which the eastbound train crashed. The engine was derailed and the engineer seriously injured. No one was killed. Several are reported severely injured by the shaking up.

The cars were thrown off the track, delaying traffic several hours. A wrecking train cleared the track after a time. The train was delayed about four hours. The wretches who placed the sleepers on the track are not known, but are supposed to be discharged employes.

**The Careless Operator Not Arrested.**

EASTON, Pa., Oct. 2.—The report of the arrest of Operator Glosser, who is charged with being responsible for the disaster on the Jersey Central road on Monday night above Lehighton, is incorrect. He visited the scene of the wreck yesterday, and was about to be arrested when he disappeared, and has not since been seen. He is a boy, aged between 16 and 17 years. When told of the wreck he was attending the Katie Rooney performance at the opera house at Manch Chunk, and had orders for the holding of the trains in his pocket.

**Mr. Cleveland Buys a Yacht.**

BOSTON, Oct. 2.—Ex-President Cleveland came here from Marion and bought of Albert P. Bicknell, of the Great Head Yacht Club, the schooner centerboard yacht Galena for $3,000 cash. The boat is comparatively new and was built by Harrington of Lynn. She is a 40-footer and is fitted up very completely, especially in her cabin accommodations. Mr. Cleveland will have her sent to New Bedford and fitted out specially for gunning and fishing.

**Confession of a Postoffice Robber.**

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Oct. 2.—The United States Marshal arrested Joseph W. Gregory for complicity in the postoffice robberies in Wayne and Luzerne Counties. He made a confession implicating Ben Bladen and James Kelly who were arrested yesterday. The officers found a complete set of burglars tools and an expensive counterfeiting outfit in Bladen's house at Plymouth.

**Appointments by Gov. Hill.**

ALBANY, N. Y., Oct. 2.—Governor Hill appointed Almot F. Jenks of Brooklyn as Judge Advocate-General upon his military staff, in the place of General Clifford A. H. Bartlett, resigned. The Governor also appointed General Roger A. Pryor, Judge of the Court of Common Pleas of New York in the place of Judge Larramore who recently tendered his resignation to take effect October 1.

**Murderer McIlvaine Again Sentenced.**

BROOKLYN, N. Y., Oct. 2.—Judge Moore again sentenced Charles McIlvaine to be executed in the manner prescribed by law in Sing Sing prison during the week beginning November 17 next for the murder of Grocer Lucca. This was McIlvaine's second death sentence, a second trial having been granted him by the Appellate Court.

**Collision Between Passenger Trains.**

WEST WINSTED, Conn., Oct. 2.—A collision occurred between two passenger trains on the Central New England Railroad at Copake, N.Y., last evening. Both engines and several cars were wrecked and Conductor Vermilyea and several other persons were seriously hurt.

**Removals on the New York Central.**

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Oct. 2.—The New York Central Railroad Company has made a number of removals here, mostly at East Syracuse. No reason was given, but it is said that the reason was the failure of the men to pass the examination recently ordered by the company.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—U. S. Gov't Report, Aug. 17, 1889.

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## THE MILLER MURDER

### More Important Clues Have Just Been Unearthed.

EXCITEMENT IS AT FEVER HEAT.

Two Women Saw Lingo Enter the Brush Where the Body Was Found.

The Links Forging Tighter and Tighter Around the Negro's Neck—Citizens to Petition the Governor for Assistance—The Suspected Murderer Talks With His Lawyers—They Say He is Innocent.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 2.—The excitement at Merchantville, N. J., and vicinity continues to increase as day after day goes by without getting much nearer the solution of the Miller mystery than on the day of the discovery of the murder.

This excitement seems fast approaching fever heat, and a proposition has been made to call a meeting of those interested and petition the Governor to lend whatever assistance lies in his power to the authorities of this county in unraveling the mystery. Many of the most prominent men in the borough, as well as influential farmers living in the surrounding country, favor such a scheme and the field seems ripe for the movement to be made. What the result of this talk will be remains to be seen.

**Lingo Talks With His Lawyers.**

Lawyers Jess and Taylor finally secured admission to Francis Lingo. After the negro was committed they were retained as his counsel, and since then have been making strenuous efforts to gain access to their client in order to get his statement, but were refused by the prosecuting attorney. Lawyer Taylor says that he firmly believes in Lingo's innocence of the crime.

**Important Clues.**

Two or three important clues in connection with the murder of Mrs. Miller have just been unearthed, two of which will tend to fasten the chain of circumstantial evidence still closer around Lingo as the murderer. The first new important person in the case is Mrs. Riggs, wife of G. W. Rigge, whose residence is nearly opposite that occupied by the family of the late William Miller, father of the husband of the murdered woman. Her statement is very concise and is to the effect that on the afternoon of the murder of Mrs. Miller she saw Lingo and spoke to him as he went down the road and entered the brush where the body of the murdered woman was found. It was between the hours of 2 and 3 o'clock, and she saw him again the same afternoon, but it was some time afterwards.

Another important link in the chain of evidence is that furnished by Ruth Moore. It is to the effect that she saw Mrs. Miller walk down the road towards the bushes and take the path through them, the short cut of which led to her home. This was shortly after 2 o'clock.

**Looks Bad for the Prisoner.**

The statements of these two persons prove conclusively that Lingo must have walked down the road and entered the patch of brush in advance of Mrs. Miller; that he evidently knew that she was going to make the short cut across the patch to her home, and he proceeded in advance and probably intercepted her. If he committed the murder, that remains to be proven, but the links, as above stated, seem to be forging tighter and tighter around his neck.

## MRS. RANDALL'S FUND.

**She Is Now Living in Washington With a Comfortable Income.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 2.—Mrs. Randall is now living quietly in this city in the house of the late Speaker on Capitol Hill. She is often visited by leading Democrats who were staunch friends of Mr. Randall.

It can be stated now that the sum that was raised by Messrs. Childs and Drexel for the benefit of Mrs. Randall and her children before the Speaker passed away was $35,000, of this amount $2,000 was given to her before the death of the ex-Speaker, and the remaining $33,000 was invested, she having the use of the interest.

**A Noted Bank Thief Sentenced.**

MONTREAL, Que., Oct. 2.—In the Court of Queen's Bench Charles Brown, a noted bank thief, who is known throughout the United States as "Little Horace," was sentenced to seven years' imprisonment for stealing $181 from the Ville Marie Bank in this city recently.

**The Reading's Press Agent.**

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 2.—Mr. Charles B. Deacon, a well known journalist of this city and secretary of the famous Clover Club, has been appointed press agent for the Philadelphia & Reading Railway Company, vice Horace Porter, deceased.

## BASEBALL GAMES.

**National League.**

AT CINCINNATI.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Cincinnati | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 6—5 |
| Boston | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0—3 |

Batteries—Mullane and Harrington; Getzein and Brodie.

**Players' League.**

AT PITTSBURG.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Pittsburg | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | —9 |
| Philadelphia | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 2 | 0 | —7 |

Batteries—Morris and Fields; Husted and Hallman.

AT BUFFALO.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Buffalo | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 1 | —5 |
| Boston | 1 | 0 | 4 | 3 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 | x | —12 |

Batteries—Stafford and Mack; Kilroy and Swett.

AT CLEVELAND.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Cleveland | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | — | 7 |
| New York | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | — | 3 |

Game called on account of darkness.

Batteries—Gruber and Sutcliffe; Ewing and Brown.

AT CHICAGO.

Chicago and Brooklyn game postponed on account of rain.

**American Association.**

AT COLUMBUS.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Columbus | 1 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 6 | 1 | —14 |
| Athletic | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —0 |

Batteries—Krauss and Doyle; Stecker and Daly.

AT TOLEDO.

Toledo and Rochester game postponed on account of rain.

AT LOUISVILLE.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Baltimore | 3 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —5 |
| Louisville | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | —5 |

Game called on account of darkness.

Batteries—McMahon and Robinson; Ehret and Weckbecker.

AT ST. LOUIS.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| St. Louis | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 1 | —7 |
| Syracuse | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | —8 |

Batteries—Hart and Munyon; Mars and Pitz.

**Attendance at League Games.**

| | Players | League |
|---|---|---|
| Cleveland | 300 | .... |
| Pittsburg | 551 | .... |
| Cincinnati | .... | 639 |
| Buffalo | 537 | .... |
| Totals | 1,388 | 639 |

**Standing of the Clubs.**

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

| | Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'ct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Brookl'n | 84 | 43 | .661 | Cincin'ti | 76 | 54 | .585 |
| Philadel. | 77 | 51 | .602 | N. York | 63 | 66 | .488 |
| Chicago | 81 | 53 | .604 | Clev'l'nd | 42 | 87 | .326 |
| Boston | 75 | 56 | .573 | Pitts'rg | 23 | 111 | .172 |

PLAYERS' LEAGUE.

| | Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'ct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Boston | 80 | 46 | .635 | Philadel. | 67 | 62 | .519 |
| Brookl'n | 75 | 55 | .577 | Pitts'rg | 58 | 67 | .464 |
| N. York | 74 | 55 | .574 | Clev'l'nd | 54 | 74 | .417 |
| Chicago | 73 | 62 | .541 | Buffalo | 35 | 95 | .269 |

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

| | Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'c |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Louis'v'le | 41 | 34 | .564 | Rock'st'r | 40 | 57 | .513 |
| St. Louis | 74 | 50 | .597 | Athletic | 54 | 70 | .435 |
| Col'mb's | 69 | 54 | .561 | Syracuse | 47 | 70 | .402 |
| Toledo | 65 | 56 | .537 | Baltim'e | 36 | 88 | .290 |

**Schedule of To-Day's Games.**

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

New York vs. Chicago, at Chicago.
Brooklyn vs. Pittsburg, at Pittsburg.
Boston vs. Cincinnati, at Cincinnati.
Philadelphia vs. Cleveland, at Cleveland.

PLAYERS' LEAGUE.

Brooklyn vs. Buffalo, at Buffalo.
New York vs. Chicago, at Chicago.
Boston vs. Pittsburg, at Pittsburg.
Philadelphia vs. Cleveland, at Cleveland.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

Baltimore vs. Louisville, at Louisville.
Syracuse vs. St. Louis, at St. Louis.
Rochester vs. Toledo, at Toledo.
Athletics vs. Columbus, at Columbus.

**The Brotherhood and Association Deal.**

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 2.—Chris Von der Ahe, in a published statement, says the Brotherhood and Association will not amalgamate, for the reason that "we have nothing to gain by doing so, while on the other hand we have everything to lose. At one time such a consolidation was considered. The Association will make a good many changes in its circuit. Milwaukee, Washington and New Haven have all asked to be admitted, and it is quite possible that a club may be placed in Chicago."

**Oarsman Hanlan's Forfeit.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 2.—Edward Hanlan, the oarsman, on August 16 last placed a forfeit of $250 in the New York "Clipper" office for a sculling match with Jacob Gaudaur. The latter covered the forfeit and left the choice of a date between September 23 and September 30, 1890, to Hanlan. The latter not appearing or even giving any reason for his absence, Gaudaur will now claim the forfeit.

**Vermont Legislature Organized.**

MONTPELIER, Vt., Oct. 2.—The Vermont Legislature organized by the Senate electing Frank H. Durnell president pro tem. Start was elected Speaker of the House on the third ballot by Democratic votes, 63 Democrats having voted for him. The contest was the most spirited known in the State for years. The retiring and incoming Governors held a reception.

**Wanted by an English Syndicate.**

BROOKLYN, N. Y., Oct. 2.—An English syndicate have begun negotiations for the purchase of the lace works of which A. G. Jennings is president and which are located in this city. The price fixed is said to be about $1,000,000. This is the only lace company in the country and it has been very successful.

**Railroad Engineers Will Arbitrate.**

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 2.—Chief Arthur, of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, met the Southern Pacific officials yesterday, when it was agreed upon to settle the matter of the engineers promotion on the Atlantic system by arbitration. A committee was appointed to meet at Houston, Texas, some time during this month.

## WASHINGTON TOPICS

### The National Capital Quiet After Adjournment.

MANY OF THE HOTELS DESERTED

Dramatic Scene While the President Was Signing the Tariff Bill.

Surrounded by His Cabinet and Members of Both Bodies—Representative Mason Secured the Pen—Political Orators Sent to Wisconsin—The Public Debt Statement—Decrease of Over Four Millions.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 2.—There are not many members of Congress in the city to-day, and several of the hotels look deserted.

There were the usual scenes last evening when Congress adjourned. The members indulged in handshaking, and were congratulating each other on the approach of their vacation after a ten months' session.

The session came to a very quiet ending. For an hour before the time for adjourning both houses were in recess, there being no further legislation to be transacted, except the reception of announcements of the President's signature to bills.

President Harrison was at the Capitol, occupying the room set apart for the Chief Executive at the Senate end of the building.

In the Senate Mr. Harris presented a resolution tendering the thanks of the body to Vice-President Morton for his fair and impartial conduct in the chair and Mr. Ransom performed a like service for President pro tem. Ingalls.

In the House there was no interesting incident of any kind. It is not customary to offer a resolution of thanks to the Speaker at the end of each session, but only at the expiration of a Congress.

The session closed without action upon the joint resolution to transfer General Grant's remains to this city. The resolution, it will be remembered, passed the Senate, where it was introduced by Mr. Plumb, of Kansas. The opposition of the New York city men in the House prevented its passage in that body, although Mr. O'Neil, of Pennsylvania, made repeated efforts to call it up.

## SIGNING THE TARIFF BILL.

**The President Surrounded by His Cabinet, Senators and Congressmen.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 2.—When the bulky Tariff bill was brought to the President for his signature, Private Secretary Halford lifted the mass of parchment and laid it before him. The assemblage present gathered close about the table as the President pushed back the roll of the preceding pages so as to give his arm free swing to affix his signature in the space left vacant in the lower left-hand corner of the last page.

At the President's right stood the Secretary of State, and in front of him Major McKinley. Mr. Aldrich stood just behind Mr. Blaine. Some one asked the President if he felt at all nervous. He smiled and replied that he did not, but wanted an opportunity to make his approval forcible as possible.

There was a brief silence, and the President, taking a fresh supply of ink on the stub pen with which he had been affixing his signature to other measures, wrote "Approved, October 1, 1890. Benjamin Harrison," at the bottom of the bill.

Private Secretary Halford stood ready with the blotter, but Secretary Blaine caught his arm and said: "No, let it dry." So the bill was lifted aside and the heavy signature of the President remained on it intact.

Major McKinley bowed to the President and left the room.

The pen with which the signature was affixed to the bill became the property of Representative Mason, of Illinois, who said he wanted it for his little girl to preserve as a souvenir of the Tariff law of 1890.

## PUBLIC DEBT STATEMENT.

**Decrease of Over Four Millions During the Past Month.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 2.—The public debt statement just issued from the Treasury Department shows a decrease in the debt during the past month amounting to $4,582,907.

The interest bearing debt, exclusive of bonds issued to the Pacific railroads, is $638,683,070 against $680,978,020 on Sept. 1 a month ago, or a reduction in the bonded indebtedness during the month amounting to $42,289,950; while on the other hand the surplus in the treasury, which a month ago, including subsidiary coin and national bank redemption fund, was $107,897,677, is to-day $59,791,250, a decrease during the month of $47,606,327.

National bank depositaries to-day hold $30,297,111 of Government funds, or about $100,000 less than on Sept. 1st. Government receipts from all sources during the past month were unusually heavy, aggregating $39,804,234, against $31,416,290 in September, 1889.

On the other hand expenditures for September past were $33,737,106, against $16,462,860 in September, 1889. More than $14,000,000 of this comparative excess of expenditures during the past month over those of September last year is accounted for by the unusually heavy bond redemptions in September past—nearly $18,000,000 having been paid out in interest and premium, against $3,656,955 in September, 1889.

**Pennsylvania's Arbor Day.**

HARRISBURG, Pa., Oct. 2.—Friday, October 24th, has been designated as Autumn Arbor Day by Prof. D. J. Miller, Jr., superintendent of public instruction. He calls upon all the schools to observe it.

## THE EXPRESS TROUBLE.

**Employes of the Adams Company Restless Over the Dismissals.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 2.—There is a widespread feeling of dissatisfaction among the Adams Express Company's employes on account of the recent discharges, and some of them openly say that they will not submit to such long hours, and threaten to quit work. The men so far as known are unorganized.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 2.—There is considerable uneasiness among the Adams Express Company's employes, and it would not surprise some if trouble will follow. It was reported that the company intended to discharge old and high priced men and put cheap, inexperienced men in their places.

JERSEY CITY, Oct. 2.—A strike of porters and helpers in the depot of the Adams Express company is now on and the prospects are favorable for an extension of the trouble to other employes in New York and other cities in the eastern division.

## THE APPEAL DENIED.

**O'Brien and Dillon Must be Tried Before the Sitting Magistrates.**

DUBLIN, Oct. 2.—The High Court in this city has refused to issue the writ applied for by Mr. Healy on behalf of the defendants in the Tipperary case, prohibiting the sitting judges from proceeding in the trial of Dillon and O'Brien on the ground of bias.

No further step can be taken, it is understood, with a view to changing the magistrates before whom the hearing is to be continued. But the Nationalists feel that their protests persistently made against being tried by magistrates whom they have reason to believe biased against them will have much effect on public opinion. Attention has been strikingly directed to the composition of the court before whom the political offenders, as the Nationalists consider the arrested men, are being tried.

**The Election in Idaho.**

CHICAGO, Oct. 2.—A special from Boise, City, Idaho, says: The State election returns now in from the various precincts show that the Republicans have their usual majority of nearly 2,000. The majority for Governor Shuep will reach 2,500. Republicans will have 30 members of the Legislature and the Democrats 19, with five doubtful.

**A Coming Heavyweight Fight.**

DALLAS, Tex., Oct. 2.—Mike Conley, the Ithaca giant, and R. B. Sullivan, heavyweights, from Colorado, are matched to fight with gloves here October 18 for a purse of $1,000.

## NEWS OF THE DAY.

The celebrated French author, Jean Baptiste Alphonse Karr, is dead.

The London police have received a "Jack the Ripper" letter, threatening another murder.

The Seiler brewery near Covington, Ky., was damaged by fire to the extent of $50,000 Wednesday.

The Genesee Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church was opened by Bishop Ninde at Bradford, Pa.

The State completed its evidence against Dr. McGonegal, on trial in New York for causing Annie Goodwin's death.

The President has received a telegram from St. Louis inviting him to visit that city during Fair week. He has not yet sent a reply.

Elbridge T. Gerry was elected to preside over the initial convention of delegates from the various humane societies in New York State at Albany.

The granite cutters in the employ of Bronwell & Piconland of New Bedford, Mass., have gone on strike. All other granite workers have allowed the demand for nine hours per day and eight hours Saturday.

An English syndicate is negotiating for the sugar refineries and all the breweries in Canada. Considerable progress in the negotiations has been made, but it is said that all the refinery proprietors have not yet agreed to sell.

George B. Cheever, D. D., LL. D., the clergyman and author, died at his home in Englewood, N. J., during the morning. He was conscious up to the last hour of his illness. His two attendant physicians, Dr. West of New York and Dr. Terry of Englewood were with him at his death.

**Weather Indications.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 2.—For New England: Fair weather; stationary temperature, except warmer in the vicinity of Boston; southerly winds.

For Eastern New York and Eastern Pennsylvania: Fair weather; stationary temperature; variable winds.

For New Jersey: Fair; slight changes in temperature; variable winds.

For Western New York and Western Pennsylvania: Fair, preceded by showers along the lakes; winds generally southerly.

## NEW YORK MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Oct. 1.—Money on call to-day 3½ and 4 per cent.

BONDS.

| | Closing Saturday | Closing To-day |
|---|---|---|
| 4½s, 1891 Reg. | 104 | 104½ |
| 4½s, 1891 Coup. | 104 | 104½ |
| 4 s, 1907 Reg. | 123 | 123½ |
| 4 s, 1907 Coup. | 124 | 119½ |

STOCK MARKET.

| | Closing Yesterday | Closing To-day. |
|---|---|---|
| Canadian Pacific | — | 53½ |
| Central Pacific | — | — |
| Chicago, Bur. & Quincy | 93⅛ | 93⅝ |
| Delaware & Hudson | — | 157 |
| Del. Lack. & Western | 147 | 146½ |
| Erie | — | 24½ |
| Erie pref. | — | — |
| Lake Shore | 108 | 108½ |
| Louis. & Nash. | 84¼ | 85⅛ |
| Michigan Central | 94 | — |
| Missouri Pacific | 69⅝ | 70⅜ |
| New Jersey Central | 117½ | 117 |
| Northwestern | 108¾ | 109 |
| Oregon Navigation | — | — |
| Pacific Mail | 42 | 41¾ |
| Reading | 40⅝ | 40⅝ |
| Rock Island | 89⅝ | 91 |
| St. Paul | 69½ | 69⅝ |
| Union Pacific | 53½ | 53⅜ |

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## BY THE WAY.

—The Congregational Sunday school, on and after October 5, will meet at 2:45 P. M.

—The regular meeting of the Reform Club will be held this evening, and a full attendance is desired.

—There will be a public meeting held in Hope chapel to-morrow evening at 8 o'clock. All are cordially invited.

—The ten-mile handicap bicycle race of the Brooklyn Bicycle Club, which was postponed last week on account of rain, will take place next Saturday. The course is on the level road between Westfield and Fanwood.

—Through the kindness of Mr. Ginna, the Young Women's Christian Temperance Union have secured Bethel Chapel, at Fifth and Washington streets, for a *special* meeting on Monday afternoon of next week at 3:45 sharp.

—A meeting of the Woman's Home Missionary Society will be held to-morrow afternoon at 2 o'clock, in the parlors of the Crescent Avenue church. A full attendance is especially desired as the work for the year will be commenced and quarterly reports read.

—Ladies who wish to examine the new styles in millinery will have an opportunity afforded them Saturday, October 4, when Mrs. L. Adams, of No. 5 East Front street, will give her opening for the season, with a fine display of Fall and Winter bonnets and hats.

—Thompson Park's new piano and organ warerooms are already receiving many visitors who are delighted with the assortment of instruments he exhibits. An accomplished pianist keeps the air thrilling with melody, and adds to the attractiveness of the place.

—The Fisk Jubilee singers, who are to appear at Reform Hall to-morrow evening, are among the most popular singers in the World. Their music is quaint and weird, and the rendering is of such a peculiar character that everyone is delighted. They draw large houses everywhere.

## PARTICULAR MENTION.

Mrs. C. B. Ferry, of East Second street, is suffering from a sprained ankle.

Mrs. Joseph F. Sheppard left today for a visit among friends in Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

Mr and Mrs. L. L. Martin are again residents of Washington Park, North Plainfield. They removed from 20 Crescent avenue to 53 Washington avenue today.

Dr. Ketcham and the Revs. Richards and Honeyman, will attend the meeting of the Elizabeth presbytery to be held at Lamington, next Tuesday. The occasion will be especially interesting because of the special exercises that have been arranged in commemoration of the 150th anniversary of the Lamington church.

### Chosen to Serve Again.

At the annual meeting of the Plainfield Crescent League, held last evening, the following officers were reelected:

PRESIDENT—Charles A. Reed.
VICE PRESIDENT—Charles C. Burnet.
SECRETARY—Charles H. Lyman.
TRUSTEES—James K. Arnold, Howard L. Emerson, Clinton VanVliet.

Mr. Burnet reported that a place was open for the Crescent League's team in the Amateur bowling league that is now being formed of such clubs as the Staten Island, Palma, Oritani, N. J. Athletic, Elizabeth A. C., etc. The matter of entering the tournament, was referred to the Trustees with power.

An amendment to the constitution was adopted raising the initiation fee for admittance to the Crescent League, to $20 and the annual dues to $18, all of which, however, is not to take effect until Jan. 1, 1891.

### William D. Murray the Man.

At the quarterly business meeting of the teachers of the Crescent Avenue Sunday school held last evening, Henry B. Newhall resigned his position as Superintendent, and positively refused to serve any longer. For fourteen years he has occupied the office, and has set the school upon a height reached probably by no other in the State.

The resignation was accepted with much regret. Then arose the question, is there a man who can fill his place? The great difficulty of finding such a one was placed in the hands of a committee of nine.

### Kitchen-Garden and Cooking Classes to Open.

The Kitchen Garden school under the auspices of the W. C. T. U., held at 73 West Front street, will begin Monday and Thursday of next week at 4:00 P. M. All the old scholars are requested to report every Monday and Thursday during the present month. Applicants for membership, girls over nine years old, will be received. Cooking classes will begin Saturday at nine o'clock. Girls belonging to it will please report at that time.

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## LIVE BIRDS THEIR TARGETS.

### Fascinating Sport at the Dunellen Tournament—A Woman Sharing Honors With the Men—Prize Winners of Big Purses.

Excitement runs high at the Middlesex Gun club tournament at Dunellen, today, for the live bird shooting is drawing out the best talent, and splendid records are being made by the marksmen. The birds are strong and swift, fly well, and are hard to bring to earth, but with a skill that seems phenomenal some of the sportsmen are bagging every pigeon they aim at. Something of a sensation was caused this morning by the appearance of a woman before the traps. She enters the various events under the name of Wanda, but is the wife of Milt F. Lindsley, of Hoboken, the inventor of American Wood Powder. She is a graceful addition to the list of marksmen. All eyes follow eagerly her trim little figure, as she darts vivaciously from trap to trap, raises her gun to her shoulder, and brings down bird after bird. She wears a jaunty semi-jockey costume, but her demeanor is modest and unassuming, and her display of skill and endurance fascinating. She holds her own against some of the best of the male shooters, who have had to abandon the gallantry they first assumed, in looking to their laurels. Of the various events of the morning she has won second money in several cases, and first money in one.

There has been incessant firing ever since nine o'clock. The crates are being rapidly emptied of live birds and filled with dead ones. An enthusiastic throng of spectators is witnessing expert shooting by the country's most famous sportsmen. Among those who are winning big shares of the $100, $150 and $175 purses are James Elliott of Kansas City, Mo., the champion live-bird shot of the United States; J. Frank Kleinz, champion of Pennsylvania; Robert Welch of Philadelphia; John D. Voorhees, "the veteran," of Bound Brook; Sam Castle of Newark; W. S. Cannon, the famous one-armed shot of the Middlesex Gun Club; Wolstencroft of Philadelphia, who won last year's $400 purse; Frank Class, the Pine Brook champion; John Riggott of Rockaway, N. J.; and C. Smith and Tee Kay, of Plainfield.

### Neighbors at War in the Borough.

John P. Stine, of North Plainfield, has been placed under bonds, by Justice Hardy, to keep the peace against Wm. Childs Smith. Some time ago the Stine property in the West End avenue and Rockview avenue neighborhood was cut up, on paper, into building tracts. Smith bought one of the lots, and built a house on it, since which time the Stines have decided to abandon their plans to sell the remainder of the land. Smith had bought his section on the supposition that the neighborhood was to be built up, and that certain streets, laid out on the recorded map which accompanied his deed, would be opened. Because he drove his wagon across the land where the promised streets were to be, he was accused by the Stines of trespassing, and a constant warfare resulted. Recently, Smith alleges, John Stine tried to drive over him with a team of spirited horses, and in consequence he had Stine arrested and put under bonds.

### Prosperity Reported and Officers Elected.

The annual meeting of the Congregational church, took place Tuesday evening, and was the largest and most interesting one that the church has ever held. Reports of the year indicated progress and good work in all departments. The trustees reported all bills paid and a very comfortable balance in the treasury. At the close of the business meeting the ladies served refreshments and an hour was spent in a social way.

The deacons elected were L. C. Batson, A. C. LaBoyteaux. Members of Official Board—Rev. M. E. Dwight, C. E. Boss and A. J. Winckler. Trustees—Jacob Kirkner, G. W. Rockfellow, Wm. H. Brower, J. E. Morse, John E. Stewart, B. R. Force, C. E. Boss. Clerk—J. A. Robinson.

### Queer Movements of the Adams Company.

Notices have been posted in the New York offices of the Adams Express company, instructing the men to refuse all freight for Plainfield and Somerville. The metropolitan newspapers quote the company's managers as refusing to give any reason for this order, and as saying that they have not yielded to or compromised with any rival company and have not abandoned any offices. As THE PRESS has already stated, however, the Plainfield and Somerville offices have been abandoned, despite the fact that they are doing a bigger business and handling more profits than ever before.

### Some Very Big Fish in a Little Pond.

Fred Pangborn and Wm. Roantree, after fishing all night long in the New Market pond, have broken the record. Yesterday a young man by the name of Hallock, caught a carp weighing 15 pounds, a bass weighing 6 pounds and another carp weighing 9 pounds. That aroused Pangbord and Roantree, so they fished all last night and caught, besides 62 cat fish and some bass, a carp that weighed 17 lbs, 2 oz.

### Ladies Training Class—To-Morrow, 4 P. M.

The Bible Training Class for ladies was re-organized at the Y. M. C. A. rooms last Friday afternoon. The class will be taught by E. L. Suffern, and will meet at the Association rooms every Friday at 4 P. M. The review of the book of Genesis will be the lesson for to-morrow. All ladies interested are invited.

## A CAMERA-FIEND'S TRIBULATIONS.

### How the Printers Delay His Lovely Vacation Photographs, and How Fair Women Profit by His Helplessness.

Plainfield's amateur photographers who depend on the manufacturers of their cameras for "doing the rest" are learning by experience that it is next to impossible to get a picture from the photographic printers in less than six weeks, so utterly unprecedented has been the descent of amateurs upon the printers with the negatives which represent their vacation photographing. There have never been so many amateur photographers abroad in the land as the present season; and as of course only a few of this immense army of photographers print from their own negatives, the printing has to be done after they come back to town, and they all want it done it once. The result is a dreadful congestion of negatives at the printers, and hope deferred that maketh the heart sick on the part of the enthusiastic amateurs. In this connection it may be mentioned that a new and, so far, lucrative business for women has been opened up by this craze possessed by everybody, to take photographs. Printing photographs from negatives is an occupation for which women, with their naturally quick eyes and deft fingers, are especially adapted; and some few of them have worked into it very well.

The Plainfield enthusiasts tell a story of one young woman who put $2,000 in the bank last year, representing the clear profits of one year's work in printing photographs. And evidently her work this year is on a much larger scale than last year. Women's work in this branch is acknowledged by photographic experts to be superior to that done by men. But perhaps it will be with this business as with so many others; the success of some will encourage others to enter it, and at last it will be overcrowded and precarious. But even then there will be "room at the top," as usual.

### Gleanings From Dunellen.

Mr. Rider and family have returned from their Western trip.

The Rev. Mr. Stinson leaves today for Milwaukee, to be absent two weeks. Mr. Holden, Treasurer of Beloit College, will occupy his pulpit next Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Homan are going to Jersey City to board for the Winter.

The Catholic church has just been newly renovated and decorated.

A large amount of powder was burnt at the shooting grounds, yesterday afternoon, and no one was hurt.

The Dunellen Bowling Green is in first-class order, and both the Middlesex and Dunellen clubs are taking a great interest in the game. The Dunellen club, weather permitting, will play this afternoon for their cup; and the Middlesex club will meet for practice on Saturday, and will play for the medal on the 18th inst. Refreshments are served by Mr. Taylor.

Fred. J. Richters has sold his property on Washington avenue and bought a house in Newark, where he expects to move some time during this month.

Dealaman's new brick store is almost ready for the roof.

Patrick McMahon, better known as "Red Pat," is spending 30 days in New Brunswick jail.

H. A Read, of Arizona, is visiting his family who reside at West Dunellen.

### A Monster Fish From New Market.

The water was let out of the New Market pond yesterday, and schools of fish but little room left to swim about in. The giant fish of all, an English carp, was easily caught by Mr. Drake. Its length was two feet, nine inches. Its weight was more than 16 pounds. Its scales were each as big as a silver dollar. People who saw it on exhibition at Vanderbeek's last night were told that it was the largest specimen of its kind ever caught in this country. Its skin will be stuffed and mounted.

### Chose the Streets for His Place of Devotion.

Samuel Gibson, a carpenter, and a well-known Plainfield character, was found by the police at two o'clock this morning, saying his prayers, on his bended knees, in the street. He protested against being interrupted in his devotions, but was compelled to accept shelter in the police station over night. His mind has been affected, it is alleged, through past years of dissipation.

### A Horse Falls Dead in the Borough.

A horse owned by A. E. Faber, of Rockview avenue, dropped dead in its harness while being driven down Washington avenue this morning. Mr. Faber was being conveyed to the railroad station when he noticed that the horse was acting queerly. He dismounted, instructed his coachman to return home, and set out for the station on foot. The horse died a moment later, opposite the home of the President of the S. P. C. A.

### The Date of His Coming.

At a meeting of the city's clergy, held in the Y. M. C. A., rooms, yesterday, the date of the coming of the Evangelist, B. Fay Mills, was fixed for Monday, Nov. 3. Another meeting will be held soon to decide upon other details, committees, places of meeting, etc.

—Buy your window shades at Fairchild's furniture store 21 and 23 East Front street.

### Plainfield's Shoe Men Famed Abroad.

The trade magazine called *Shoe and Leather Facts*, published in New York, Boston and Philadelphia, has the following to say of this city and its shoe men, in its current number:

The city of Plainfield, Union county, N. J., is favorably located and beautifully laid out. Many of the most prosperous business men in New York city reside here, with their families and the general aspect of the place is rather high-toned and distinguished. Although there is very little manufacturing done here, still the city is busy and prosperous. The shoe and leather trade here is especially active, and the numerous shoe stores, which are to be met with in every quarter of the city, well filled with customers, would do credit to a much larger and older city. Among the institutions here I notice two national banks, four newspaper offices, a seminary for young ladies and many well-attended public schools, which rank among the foremost in the State. The population is about 10,000.

Among the members of the trade upon whom I called, I may mention: Doane & VanArsdale, shoe dealers, carry a stock averaging $12,000. The store in which this stock is tastefully arranged, is 25x70 feet, has electric lights and a double front. The firm carry a full line of ladies', gents' and boys' boots, shoes and rubbers, and make a specialty of Packard & Field's fine shoes. Mr. Doane was born in Brooklyn, N. Y., and is a member of the Knights of Pythias; Mr. VanArsdale was born in Penpark, N. Y. and is a Mason. They report trade as highly satisfactory.

Rogers Bros., shoe dealers, were born in Buffalo, N. Y.—E. S. Rogers in '66, W. B. Rogers in '63. Their store is spacious and well fitted up, having a double front window, and they make a specialty of fine shoes. Both gentlemen are capable and industrious, and are members of the Knights of Pythias, Red Men, Odd Fellows, and Knights of Honor. They started business at their present location in March last and are highly gratified with the prospects so far, carrying a full line of fine and medium shoes. I carry with me the fixed belief that these two bright, active and industrious young men have before them a business career of considerable prosperity.

John J. Kenney, dealer in boots, shoes and rubbers, was born in Hunterdon county, N. J., in '58 and started the present business in '85, carrying a general line of all grades. Owing to the fact that he had no previous knowledge of this line of business, it was generally expected that he would not succeed; but his tact and judgment, combined with a fixed and determined purpose to win success, triumphed over the obstacle of inexperience, and Mr. Kenney is now in a position, the result of his own intelligent efforts and ceaseless perseverance, to demonstrate the fallacy of these erroneous predictions. He reports a heavy Fall trade.

### What the People Read.

The Public Library librarian's report for September, is as follows:

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| Vols. on accession books, Aug. 31 | 9,315 |
| " added by purchase | 20 |
| " " " gift | 10 |
| " now in the library | 9,345 |
| Number of card-holders | 1,853 |
| Cash received from fines | $13 57 |
| Cash received from subscriptions of non-residents | 6 |
| Total | $19.57 |

HOME CIRCULATION.

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| Fiction | 951 |
| Juvenile | 266 |
| Biography | 80 |
| Travel | 51 |
| Philosophy | 5 |
| Religion | 19 |
| Sociology | 46 |
| Science | 34 |
| Useful arts | 8 |
| Fine arts | 24 |
| Literature | 88 |
| History | 74 |
| Bound magazines | 6 |
| Total | 1,652 |
| Visitors to the building | 2,710 |

E. L. ADAMS, Librarian.

### What Means This Purchase of Mountain Property?

THE PRESS understands that a party of New York capitalists closed a deal yesterday whereby they became possessed of 300 acres of land on top of the mountains West of this city. The sale was made through the Real Estate Trust which company was authorized by the same party to purchase more. Does it mean a mining or land speculation, the building of an elevated city, or that railroad from Newark?

### $10,000 Found in an Ash Barrel.

A New York rag-picker is reported to have found $10,000 in greenbacks in an ash barrel. This was a rare piece of good luck, but how much more fortunate is the sufferer from consumption who learns that, although the doctors may have pronounced his case hopeless, Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery will cure him. Consumption is a scrofulous disease of the lungs. The "Discovery," which is the most potent blood-purifier of the age, strikes right at the root of the evil, and there is no resisting it, if taken in time. In all scrofulous or other blood taints, skin and scalp diseases, old sores and swellings, it is *guaranteed* to cure, or money paid for it promptly refunded. By druggists.

WHY WOMEN TALK ABOUT IT.

THIS IS WHY.

Ontario Center, N. Y.
May 7, 1890.
F.E.C. Medicine Co.,
Rochester, N.Y.:
For seven or eight years my wife has been troubled with some kind of kidney trouble. She tried many different remedies but all in vain. She continued to grow worse. Last fall I induced her to try the F. E. C. Remedy, and before using one bottle she began to improve, and now, after using six bottles, she is entirely cured. I have recommended it to many and it has benefitted in every case heard from.
A. STARK,
Druggist.

DIZZINESS AND SICK HEADACHE

*Permanently Cured* by using Dr. Comfort's little "Compilis." *Prevent Paralysis.* Nothing like them on the market. At druggists, or sent by mail on receipt of 25 cents, by the F. E. C. Medicine Co., Rochester, N. Y.

For sale by R. J. SHAW, Druggist, Sole Agent. 8 eod

"THE THREE GRACES"
FOR THE BREAKFAST TABLE ARE
"REXWHEAT" MUSH,
"REXWHEAT" GEMS,
"REXWHEAT" GRIDDLE CAKES.

REXWHEAT
FURNISHES
MEAT FOR THE POOR,
DAINTIES FOR THE RICH,
HEALTH FOR ALL
Unequalled in Flavor, Wholesomeness, and Ease of Preparation by any other cereal.
AT ALL GROCERS
5 24 6m tts

CLAIRVOYANT
MRS. DR. EDWARDS
Having entirely recovered from her severe illness, is now able to see her patrons again
On and after Wednesday, Oct. 1, at the City Hotel, from 2 to 8 o'clock P. M. Room 4, one flight up.
Ladies 50c to $1. Gentlemen $1.
After this week she can be consulted all day 9 30 tf

PIANOS Bradbury, Baus, Dusinbene, Jacob Bros.,
And Musical Merchandise.
ORGANS Newman Bros., Mason & Hamlin, Estey,
RENT and FOR SALE. Cash or Installments.
SHEET MUSIC played for purchasers.
Tuning and Repairing a Specialty.
THOMPSON PARK,
No. 23 East Front Street,
PLAINFIELD, N. J.
10 2 1f

Valuable Building Lots for Sale,
On Grove street and Craig place, North Plainfield. This plot is one of the most desirable in the Borough, and is offered for sale at a reasonable price and on easy terms. Will be sold in quantities to suit. Apply to Owner, at 25 Craig place. 3-14-tf

### LIST OF ADVERTISED LETTERS

Remaining in Dunellen Post Office for the month ending Sept 30, 1890:

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| Armstrong, Rev A | Huff, Mr Jacob |
| Allen, Esq Eugene | Fisher, W H |
| Bond, Samuel (col) | Kimball, Mr Chas A |
| Brouwer, Miss Mary E | Levinere, Mr John L |
| Barkalow, Miss Kate | Lord, Mrs Elizabeth |
| Crulin, Chas | Lord, Mr David S |
| Dairymple, Jessie | Mitchell, Mrs P |
| Date, Mr. John | Mullison, Harriet |
| Trimmer, Mr Ross C | Morrissey, Mr J H |
| Dayo, Mr F L | Runyon, Mr Irving |
| Griffin, Miss Mary | Stites, Jos |
| Giles, Mrs Art | Smith, Mr Mulford |
| Giles, Mrs Vinna | Sleeper, Mrs Geo |
| Hancock, Mr J | Stutz, Mr A |
| Hodge, G T | Slocum, Miss Frances E |
| Harris, Miss Emma | Tinsman, Mrs Annie |

Persons calling for the above please say advertised. JAMES H. HAROLD, P. M.

### Arrival and Departure of Mails.

*NEW YORK MAILS.*
*Arrive*—7:30, 8 40, A. M., 12:15, 2:30, 5:30 P. M.
*Close*—7:30 and 9:20 A. M., 1:45, 5:30 and 8 P. M.
*SOMERVILLE AND EASTON MAILS.*
*Arrive*—8:40 A. M., 2:40, 6:30 P. M.
*Close*—7:30 A. M., 4:30 P. M.

Direct mail to Trenton and Philadelphia at 4:30 P. M.

*SUNDAY MAILS.*
Office open from 9:30 to 10:30 A. M.
Mail closes at 6:30 P. M.

E. R. POPE, P. M.

### WANTS AND OFFERS.

*Advertisements under this heading, one cent for each word each insertion.*

WANTED—A Protestant girl for general house work; of good references, in a family of four adults. 19 Franklin place.

TO LET—One room, with board. 8 Central avenue. 10 2 3

WASHING and Ironing wanted, by a respectable woman, at her house. Apply 78 East Third street. 10 2 w

WANTED—Capable girl for general housework. Inquire at PRESS office.

WANTED, until May, small furnished house in good neighborhood; about $50 or $60. Address J. VanDeventer, 170 Broadway, N.Y. 10 2 3

FOR SALE—Fine walnut Library Table Desk Inquire PRESS office. 10 2 3

WANTED—Second-hand, high grade safety Bicycle, good order, cheap. "C," PRESS office.

ESTEY Organ for sale. Apply 160 East Second street. 10 1 6

TO LET—A small house containing six rooms, in North Plainfield. Apply at Fairchild's furniture store, 21 and 23 E. Front st. 10 1 3

FOR SALE—Seven room house on Pearl street; price $1,650; $450 cash, or two payments required; balance on mortgage, ample time. J. Leonard, 11 West 6th street. 9 30 4

FLATS to let on Somerset street, first-class order. Inquire of F. W. Bird, 107 East Front street. 9 30 3

SEVERAL loads of very fine, well-rotted manure for sale; suitable for potting plants and lawns. Inquire at PRESS office. 9 30 5

WANTED—A competent German girl as chambermaid and waitress; reference required. 99 Rockview avenue. 9 30 tf

SMALL two-story house for sale; Second street, near Park avenue, to be removed at once. A. D. Thompson, opp. Depot. 9 27 6

FOR SALE—A second hand piano, in good condition. Inquire 107 Park avenue. 9 22 tf

LADIES doing their own dressmaking or employing plain seamstress, can secure perfect fit and pattern for future use. Taylor system. Miss A. T. Buckley, 27 West 4th street. 9 22 tf

RYE WANTED—Highest market price paid N. W. French, 7 E. 4th street 9 11 tf

STORAGE for furniture in separate rooms. Apply to C. Frank French, 69 Somerset st. 9 2 tf

WANTED—Jobbing at painting, glazing kalsomining and roof painting. Address Isaac Kennedy, 49 Chatham street, North Plainfield. tf

WANTED—Work cleaning Vaults and Cesspools. Satisfaction guaranteed. City Odorless Excavating Works, 206 Broadway. Mrs. David Jones, Proprietor. No connection with JOHN & CO. 6-13-tf

OUR MOTTO—LOWEST PRICES CONSISTENT WITH GOOD QUALITY AND HONEST QUANTITY
The choicest Creamery Butter that can be produced
Apollinaris Water; pints, $1.50, quarts, $2 dozen; Belfast Ginger Ale, $1.40 dozen.
Excelsior Sugar Cured Hams are the best—15c.
The finest Java and Mocha coffee in town, and the prices are right. Won't be undersold for same quality of goods. P. M. DEMAREST.
35 PARK AVENUE.
8-4-t

THE ORIGINAL
FISK JUBILEE SINGERS
Will render their matchless and soul-stirring music at
REFORM HALL,
Friday Evening, October 3,
At 8 O'clock.
ADMISSION, - - - 50 Cents.
Seats secured at Reynolds', and Randolph's drug stores. 10 1 3

BAZAR & ENTERTAINMENT
Under the auspices of the
Ladies' Aid Society of Hope Chapel,
ON
Tuesday & Wednesday Ev'gs,
OCTOBER 7 and 8.
Admission, - - - 10 Cents.
10 1 w

M. H. A.
Music Hall.
FRIDAY, OCTOBER 3.
Special Engagement. The Distinguished Artiste—Miss JOSEPHINE CAMERON, supported by her own Company, presenting Herrman Merrivale's London success—
FORGET-ME-NOT.
Magnificent wardrobe designed and made by Worth of Paris.
Seats on sale Wednesday.
PRICES—35c., 50c., 75c., and $1. 9 29 5

ISAAC BROKAW & SON,
FIRE INSURANCE.
OFFICE—30 DUER STREET,
NORTH PLAINFIELD, N. J.
2 4-tf

ARNOLD,
THE GROCER!
92 Somerset St., opp. Emily,
ORTH PLAINFIELD.
4-15-tf

BOOTS AND SHOES
LOW PRICES.
At C. W. FORCE'S,
FALL AND WINTER GOODS.
11 West Front Street.

HOAGLAND'S
EXPRESS.
OFFICE—39 North Avenue
Opposite Railroad Station.
8-15 tf

P. AGNEY,
KINDLING WOOD.
Yard—Mountain Avenue.
P. O. BOX 307. NORTH PLAINFIELD.
Orders attended to promptly in city and Borough. 3-6-tf

E. H. HOLMES,
DEALER IN
COAL.
OFFICE—With Adams Express, 26 NORTH AV
YARD—Madison Avenue, opp. Electric Light Station. 13-

BROWN & HILL,
Shaving and Hair Cutting Parlors,
[FORCE'S HOTEL,] No. 5 North Avenue.
Special attention paid to
Children's Hair Cutting.
2-25-tf

J. B. KLINE & CO.,
DEALERS IN
Coal, Wood, Hay, Feed,
Straw and Grain.
TELEPHONE CALL, 58.
Yards—Corner of Front St. & Grant Ave
BRANCH OFFICE—North Ave., opposite Station.
The BEST GRADES OF EVERYTHING at the MOST LIBERAL PRICES. 9-6-t

PECK'S
"Just What I Wanted!"
Then come to
PECK'S!
THE LARGEST VARIETY OF
CORSETS,
AND THE BEST MAKES!

SEBRING'S,
LARGE STOCK OF
CHILDREN'S CLOTHING
27 PARK AVENUE.
12-6-

NOW FOR BUSINESS!
THE "Vacation" season is over. Proprietor and employees have all returned with renewed health and cheerful spirits.
ALL are ready for business, and willing to engage in the Fall and Winter campaign, assuring all who favor our establishment with a call that they shall have the very best service that can possibly be rendered.
AND it affords us great pleasure also to be able to ANNOUNCE that our buyer has been "wide awake," and secured for the inspection of the citizens of Plainfield about the nicest and most desirable assortment of Fall and Winter Goods that it has ever been our privilege to offer.
PUBLIC sentiment says that trade is going to be extra good, and the large purchases of retailers is a strong proof that it is true.
WE expect to do a larger business than ever, and to this end we have added extra help, and made heavy purchases in all of our departments.
WE are determined to leave nothing undone that is right and proper, that will help us to keep apace with the "advance of the times."
CITIZENS of Plainfield! We ask your special inspection of our elegant stock of all kinds of Dry and Fancy Goods, Carpets, etc.
OUR prices are the lowest. The quality the best, at
EDSALL'S, No. 20 West Front St. EDSALL'S.

NEW GOODS!
JARDINIERE'S, CRACKER JARS,
FANCY POTTERY, ARTISTIC LAMPS,
FINE GLASSWARE, DECORATED CHINA
GAVETT'S, 15 E. FRONT ST
10-25-

FURNITURE, BEDDING, UPHOLSTERY,
Large Assortment!
New Goods!!
Low Prices!!!
—Manufacturing and Repairing a Specialty.—
GARRET Q. PACKER,
Nos. 23, 25, 27, and 29 PARK AVE.
1-8-

SEA FOOD!
Scale and Shell.
ROGERS' MARKET,
42 WEST SECOND STREET.
3-13-tf

FALL IS HERE
And I am ready for it with a full line of
Dress Goods, Underwear,
Blankets and Comfortables
NEW STYLES of Ingrain, Tapestry, and Body Brussel Carpets
Oil Cloths, Etc., at the LOWEST PRICES, to which I invite your attention.
H. A. POPE,
Corner FRONT and SOMERSET STS.
The old reliable Dry Goods, Carpet, and Notion House. 11-13-y

First Annual Clearing Out Sale of WALL PAPER!
The purpose of which is to dispose of our entire stock and renew it exclusively with the new patterns of the coming season. Points worth considering:
FIRST—Our stock is very large, carefully selected, and all this season's goods.
SECOND—The first customers will have a larger stock to select from, and will get the choicest bargains.
THIRD—Prices will be the lowest ever offered—bargains being offered daily below cost. Sale closes September 1.
A. D. VANSCIVER, 47 NORTH AVE.,
Opposite Depot. — (Chotola Building), —Plainfield, N. J.
N. B.—ALL BRANCHES OF PAINTING A SPECIALTY. 1-10-

COAL LUMBER
And
Builders Supplies
LOOMIS & RICE
49 B'DWAY

## BOWLERS THROW OFF THEIR COATS.

**Getting Ready for the Season of Exciting and Exhilarating Sport.**

With the advent of October the bowling season practically opens, and soon throughout the country, and more particularly in Plainfield and neighboring towns, will be heard sounds similar to those that fell upon the startled ear of the legendary Rip VanWinkle—the dull rumble of the heavy balls coursing down the alleys, followed by the sharp crash of flying pins.

The game of bowling has made wonderful progress during the past few years, and that, too, without settled rules and with no national organization. These two essentials were supplied, however, when, on September 8, representative bowlers from various clubs throughout the country met in New York city, organized the American Amateur Bowling League, and unanimously adopted a code of rules. Last Winter saw a great increase in the devotion paid to the pastime and in the numbers of the players; and everything promised a still more successful season during the coming Winter. This promise will be more than fulfilled.

An interesting feature of the sport is the fact that all sorts and conditions of people yield to its fascination. Good bowling alleys are now considered quite as essential to well-appointed clubs as are billiard rooms. Nor is bowling confined to men alone. Women have recently taken it up and have shown their ability to surmount the difficulties which are supposed to obtain in those sports requiring free-arm movements.

What lends the game its chief charm is the fact that it is almost a strictly amateur pastime, though few sports have been made the object of more legal enactments than has bowling before it was placed on its present high level. Another thing that has been notable as giving a high standing to the game is the fact that the best bowlers today are found not among the few professional bowlers, but among those who are strictly amateurs. All the best-known bowlers of even the large cities are men who are recognized as amateurs. The short is, therefore, one of the few where the term amateur signifies superiority in skill as well as in spirit.

There are few indoor games in which are so united the elements of both skill and strength. To drive a ball approximating 27 inches in circumference a straight distance of 60 feet requires a keen eye, a steady nerve, and a good muscular development, and these qualities are all attained in time by the player, together with an increased freedom and grace of carriage. Some games require more skill, others more strength, but there are few in which these requisites are so admirably united.

Much advice can be given to the beginner, but the essentials of good bowling can be summed up in this: Keep control of the ball at the moment of delivery. Swing the arm in a horizontal line, and when the ball just brushes the floor release it. If it is held longer, until the arm is on the upward swing, it will go bumping down the alley and doubtless find its way into the gutter. After the player can deliver a centre-ball he can try a cross-ball, that is, delivered from the side of the alley. Which is the more effective ball is a disputed question, but the cross-ball is certainly the more difficult. If the player is ambitious, he can attempt the curved ball. There are players who can start the ball in the centre of the alley, curve it almost to the side, and finally hit the head pin. But there are few players who can roll this ball effectively. If possible, a twist should be given the ball at the moment of delivery. This will have a greater scattering effect on the pins, and with it the bowler will be less likely to leave difficult "spares" on either side. The most scientific part of bowling consists in picking off the difficult "spares," that is, the pins left standing after the delivery of the first ball.

Without doubt the number of tournaments and match games during the coming season will be much greater than last. Though the Crescent League is at present crippled through the burning of its club house, its members still anticipate an abundance of sport during the Winter. Tournament teams for the season's match games are already being planned for by the various bowling organizations of the locality, and will be put at practice games as soon as the weather is cool enough. Those who witnessed last Winter's games of the Plainfield, Fanwood, Westfield, Elizabeth and Somerville series, and who watched the development and progress of Plainfield's players, are confident that the Crescent city will ere long possess some of the most famous bowlers of the New York, New Jersey and Staten Island section.

### A Jr. O. U. A. M. Council at Somerville.

About thirty members of Franklin Council, No. 41, went to Somerville last night in stages and after a short street parade they instituted the new Council that several of the brothers have for some time past been working hard to place in that town, assisted by State Councilor Winfield S. Hill and staff. The new Council will be known as Ivanhoe Council, No. 72, of Somerville. Among the brothers present from Plainfield were: Councilor G. S. Martin; and Past Councilors C. C. Davis, P. H. Bennett, E. E. Vail, D. S. Dunavan, E. S. Weaver, J. J. Stahl and others. Special District Deputys McFarlin, of Trenton, and Rollinson, of Rahway, were also present. After the institution a bountiful repast was served by the brothers of the new Council.

### Notes of the New York Theatres.

Helen Dauvray's return to the stage was inaugurated at the Standard Tuesday night (September 30), in "The Whirlwind," a new comedy of Sidney Rosenfeld's which treats of speculation and Wall street.

The new Garden Theatre was opened on Saturday night (September 27) with "Dr. Bill," a farcical comedy which was fairly successful in London.

"Goggles," an adaptation of Labiche's "Les Petits Oiseaux," has begun a second week at the Fifth Avenue.

Immensely prosperous still is the sway of the Hanlon-Voltar and Martinetti Pantomime and Novelty Company at the Academy.

"The Clemenceau Case" with its breathing, nude-like model of Alexander Dumas' voluptuous creation, Iza, is no more drawing morbid crowds to the Standard.

Nothing like the Lilliputians in their gorgeous fairy burlesque, "The Pupil in Magic," at Niblo's has ever before been seen in New York, and nothing could be more successful.

"The Maister of Woodbarraw" at the Lyceum, "All the Comforts of Home" at Proctor's, and "The Red Hussar" at Palmer's, are receiving more than a moderate share of public favor.

W. H. Crane has started in at the Star to repeat his success of last season with "The Senator."

"Claudius Nero," the dramatization of the powerful romance of Ernest Eckstein, which is to follow the Lilliputians at Niblo's is in four acts and seven tableaux, one of which will graphically picture the historical burning of Rome. Four hundred auxiliaries and nearly one hundred principals will assist in the production, preparations for which are fast being completed.

The snow scene which is to distinguish the coming season of the "Old Homestead" at the Academy has just been delivered by the artists, who have been engaged on the new feature since early in June.

Backed with a hobby for theatrical statistics and a pretty speedy trotter, a newspaper man went the rounds of the two score or more metropolitan theatres last Saturday night. Notwithstanding that few of the theatres at present boast of successful attractions, the statistician, by enquiries at the box offices and peeps into the various playhouses, discovered that New Yorkers had spent for amusements that night over $31,000. Of this sum the Academy of Music, Niblo's, the Lyceum and the Broadway Theatre each held a generous proportion.

Messrs Locke and Davis have succeeded in securing Mamert Bibbeyron to stage the terpsichorean display which is to distinguish the grand production of the spectacular drama, "Nero," at Niblo's in October. Mons Bibbeyron was identified with the American Opera Company during its existence, and first presented the "Sylvia" and "Coppelia" ballets to American theatre-goers.

The coming of the fourth year of "The Old Homestead" is being very ingeniously advertised in New York. Instead of the usual placards the shop windows are ornamented with huge pumpkins on which is stamped the announcement of the play's return to the Academy. In addition to this the Gothic covering which ornaments the dozen entrance to the big play-house is strewn with mounds of hay and farm implements of every description.

### Good Fruits in Local Markets.

A great abundance of California grapes is in the markets this week; and the supply of New York grapes will be limited only by the requirements of the markets at upward of 3 cents per pound for Concords, and perhaps a cent higher per pound for choicer red varieties. This season's crop of the America, the best grapes from Spain, known here generally as Malaga, is exceptionally large, fully 25 per cent. greater than last season, when a great crop was gathered. There is, therefore, no doubt that the market will be abundantly supplied with grapes for several months at least.

The foreign dried fruit crop is a very large one this season, and the fruit will be of unusually good quality. Zante currants will be very plentiful. It is estimated that there was grown along the Mediterranean this year not less than 150,000 tons of these currants. Both the Valencia and Malaga raisin crops have been very large. By the McKinley bill an additional duty of ½ cent per pound has been imposed on raisins, but currants have been placed on the free list instead of being taxed 1 cent per pound, as under the present law.

The cranberry crop has not proved to be as large as expected when the crop was first beginning to be gathered. Three weeks ago 175,000 bushels were confidently expected for New Jersey. Now the best authorities only expect 135,000 bushels. The Cape Cod crop will not be any greater than last year. A full crop was expected three weeks ago. However, there is a larger crop in the West, and there will be less demand there for them. This fruit will sell this week for as low prices as at any time during the season, excepting damaged berries. There will always be some berries slightly damaged by frost, which must find an immediate market, and such stock may sell for less than $6 per barrel. But most dealers think that there will be few cranberries wholesaled for less than $6 per barrel this year, and all really good ones will sell for at least 25 per cent. more.

This is a chestnut year. This nut is usually very abundant during one season and very scarce the next. This is the year of abundance, and those well informed about the nut say that there will be a great supply of them.

## AN EXCITING ADVENTURE.

**A Practical Joke Which Might Easily Have Ended in a Tragedy.**

For myself, I was "chopped down" once, and once only, writes Charles G. D. Roberts, in St. Nicholas. It happened in this way. In the midwinter of 1879, I had occasion to visit the chief camp of the Little Madawaska. Coming from the city, and to a camp where I was a stranger to all the men, I was not unnaturally regarded as a pronounced specimen of the greenhorn. I took no pains to tell any one what the boss already well knew, that is, that I had been a frequenter of the camps from my boyhood. Many and many a neat trap was laid for my apparently "tender" feet, but I avoided them all as if by accident. As for climbing a tree, I always laughed at the idea when it was proposed to me: I always suggested that it might spoil my clothes. Before long the men, by putting little things together, came to the conclusion that I was an old stager; and, rather sheepishly, they gave over their attempts to entrap me. Then I graciously waved my hand, as it were, and was frankly received as a veteran, cleared from every suspicion of being green.

At last the day came when I *did* wish to climb a tree. The camp was on a high plateau, and not far off towered a magnificent pine tree, growing out of the summit of a knoll in such a way as to command all the surrounding country. Its branches were phenomenally thick; its girth of trunk was magnificent. And this tree I resolved one day to climb, in order to get a clear idea of the lay of the land. Of course I strolled off surreptitiously, and, as I thought, unwatched. But there I was much mistaken. No sooner was I two-thirds of the way up the tree than, with shouts of laughter, the lumbermen rushed out of the surrounding cover and proceeded to chop me down. The chance was too good for them to lose.

I concealed my annoyance, and made no attempt to descend. On the contrary I thanked them for the little attention, and climbed a few feet further up, to secure a position which I saw would be a safe one for me when the tree should fall. As I did so, I perceived, with a gasp and a tremor, that I was not alone in the tree.

There, not ten feet above me, stretched at full length along a large branch, was a huge panther, glaring with rage and terror. From the men below his form was quite concealed. Glancing restlessly from me to my pursuers, the brute seemed uncertain just what to do. As I carefully refrained from climbing any further up, and tried to assume an air of not having observed him, he apparently concluded that I was not his worst enemy. In fact, I dare say he understood what was going on and realized that he and I were fellow-sufferers.

I laughed softly to myself as I thought how my tormentors would be taken aback when that panther should come down among them. I decided that, considering their numbers, there would be at least no more danger for them than that to which they were exposing me in their reckless fooling. And, already influenced by that touch of nature which makes us so wondrous kind, I began to hope that the panther would succeed in making his escape.

The trunk of the pine was so thick that I might almost have reached the ground before the choppers could cut it through. At last it gave a mighty shudder and sagged to one side. I balanced myself nimbly on the upper side, steadying myself by a convenient branch. The great mass of foliage, presenting a wide surface to the air, made the fall a comparatively slow one; but the tremendous sweep of the draught upward, as the tree-top described its gigantic arc, gave me a sickening sensation. Then came the final dull and thunderous crash, and—in an instant, I found myself standing in my place, jarred but unhurt, with the snow threshed up all about me.

The next instant there was another roar, or rather a sort of screaming yell, overwhelming the riotous laughter of the woodsmen; and out of the confusion of pine-boughs shot the tawny form of the panther in a whirlwind of fury. One of the choppers was in his path, and was bowled over like a clumsy nine-pin. The next bound brought the beast on to the backs of a yoke of oxen, and his cruel claws severely scratched the oxen's necks. As the poor animals bellowed and fell on their knees, the panther paused, with some idea, apparently, of fighting the whole assembled party. But as the men, recovered from their first amazement, rushed with their axes to the rescue of the oxen, the panther saw that the odds were all against him. He turned half round and greeted his enemies with one terrific and strident snarl, then bounded off into the forest at a pace which made it idle to pursue him. The owner of the oxen hurled an axe after him, but the missile flew wide of its mark.

### Smoking and Cancers.

Mouth cancers and cigar-smoking have been closely associated in the public mind since General Grant's death, but a prominent Cincinnati physician, in a recent conversation upon the subject, said: "The only cases of cancer of the tongue that I ever saw were of persons who never smoked. The majority of them were women and the half-dozen men who were afflicted were not confirmed smokers at all. I don't believe that smoking even in the most indirect way causes cancer of the tongue. In General Grant's case the public believed his disease was due to excessive smoking, but few physicians share that view."

### Mechanical Curiosities.

Darius L. Goff, of Pawtucket, R. I., who has a fancy for mechanical curiosities, possesses a clock that never runs down. Through an ingenious contrivance it is kept wound by the simple opening and closing of the front door of the house. Electrical appliances, operated by the running of the clock, raise the gas jet in the hall at dusk and lower it at bedtime; ring an early rising bell for the servants, a later one for the family, and an hour later the breakfast bell, and when the hour is struck musical cathedral chimes respond in the chambers of the house.

## HAD IT DOWN PINE.

**Where the Jewsharp Still Ranks High as a Musical Instrument.**

The sun had just broken over the tops of the Ozarks one warm morning in July, says the Chicago Herald. The mist that always settles thickly over these half mountains with the night-fall was going to pieces and disappearing as the sun rose higher, leaving the green and dense verdure heavy and wet with the dew. In a cozy nook, on a log overhanging the wild little stream that dashed down from a gushing spring above, a native was seated, earnestly playing a jewsharp. He twanged the vibrant metal with his thumb, keeping time by splashing one of his bare feet in the clear water below. After ten minutes, during which time the sun had got high enough to shine straight into his eyes, he took the harp from his mouth and, wiping it on the leg of his trousers, exclaimed:

"Thar! Ef that don' settl' 'er, what will?"

Before he had spoken another word a stranger stepped from behind a big tree and addressed him:

"That was the best tune I ever heard played on one of those instruments."

The mountaineer looked at the stranger a moment, and then, drawing himself up in a knot on the log, said:

"D'ye mean it, mister?"

"Mean it? Of course. Why do you ask?"

"It's lak this, mister. Yer see I hev been jest on the aige o' jinin' th' Simpson gal, over 'n th' holler, fer more'n er yar, an' when th' poppin' time kem she up an' says thet I kain't hev 'er 'less I kin play ther jews'a'p. I bin practicin' hyar on this log for nigh a month now, I reckon, every day in th' mornin' 'fore sunup, an' I wuz thinkin' es I sot hyar, es ef I didn't git th' hang o' it purty soon, it'd be good-bye, Sal. But yer make me feel better, stranger, an' ef yer round these parts nex' week jes' drop over on ther slope 'cross th' way an' ye kin be my best man."

As the stranger moved on down the path the mountaineer struck up his tune again and played with a vim that was evidence that the stranger had been telling the truth.

Along with the fiddle, the jewsharp still ranks high as a musical instrument in the mountain regions of Arkansas and Missouri. A native who can't play the jewsharp is looked upon as having very poor prospects.

## HEART FAILURE.

**Weak Heart, Shattered Nerves and Nervous Prostration the Trouble with Thousands.**

Failure or weakness of heart action is becoming a very prevalent disease. It is a *most serious* and *dangerous condition* to be in, and gradually runs into **palpitation, spasms or neuralgia of the heart, total exhaustion of nerve power or death.** At the first sign of these dread diseases every one should **immediately seek a cure,** and not wait until the fatal symptoms point unmistakably to death.

*The first symptoms may be very slight and apparently trivial.* **But do not fail to heed them if you value your life.** They often begin with a *nervousness* and *weakness,* a *trembling* or *strange faint feeling,* with *tendency to giddiness.* As the disease increases these symptoms grow in intensity and will be accompanied by *dizziness, swimming* of the *head, fluttering* or *palpitation* in the left side of the chest, *shortness of breath,* a *sinking sensation,* with *coldness of the feet* and *legs.* There is often also a *feeling of apprehension* or *anxiety,* as of impending danger, and a tendency to *drowsiness* during the day and *sleeplessness* at night.

*A little over-exertion, excitement or emotion may bring on the attacks at any time.* Sudden rising from a stooping or reclining position will cause dizziness, and rapidly climbing stairs will make the heart palpitate, produce weariness and shortness of breath. In some cases there are pains in the region of the heart, *but in most cases there is no pain whatever.*

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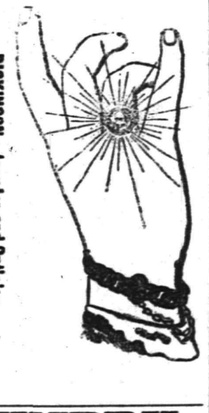

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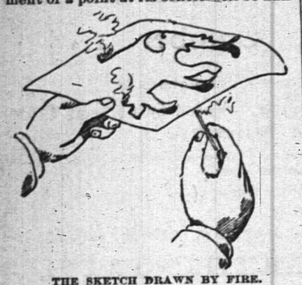
## A SIMPLE PANTAGRAPH.

**This One Works Well and Can Be Made by Any One.**

Some considerable time ago, says Golden Days, we had an article on how to make a pantagraph. The instrument therein described was made with four sticks of wood. But all pantagraphs are not of this pattern. Here, for instance, is a new one made of a piece of india-rubber and a metal ring. It takes but little time to make, and acts very well.

The principle is that if a string is fastened at one end, and stretched equally along its length, the displacement of a point at its center will be half



THE SKETCH DRAWN BY FIRE.

as much as the displacement at its free end. That this is so any one can see for himself if he tries with a length of elastic.

Take a ring and make three holes in it at equal distances, through which thread your piece of elastic. If you had only two holes, your elastic would slip along too easily, but with three, you will get such a grip by the triangular arrangement as will enable you to move the ring up and down when you try, but will stop any accidental slip.

The holes should be made in the ring like the symbol of "therefor" (∴), and between the lower two a pin should be fastened in the ring so that its point comes exactly in the center.

Now make a loop at each end of your elastic. Hook one end on to a pin stuck in the drawing-board, and arrange your copy so that its center comes in the middle of your ring, while a pencil slipped into the other loop comes in the center of your paper.

You need not have the apparatus in the position shown in the cut, nor need you hold it with your left hand; but pull the elastic straight out, so that both ends are in a line.

As you stretch the elastic, you will find that according to the position of the ring on the string your pencil moves over more ground than the pointer in the ring. Consequently, all you have to do is to watch the movement of the pointer, and mark with the pencil.

If you have your ring half way, you will enlarge your copy as much again. The nearer you take your ring to the pin the greater will be your enlargement; the nearer you take it to the pencil, the less will be your enlargement.

If you want to reduce your copy, all you have to do is to put your pencil in the ring and draw with it, while you put



PANTAGRAPH.

your point over the copy and trace with it. In fact, you shift the positions of copy and paper, and pencil and pin.

A much simpler arrangement is a plain strip of india-rubber fastened at one end, looped round a pencil at the other, and having a mark across it at some convenient point in its length, the mark serving all the purposes of the pin and ring.

## TABLE CONVERSATION.

**Things to Discuss During the Meal Hour That Will Improve the Education.**

What do you talk about at the table? Is it simply "Please pass the bread," "Some more potato, thank you," or even "Mother, you *do* make such good pie?" These are all necessary and right, especially the last one. We should never forget to praise the work of the one who makes the home food attractive and nourishing. But words about the edibles, even though they be kindly and cheery ones, should not form the staple of conversation at the table.

Could I sit down, unseen, at your tables I could soon tell how you are educating yourselves and each other; for even your faithful teachers can hardly do as much for you as you can do for yourselves and the home circle through your table talk. How much time do you spend daily at the table? Surely not less than an hour, and most of us spend two hours there. What great things might be effected were the time spent at the table devoted to lively and improving conversation. What you learn there will be remembered long after you have forgotten book lessons. Take up matters of local interest. Is your street being paved? Discuss the manner of it, and find out, if possible, whether it is a good and durable pavement that is going down or whether it will probably have to be torn up and replaced within a year or two.

Are you in the midst of a political campaign? Learn all you can of the principles of the different parties so that you may form some opinion as to the relative points of strength and weakness. Discuss the books you read and the notables of whom you read. Discuss the editorials as well as the news items in the papers. If your father or grandfather was a soldier in our last war, ask him to give you reminiscences of his battles and marches, and after supper get out your best map and go over the story with its help. You will learn more geography in one evening than you have done in all the week at school. When questions of manners or the correct use of our English language come up when you are at work or play, lay them by till dinner-time and ask mother and the older sisters and brothers for their opinions. Keep abreast of the times, as the saying is. Note the movements of National importance, the matters of reform, and even foreign affairs. I am sure that it is better to say "do" than "don't;" but I must add two "don'ts." Don't discuss the affairs of your neighbors, and don't speak a sharp or unkind word at the family table. Such utterances are as much out of place there as are unholy thoughts at the hour of prayer, for the family gathering should ever be sacred to the spirit of love and kindliest courtesy.—West Shore.

## THAT FLY PAPER.

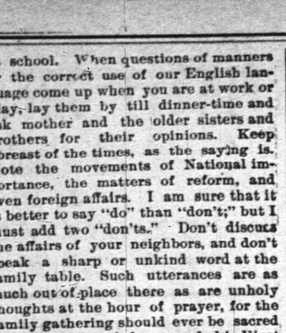
**How Little Lottie Got into Trouble with It.**

Lottie is a little girl who sometimes disobeys her mamma. She is only four years old, and her papa always says, when she gets into trouble, that when she is older she will do better.

On entering the kitchen, one morning, she saw a large piece of white paper spread out on the table. Her mamma explained to her that it was covered with something sweet and sticky, and had been placed there to catch the flies. Lottie promised not to touch it, and her mamma went out and left her trying to count the flies that had been caught.

She soon became tired of this, and made up her mind to see what made the poor flies stay on the paper.

She spread one dimpled little hand out flat on the paper, but when she tried to take it off, up came the great sheet of paper with it. She tried to remove it with her other hand, but it caught that hand, and held it fast, too. At last she



LOTTIE IN TROUBLE.

put her face against it, and tried to push it off with that, but it only stuck hard and fast to her poor little nose and cheeks.

Thoroughly frightened by this time, she called loudly for her mamma, who hurried to her, but had to stop and laugh at such a funny-looking little girl.

Her papa came in just then and felt very sorry to see his little daughter in such a sad plight.

He removed the paper from her face and hands, while she gladly promised to try very hard never again to disobey her mamma.—Laura Lee, in Our Little Ones.

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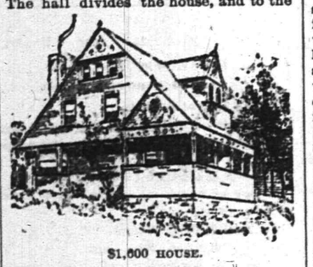
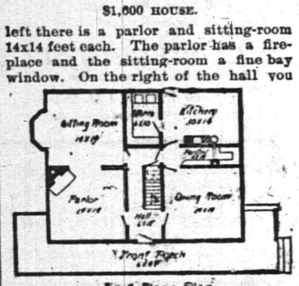


$1,600 HOUSE.

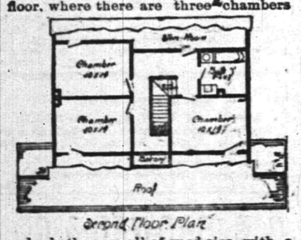
left there is a parlor and sitting-room 14x14 feet each. The parlor has a fireplace and the sitting-room a fine bay window. On the right of the hall you




First Floor Plan

find the dining-room and kitchen, with pantry between. You can enter any of the four rooms on the first floor from the hall; off from the kitchen there is a room 6x10 feet, for stores or for a pastry-room.

The front stairs lead up to the second floor, where there are three chambers




Second Floor Plan

and a bath-room all of good size with a large store-room and a balcony off the hall; there can be provisions made for a good sized room in the attic if so desired.

The kitchen floor is six inches above the ground in rear of house and about four feet above ground at front part of house. The perspective shows the house built on a small hill but it can be built on level ground as well.

GEO. A. W. KINTZ.

# GOLDEN VINTAGE DAYS.

## With the Grape Gatherers Along the Rhine.

**Women in the Vineyards—They Cut the Bunches with Scissors and She Who Sings Loudest Soonest Gets a Husband.**

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BACHARACH, Sept. 22.—The summer visitors have gone and this Old World village, past which flows the Rhine and over which frown the ruins of the castle of Stahleck, sleeps in the sunshine that has ripened its grapes for so many hundreds of years. One forgets for awhile the railroads and the telephones and the modern hotels and other nineteenth century innovations, and goes back to the days of armored knights and crusaders as one walks its narrow streets between its picturesque old houses with their quaint wooden beams, and looks up at the gray towers on the crag, from which still descend the stout old town walls bristling with tall watch towers and circling us round with their protection, as if at any moment the alarm bells might ring and the Counts Palatine summon their vassals to man the defenses against the Knights of Furstenberg, whose battlements one can see from the river-side, and who once had the audacity to stop even the vessel of a king to levy Rhine toll.

But the villagers fear not, and the women from the Steeger Thal, the green and narrow valley behind the ancient little town, come driving their donkey carts and their teams of cows through the stone gateways, sculptured with men at arms and strange animals, early in the morning for another purpose than behind bulwarks to seek refuge. In the bare little platz in front of the church—it is a Templars' church of the twelfth century—they sit surrounded by great baskets piled up with plums, red tomatoes, peaches, pears, white and purple grapes, hazelnuts and every kind of vegetable. Here is a cart drawn by a yoke of huge white oxen, with a picture of the Virgin painted on one of its panels; there a group of women in varicolored head kerchiefs, carrying on their backs great oval milk firkins. It is the market, and with its background of gray walls and round Romanesque arches, in the hazy light of an autumn sunrise, it makes a busy scene in a hamlet full of strange corners.

There is an air of expectation over every thing. The stolid-looking men and the bare-armed girls talk with animation and gesticulate as they look up at the sky. The great event of the year is approaching; it is almost time for the vintage. When the sun comes out warm they say: "Ach, the grapes like this!" When the clouds gather they look grave: "If only it does not thunder; after a thunder-storm comes cold weather." Eight hundred years ago the wine of Bacharach was noted. Pope Pius II. used to have a cask of it sent to Rome every autumn, and Nuremberg held its freedom on payment of four tuns of it in yearly tribute to the Emperor Wenzel. For all these centuries Bacharach has dreaded the autumn rains.

The hill-sides about the village are terraced, and not a square foot but bears its vine. The vineyards are dreary things to look at from a distance, less picturesque than fields of hops or beans, in that the poles are short and the grapes are not allowed to fling about their tendrils. With their straight, monotonous rows, broken by cross lines of walls and arches built against the steep slopes to secure the soil from falling, they disfigure the landscape; but when one is once among them and the leaves, turning russet, rise waist high, and the smell of the heavy clusters fills the air, then one, too, counts the hours of sunshine and waits for the ingathering.

At last comes the morning. The grapes of Bacharach are white, and they have hung until they are full of juice and thin-skinned. To-day begins the autumn festival. The girls go out with baskets and scissors. With all my heart I long to join them. They have green and red and white kerchiefs tied over their heads, and they wear short blue skirts that stop far above their wooden shoes. Bending, they cut the bunches and sort them. These are for the best wine, those for the second and the others for the third quality. Quickly the baskets fill, and the men go up and down the rows lifting them on their heads and carrying them out ready for the presses. There is a hard and fast line drawn between the women's work and that of the men. No boy will cut grapes; he will only carry them.

Before five o'clock in the morning the girls are in the vineyards. The married women have risen by 3:30 or four. There is the cow to milk and feed and the coffee pot (these Germans are not tea-drinkers like the English) to set boiling. Rarely a bit is eaten before, men and women together, they are at the gate of the master of the vineyard. He comes down from his chamber to set them their tasks with the sleep not rubbed out of his eyes. When they have started in the dawn up the hill-sides he goes back to snatch another nap before sunrise. At eight o'clock there comes a pause in the labor. The girls cluster in groups under the plum trees. Each has her bit of black bread to eat, and as she breaks it she passes her joke or bit of merry gossip with her neighbor. Their faces are brown and flushed a little. The young men lean over the walls and perhaps there's a bit of courting. Some of the girls bring out great balls of yarn from their pockets and half-knitted stockings. The old women—they look rheumatic—bask like lizards in the sunshine. And the air is full of the sound of locusts, and the red berries of the mountain ash burn bright, and the feathery clusters of the wild clematis hang on every thing. There are clouds of blue butterflies over the vines, and in the pauses of the laughter one can hear the leaves dropping.

At nine o'clock the bells of the church begin to ring. This tells the grape gatherers that the hour of leisure is over and the cutting of the bunches must begin again. The sun is getting high and it warms their veins. From my window I hear them sing. Over and over comes the refrain: "Geselgert sei der Rhein," ("Blessed Be the Rhein"). It is not what you would call musical singing. Some of the voices are hoarse and rough, but it grows ever quicker and fuller in volume, and it seems to carry the very spirit of the vintage. It is impossible to stay in doors; one must go out and look and listen. There is a sturdy, strong-waisted, yellow-haired girl of eighteen whose voice rises above the others. She is a merry girl with blue eyes, a good-looking, muscular peasant, and she leads the chorus:

Where the mountains bear the vine,
And the vine bears golden wine.

Hear it again. There are twoscore voices singing:

Nur am Rheine will ich trinken,
Einen echten deutschen Trank!
Und so lang noch Glaser winken,
Tone laut ihm Lob und Dank!

When the laughter and the song are loudest the church bells ring eleven. This is the signal for going home. In fifteen minutes the noon fires are burning and potatoes are boiling for the substantial meal of the day. There is no meat to the dinner, for the wages—even the vintage wages—will not buy it, but milk and potatoes are set out and the house tidied, and at one o'clock the bells call men, women and children again to the hills. There are no clocks in the houses, and the church bells keep the reckoning of the laborers' day. The cutting begun again it is not long before a vineyard is cleared, and bare and desolate it looks indeed, like a house you have lived in for years when you have moved out the furniture. The jollity of the vintage runs highest in the afternoon. The climax comes at four o'clock, when the bells announce another rest and bread eating. Under the plum trees there is a babel of voices. A rustic lover sits openly with his arm about his sweetheart's waist, and you will not have to wait long before you see him kiss her—yes, and hear him; for the hearty smack sounds rods away. There is more singing, and higher on the slope somebody is playing on an accordion. Five o'clock interrupts the merrymaking. The work goes on, the shadows lengthen, but the vines are not deserted until it is too dark to sort the grapes properly.

Such a day with fourteen or fifteen hours in the field and yet only ten hours' work accomplished is too wasteful for any American laborer; but the long rest periods morning and afternoon for which the German begins early and stops late add to the festival aspect of the harvesting. The presses wait for the fruit, and soon will come the wine auction, when the buyers from Cologne fill little Bacharach, and wurst and horse-radish and cheese are set out, and everybody drinks to the growth of the vines and the vintage of a year ago is disposed of.

It is a land of corn and wine that borders this turbid river, but its fruits are not gathered without its women. They want not wives, these Rhenish peasants say, who sit in rocking-chairs. It is the girl who sings the loudest in the vintage who soonest gets a husband. Twelve cents a day is the wages she earns, besides the prospect of marriage. Forty cents is a man's hire, with two quarts of the poorer wine. And when the rustic lover has married his sweetheart, then you will see her climbing the hill-sides in the morning to cut grass for their cow. If you walk you will notice everywhere the low stone posts set back a few feet from every highway. Between these and the beaten track the peasant women's sickles are always busy, for these little margins are public property and supply grass for the summer and hay against the winter time. You will meet her, too, with an enormous weight of wood on her head, a load that a man could not carry, dead sticks picked up in the forest. Or you will pass her digging in the little patch of vines or potatoes that every peasant owns and leaves his wife to plant and hoe and harvest while he hires out to a vineyarder. This is her morning—her housekeeping—and at one o'clock she, too, is ready for half a day's hiring to pull weeds or train vines. And withal she bears many children and finds life not less pleasant than women of other lands whose tasks press not so heavily.

And when the wild winds of November sweep down the hill-sides and the swallows have gone and the vines are bare, then there are leaves in the woods to bring home for the milker's bedding, and—but let us not talk of winter, for it is still golden autumn and the vintage but to-day begun.

ELIZA PUTNAM HEATON.

**A Timely Text.**

A clergyman who recently held services in prison, preached from the text: "Go home to thy friends," and for once in their sin-stained, crime-haunted lives the audience expressed a desire to follow a good man's advice.—The Jury.

**Misunderstood.**

Johnson (who has been badly hurt by the cars)—Can I recover, doctor?

Dr. Feese—I don't believe you can. You had no business to be on the track; and I don't think a jury would give you a cent of damages.—Light.

**Something of a Stoic, Too.**

"Larkin is a genuine philosopher."

"So?"

"Yes, he is. He moved to Brooklyn last week; and, to-day, when I asked him how he liked it, he replied: 'Oh, I'm not complaining.'"—Puck.

**The Safest Plan.**

Wife—I don't believe mother is dead, darling, and I can't bear to have them put her in a vault. She might come to.

Husband—That's just what I think, dearest. We had better have her cremated.—Drake's Magazine.

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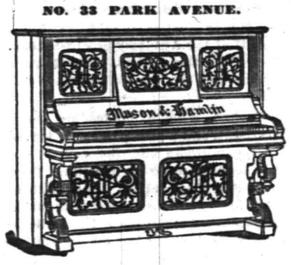



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| 4th do | 10.00 | do | 10.37 | do | |
| 5th do | 11.00 | do | 11.34 | do | |
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| 7th do | 1.45 P. M. | do | 2.15 & 2.25 P.M. | | do |
| 8th do | 2.45 | do | To the Post Office. | | |
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| 10th do | 5.00 | do do | 5.39 | do | |
| 11th do | 5.45 | do do | 6.07 | do | |
| 12th do | 6.45 | do do | 7.03 | do | |

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Leave Plainfield 3 37, 5 34, 5 38, 6 29, 6 59, 7 26, 7 30, 7 58, 8 15, 8 31, 8 37, 9 32, 10 05, 11 09, 11 39, A. M., 1, 1 41, 2 07, 2 30, 3 12, 3 51, 5 09, 5 31, 6 07, 6 54, 7 03, 8 31, 9 28, 10 12, 11 28 P. M. Sunday—3 37, 5 34, 8 01, 8 52, 11 02, 11 16 A. M., 12 32, 1 55, 3 30, 5 16, 7 01, 7 10, 8 23, 8 32, 10 02 P. M.
Leave New York from foot of Liberty street, 4 30, 5 45, 7, 7 45, 8 45, 10, 11, A. M., 1, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 4 45, 4, 4 30, 5, 5 15, 5 30, 5 45, 6, 6 15, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 8, 8 30, 9 15, 10, 11 30 P. M., 12 15, night. Sunday—4 30, 7 8 30, 9, 9 30, A. M., 12 M., 1, 1 30, 4, 5 30, 6, 7, 9 00, 10 00 P. M., 12 15 night.
PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.
Leave Plainfield 5 38, 6 29, 6 59, 7 30, 8 15, 8 37, 9 32, 10 05, 11 09, 11 39, A. M., 1, 2 07, 2 30, 3 12, 3 51, 5 08, 5 31, 6 07, 6 54, 7 03, 8 31, 10 12, 11 28 P. M. Sunday—3 37, 5 34, 8 01, 8 52, 11 02, 11 16 A. M., 12 32, 1 55, 3 30, 5 16, 7 01, 7 10, 8 23, 8 32, 10 02 P. M.
Leave Newark 7 10, 7 30, 8 55, 10 10, 11 05 A. M., 1 05, 1 35, 2 40, 3 40, 4 02, 4 37, 5 05, 5 30, 5 55, 6 25, 7 15, 7 35, 8 25, 9 35, 10 10, 11 25 P. M. Sunday—7 20, 8 40, 9 05, 9 50, A. M., 12 05, 1 10, 4 10, 5 40, 6 05, 7 05, 9 25, 10 20 P. M.
Passengers for Newark change cars at Elizabeth.
PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.
Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7, 8 07, 9 42, 11, 11 53 A. M., 1 59, 2 32, 3 45, 4 34, 5 20, 5 34, 6 20, 6 38, 7 08, 7 32, 8 20, 9 43, 11 13, 12 43 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 13, 9 48, A. M., 2 09, 2 30, 5 14, 6 35, 10 15, 11 14 P. M.
Leave Somerville, 6, 6 30, 7 03, 7 35, 7 49, 9 05, 9 47, 11 15 A. M., 12 35, 1 15, 1 48, 2 06, 3 2, 4 40, 5 12, 5 35, 8 05, 8 50, 11 05, P. M. Sunday—8 25, 10 35 A. M., 12 08, 105, 4 50, 6 40, 8 03, 8 35, 9 30 P. M.
PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.
Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7, 8 07, 9 42, A. M., 1 59, 4 34, 5 20, 6 38, 8 20 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 13 A. M., 2 09, 6 35 P. M.
Leave Easton 6 05, 8 44, 10 A. M., 12 32, 4 09, 6 49 P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 52, A. M., 6 40, 7 30 P. M.
PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.
Leave Plainfield 7, 9 42 A. M., 1 59, 5 22 P. M. Sunday—8 13 A. M.
WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.
LEAVE PLAINFIELD.
5 45 A. M. for Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.
7 A. M. for High Bridge Branch and Easton.
8 07 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.
9 42 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.
1 59 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Manch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Nanticoke, Drifton, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c.
4 34 P. M. for D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.
5 20 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Schooley's Mountain, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, &c.
6 20 P. M. for Flemington.
6 56 P. M. for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg.
8 20 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.
5 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 9, 13 a. m. Sundays for High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, &c., 2 08 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua and Pottsville. 6 35 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.
For Atlantic City, 9 37 a. m. 1 p. m.
Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c.
Leave Plainfield 3 37, 8, 11 09, a. m., 5 31, p. m. Sundays—(except Ocean Grove) 8 52, a. m., 3 30 p. m.
For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 38, 8, 10 05, 11 09 a. m., 1, 3 51, 5 31, 7 08 p. m. Sunday—8 52 a. m., 3 30 p. m.
For Freehold, 3 37, 8, 11 09 a. m., 1, 3 51, 5 31, p. m.
BOUND BROOK ROUTE.
Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia, 1 17, 5 48, 8 29, 9 48, 11 58 a. m., 1 59, 3 22, 4 08, 8 28, 6 30, 8 20 p. m. Sundays—1 17, 9 48, a. m., 2 30, 4 08, 6 16, 8 55 p. m.
For Baltimore and Washington at 1 17, 9 48, 11 58 a. m., 2 45, 4 08, 5 34 p. m. Sundays—1 17, 9 48 a. m., 2 47, 4 08, 5 14 p. m.
RETURNING—LEAVE PHILADELPHIA.
Ninth and Green streets, 7 30, 8 30, 9 30, 11 05 a. m., 12 45, 1 30, 3 15, 5 15, 6 15, 8 02, 9 45, 12 p. m. Sundays—9 a. m., 12 00, 3 10, 5 15, 6 10, 6, 12 p. m.
From 24th and Chestnut—8 10, 8 20, 11, 9 a. m., 12 52, 3 20, 6 18, 8 05, p. m. Sundays—3 35, 8 56 a. m., 12 52, 3 20, 6 18, 8 05 p. m.
Leave Trenton, Warren and Tucker sts., 1 30, 4 09, 7*, 9*, 9* 10 10, 11 55 a. m., 1 28, 2 10, 3 40, 5 56, 6 59, 8 47, 10 p. m. Sundays—1 30, 4 09, 5 56 a. m., 1 28, 4, 5 55, 7, 8 47 p. m.
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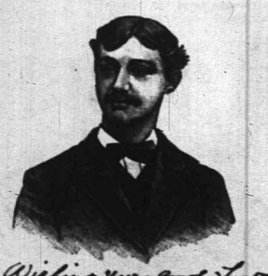

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## NO KNIGHTS OF LABOR

### Powderly's Men Blacklisted by the New York Central.

### VICE-PRESIDENT WEBB'S ORDER.

### Members of the K. of L. Must Resign from the Organization.

**The Management of the Road Want Faithful and Efficient Servants—Samuel Gompers Says Webb's Action is Unmanly—Mr. Powderly Predicts a Spread of Secret Organizations.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 3.—The New York Central Railroad Company has determined to get completely rid of the Knights of Labor who may still be in its employ. When the strike began nearly every Knight employed on the system went on strike. Since the strike was declared off the company's secret service employes have been at work trying to ascertain if any of Mr. Powderly's adherents still remained in the company's service. It is said that there are about fifty members of the Order still working for the company. The corporation is determined to get rid of all the members of the Order, and will not retain in its employ anybody who owes allegiance to the Knights. Third Vice-President Webb yesterday issued the following order to the various heads of departments:

The recent strike, the acts of lawlessness committed in connection therewith, the published correspondence between the leaders of the organization that ordered it, and the fact that many men now seeking re-employment state that they quit work from fear of personal violence and did not dare to offer to resume work for the same reason, compel the management of this company to announce that it objects to its employes being members of the organization known as "The Knights of Labor."

The management is satisfied that membership in this particular organization is inconsistent with faithful and efficient service to the company and is liable at any time to prevent it from properly discharging its duties to the public.

You will at once take such action as will bring this circular to the attention of the employes in your respective departments.

**What the Labor Men Say.**

The general opinion among the labor leaders who were seen was that Mr. Webb's circular was unnecessary and uncalled for.

President Samuel Gompers, of the American Federation of Labor, read the circular over and then said:

"Mr. Webb is a fool. 'Whom the gods would destroy they first make mad.' I believe there are sufficient organizations to which the men could belong in the various branches of the railroad service outside of the Knights of Labor. My impression is that Webb's circular will have the opposite effect to that which he intends it to have. The success of the company in the contest with the Knights seems to have had the effect of intoxicating him. The circular is a cowardly performance, since it attacks a fallen foe."

**What Powderly Says.**

SCRANTON, Pa., Oct. 3.—"I am not surprised at the order issued by the Central road," said Mr. Powderly. "It is quite in keeping with the past policy of the management. Mr. Webb represents directly the Vanderbilt interest and Mr. Depew, although nominally the president of the company, is simply retained in that position as a reward for past services as a lobbyist at Albany. While Mr. Depew is content to draw his $50,000 a year as president he is also satisfied to allow his manhood to suffer and to allow Mr. Webb transact the business which he as president should perform. It will result in Government supervision of the railways of this country, and nothing can stop it, for there will be organizations formed one after another, and if they cannot organize openly they will in secret, though I cannot say that I approve of such methods."

**Must Leave the State Forever.**

ST. PAUL, Minn., Oct. 3.—A conditional pardon was granted to Thomas O'Connor, who has served twelve years of a life sentence in the penitentiary at Stillwater. The petition for O'Connor's release was signed by all the jurymen who rendered the verdict, the judge who pronounced the sentence, and Judge Severance, the prosecuting attorney in the case. The condition on which the liberation is granted is that O'Connor is to leave the State forever.

**Effect of the Express Strike.**

LONG BRANCH, N. J., Oct. 3.—The partial tie-up of the Adams Express at Jersey City is being felt very severely at all the seacoast towns on the lines of the New York & Long Branch railroad, over whose lines the Adams people control the express business. Not a piece of express was received the first day after the trouble from New York by the agents at Red Bank, Long Branch, Asbury Park and the other shore towns, and business is still hampered.

**Will Visit the Redskins.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 3.—The President has appointed Messrs. William Cumback, of Indiana; George P. Kinkead, of Kentucky, and Charles D. Drake, of the District of Columbia, a commission to visit the Puyallup Indian Reservation, in the State of Washington, and investigate and report as prescribed by the act of Congress approved August 19, 1890.

**Crushed to Atoms.**

LONG BRANCH, Oct. 3.—Frank Kitchener, of South Amboy, a brakeman on the freight train running between Jamesburg and Long Branch, was killed at the Long Branch station of the New York & Long Branch Railroad. His death was most horrible. His ribs were crushed in and his body flattened to about six inches. He lived only 20 minutes.

## GOV. HILLS' HELP ASKED.

### Cigarmakers Want Him to Look After the Binghamton Authorities.

NEW YORK, Oct. 3.—There was a large mass meeting of cigarmakers and other branches of organized labor held last night at Clarendon Hall to extend aid and sympathy to the striking cigarmakers of Binghamton, who have been striking many weeks, and have received harsh treatment. All the speakers denounced Judge Downes, of that place, who is charged with treating the strikers in a very arbitrary manner.

The speakers were Louis Walters, B. Rosenberg, Samuel Gompers and Alexander Jonas. They gave a history of the strike and of the hard struggle the cigarmakers were enduring in spite of arrests, jails and the money of the manufacturers.

Resolutions were adopted denouncing the greed and heartlessness of the manufacturers, and holding up to scorn Judge Downes, whose decisions against the striking cigarmakers were declared to be unconstitutional, and calling upon Gov. Hill to exercise his power in the premises.

## LINGO HAS A CHANCE.

### The Camden Detectives Have No Trace of the Murderer of Mrs. Miller.

CAMDEN, N. J., Oct. 3.—The developments of the past 24 hours seem to be in favor of Lingo, the negro, who is locked up on suspicion of having murdered Mrs. Annie Miller in the woods at Matchtown a week ago.

The detectives have been engaged in closely tracing up Lingo's movements on the day of the murder, and the time seems to have been accounted for with the exception of a few minutes.

Prosecutor Jenkins admits that while it is possible the assassin could have committed the murder without getting any blood on him it is improbable that he escaped without some stains. He denied any knowledge that any of Inspector Byrnes' men from New York are at work on the case.

**Failed to Turn Off the Gas.**

BOSTON, Oct. 3.—Two men, registering at the Hampton House in Haymarket square, last night, as William Bucklet and John Oates, were found in their room, one dead and the other unconscious, owing to their failure to turn off the gas. Oates was removed to the hospital where he still lies in a critical condition. It has been learned that he came from Margaree, C. B., but Bucklet's home is unknown. The men did not appear to be in liquor and had evidently come to the city in search of work.

**Important Meeting of Oil Magnates.**

PITTSBURG, Oct. 3.—An important meeting of the Standard Oil Company magnates and producers is being held here. Oil brokers say that the meeting is for the purpose of effecting a reconciliation between the Standard and the producers. The Standard is held to account for the break in the market and the existing low prices. The production for September shows an increase of 16,000 barrels, and to this the Standard attributes the reduction in price.

**A Negro Assaults a Child.**

WILMINGTON, Del., Oct. 3.—Gracie Clark, the 10-year-old daughter of Thomas Tasker Clark, a farmer, was assaulted while she was playing in her father's barn near Newcastle, by Jacob Starker, a negro, weighing 190 pounds. Starker was captured and had to be taken secretly to the jail, owing to threats made against him. At a hearing later the prisoner was committed to jail without bail to answer the charge at court.

**Seven Millions Capital.**

PITTSBURG, Pa., Oct. 3.—It is stated on good authority that Eastern capitalists have organized a company with $7,000,000 capital for the purpose of conducting the business of manufacturing tinned plates. The headquarters of the company will be at Baltimore. It will run its own tin mines and will try to control the American tinned plate trade. Buildings will be erected at once.

**Killed His Wife and Himself.**

SARATOGA, N. Y., Oct. 2. James W. Denton, a farmer living on the Brill farm, three miles north of Saratoga, shot and killed his wife shortly after noon and then sent a bullet through his own brain. He had been suffering from mental depression and is believed to have been temporarily insane when the deed was committed.

**A Boom in Nickel.**

TORONTO, Ont., Oct. 3.—The action of the United States Congress in putting nickel ore on the free list and appropriating one million of dollars for the purchase of ore has started a boom in the nickel region. Several new companies have been organized.

**Nominated for Congress.**

GREENFIELD, Mass., Oct. 3.—Timothy G. Spaulding, of Northampton, was nominated for Congress by the Republicans of the Eleventh District.

## WASHINGTON TOPICS

### The State Department and the New Tariff.

### ADVICE TO FOREIGN MERCHANTS

### They Must Disclose Trade Secrets Before Their Goods Can Come In.

**Work of Investigating Committees Appointed by Congress—Quickest Time on Record in the Government Printing Office—An Interesting Point About the Tariff—A Batch of Postmasters.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 3.—Acting Secretary Batcheller has written to the Secretary of State in regard to the question submitted to our Consul General at London, England, by the secretary of the Chamber of Commerce of that city concerning the manufacturers' additional statements required under the Customs' Administrative act.

It provides for a declaration by the manufacturer of merchandise consigned for sale by him or on his account to a person in the United States showing the actual cost of production of such merchandise, including cost of materials and of fabrication, all general expenses of each and every outlay of whatever nature incident to such production, together with the expenses of preparing and putting up such merchandise ready for shipment.

General Batcheller says: "This department is of opinion that the information as to the actual cost cannot consistently, with the provisions of the law, be withheld from the consignee, and made a subject of a confidential communication from the consignor to the Consul, and that no other form of statement than said form 171 can ultimately be accepted as satisfying the requirements of the law."

**A New Tariff Point.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 3.—The Treasury Department has mailed a certified copy of the new Tariff law to every collector of customs and internal revenue in the United States. The new law goes into effect on October 6. In this connection an interesting point has been raised at the Treasury Department which will probably be brought before the Secretary for decision. The point in question arises from the delinquency of the mail service to deliver the tariff law to the collector at San Francisco and other points where it is an impossibility for mail sent out to-day to be delivered on the 6th instant. As the old law goes out of operation on that date, the question has arisen whether goods arriving at San Francisco and other points before the new law has been received by the collector, are dutiable under the old, or properly come under a law which the collector of customs never read, and officially knows nothing of.

**Quick Work at Printing.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 3.—The Government Printing office made the quickest time on record in getting out the official print of the Tariff law. Most of it was in type the day before, but the proof had to be compared with the original bill at the State Department. As there were sixty-five pages in proof this was by no means easy work, but under the supervision of Mr. Bryan, of the printing office, it was completed not long after midnight, and before morning the presses had turned out enough copies of the bill to supply the collectors of customs throughout the country. They were mailed during the day and it is expected that all of them will have reached their destinations by the time the law goes into effect, next Monday.

**Work of Investigating Committees.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 3.—The shortness of the recess of Congress will prevent the several investigating committees pursuing their inquiries to any extent before the next session convenes. The sub-committee of the House appointed to look into the arrangements made by the World's Fair Commission for the Government exhibit, will go to Chicago at an early day. The sub-committee of the House Judiciary Committee, that has been investigating the allegations of corruption in United States Courts will go to New Orleans after the November election to continue its investigation, and the joint committee of the Senate and House charged with the inquiry into the immigration system will go to the Pacific coast early in November.

**Collector of Customs.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 3.—The President has appointed Taylor James, of Massachusetts, to be Collector of Customs for the district of New Bedford, Mass.

**Indians Excited.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 3.—Reports from the Sioux camps along the Cheyenne river state that the fanatical fever of the Indians over the expected coming of their Messiah is increasing daily.


Highest of all in Leavening Power.—U. S. Gov't Report, Aug. 17, 1889.

**Royal Baking Powder**

**ABSOLUTELY PURE**


## BASEBALL GAMES.

### National League.

AT BROOKLYN.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Brooklyn | 2 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | x | 9 |
| Pittsburg | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |

Batteries—Terry, Foutz and Clarke; Anderson and Berger.

AT CINCINNATI.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Cincinnati | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 3 |
| Boston | 0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | x | 7 |

Batteries—Rhines and Harrington; Clarkson and Bennett.

AT CLEVELAND.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Cleveland | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| Philadelphia | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 |

Game called at the end of the ninth inning on account of darkness.

Batteries—Young and Zimmer; Gleason and Clements.

AT CHICAGO.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Chicago | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 7 | |
| New York | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 3 | |

Game was called at the end of the seventh inning on account of darkness.

Batteries—Hutchinson and Nagle; Sharrott and Clark.

### Players' League.

AT BUFFALO.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Buffalo | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 |
| Brooklyn | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 |

Batteries—Cunningham and Mack; Sowders and Daily.

AT CLEVELAND.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Cleveland | 2 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 11 | |
| Philadelphia | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 6 | |

Game called at the end of seventh inning on account of darkness.

Batteries—O'Brien and Sutcliffe; Buffinton and Milligan.

AT CHICAGO.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Chicago | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 4 |
| New York | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

Game called at the end of the eighth inning on account of darkness.

Batteries—Baldwin and Farrell; Crane and Brown.

AT PITTSBURG.

Pittsburg and Boston game postponed on account of rain.

### American Association.

AT COLUMBUS.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Columbus | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 10 |
| Athletic | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 |

Batteries—Gastright and O'Connor; Green and Riddle.

AT TOLEDO.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Toledo | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Rochester | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |

Game called at the end of the ninth inning on account of darkness.

Batteries—Healy and Sage; Barr and McGuire.

AT ST. LOUIS.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| St. Louis | 4 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 6 |
| Syracuse | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 5 |

Batteries—Stivetts and Munyon; Keefe and Pitz.

AT LOUISVILLE.

The Louisville and Baltimore game was postponed on account of wet grounds.

**Attendance at League Games.**

| | Players | League |
|---|---|---|
| Chicago | 722 | 618 |
| Cleveland | 283 | 159 |
| Brooklyn | .... | 1,089 |
| Buffalo | 473 | .... |
| Cincinnati | .... | 436 |
| Pittsburg | Rain | .... |
| Totals | 2,293 | 1,478 |

**Standing of the Clubs.**

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

| | Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'ct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Brookl'n | 85 | 43 | .664 | Boston | 76 | 56 | .576 |
| Chicago | 82 | 53 | .607 | N. York | 63 | 67 | .485 |
| Philadel | 77 | 51 | .602 | Clevl'nd | 42 | 87 | .326 |
| Cincin'ti | 76 | 55 | .580 | Pittsb'rg | 23 | 112 | .170 |

PLAYERS' LEAGUE.

| | Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'ct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Boston | 80 | 46 | .635 | Philadel | 67 | 63 | .515 |
| Brookl'n | 75 | 54 | .573 | Pittsb'rg | 58 | 67 | .464 |
| N. York | 74 | 56 | .569 | Clev'l'nd | 55 | 74 | .426 |
| Chicago | 74 | 62 | .541 | Buffalo | 36 | 93 | .275 |

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

| | Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'c |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Loui'v'le | 81 | 41 | .664 | Roch'st'r | 60 | 57 | .513 |
| St. Louis | 76 | 51 | .598 | Athletic | 55 | 70 | .440 |
| Col'mb's | 71 | 54 | .568 | Syracuse | 47 | 71 | .398 |
| Toledo | 65 | 55 | .542 | Baltim'e | 36 | 86 | .290 |

**Schedule of To-Day's Games.**

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

New York vs. Chicago, at Chicago.
Brooklyn vs. Pittsburg, at Brooklyn.
Boston vs. Cincinnati, at Cincinnati.
Philadelphia vs. Cleveland, at Cleveland.

PLAYERS' LEAGUE.

Brooklyn vs. Buffalo, at Buffalo.
New York vs. Chicago, at Chicago.
Boston vs. Pittsburg, at Pittsburg.
Philadelphia vs. Cleveland, at Cleveland.

**Committees of the Peabody Fund.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 3.—At the meeting of the trustees of the Peabody Educational Fund, the following standing committees were appointed: Executive Committee, ex-President Hayes, Hon. James D. Porter, Chief Justice Fuller, Hon. Wm A. Courtney, Hon. Charles Devens and the chairman, Hon. Robert C. Winthrop, ex-officio. Finance Committee: Hon. Wm M. Evarts, Hon. Hamilton Fish, ex-president Cleveland, Anthony J. Duval, Hon. Randall L. Gibson, and the treasurer, Mr. Morgan, ex-officio. Hon. J. L. M'Curry was unanimously re-elected General Agent, and J. Pierrepont Morgan was re-elected Secretary. The other officers of last year, subject to re-election, were re-elected.

**A Democratic Love-Feast.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 3.—The barbecue of the Democratic Society of New Jersey, which is to be held at Asbury Park on Monday, promises to be a big political event. A number of Congressmen have been secured as speakers, the list including Senators Daniels, of Virginia; Gray, of Delaware; Blodgett, of New Jersey, and Congressmen Maish, Covert, Flower, Cummings and John Allen, the Mississippi wag. Senator McPherson, who has gone to Monmouth Beach a sick man, being worn out in his fight in opposition to the Tariff bill, will not be able to be present.

**Another Flaw in the Tariff Bill.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 3.—It is understood that another flaw has been discovered in the Tariff bill as signed—the omission of the paragraph providing for a drawback on manufactured tobacco. As this clause does not go into effect until January 1, Congress will have an opportunity to remedy the defect.

## OUR ROYAL VISITORS

### The Comte de Paris and Prince d'Orleans Here.

### WELCOMED BY OLD VETERANS.

### Every Possible Courtesy Shown by Government Officers in New York.

**The Distinguished Party to Visit the Battlefields of the Late War—Writing a Book About the Great Struggle—Soldiers Who Fought With the Count Greet Him Now.**

NEW York, Oct. 3.—The White Star steamer Germanic, which left Liverpool on September 24th and Queenstown on the 25th, reached New York early this morning. She had on board His Royal Highness Louis Phillippe Albert, Prince d'Orleans and Comte de Paris, the head of the royal Bourbon family of France.

The Prince, who modestly prefers to be known as the Comte de Paris, is accompanied by his eldest son, upon whom he has conferred the title of Prince d'Orleans, and by his venerable uncle, the Duc de Joinville. The rest of the royal party consists of the suite of the Count and a small retinue of servants.

The royal visitors were welcomed down the bay while the steamer was on her way to the city by Collector of the Port Joel B. Erhardt in the name of the President and people of the United States.

By express direction of the Secretary of the Treasury the Collector was reqqested to extend every possible courtesy to His Royal Highness upon his arrival in the country, and to facilitate the landing of himself and his distinguished friends and their passage through the Custom House ordeal, which even princes of royal blood must undergo.

The Count returns to this country to revisit the scenes of his battles and campaigns with "little Mac," to see his old comrades in the field, and perhaps to add some interesting chapters to his remarkable book on the American war.

The committee of veterans who met the Count and his party were General Daniel E. Sickles, General Daniel Butterfield, General Henry W. Slocum, General Martin T. McMahon and General Horace Porter, all of whom either served with him on McClellan's staff or were associated with him in the Army of the Potomac.

## THE DISTRESS IN IRELAND.

### What English Papers Say About the American Relief Movement.

LONDON, Oct. 3.—The St. James' Gazette prints an article commenting, in a sneering manner, upon the movement in America to establish a fund for the relief of famine sufferers in Ireland. It says that the movement is simply a dodge to secure the Irish vote.

The Pall Mall Gazette rebukes the Times for its articles denying that the condition of affairs in Ireland is such as to warrant apprehensions of a scarcity of food.

The Gazette asks: "Does Jackson's airy scamper, Balfour's placid absence from Ireland, or the eager scepticism of the Times prove that there is no famine in Ireland?"

The Star says: "America shames us. The establishment of a British fund to relieve the distress in Ireland is imperative."

**On the Lookout for the "Ripper."**

LONDON, Oct. 3.—The force of police in the Whitechapel district has been largely increased, owing to the threatened revival of "Jack the Ripper's" operations. The officers are instructed to resume the extraordinary precautions which were thought to have caused the disappearance of the mysterious "Ripper" after his last horrible butchery, though they were not successful in leading to his detection.

**Stormy Scene in Tipperary.**

LIMERICK, Oct. 3.—A stormy scene occurred in the Limerick Corporation meeting when a motion of censure for the Tipperary arrests was under discussion. The motion was finally passed, and its opponents narrowly escaped being ejected from the meeting.

**Will Turn the World Upside Down.**

BERLIN, Oct. 3.—In a speech in this city the Socialist, Liebknecht, said: "Our opponents imagine that our ranks are now split. But we will go on fighting with spirit. We will sacrifice unity for strength. We will overthrow everything."

**Russian Students Still Agitating.**

ST. PETERSBURG, Oct. 3.—The university has been reopened, after having been closed six months on account of sedition among the students. It is reported that the students have renewed the agitation, and 14 of the offenders were arrested last night and imprisoned.

**Warned Against Lottery Advertising.**

BOSTON, Oct. 3.—The local United States authorities, acting under instructions from Washington, have advised the newspapers here to receive no more advertisements pertaining to lotteries.

**Speaker Reed's Trip.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 3.—Speaker Reed arrived here last night. He will speak at New Haven to-night, and will go thence to Maine. Next week he will speak at Lynn and Lowell, Mass.

**His Head Blown Off.**

KINGSTON, N. Y., Oct. 3.—Asa Dubois, aged 23, was accidentally shot by his brother in-law, Charles Siste, while out gunning near Gardiner. His head was literally blown off.

## BISHOP GILMOUR RETALIATES.

### He Denies Absolution to the Publisher and Supporters of a Newspaper.

CLEVELAND, O., Oct. 3.—The trouble that has been recently brewing between Bishop Gilmour and J. J. Greeves, editor of the Catholic Knight, which Greeves claims is the official organ of the Knights of St. John, and which the bishop denies, culminated in the bishop publishing decrees of the third council of Baltimore. These decrees permit canonical punishment of publishers who make hostile attacks on the church authority.

In his publication Bishop Gilmour reserves to himself the right of absolution of not only Greeves, but all those who handle, encourage or read the Catholic Knight. Manly Tello, editor of the Catholic Universe, the bishop's paper, has instituted suit for libel against the World, which published an article by a Youngstown priest attacking Tello and the bishop personally. The diocese is greatly excited over the affair.

**A Fall River Man Suicides.**

FALL RIVER, Mass., Oct. 3.—Frank B. Brightman, a collector employed by Dr. George S. Eddy, committed suicide by jumping from Crab Pond bridge. Inside his clothing was pinned a note which said: "Please notify P. P. Brightman at George E. Hoar's store, 45 Bedford street. I jumped from this bridge to-night between 1 and 3."

While men were dragging for Brightman's body, a man who has not yet been identified took off his coat and hat on the Ferry street wharf, jumped into the water and was drowned.

**Bishop Loughlin's Golden Anniversary.**

BUFFALO, N. Y., Oct. 3.—The Right Rev. Bishop Stephen V. Ryan and Rev. Gleason, vicar-general of the diocese, with many priests and members of the Catholic Benevolent Legion, have announced their intention to be present at the golden anniversary of ordination to the priesthood of the Right Rev. Bishop John Loughlin of Brooklyn, on October 18.

**Admits She is a German Spy.**

PARIS, Oct. 3.—The woman arrested at Cannes by the French authorities charged with being a German spy has made a confession in which she admits that she was in the the employ of the German Government as a spy and says that she was paid at the rate of 300 francs per month for her services and was also allowed fifteen francs a day for traveling and incidental expenses.

**Arrested for Killing Her Baby.**

GREENVILLE, N. J., Oct. 3.—Louisa Mueller, aged 29 years, a domestic employed at No. 945 Garfield avenue, was arrested on suspicion of having murdered her new-born baby. It was found concealed in the bushes in Currie's woods. She was held pending the result of the coroner's investigation.

**Importing Leather Workers from Jersey.**

LYNN, Mass., Oct. 3.—Nineteen morocco workers from Newark, N. J., have arrived here to take strikers' places in the shops. Four of them were captured by the Knights of Labor at the depot. The others went into Martin's factory, where quarters had been prepared for them.

**A Prominent Citizen Shoots Himself.**

BINGHAMTON, N. Y., Oct. 3.—George W. Sherman, a well known builder of Ithaca, shot himself through the body with a rifle at his home in that city. It is not known whether the shooting was accidental or intentional.

## NEWS OF THE DAY.

Dr. McGonegal's defence has begun in New York, but developed nothing beyond tactics of delay.

Chicago is threatened with another sensational divorce suit in which the name of a New York physician is involved.

Mayor Lehr, of Allentown, Pa., after a lively chase captured a gambler working the "thimble" game at the exhibition grounds.

An express messenger on the Cincinnati, Sandusky and Cleveland was held up by two masked men and the safe rifled of money and valuables.

John Monithrop, who was arrested at West Troy, N. Y., for stealing his sister's silverware, had just finished a term in the penitentiary for stealing the same silverware.

**Weather Indications.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 3.—For New England: Fair weather; stationary temperature, southeasterly winds.

For Eastern New York: Fair weather; stationary temperature; variable winds.

For New Jersey and Delaware: Showers variable winds, generally easterly; stationary temperature.

For Western New York and Western Pennsylvania: Light rains; southeasterly winds; slight changes in temperature.

## NEW YORK MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Oct. 2.—Money on call to-day 3 and 3½ per cent.

BONDS.

| | Closing Yesterday. | Closing To-day. |
|---|---|---|
| 4½s, 1891 Reg | 104½ | 104¼ |
| 4½s, 1891 Coup | 104 | 104¼ |
| 4 s, 1907 Reg | 122¾ | 123 |
| 4 s, 1907 Coup | 119¾ | 120 |

STOCK MARKET.

| | Closing Yesterday. | Closing To-day. |
|---|---|---|
| Canadian Pacific | 53¾ | ... |
| Central Pacific | ... | 90¾ |
| Chicago, Bur. & Quincy | 90¾ | 155 |
| Delaware & Hudson | 157 | 145¾ |
| Del. Lack. & Western | 146¾ | 24¾ |
| Erie | 24¾ | ... |
| Erie pref | ... | 108¾ |
| Lake Shore | 108¾ | 85 |
| Louis. & Nash | 85½ | 22 |
| Michigan Central | ... | 79¾ |
| Missouri Pacific | 79¾ | 115 |
| New Jersey Central | 117 | 108¾ |
| Northwestern | 109 | ... |
| Oregon Navigation | ... | 42¾ |
| Pacific Mail | 41¾ | 40¾ |
| Reading | 40¾ | 81¾ |
| Rock Island | 81 | 69¾ |
| St. Paul | 69¾ | 23¾ |
| Union Pacific | 23 | ... |

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## BY THE WAY.

—The "Young Plainfielders" are very sad over their defeat by a picked nine, yesterday. The score was 7 to 3. The pitchers were G. Mattis and S. Perrine.

—The annual meeting of the Plainfield Relief Association for the election of officers, will be held in the Y. M. C. A. parlors on Monday morning, Oct. 6, at 10 o'clock.

—Last evening was the Crescent League's first "ladies night" since the Olympia has been leased by that association. There was a large attendance of the members' families.

—A. S. Titsworth, agent for the Liverpool & London and Globe Ins., Co., paid Nelson Blackford $250, Tuesday, the full amount of the policy on his barn which was burned six days before.

—A business meeting of the Crescent Avenue C. L. S. C. will be held in the church parlors, to-morrow evening at 8 o'clock. Any who would like to join the Circle are cordially invited to attend.

—Weekly conference of Christian young men will be held at the Y. M. C. A. rooms to-morrow evening at 8 o'clock. A rare opportunity is afforded in these meetings to ask and answer questions pertaining to Christian life and work.

—Doing business on a strictly cash basis, and selling goods at lowest cash prices, is hereafter to be the plan of J. B. Hatfield, of the Park Avenue Market. His announcement among the advertisements will be read with interest.

—Mrs. Dr. Edwards, the clairvoyant, although so far recovered from her recent illness as to be able to see all who want to consult her, may leave for the South in a few days to seek renewed health. Therefore all who so desire should call at once at the City Hotel.

—Ladies who wish to examine the new styles in millinery will have an opportunity afforded them Saturday, October 4, when Mrs. L. Adams, of No. 5 East Front street, will give her opening for the season, with a fine display of Fall and Winter bonnets and hats.

—Passersby are attracted to the windows of this office by sight of a full and ripened bunch of grapes suspended *inside* of a small-necked bottle. How did it get there? Hugo Weigmann, of East Front street, probably knows. He presented the phenomenon to THE PRESS.

—A reference to the prosperous shoe men of this city, such as appeared in these columns yesterday taken from a prominent trade paper, is incomplete without mention of Geo. W. Force who at 11 West Front street offers a line of shoes, boots, etc., that attract and satisfy a large trade of all ages.

—Samuel Gibson, who was found by the police at two o'clock Thursday morning, saying his prayers, on his bended knees, in the street, and whose mind is said to have been affected through dissipation, has been taken to a farm at Short Hills, where he will be properly cared for at the expense of the city.

—Eight homers from the LaGrande avenue loft of J. Hervey Doane, were shipped to Havre de Grace, this afternoon to take part in a federation race. The distance is 115 miles. THE PRESS was appointed to countermark the birds, by the race secretary of the Federation of American Homing Pigeon Fanciers.

—To-night the concert by the original Fisk jubilee singers will take place at Reform Hall. There are nine singers, all of whom are noted for their fine voices, and for the natural rendering of their peculiar Southern melodies. They have visited every large city in America, and have been through Europe recently, and everywhere they have delighted their audiences. Go early if you would secure a good seat.

### Installation of Officers.

At the regular meeting of Franklin Council, No. 41, Jr. O. U. A. M., held in their hall corner of Front street and Park avenue, last night, after the usual routine business was transacted the following officers were installed for the ensuing quarter:

Junior Past Councilor—Gilbert S. Martin.
Councilor—Charles W. Tallman.
Vice Councilor—Louis M. Dunavan.
Ass't Recording Secretary—David S. Dunavan.
Conductor—Elias R. Pope, Jr.
Warden—Charles W. Taynor.
Inside Sentinel—Harry C. Dennis.
Outside Sentinel—William B. Hardy.

Several brothers from Newark, Rahway and Woodbridge were present and took part in the installation ceremonies.

### A Cold Water Cranford Man for Senator.

The Union County Prohibitionists held a convention at Elizabeth last night in Temperance Hall, and nominated an entire county ticket.

Mr. Bigelow, of Cranford, was nominated for State Senator. There was quite an attendance of cold-water men at the affair, and considerable enthusiasm manifested.

### Hartpence—Clark.

At the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. S. F. Chappel, Kingston, N. Y., took place on Wednesday the marriage of Miss Fannie B. Clark and Harry Hartpence of this city. Mr. and Mrs. Hartpence began housekeeping at once in handsomely furnished apartments on West Front street.

—Buy your window shades at Fairchild's furniture store 21 and 23 East Front street.

## HARVEST MOON HAPPINESS.

### The Methodists Give a Pretty Affair in Vincent Chapel.

A bit of golden Autumnal fairyland was displayed at Vincent Chapel last evening, when the people of the Methodist Episcopal church opened a harvest moon fair and supper for the benefit of their Evona mission, for which a new building is about to be constructed.

The weather out of doors was unpleasant, but inside of the handsome chapel all was brightness and good cheer. The place was adorned with sheaves of grain and shocks of corn, ripe, russet-hued and rustling. The walls were hung with gorgeous assortments of Autumn leaves. A rural cottage thatched with straw and illuminated with jack-o'-lantern pumpkins peeped modestly forth from among the gay frost-bitten leaves and spreading branches of a bit of woodland. A rustic atmosphere, balm-laden, and quivering with the pleasant sounds of mirth, pervaded the place. The occasion was very like a revel by moonlight amid fragrant woods and bounteous fields.

All the more lovely for being flesh-and-blood creations were the fairies of this wonderland. Attired in the daintiest of costumes, and beaming with winsome smiles and fascinating graces, they cast a subtle charm over every trespasser on their domain, and exacted tribute money from not unwilling purses.

Jack Horner was present, with his pie—a mammoth toothsome creation in a big bright pan. Through a hole in the upper crust the visitors thrust their thumbs, and brought forth dainty bonbons and other goodies. Mrs. D. Davis, Miss Daisy Mitchell and Miss Belle Lunger superintended the distribution of plums.

If one wished more substantial refreshments he found no lack of fair ones willing to provide it. He had but to make known his desires, and one of the fifteen—Mrs. Pike, Mrs. Packer, Mrs. Winter, Mrs Mahaffe, Mrs. Love, Mrs. Lunger, Mrs. Spicer, Mrs. Jenkins, Mrs. Valient, Mrs. G. Thorn, Miss Baker, Miss S. Sharp, Miss Lunger, Miss Bolsterli and Miss May McDonald—would attend him.

Ice-cream was furnished to its devotees by Miss M. Sharp, Miss L. Wakefield, Miss G. Sharp, Miss Maize Hurlbut, Miss Grace Carroll, Miss Alice Loomis, Miss Annie Stafford, Miss Kittie Mitchell, Miss Rose Thorn and Miss May Thompson.

There was of course a lemonade well; and generous glasses, sparkling to the brim, came for thirsty wayfarers, from its cool, delicious depths, in answer to the beck of the wands of Mrs. Carroll and Miss Alice Carroll.

A genuine country store was another of the attractions. It was a cosy little corner, and its patrons were many. From behind the well-laden counter all sorts of desirable wares were handed out by Mrs. Taft, Mrs. Baker. Mrs. Edwin Loomis, Miss L. Chandler and Miss Eleanor Morrison.

At the fruit and decorating booth Mrs. Griffen, Mrs. Roberts, Mrs. Chas. Mitchell, Mrs. M. Brown and Mrs. Homan presided. They had many callers.

The fair and supper will be continued this afternoon and evening.

## PARTICULAR MENTION.

Edward G. Pope, younger son of Postmaster E. R. Pope, is home again after a long absence in the far West.

David Wotherspoon, of this city, is entered for both the singles and doubles in the Westfield tennis tournament, now in progress, and Messrs Walz and Beebe are in the doubles.

John K. Clark, accompanied by Frederick Cranson, both of Cazenovia, N. Y., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hartpence, of West Front street. Mr. Clark is Mrs. Hartpence's father.

By request, the Rev. Dr. Lewis will preach, to-morrow morning at 10:30, upon: "Parental Influence in Forming and Developing the Character of Children." Strangers welcomed.

David Ebbitt, aged 75 years, died at the home of his son-in-law, Nathaniel Saunders, yesterday. Funeral services will be held to-morrow from the house, 20 Jackson avenue, at three o'clock.

Among recent guests at Van Court Inn, Roselle, were Herman Simmonds and family, of this city. This new hotel just opened by H. W. Pope seems sure of success. The most expert of *chefs* has been secured and every other detail arranged for the satisfaction and gratification of the very best people.

Architect Charles H. Smith, of this city, who is just completing a handsome residence for the Corporation Counsel on West Eighth street, will shortly begin the building of a home for ex-Judge Wm. Stillman, on West Seventh street between Central avenue and New street. Mr. Smith has also been engaged by the N. J. A. C., to build them a club house at Bergen Point.

### Shattered His Elbow by a Fall.

Patrick Kiely, a workman for Mr. Burgess on Central avenue, was seriously injured by a fall from a tree yesterday. Carrier E. T. Dunn happened to be passing, and assisted in carrying the unfortunate man into the house. Drs. Boone and Hedges, who attended him, found that he had sustained a compound fracture of the arm at the elbow joint—one of the worst kind of fractures and the hardest to heal properly. The bones at the joint were crushed into fragments, and several pieces penetrated the flesh and pierced the skin. The injured man suffers great pain, though the injury was dressed with the utmost skill.

### Interesting to Young Men.

It has frequently been mentioned in these columns lately that the Young Men's Christian Association will organize a class for the study of shorthand. The following letter will show how advantageous it is for young men to pursue this study. The Mr Packard referred to is Professor S. S. Packard of the business college in New York city bearing his name:

*Office of Remington Standard Typewriter,*
*327 Broadway, New York.*
July 11, 1890.

DEAR MR. PACKARD: Could you not help us by persuading some of your capable young men to take up shorthand and type-writing when your Fall term opens? Wouldn't their chances be better than in the book-keeping line? I am prompted to suggest this just now because our office-supply man has just informed me that he is all out of good material, and has a pressing call at this moment for four young men at good salaries. We are sometimes rather overstocked with incompetent girls, but we are never overstocked with men, competent or otherwise. Too few young men take up the study of shorthand.

Yours very truly,
C. W. SEAMANS,
Of Wyckoff, Seamans & Benedict.

All young men interested in this matter will be heartily welcomed at the Association rooms on Friday evening, October 10, when the class for the coming season will be organized. It is also a pleasure to announce that type-writing will be taught in connection with shorthand. The Association has fortunately secured a machine for this purpose.

The Association is only too glad to assist young men in this way, and it is sincerely hoped that a large number will avail themselves of this grand opportunity for self improvement. The fee for membership in the Association ($2.00) entitles to either or all of the classes of the Association, together with circulating library and members' receptions. Applications for membership may be left at the rooms.

### Not for Exultation but for Style.

*(From the Somerset Unionist-Gazette.)*

On account of the threatening weather and wet grounds last Saturday, the third and last game of the West End-Crescent series, which was to have been played at Plainfield, was postponed until Saturday of this week. Hatfield and Gore of the New York (P. L.) club were to play with the West Ends, and in addition to Doran and O'Rourke, Shoeneck of the New Haven club had been added to the Crescent's team.

The Crescents had advertised that the West End club would bring a brass band with them, so, in order not to disappoint the spectators, Bartow's band was secured and taken down. They have been secured for the coming Saturday.

There seems to be some misunderstanding about the action of the West Ends in taking a band with them. Some of our people have the impression that it is done to exult over their opponents. That is not the case. It was distinctly stated in the original proposition that the band would give an hour's concert before the game, and at its conclusion would serenade the winners. The true purpose is to put on a little style, and make the game as pleasant as could be desired.

[There will be no exultation by the band over the loss of either club, as each pays one-half the musicians' salaries. It is no more the West Ends' band than the Crescents! ED.]

### A Beautiful Woman.

Nature has been exceedingly lavish in bestowing her charms on Miss Josephine Cameron. She not only possesses all the attributes to make a beautiful woman, but a personal magnetism that is felt by all with whom she comes in contact. She has large, sympathetic eyes, and her glance seems to reach the inmost thoughts of the soul. She is not alone a beautiful woman, but an artiste of rare merit, and comes to us from an exceedingly triumphant tour of the West Indies and South America.

An exchange, speaking of Miss Josephine Cameron, who presents "Forget-Me-Not" at Music Hall, this evening, says: "Of all the victories she has won, this is among the most brilliant. Her acting was faultless, and her impersonation, both in the wicked, scheming, fashionable woman and the penitent, terror-stricken lady, was perfect in every way."

Miss Cameron is ably supported and a perfect production of the play seems assured.

### Uniformed Knights of Honor.

Wetumpka Commandery, No. 34, Uniform Rank of the Knights of Honor, was instituted last evening by Deputy Supreme Dictator, C. J. Feytel, in Wetumpka Lodge rooms, 3,401, Knights of Honor.

The Commandery starts with a charter list of 29. The following officers were elected:

*Past Commander*—C. J. Feytel.
*Commander*—S. E. Flower.
*First Vice Commander*—C. R. Thiers.
*Second Vice Commander*—L. I. VanAlstyne.
*Secretary*—J. Sylvester.
*Treasurer*—F. P. Haffner.
*Senior Aid*—John Fellows.
*Junior Aid*—J. C. Pierson, Jr.
*Guard*—E. W. Rodgers.
*Sentry*—John VanMiddlesworth.

Members of the Knights of Honor in good standing are eligible to the Commandery. The Commandery meets at S. E. Flower's, 13 East Front street on Monday evening next.

### Dunellen, N. J.

The charter of the North American Endowment Associates will be closed Tuesday evening, October 7, 1890. Persons wishing to join as charter members can do so by seeing C. W. Oley, and making out an application before that time.

### A Surprise.

If you will go to Rogers Bros' shoe store Saturday, you will be surprised to see what a good shoe you can buy for $2.00, $2.50 and $3.00.

### Work for the Plainfield S. P. C. C.

Willie Major, an eight-year-old boy living near Bound Brook, died Tuesday, from excessive cigarette smoking. Last Saturday he made cigarettes from the silk of green corn. This he wrapped with newspaper and smoked a number of them. On Sunday he was taken ill and became delirious. He had every symptom of brain fever and died in convulsions.—*N. Y. Morning Journal.*

The boy lived in Trenton and not Bound Brook. The incident is not isolated. It is true that various boys may be seen daily upon the public streets of this town and other places with cigarettes in their mouths. They must purchase them at tobacco stores, which thus violate the law. It would be a wholesome thing if a law could be passed in New Jersey, such as went into effect September 1, in New York, which punishes boys under sixteen who use tobacco in any form. Until there is such a law, there ought to be a full enforcement of the present one; and besides this, there ought to be addresses made and sermons preached, so that parents generally may be given to understand the baleful influences of boys using tobacco, and especially cigarettes.—*Somerville Gazette.*

### A Pleasant Birthday Surprise Party.

A large gathering of the friends of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Mitchell met at their home on Plainfield avenue, last evening, to celebrate the forty-fifth anniversary of Mrs. J. W. Mitchell's birth. The house was crowded. The company indulged in various appropriate pastimes, interspersed with singing. The special committee for the occasion was Mrs. E. B. Maynard, Mrs. Mary Thomas and Mrs. Francis Wyckoff, who did all in their power to make the occasion enjoyable to all. John W. Mitchell, son of the Rev. J. W. Mitchell, presided at the piano and showed marked ability as a young amateur. At a late hour the company dispersed, singing "God be with you till we meet again."

### A Betrayer Assassinated.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Oct. 3.—An Armenian advocate has been assassinated here by order of the Armenian revolutionists, who suspected him of betraying their cause to the Sultan. Many arrests have been made as a result of the exposure of the conspiracy.

### The Shooting at King Alexander.

LONDON, Oct. 3.—The Servian Legation in London has received information from Belgrade, with reference to the alleged attempt to assassinate the King, that a revolver cartridge crashed through the King's carriage, but that the shooting was not designed.

### Emperor William Pleased.

BERLIN, Oct. 3.—Emperor William has telegraphed the Empress and Chancellor Caprivi that he is highly gratified at his warm reception in Vienna. Chancellor von Caprivi has started on a visit to the South German courts.


# Catarrh

Is a blood disease. Until the poison is expelled from the system, there can be no cure for this loathsome and dangerous malady. Therefore, the only effective treatment is a thorough course of Ayer's Sarsaparilla—the best of all blood purifiers. The sooner you begin the better; delay is dangerous.

"I was troubled with catarrh for over two years. I tried various remedies, and was treated by a number of physicians, but received no benefit until I began to take Ayer's Sarsaparilla. A few bottles of this medicine cured me of this troublesome complaint and completely restored my health."—Jesse M. Boggs, Holman's Mills, N. C.

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**Valuable Building Lots for Sale,**

On Grove street and Craig place, North Plainfield. This plot is one of the most desirable in the Borough, and is offered for sale at a reasonable price and on easy terms. Will be sold in quantities to suit. Apply to Owner, at 25 Craig place. 8-14-tf

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Having entirely recovered from her severe illness, is now able to see her patrons again

**On and after Wednesday, Oct. 1,**

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Ladies 50c to $1. Gentlemen $1.

After this week she can be consulted all day 9 30 tf


## LIST OF ADVERTISED LETTERS

Remaining in Dunellen Post Office for the month ending Sept 30, 1890:

Armstrong, Rev A
Allen, Esq Eugene
Bond, Samuel (col)
Brouwer: Miss Mary E
Barkalow, Miss Katie
Cruiln, Chas
Dairymple, Jessie
Date, Mr. John
Trimmer, Mr Ross C
Daye, Mr F L
Griffin, Miss Mary
Giles, Mrs Art
Giles, Mrs Vinna
Hancock, Mr J
Hodge, G T
Harris, Miss Emma
Huff, Mr Jacob
Fisher, W H
Kimball, Mr Chas A
Leviners, Mr John L
Lord, Mrs Elizabeth
Lord, Mr David S
Mitchell, Mrs P
Mullison, Harriet
Morrissey, Mr J H
Runyon, Mr Irving
Stites, Jos
Smith, Mr Mulford
Sleeper, Mrs Geo
Stuts, Mr A
Slocum, Miss Frances E
Tinsman, Mrs Annie

Persons calling for the above please say advertised. JAMES H. HAROLD, P. M.

## List of Advertised Letters

Remaining in the Plainfield post office for the week ending Oct. 1, 1890.

Armand, Dr (2)
Coswell, Peleg
Davis, Percy V
Garvie, Missis
Hudson, W E
Huse, H M L P
Kelly, Miss Mamie
Kelly, Mrs M
King, D U
Kimmell, Harry
Kellogg, F W
Knapp, J J
Knapp, H S
Lyman, Rolfe
Loyd, Jr E
Morgan, Miss M E
Munger, Miss Amanda
Morris, Mrs Harriett
Neisberg, C
Rupp, John
Sheehan, Miss Nellie
Smith, Henry C
Scott, Louise
Underhill, Geo
Underhill, Mrs F J
Winslow, Maggie A
Wachstein, Marcus
Wilson, Mrs Laura J

Persons calling for the above, please say advertised. E. R. POPE, Postmaster.

## Arrival and Departure of Mails.

*NEW YORK MAILS.*
*Arrive*—7:30, 8 40, A. M., 12:15, 2:30, 5:30 P. M.
*Close*—7:30 and 9:30 A. M., 1:45, 5:30 and 8 P. M.

*SOMERVILLE AND RARITON MAILS.*
*Arrive*—8:40 A. M., 2:40, 6:30 P. M.
*Close*—7:30 A. M., 4:30 P. M.

Direct mail to Trenton and Philadelphia at 4:30 P. M.

*SUNDAY MAILS.*
Office open from 9:30 to 10:30 A. M.
Mail closes at 6:30 P. M.
E. R. POPE, P. M.

## DEATHS.

EBBITT—In North Plainfield, October 2, David Ebbitt, in his 75th year.
Funeral services from the residence of his son-in-law, Nathaniel Saunders, No. 20 Jackson avenue, Saturday, October 4, at 3 o'clock P. M.

## WANTS AND OFFERS.

*Advertisements under this heading, one cent for each word each insertion.*

WANTED—A situation in some respectable office or store, by young man (18), speaking Spanish fluently, good writer, and some knowledge of bookkeeping. Address "O," PRESS office.

A MAN and wife, with reference, would like to take care of a house for the Winter, for the rent. Call at PRESS office. 10 3 3

FOR SALE—Tandem Tricycle, in good order: $65. Address Smalley, 5 East Front street.

LOST—On Wednesday, between the station and 6 Franklin place, a pocketbook, containing money and papers. Return to 126 Grove street. Reward.

WANTED—Girl for general housework in family of three, where another girl is kept. 16 East 9th street.

TO LET—One room, with board. 8 Central avenue. 10 2 3

WASHING and Ironing wanted, by a respectable woman, at her house. Apply 78 East Third street. 10 2 w

WANTED, until May, small furnished house in good neighborhood; about $50 or $60. Address J. VanDeventer, 170 Broadway, N.Y. 10 2 3

FOR SALE—Fine walnut Library Table Desk. Inquire PRESS office. 10 2 3

ESTEY Organ for sale. Apply 160 East Second street. 10 1 6

TO LET—A small house containing six rooms, in North Plainfield. Apply at Fairchild's furniture store, 21 and 23 E. Front st. 10 1 3

FOR SALE—Seven room house on Pearl street; price $1,650; $450 cash, or two payments required; balance on mortgage, ample time. J. Leonard, 11 West 6th street. 9 30 4

SEVERAL loads of very fine, well-rotted manure for sale; suitable for potting plants and lawns. Inquire at PRESS office. 9 30 5

FOR SALE—A second hand piano, in good condition. Inquire 107 Park avenue. 9 22 tf

LADIES doing their own dressmaking or employing plain seamstress, can secure perfect fit and pattern for future use. Taylor system. Miss A. T. Buckley, 27 West 4th street. 9 22 tf

RYE WANTED—Highest market price paid. N. W. French, 7 E. 4th street 9 11 tf

STORAGE for furniture in separate rooms. Apply to C. Frank French, 69 Somerset st. 9 2 tf

WANTED—Jobbing at painting, glazing kalsomining and roof painting. Address Isaac Kennedy, 49 Chatham street, North Plainfield. tf

WANTED—Work cleaning Vaults and Cesspools. Satisfaction guaranteed. City Odorless Excavating Works, 206 Broadway. Mrs. David Jones, Proprietor. No connection with JOHN & Co. 6-12-tf

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The choicest Creamery Butter that can be produced.
Apollinaris Water; pints, $1.50, quarts, $2 dozen; Belfast Ginger ale, $1.40 dozen.
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The finest Java and Mocha coffee in town, and the prices are right. Won't be undersold for same quality of goods. P. M. DESBARENT.
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**REFORM HALL,**

**TO-NIGHT**

At 8 O'clock.

ADMISSION, - - - 50 Cents.
Seats secured at Reynolds', and Randolph's drug stores. 10 1 3

**BAZAR & ENTERTAINMENT**

Under the auspices of the

**Ladies' Aid Society of Hope Chapel,**

ON

**Tuesday & Wednesday Ev'gs,**

OCTOBER 7 and 8.

Admission, - - - 10 Cents. 10 1 w

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Special Engagement. The Distinguished Artist.—Miss JOSEPHINE CAMERON, supported by her own Company, presenting Herrman Merrivale's London success—

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Magnificent wardrobe designed and made by Worth of Paris.

Seats on sale Wednesday.

*PRICES*—35c., 50c., 75c., and $1. 9 29 5

M. H. A.

**MUSIC HALL.**

TWO NIGHTS ONLY.

**Monday and Tuesday, Oct. 6 and 7.**

Jefferson & Taylor's Great Aquatic Spectacle,

**"A DARK SECRET."**

With the original cast, scenery and realistic effects. The new Henley regatta scene; real boats, racing shells, steam launches on a river of real water.

George Hosmer, the popular oarsman, in the winning shell; the Herbert Bros., 3 heaviest gymnasts in the World; the Manhattan Quartette, in vocal selections; the realistic drowning scene, the sensation of a lifetimes.

PRICES—35, 50, 75c., and $1.
Seats on sale Friday. 9 30 td

**Harvest Home Fair and Supper**

To be held in Vincent Chapel

This Friday Afternoon and Evening,

For the Benefit of

**The Evona Mission.**

ADMISSION, - - Ten Cents.

SUPPER, 50c., including admission. 9 29 5

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**NOW FOR BUSINESS!**

THE "Vacation" season is over. Proprietor and employees have all returned with renewed health and cheerful spirits.

ALL are ready for business, and willing to engage in the Fall and Winter campaign, assuring all who favor our establishment with a call that they shall have the very best service that can possibly be rendered.

AND it affords us great pleasure also to be able to ANNOUNCE that our buyer has been "wide awake," and secured for the inspection of the citizens of Plainfield about the nicest and most desirable assortment of Fall and Winter Goods that it has ever been our privilege to offer.

PUBLIC sentiment says that trade is going to be extra good, and the large purchase of retailers is a strong proof that it is true.

WE expect to do a larger business than ever, and to this end we have added extra help, and made heavy purchases in all of our departments.

WE are determined to leave nothing undone that is right and proper, that will help us to keep apace with the "advance of the times."

CITIZENS of Plainfield! We ask your special inspection of our elegant stock of all kinds of Dry and Fancy Goods, Carpets, etc.

OUR prices are the lowest. The quality the best, at

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JARDINIERES, CRACKER JARS,

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And I am ready for it with a full line of

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NEW STYLES of Ingrain, Tapestry, and Body Brussel Carpets, Oil Cloths, Etc., at the *LOWEST PRICES*, to which I invite your attention.

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The old reliable Dry Goods, Carpet, and Notion House. 11-13-y

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The purpose of which is to dispose of our entire stock and renew it exclusively with the new patterns of the coming season. Points worth considering:

FIRST—Our stock is very large, carefully selected, and all this season's goods.

SECOND—The first customers will have a larger stock to select from, and will get the choicest bargains.

THIRD—Prices will be the lowest ever offered—bargains being offered daily below cost. Sale closes September 1.

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**LOOMIS & RICE**

49 B'DWAY

## SHOOTING LIVE PIGEONS.

**Fine Records at the Middlesex Tournament—A Big Sweepstakes for To-Morrow.**

Excitement over the tournament of the Middlesex Gun club ran so high yesterday that the marksmen grasped the opportunity offered to extend the tournament another day, and arranged for one of the biggest sweepstakes on record. It was decided to have it take place Saturday, beginning at 10 o'clock in the morning, and it was announced that each man entering would contribute $100 to the purse at stake and would shoot at fifty live birds. As fully twenty entries were expected, it was thought that at least $2,000 would be shared by the winners. James Elliott, of Kansas City, live-bird champion of the United States, was the first to enter, and was followed by Frank Class, the famous shooter from Pine Brook, and champion of New Jersey, and J. Frank Kleinz of Philadelphia, champion of Pennsylvania.

Various purses were at stake yesterday, but only the large ones, ranging in value from $100 to $175, drew out the most expert shooters. The events were all at live birds, of which more than one thousand were killed during the day by from fifty to seventy-five contestants. Splendid records were made by many of the marksmen. Elliott, Crosby, Whitney, Wolstencroft, and Class shot all day and never miss a bird. Others who shared first money in some of the events were Miller, Wallace, Wild, Quimby, J. L. Smith, Sigler, Riggott, Welch, Van Braeckle, Castle and Wallace.

Shares in second money were won by Harrison, Cooper, Kleinz, Castle, W. H. Green, J. D. Voorhees, the "veteran," Quimby, Wild, Peacock, C. Smith, Lindsley and Cannon the noted one-armed shot of the Middlesex Club.

The live-bird sport continued excellent all day yesterday. The birds flew well and forced many of the marksmen to use their second barrel at long range. Some extraordinarily good shots resulted. An unusually strong flier came near making Elliott break his perfect record. It carried the heavy load of shot from his first barrel almost to the boundary fence, when it would have been "lost," but by a superb use of his second barrel the champion brought down the pigeon just inside the dead line.

The winnings of some of the men participating in the tournament have been large. Whitney's profits have reached $500. Elliott and Wolstencroft have won fully as high as $900 apiece. A number have lost heavily.

The big guaranteed purse of the season is at stake today. Each of twenty marksmen has paid an entrance fee of $25, and each has twenty-five birds to shoot at. The event will not be ended till dark, when $500 will be divided among the winners. There is great excitement among both contestants and spectators. The birds are flying even better than yesterday. A strong wind assists their flight away from the traps, and cripples the reach of the sportsmen's guns. Some of the most expert shots have already lost several birds, but Elliott, Wolstencroft, Whitney and Crosby still have perfect records at one o'clock, and stand a chance of winning first money. If they tie they will shoot off to a finish, and the winner will get $200—forty per cent. of the purse. All other ties—for second, third, fourth and fifth moneys—will also, it is expected, be shot off to a finish, so that there will be but one winner for each pot. These will get, respectively, 27½, 17½, 10 and 5 per cent. of the $500 purse.

Quimby's shooting this morning was phenomenal. He brought down every bird with his first barrel, and didn't have to use his second barrel once. At half-past twelve, however, his splendid record was marred. An unusually strong flier was released from the traps. Quimby hit it with both barrels, but with a wonderful spurt of endurance the bird carried the heavy load of shot over the dead line, sending Quimby to second place, and then fell lifeless.

Such brilliant shooters as even Class, Collins, Penrose and Lindsley are hopelessly out of the race. Collins lost five birds in succession, but was unfortunate in chancing to get the most spirited wingers as targets.

To-morrow's big sweepstakes will be the most interesting event in the history of the club. The purse will be divided among the four winners 40, 30, 20 and 10 per cent. It is expected that Elliott will win first money. He has not missed a target since the tournament opened. The event has an especial value in sporting history because it brings together, at rivalry with each other, the famous champions from the various States.

### Railroad Rumors.

That in the near future both fares and time will be reduced between here and New York.

That it would be a good thing for the railroad and its patrons to issue fifty-trip tickets at one cent per mile; and that this proposition made to Brother Baldwin would probably make him smile.

That on arrival of some of the principal morning trains the boats will leave without waiting for several way trains arriving at New York on schedule time.

That there has been an unusual number of freight wrecks on the road lately.

That the emigrants are not going to be allowed in the smoking cars in the future.

That gates are to be put up at the Washington avenue crossing, Dunellen.

That the company will soon build a new station opposite the tank on the Lehigh Road.

Don't hawk, and blow, and spit, but use Dr. gage's Catarrh Remedy.

### Live News From New Market.

For once in a life-time party lines were withdrawn in a local election, the vote on the proposed amendments to the Constitution being unanimously against it, in this district. The vote polled was small—only 73, as a large number of citizens did not know that any election was to take place.

The water was let out of the lake Wednesday, preparatory to the repairs being made by Mr. Otto to the dam and gates. Fine sport resulted for the fishermen. One party caught 700 catfish, which he distributed with a generous hand among his neighbors. A splendid specimen of black bass weighing 5 pounds was purchased by Mr. Carman for 75 cents. Mr. Luckey captured a German carp which turned the scales at sixteen pounds.

A very unfortunase case exists in the total loss of sight by Thomas Kitchener, a man over 70 years of age, who is dependent now entirely upon the assistance of his neighbors. His wife is also over 70 years of age, but devotes herself to his care as best she can. A weekly allowance of $1 was given to the aged couple by the township for a short time, and now even this beggarly amount has been discontinued. Kitchener lives alongside the lake in a house owned by Mr. Mitze, who generously permits him to occupy it for the balance of his life rent free. It is a case where a call from some of your wealthy residents, when out driving, would naturally excite sympathy, and the smallest assistance would be of great service. Let the good Samaritans be heard from.

The stage running to and from Plainfield has had its hours of departure changed, the first trip being made at 6 A. M. from here.

The delay in the arrival of mail matter from New York has been remedied by the sending of a direct pouch by the Lehigh Valley Railroad at 5:10 P. M.

Miss Irene Day, who has been studying at the Commercial College at Stratford, Ontario, took a first class diploma for stenography and type-writing and has accepted a temporary position in Toronto.

Stanley Day, Jr., has arrived from Canada on a visit to his parents.

BROAD-BRIM.

### Ours Go Too.

*(From the Insurance Critic.)*

John M. Crane, of Plainfield, the well-known and highly popular ex-Secretary of the Fidelity and Casualty Company of New York, and during the past two years Manager of the New York office of the old Union Mutual Life Insurance Company of Portland, Me., has just resigned from the last named Company and accepted the appointment of Superintendent of Agencies of the American Casualty Insurance and Security Company, of which the firm of Beecher, Schenck & Benedict, of New York, are General Managers. The connection of Mr. Crane with the American Casualty is but a natural sequence, and we predict will result in much advantage to both the company and our friend Crane, who is not only a vigorously industrious worker but a successful "hustler" in whatever he undertakes, and, what is better still, a truly loyal man to his business interests and friends. Our best wishes go with you, John, wherever you tie up.

### Real Estate Transfers.

Among the recent transfers of real estate in this vicinity are recorded the following:

Clarence J. Rice and Mary R. Loomis and husband, of North Plainfield, to Jeremiah Manning and James C. Manning, of Plainfield, land on Sandford avenue, Plainfield, 660 feet from Front street, 218x10 feet, $1.

Jeremiah Manning and wife, James C. Manning and wife to Clarence J. Rice and Mary R. Loomis, of North Plainfield, same tract on Sandford avenue, $1.

### A Daddy Long-Legs Story.

*(From the Newark Advertiser.)*

A curious natural phenomenon was seen at Plainfield on Monday. A gentleman walking through his garden saw a living body of "daddy long legs," as they are commonly called. There were hundreds of insects in the lump, which was fully half a foot in circumference. There long legs were tangled in a seeming inextricable mass. The animal warmth of their tiny bodies probably induced the insects to huddle so closely together.

### The Banner Ward of the State.

Returns from all over the State show that nowhere, except in the Second ward of this city, was there a unanimous vote against the amendment to permit special legislation. The total vote of that ward—which is the ward Councilman Spangenberg comes from—was 144, and all against the proposed amendment. The first ward of Bayonne comes next with only one vote for it, cast by Editor Page.

### A Reunion of Veterans.

The first reunion of the 5th Regiment, N. J. Volunteers, since the close of the war, will be held at Newark Wednesday, October 22, with headquarters at 840 Broad street. All surviving members of the old Regiment are earnestly requested to be present.

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## STUDY OF ENGLISH.

**How to Extend the Acquaintance of Students with Standard Literature.**

Critical study of English is still most infrequent in our preparatory schools. It is not always the fault of the crowded curriculum. Too often the teacher has little comprehension of the inspiration and beauty of language. Literature is still to many girls and boys a dry subject to be got through in a prescribed number of hours. Reading and writing are the last enemies to be overcome, or to be dodged as one may, instead of the best and simplest friends one can have, to be grappled to the soul with hoops of custom and continuing habit. The work of preparation in English at the Cambridge school, where girls are fitted for Harvard studies, is complete and interesting, full of suggestion for students and for teachers of literature. The object has been to create an appreciation of English writings as an expression of life, rather than as an illustration of literary forms. Each literary work as it has been taken up has been prefaced by a careful study of the life and cotemporaries of its author. Editions without notes, except in the case of Chaucer and Shakespeare, have been used, in order to give the pupils the pleasure and the profit of discovering for themselves the beauties and other traits of the writers' works, and of exercising their own judgment in respect to them. The exercises in the class room have consisted in the expression of individual thought regarding the reading done by the pupils in private.

The work in reading has been made a means of extending the acquaintance of the pupils with literature. Their attention has been directed to the life and literary personality of the authors. The attempt has not been made to produce readers, but the aim has rather been to cultivate the old-fashioned art of reading aloud. It is almost a forgotten art in the multiplicity of schools of reading. By the modern methods of teaching there are more boys and girls now than formerly who can write a good, straightforward letter or a short and simple description of something seen. But there are few who read aloud with intelligence and with charm. The teaching of English in the Cambridge school for girls is of high quality, it is in line with the most advanced thought at Harvard concerning the teaching of English as a source of high culture and fine discipline. There is no danger that in the preparatory schools for boys or for girls the teaching of English will be overdone. While it is a pleasure to know that a student has fine attainments in mathematics or the classics, there is immediate satisfaction in the culture of a young person who can read understandingly our own poets, and historians and novelists and essayists, and write out a suitable expression of the enjoyment and its sources in good, pleasant English sentences.—Boston Transcript.

## CHINA'S POPULATION.

**It is Greater Than That of All the Countries of Europe.**

The census of 1875 gave the population of the empire at 435,000,000. Since that time Tonquin has been lost with several million people, and Kashgaria has been reconquered. Among no people with any degree of civilization is the birth rate so high as in China, and although the death rate in the densely-crowded districts is very great, there is every reason to presume that there are now 450,000,000 people in China.

These figures represent more than one-third of the population of the globe. It is a greater population than that of all Europe, and three times the number of people on the Western continent. Even at these enormous figures the average number of people to the square mile for the whole empire—eighty-five—is not so high as in some parts of the United States.

In the great mountain ranges, on the arid plains of Kashgaria and the snowy regions of Mongolia and Manchuria, the population is sparse, but in the eight central provinces of China proper—in the fertile, alluvial soils—the population is denser and more crowded than in any other region of equal extent on earth. The villages there are almost beyond enumeration, and the numbers of the walled cities incredible to those who have not seen them. In the two Kiang provinces, at the mouth of the Yangtz river, with an area of 90,000 square miles, the population in 1875 was 72,000,000, and there were 125 walled cities.

The census of 1875 was taken when the richest portions of these two provinces had been devastated and depopulated by the Taiping rebelion. Since that time there has been a great inpouring of people from other regions of the empire, especially from those districts where the famine of 1878 prevailed. The natural increase of population has also been very great, and it would be safe to say that these 90,000 square miles have more than 80,000,000 people.—Mechanical News.

### One Comfort Left.

"There is one solace left to me at least," remarked the old farmer. "After all my boys leave and go into business, after the pigs and cattle die, and every thing else forsakes me, there is at least one thing that will stick to the old farm."

"And that is——?"

"The mortgage!"—The Jury.

—Colonel Sir Edward, lately appointed Chief Commissioner of the London police force, is not only a very distinguished military officer, but also one of the most celebrated specimen of the British army. His fame as a hunter of big game extends throughout the length and breadth of India, and it was during one of his jungle expeditions that his left arm was bitten clean off by an infuriated tigress which he had attacked. It is a curious coincidence that Mr. Monro, his predecessor as chief of the London police, should likewise have been maimed in an Indian sporting expedition, having had his thigh bone broken by a fall with his horse during a bear hunt.

## DIDN'T WANT TO SELL.

**A Liquid Persuader, However, Changed the Old Man's Mind.**

Old Sam Arbuckle was leaning on the fence, which surrounded the hog lot, and watching, with great satisfaction, a fine drove of hogs eating their evening feed of corn, which he had just given them. While he was thus engaged, a man on horseback rode to the house, and, dismounting, hitched his horse, and came over to the pen where Sam was.

"Good evening," he said, as he came up. "Nice lot o' hogs you got there."

"Yes, middlin'."

"Want to sell them, now?"

"Are you buyin'?" returned Sam, for answer, as he took a fresh chew of "long green."

"Yes," said the stranger. "I bought a car-load yesterday, and two to-day; have nearly enough for another. Your lot, there, would just about fit me out."

"What yer payin'?"

"Well, you've a nice even lot o' hogs there, and I'll give you six and a-half cents for them."

"Guess I'll hold 'em fer seven."

"You'll never get it. Six and a-quarter's the highest I've paid yet; but you've got an extra good lot, and as I need them to fill up a car, I made an offer at a quarter more than they're worth."

"Think I oughter git seven."

"No difference what you think; you won't get it this year."

"Well, mebbe I will next."

"Yes; but you can't afford to hold them over."

"Reckon a feller kin afford to do it, if he wants to; kain't he?"

"Yes, I suppose so; but you'll lose money on them."

"I generally do, enyhow."

"You won't, if you let me have them at the price I've offered."

"Well, I've made up my mind I won't sell now, enyhow. I'll hold 'em till next week, and then me an' the boys'll drive 'em to town, an' sell 'em fer what they'll fetch."

"All right," said the buyer, and turned to go. Just then a thought seemed to strike him. Turning again to old Sam, he said: "By the way, Mr. Arbuckle, do you ever take any thing?"

"Well, 'kasionally," he answered.

"I've got some as good whisky here," producing a flask, "as you ever wet your throat with. Try a little."

Old Sam took the bottle, shook it, held it up between himself and the light, and then placed it to his lips. Having taken a generous snort, he handed it back, with the remark, that "it wuz purty fair stuff."

The buyer took a taste, and was about to replace the flask in his pocket, when old Sam said: "I don't know but I might let you have them hogs, seein' as it's you. I used allus to sell to old Milt Barlow, an' he allus set up the drinks after the deal wuz made. But your licker's a thunderin' sight better'n hizen; 'sides, you trot it out in advance, an' when it didn't look ez though we wuz er goin' ter do enny dickerin' at all."

"Yes," taking the flask, which was now proffered a second time; "yes, you kin hev the hogs. I like ter trade with er gentleman, an' you're jess about my size. Well, here's lookin' at yer."—Ed. R. Pritchard, in Light.

## SPOT AND WATCH.

**They Disappeared, and so Did a Very Polite Soap Peddler.**

"I beg pardon for intruding upon your time," said the polite, smiling man with the small valise in his hand. "A peddler is a nuisance. I know it as well as any body. But there are various kinds of peddlers, and all of us must live. It isn't our fault that we are here. Those of us that earn our living honestly have to share the odium that belongs to the calling. I'm not complaining of this, gentlemen. It is part of the curse that came in the original package to Adam. If there is any one of you that has a spot of grease on his coat, vest or pant—trousers," he added, opening his valise and taking out a small cake of soap and sponge, "I shall be happy to remove it, and without charging a cent, and without asking any body to buy my soap. It's my way of advertising. My dear sir, allow me. There is a little spot on your vest."

He rubbed the spot with a piece of soap, deftly applied the sponge, made a few passes over the cloth with a piece of cotton sheeting, and said:

"There, sir, that spot is gone. You will never see it again. And probably you will never see me again either, as I travel but once through a community. My goods will be found at the stores. I take it for granted nobody wishes to buy a cake of my soap. I wish you good morning, gentlemen!"

After the polite, smiling visitor had gone away the gentleman whose garment had been operated upon had occasion to consult his watch.

It wasn't there.

It had disappeared with the spot.—Chicago Herald.

### A Brute in Human Form.

The city of Kostroma, Russia, has a sensation of its own in the shape of a cruel father, Egor Alexieff Smirnoff by name and a drosky driver by profession. The son of Smirnoff, a boy of ten years, failed to pass the examination at his school. Being afraid to come home with the report of his ill success, he concealed himself for two days. But his father found him and chained him to the wall of a dark, moist, dirty room, which was full of vermin. In the corner of the room there was a lair of rotten straw. He was kept in that condition for fully six days, until his mother could no longer endure the sight of his suffering, and took courage to report the case to the police authorities. The boy was liberated and taken to the hospital, and his father was arrested. On further examination, the room in which the poor boy was chained was found to be a regular chamber of horrors. There were rings fastened to the ceiling and in the floor, by which Smirnoff would hang up his children by their hands and feet, or stretch them in a manner that they could not struggle or protect themselves, when he inflicted chastisement on them with a knout.—Chicago Herald.

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**A Wail of the Unappreciated.**

The poets all have sung their songs in tones of loving praise,
Of fightin' men and all that set, for countless years and days,
Until I think it's almost time to made Pegasus prance
In ringin' in some word for them as never had a chance.

I know a dozen fellers now, that somehow stayed behind,
And why, no one could never tell, for they was men of mind,
All brainy men and statesmen, too, as modern statesmen go,
But, somehow, in this crooked world, they've never had no show.

There's old Jim Potts, what ought to be in Congress right to-day,
He hain't no head for business—could never make it pay;
But when it comes to tariff, or internal revenue,
—Now what old Jim he doesn't know ain't worth a-lookin' through.

But pore old Jim (a brainy man, as I have said before),
And several more (includin' me) set round the grocery store,
And there we run the country, accordin' to our lights,
And we figger how the working-man is losin' all his rights.

But yet, with all our good, hard sense, some loud and windy cuss
Can put a standin' collar on, and raise a little fuss,
And everybody flocks to him, and lauds him to the sky,
And leaves us men of solid worth plum stranded high and dry.

—Indianapolis Journal.

**A Dream's Vision.**

Watching the twilight deepen
Into the starry night,
Feeling the gentle breezes
Die with the fading light,
Seeing the planets peeping
Out from the dome above,
I thought of one who had left me—
Of one that I dearly love.
The pale and silvery moonlight
Cast shadows all around,
From the room beyond soft music
Came with a muffled sound.
You'll say that I was dreaming,
Yet surely, across the floor,
I saw the form of my darling
Come in at the open door.
She came and stood beside me
(Shall I ever forget the sight?),
Her dear, sweet face all radiant
Beneath the moon's pale light!
The splendor of her soft, brown eyes
Outshone the stars above—
I feared my trembling heart would burst,
With tenderest joy and love!
Dreaming—was I dreaming?
Of a face I hold so dear?
I called her by her own sweet name—
She did not seem to hear!
I tried to touch my darling
As she stood there, sweet and fair—
My longing, aching arms could grasp
Naught save the empty air!

—Detroit Free Press.

**The Woman-Beater.**

"That horrid man! he beats his wife!"
"Good gracious! is it true, dear?"
"Why, yes; he told my brother, Jack—
But never breathe how you hear."

"Oh, no; of course not—not a word;
But tell me all about it."
"Well, Tuesday night *he beat his wife!*
There is no chance to doubt it."

"The brute! (Jack enters.) When Jack comes
He'll tell us. I'm just dying
To know about it. 'Beat his wife!'
A beast without half trying."

Jack—"My sister, you are very wrong"—
Thus gently he rebuked her.
Charles did say that he beat his wife—
At six straight games of euchre."

—Lena Gilbert Ford, in Judge.

**The Lamp.**

Clear as if she passed me now—
Stepping leopard-like and quick,
Long limbed, with a furtive grace—
I can see the ivory brow;
See the gold bronze of the face
Burn with joy, I know not how;
See beneath the scarf the hair,
Black as midnight, fragrant, thick,
Falling all about her there.
And as fire bursts from char,
Each eye kindle like a star!
When her long-lost lamp I bring—
There's such magic in the thing—
From her ashes scattered far,
From her thousand years away,
She comes back to me to-day.

Just a little earthen lamp—
Here the oil swam, here the wick,
Here the flame went flaring back
If the bearer turned her quick;
Turned her in the shadowy space,
Saw the flash of one swart face;
Saw the eager arms, and—hark!
Sprang aside, and let the dark
Blow her out and drown the spark!

—Harriet Prescott Spofford, in Harper's Bazar.

**Unrequited Love.**

The fairest of the fairies, she,
The daintiest of doves,
The prettiest of pictures,
The loveliest of loves:
Her face is like an angel's,
Each hand is like a pearl—
Most beautiful of creatures is
The pretty tennis girl.

Her voice is like the siren's song,
Her words my heart entrance,
Her laughing eyes are full of love,
And charm with every glance;
Her dainty feet in shoes of tan
My brain put in a whirl;
I love her for her loveliness—
The pretty tennis girl.

The golden tresses like a frame
Surround her charming face,
And half conceal and half reveal
The neck of wondrous grace;
I bless the lucky breeze that plays
About each truant curl;
And though she doesn't care for me
I love the tennis girl.

—G. P. Taggart, in Table Talk

**That Bothersome Fan.**

My heart is full of a maiden fair,
The sweetest that e'er was seen,
With gleams of gold in her sunny hair
And wells of light in her een;
But, ah! I'm afraid
This beautiful maid
Is a trifle cold,
And thinks I am bold,
For she grants me naught but her fan to hold.

And when I attempt to declare my love
She manages artfully
To hide her face behind the pesky thing,
And thus gets the drop on me;
And then, I declare,
I almost despair,
For what chance have I
When she is so shy?
By Jinks! I could fire that fan sky-high!

—Frank B. Welch, in West Shore.

**Humble Service.**

Even the little daisy
Has humble service done;
Its shadow has protected
The dewdrop from the sun,
The lingering jewel trembled,
As some fond heart might do,
To speak for smallest service
Its gratitude to you.

True service for another
In one brief act may glow,
To waken love and reverence,
To banish doubt and woe.
A voluntary kindness
Has a luster all its own,
The tribute for its service
In sparkling tear-drop shown.

—Clarence H. Griffith, in Golden Days.

# FOR LITTLE PEOPLE.

## A DREADFUL THING.

She never meant to do it—the darling little thing!
She bent her head at prayer-time, and then stood up to sing.
But oh! that sermon seemed such a weary time to sit,
How could she keep from fidgetting a very little bit?

She tried to keep herself awake by looking very wise,
And staring at the minister with very sober eyes.
And when the lids were droopy she tried another way—
She counted back and forward the flowers in her bouquet.

She smiled at all the pansies, and saw how very plain
The cunning little faces kept smiling back again.
She gathered up the rose-leaves which fell about her feet,
And put one to her pretty lips, as rosy and as sweet.

She never meant to do it—she wanted just to try
How nearly she could come to it, and never could tell why
In one unlucky moment before her lips could stop
She drew her breath too hard and it went off with a pop!

Tom couldn't keep from laughing, although he bravely tried
To look as solemn as a judge when little Polly cried.
And then he softly whispered: "I wouldn't mind it so,
You'll never crack a rose-leaf in church again, I know."

You will not find a little girl if all the world you search
Who thinks it such a dreadful thing to make a noise in church.
She never thought of doing it—'twas all because, you see,
The sermon was too long for such a little mite as she.

—Youth's Companion.

## A LITTLE JOKE.

**Two Merry Children's Sad Experience with a Spool of Thread.**

It was a very pleasant evening party; at least the children all thought so. With music, games and refreshments, what could have been wanting? They had gathered into a circle for the last play of the evening, for it was ten o'clock; and they had promised not to remain late. Mattie Vernon was standing beside Charlie Benson, and the two were very warm friends. She saw a bit of thread on his shoulder, but, instead of brushing it off, she said:

"Charlie, there's a raveling on your sleeve."

He looked at it down his cheeks, and demurely said:

"Pick it off, Mattie."

She caught the end of the thread and pulled. To her intense amazement she drew out about ten yards of the thread, and it still kept coming. It seemed as if Charlie was unraveling.

"Mattie," he said, with a grin, "if you insist on having that thread, why, I might as well give you the whole spool."

As he spoke, he reached into a side pocket of his coat, and handed her the spool. All the children laughed uproariously, while Mattie grew very red in the face, and an angry sparkle came into her eyes.

Charlie had poked the end of the thread through the seam in his sleeve, with the spool hidden away in his pocket. He had arranged it to trick some one; Mattie was the first to notice the raveling, but, as they were such famous friends, she thought he might have spared her. She hated to be laughed at, and was vexed enough to cry about it. She lost her temper, and angrily said:

"Charlie Benson, you're too mean for any thing!"

"Don't mind it Mattie," Charlie pleasantly said. "It was only a little joke."

"But not a joke to my liking," she sharply said, "And I'll never speak to you again."

Charlie colored, but made no reply, for he knew it would aggravate her all the more. It was an unpleasant episode, and threw a damper upon the group. Charlie had brought Mattie to the party, but when he offered to walk home with her, she turned from him in disdain.

He tried to make peace, the next time they met, but she would not listen to him.

"I told you never to speak to me," she said.

"No, Mattie, you didn't," he gently replied. "You said you would never speak to me. After all, it was a very harmless joke, and caused a good deal of fun."

"Yes, at my expense," snapped Mattie. "It was mean in you to set it up on me."

"I didn't, Mattie," declared Charlie. "You happened to be the first to notice it. I hadn't the least idea that you would get angry, or I would have given you warning. I really had meant that stupid Joe Barber should fall into the trap."

"I don't want to hear any more about it," Mattie resolutely said. "We can never be friends again."

"Mattie, please don't say that," pleaded Charlie. "It makes me feel miserable. You play jokes yourself, and I thought you would enjoy one put upon you. Didn't you hand me a bouquet with pepper on it at the picnic? Didn't I sit down on the floor, at Nellie's birth-day party, because I didn't know that you had removed the chair from behind me? Every body laughed, but I didn't get angry. I laughed too."

"Yes, that's true," assented Mattie, in a modified tone.

"What did you think, Mattie, when the thread began to play out?" Charlie roguishly asked.

"I was almost dazed," Mattie said. "At first I couldn't understand it. I was afraid you were coming all apart. Then I saw into the trick—"

"And got mad," interjected Charlie.

"I felt hurt," Mattie said.

"The look on your face was absolutely comical to see," Charlie remarked. "It was a cute little joke, and they all thought it very funny."

He began to laugh, because he couldn't help it, and his laugh was so contagious that Mattie had to laugh too.

"Charlie, it was funny," she said.

"And we are friends again, Mattie?"

"Why, yes," she replied, with a smile. "I have been silly. I lost my temper, which you didn't, when I played those jokes upon you. If we can't take a joke, we shouldn't play any. I'll not meddle with your coat sleeve again, even if it is covered with lint."

"I am glad you have forgiven me, Mattie," Charlie said, with a bright look on his face. "And glad that we are friends again."—Frank H. Stauffer, in Interior.

## TWO PET PARROTS.

**A Naughty and Mischievous Bird—One That Rode Horseback—A Sad Tale.**

Down in the Southern States of America pet parrots are very common. Sailing vessels are constantly bringing them from South and Central America and from the West Indies.

I recall one now that I was the happy owner of when a child in New Orleans. She was a dark green parrot, with a black bill and feet; she was very bright and a great favorite with all the children. She spoke very plainly, and could laugh and cry quite like a human being; it was very amusing to hear her.

She was full of mischief. If a servant was called, she would answer (herself unseen), sharply: "What!" and when the servant was reproved for his lack of respect she would shout with laughter.

She learned from the newsboys on the street, very naughty words, which was finally the cause of our having to part with her. From her hanging cage on one of the front verandas, she would cry out to a passer-by: "Oh, you rat!" and when the passer-by would stop to see who it was that made the remark, and discover the parrot, the naughty bird would only laugh.

Another serious fault was a habit of opening her cage with her bill. She could do this quite cleverly when it was not securely tied. Then she would come out and walk into pools of water and mud in the yard. When the careful laundress had hanged the clothes-lines full of freshly-washed linen, she would walk up and down the lines soiling the clothes with her muddy feet, and cutting off all the buttons with her bill. With all her faults, however, we loved her dearly, and many tears were shed when she was finally sent away on account of her bad language.

Another parrot which lived in a Southern city was a great favorite in the family of some friends of mine. She was quite old—though her exact age I can not now tell. She had lived in the State of Texas, while it was a republic belonging to Mexico, and seemed equally happy in her home after it became one of the United States.

She formed a great attachment for a horse which the children drove, and the two became great friends. She would climb up on a fence, the horse would come along beside it, allow her to get on her back, and then walk slowly around while the parrot held a piece of his mane with her bill. After she had ridden as long as she wished she would climb into the pantry window, and hand out, with her bill, rolls or cookies, or any thing she could find, to the horse, as a return for her ride.

In the early morning she would go up stairs, visit the sleeping rooms of the children, and call out: "Get up, Charlie!" "Get up, Frank!" until she had aroused them all.

When they set off for school, she would sit aloft on the cross beam of the high front gate, and call out as long as they were in sight: "Good-bye, Charlie!" "Good-bye, Frank!"

And here on her favorite perch she finally met her sad fate.

There were two tame eagles in the city; they had been caught when young, tamed and often allowed to fly about where they liked.

One morning, as Polly sat on the gate bidding her young friends good-bye, one of these great birds swooped suddenly down upon her, and carried her off in his claws, followed by the frantic but fruitless shrieks of the children.

So long as she could be seen a mere speck in his claws, as he soared toward the sky, she was sending back the most piteous cries of "Poor Polly!" "Poor Polly!"—Our Little Men and Women.

**The Latest Fad in Canes.**

I notice in all the shop windows a new fad in silver-headed canes. The small knobs of silver on rough handles are no longer the proper caper, but have given away to the smooth-turned handle, irregularly covered with a smooth coating of silver oxidized in a cloudy pattern. Following the line of the oxidized portions is fastened a small chain made of braided silver wire, much after the style of applique work of dress goods. It makes a most picturesque appearance, and, I am told, is very expensive, as all the applique work must necessarily be done by hand. A manufacturer, in speaking of the fad, said: "It is bound to become popular, for in this style of work engraving is done away with, and any name or initials can be worked out on the handles with the braided silver or gold wire."—N. Y. Star.

—I suppose when you do a friend a good turn, and he is so busy with enjoying its benefits that he goes off in a hurry and forgets to say "Thank you," you are likely to say to yourself, "I'll next try my hand on somebody at least who can get breath enough before he eats his cherries to look back on the orchard." I'd rather a man would hurl "Thanks, awfully," at me than to keep dumb. Even conventional and slang thanks are better than utter discourtesy and blank ingratitude.—Lewiston (Me.) Journal.

—Miss Belle Curry, of Evanston, Ill is the superintendent of the telephone system in that city. When undergoing examination as to her ability to fill the position, she was asked: "Can you climb a pole?" "Even that I can do, if necessary," was her prompt answer.

—Sixteen negro jockeys in the United States can earn salaries ranging from $2,500 to $8,000 a year.

## REFORMER BESSIE.

**Four Children Learn a Good Deal from a Little Puppy.**

L. S. Hunt tells the following little story in the Examiner:

Bessie must have wakened in the morning with a plan in her busy little head for teaching certain members of the Newton family a lesson. The first thing she did was to go into the library, and finding on a chair a new magazine that Harry had left there she pulled off a cover. "There!" thought she, "I'll teach Harry not to leave so valuable a thing as a book where it doesn't belong." Then she went in the boys' room, and finding a borrowed book out of place she remarked to herself: "This will never do. A borrowed book should always be carefully put away. I'll just destroy this one to teach Master Willie a lesson." So she soon defaced its pretty, bright color badly.

Next she visited Marjory's room, and, finding more dust on the floor than should have been there, she evidently thought of the saying: "Dirt is misplaced matter," and gave Marjory a gentle hint by tipping the contents of the scrap basket out upon the floor.

Then she went into the sitting-room, and, finding Alice's hat on a little work-stand, she thought: "Another thing out of place—another lesson to be taught." So she pulled out the feather, leaving hat and trimmings on the floor.

When all was done she cuddled up on the lounge, well satisfied with her morning's work. At the dinner table four members of the family looked as though each wished some one else would speak first. Finally mamma said:

"I see Bessie has been trying to teach us again."

Four voices answered faintly: "Yes."

"She certainly has taught us once more that there shall be a place for every thing and every thing should be in its place," said papa.

"Including Bessie herself," added mamma.

And Bessie? Well, Bessie was a six-months-old puppy with innocent, soft brown eyes.

## SOME BIG MISTAKES.

**An Epigrammatic Lecture by the Editor of the "Ram's Horn."**

Preachers who get sour and scold when things do not go to suit them, make a big mistake.

People who leave their politeness at home when they travel on railway trains, make a big mistake.

Young people who put off becoming Christians because they think they have fifty years to do it in, make a big mistake.

Men who are afraid to give their wives a word of praise, for fear it will spoil them, make a big mistake.

Parents who want their children to keep out of the church until they are old enough to understand all the doctrines and decide for themselves, make a big mistake.

Farmers who feed their pigs and cattle good corn, and pay no attention to what kind of books and papers their children are reading, make a big mistake.

Women who are overly anxious about their complexions, and underly anxious about their salvation, make a big mistake.

Young men who think they know it all, and that father and mother don't know any thing, make a big mistake.

Fathers who whip their boys for doing on the sly what they themselves are doing openly, make a big mistake.

People who expect to get to Heaven, just because they have shaken hands with the preacher and had their names enrolled on the church book, make a very big mistake.

**Wild Animals in Texas.**

Wolves, coyotes, wild cats and panthers in Texas are multiplying under the protection of the barbed-wire fence and the apathy of the State legislators. A few years since a thorough scalp law would have settled forever the wild animal question in Texas at a small expense. Now it will cost twice the money, and meantime stockmen and farmers have lost many times the money in calves, colts, and sheep killed. In a few years things will be much worse. A ranchman, G. A. Anderson, of Kinney County, has been compelled to buy a pack of hounds and turn huntsman to protect his flock from the increasing ravages of panthers. The same thing is happening all over Texas.

**No Americans for Her.**

The Duchess of Buccleugh, with other leaders of London fashion, has decided that "society" must be protected from the inroads of financiers and Americans. Next year no American is to be recognized socially who is not properly introduced by the United States Minister at the Court of St. James. These aristocratic confederates regard the Prince and Princess of Wales as inexcusably tolerant of the newly rich, and at her Grace of Buccleugh's late ball and garden party, which were splendid affairs, hardly an American, a financier, or a "cotton lord" was to be seen, though the Marlborough House garden party swarmed with them.

**The End of His Courtship.**

"Now, Maude," said the young man, about 11 p. m., "don't give me any old chestnuts. Do not say you will be a sister—" just then the parlor door opened and a hoarse voice said: "Young man, let me be an assister to you." And when Chappie picked himself up from the green lawn in front of the doorstep and painfully limped his way down to the gate he breathed a prayer of thankfulness that he was no closer related to that family. The old man had hurt his feelings.

**Hard on the Industrious Farm Hands.**

"These barbed wire fences ain't no good," said the farm hand. "I wouldn't have one of 'em around the place, if I had my way."

"Why not?" inquired the stranger. "They're cheap and strong, and keep cattle in better than any thing else."

"That may be," replied the farm hand; "but then a feller can't sit down to rest on 'em."

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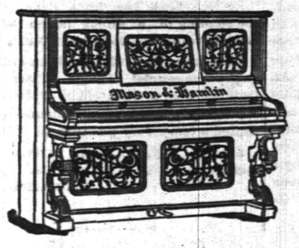

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For Lambertville, Phillipsburg and Belvidere via Trenton—7 50 A. M.; 2 54 and 5 15 P. M.

For Lambertville and Phillipsburg only, 1 39 P. M.

For Flemington—7 50 A. M.; 2 54 P. M.

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PLAINFIELD AND NEW YORK.

Leave Plainfield 3 37, 5 24, 8 28, 6 29, 6 59, 7 26 7 50, 7 56, 8, 8 15, 8 31, 8 57, 9 22, 10 05, 11 09, 11 39, A. M., 1, 1 41, 2 07, 2 30, 3 12, 3 51, 5 08, 5 31, 6 07, 6 54, 7 03, 8 31, 9 26, 10 12, 11 28 P. M. Sunday—3 37, 5 24, 8 01, 8 52, 11 02, 11 16 A. M., 12 33, 1 33, 3 30, 5 16 7 01, 7 10, 8 23, 8 32, 10 02 P. M.

Leave New York from foot of Liberty street, 4 30, 5 45, 7, 7 45, 8 45, 10, 11, A. M., 1, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4, 4 30, 5, 5 15, 5 30, 5 45, 6, 6 15, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 8, 8 30, 9 15, 10, 11 30 P. M., 12 15 night. Sunday—4 30, 7 8 30, 9, 9 30, A. M., 12 M., 1, 1 15, 4, 5 30, 6, 7, 9 00, 10 00 P. M., 12 15 night.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield 5 38, 6 29, 6 59, 7 30, 8, 8 27, 9 32, 10 05, 11 09, 11 39, A. M., 1, 2 07, 2 30, 3 12, 3 51, 5 08, 5 31, 6 07, 6 54, 7 03, 8 31, 10 12, 11 28 P. M. Sunday—8 01, 8 52, 11 02, 11 16, A. M., 12 33, 1 36, 3 30, 5 16, 7 01, 7 10, 8 23, 8 32, 10 02 P. M.

Leave Newark 7 10, 7 50, 8 55, 10 10, 11 05 A. M., 1 05, 1 35, 2 40, 3 40, 4 02, 4 37, 5 05, 5 30, 5 55, 6 25, 7 15, 7 36, 8 20, 9 35, 10 10, 11 25 P. M. Sunday—7 20, 8 40, 9 05, 9 50, A. M., 12 05, 1 10, 4 10, 5 40, 6 05, 7 05, 9 25, 10 20 P. M.

Passengers for Newark change cars at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7, 8 07, 9 42, 11, 11 58 A. M., 1 59, 2 32, 3 45, 4 34, 5 20, 5 54, 6 20, 6 38, 7 03, 7 12, 7 34, 8 20, 9 43, 11 13, 12 43 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 13, 9 48, A. M., 2 03, 2 30, 5 14, 6 35, 10 15, 11 14 P. M.

Leave Somerville, 6, 6 30, 7 03, 7 25, 7 35, 7 48 9 05, 9 47, 11 15 A. M., 12 35, 1 15, 1 48, 2 05, 2 3 4 40, 5 12, 5 35, 8 05, 8 50, 11 05, P. M. Sunday—8 25, 10 35 A. M., 12 08, 305, 4 50, 6 40, 8 03, 8 05, 9 30 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7, 8 07, 9 42, A. M., 1 59, 4 34, 5 20, 6 38, 8 20 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 13 A. M., 2 03, 6 35 P. M.

Leave Easton 6 05, 8 44, 10 A. M., 12 32, 4 09, 6 49 P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 02, A. M., 6 40, 7 30 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 7, 9 42 A. M., 1 59, 5 20 P. M. Sunday—8 13 A. M.

**WESTWARD CONNECTIONS,**
LEAVE PLAINFIELD.

5 45 A. M. for Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

7 A. M. for High Bridge Branch and Easton.

8 07 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 42 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Shamokin, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Hazleton, Drifton, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c.

1 59 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, &c.

4 34 P. M. for D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

5 20 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Schooley's Mountain, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, &c.

6 20 P. M. for Flemington.

6 38 P. M. for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg.

8 20 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

6 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8 13 a. m. Sundays for High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, &c., 2 03 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua and Wetherille. 6 35 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m. 1 p. m.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c.

Leave Plainfield 3 37, 8, 11 09, a. m., 1, 3 51, 5 31, p. m. Sundays—(except Ocean Grove) 8 52, a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 38, 8, 10 05, 11 09 a. m., 1, 3 51, 5 31, 7 03 p. m. Sunday—8 52, a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8, 11 09 a. m., 1, 3 51, 5 31, p. m.

ROUND BROOK ROUTE.

Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia, 1 17, 5 45, 8 29, 9 48, 11 58* a. m., 1 59*, 2 32*, 4 08, 5 34*, 6 38* 8 20 p. m. Sundays—1 17, 9 48, a. m., 2 30* 4 08, 6 14*, 6 55 p. m.

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## M'GONEGAL IS GUILTY

### Convicted of Manslaughter in the First Degree.

THE AGED PRISONER UNMOVED.

The Penalty of the Crime Will be from Five to Twenty Years.

Allowed Until Next Friday Before Being Sentenced—His Lawyer Attempts to Prevent His Being Sworn on the Bible. The Judge Orders It and the Prisoner Sent to the Tombs.

NEW YORK, Oct. 4.—At 12:15 the jury in the case of Doctor Henry McGonegal, charged with causing the death of Annie Goodwin by unlawful practice, brought in a verdict of guilty of manslaughter in the first degree. The jury were out an hour and twenty minutes. The aged prisoner was remanded to the Tombs to await sentence on October 10.

The most intense interest prevailed in the case, and the general opinion was that the doctor's conviction was almost a foregone conclusion. The speeches of counsel on both sides were discussed. The doctor himself was apparently calm when the jury went out, with the appearance of having reconciled himself to the worst, and he sat motionless, resting his head upon his hand.

The hands of the clock crept round until they pointed to midnight, when there was a stir in the Court room. Fifteen minutes later the jury came in.

"Have you agreed upon a verdict?" asked the clerk.

"Guilt of manslaughter in the first degree," the foreman replied.

"Your Honor, I ask that the jury be polled," said Lawyer Oliver. McGonegal stood up, blinking nervously at the jury as the clerk polled them. Each man replied that the verdict was his verdict.

"I would like to have the prisoner remanded so that we can have a chance to get the minutes," said Mr. Oliver. "Say until Monday week."

"I don't see any necessity for delay," interposed Colonel Fellows; "all they can do is to move for a new trial, which your honor will of course deny, and they cannot use the minutes until they appeal the case."

There bade fair to be a wrangle when Judge Fitzgerald stopped it by saying: "I will make it next Friday, Mr. Oliver."

A Bible was handed the old doctor, as it is the custom now to swear prisoners before taking their names and addresses. Lawyer Oliver interposed and drew Dr. McGonegal away.

"There is no necessity of that now," the Judge said. "Let it wait until next week."

Judge Fitzgerald ordered it and the doctor was sworn. Then he was taken back to the Tombs.

The penalty is from five to twenty years.

### DENIES HIS GUILT.

A Curious Feature in the Pittsburg Malpractice Case.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Oct. 4.—R. L. Heaton, who is accused of being implicated in the death of pretty Blanche Perkins from malpractice, was brought here from Dayton, O., to-day. No requisition papers were needed. A doctor who lives on an island near Put-in-Bay, where the criminal operation is believed to have been performed, is also under suspicion, but has not been arrested.

A curious feature of the case is that Mrs. Perkins, the mother of the unfortunate girl, has exhibited a desire that Heaton should not be arrested. When Heaton was arrested at Dayton he was entering the depot with two gripsacks, and accompanied by a young girl, who he said was his adopted daughter Viola. Heaton told the officers they had made a mistake, as he had never murdered anybody. The girl Viola said they had lived in Middleton. She does not believe in Heaton's guilt.

Government Railroad Commissioners.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 4.—Mr. A. J. Cassatt of Pennsylvania and Henry Davis of West Virginia have accepted the office of Intercontinental Railroad Commissioners to which they were nominated on Tuesday by the President. Mr. Pullman originally declined because of poor health and increasing responsibilities in connection with his present business, but it is believed that he may be induced to reconsider his declination and accept the position.

The Body Recognized.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Oct. 4.—The identity of the man who jumped from the Camden ferry boat last Saturday afternoon was settled in the morning by the finding of the body floating in the dock of Haggerty's Wharf, Gloucester City, N. J. On the body were found papers which proved the man to be J. J. Coather, general Philadelphia agent for Lafey & Dubord, silk and veiling importers of No. 416 Broome street, New York city.

Don't Believe He Suicided.

FALL RIVER, Mass., Oct. 4.—Search for the body of young Brightman, whose hat was found at Crab pond bridge with a note pinned to it stating that he had jumped off the bridge, was continued all day but proved unsuccessful. The opinion is gaining ground that Brightman is alive. He was recently discharged by his employer for irregularities.

Drank from a Poisoned Well.

READING, Pa., Oct. 4.—Somebody put a quantity of poison in a well at Samuel Greiner's, on Ephrata Mountain, and members of the families of Mr. Greiner, Alfred Buzzard, Henry Hoover, Milton Eichelberger, Henry Fasnacht and George Whitney, who drank from the well, were made ill. Samuel Greiner died from the effects of the poison.

### THE WESTERN TRIP.

Details of the President's Itinerary for Next Week's Outing.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 4.—The preliminary details only of the President's trip have been arranged, and those are subject to slight changes. It is fully decided, however, that the President and party will leave Washington Monday morning at 11:25 o'clock on the Chesapeake & Ohio road for Cincinnati, where a short stop will be made Tuesday morning to change cars. The party will then proceed via the Ohio & Mississippi Road to Vincennes, Terre Haute and Danville; then by the Indianapolis, Wilmington & Western Road to Galesburg, Ill., reaching there Wednesday.

At that place the President will attend the reunion of his brigade in the afternoon, and will leave the same evening for Ottumwa, Ia., where he will spend Thursday, which will be Soldier's Day, at the exposition. That night the President will be taken by way of Atchison to Topeka, Kan., arriving there in the morning and remaining until about 4 o'clock, when he will take the train to Kansas City, arriving there two hours later.

He will be the guest of his brother, who is a resident of that city, until evening, when he will leave for St. Louis to attend the annual festival of the followers of the Veiled Prophet on Saturday. The next morning he will leave on the Fort Wayne road for the National Capital via Pittsburg, reaching here Tuesday morning. The party is not yet complete, but it is certain that it will include Attorney-General Miller and Marshal Ramsdell.

### A SCHOOL FIGHT.

The Pupils Stand by a Deposed Professor and Demand His Return.

HARTFORD, Oct. 4.—The dismissal of Professor F. R. Childs from the Hartford High School is creating a good deal of talk and much feeling in this city. The pupils are almost unanimous in favor of the teacher, and have expressed their disapproval of the action of the Board of Education in a most characteristic manner. Passersby on Farmington avenue this morning were confronted with a unique banner suspended from an electric light wire at the junction of the street with Asylum avenue. It consisted of a piece of white cloth several feet square, upon which was printed in huge black letters, "We want Childs." Of course it attracted a great deal of attention.

There is also a strong public feeling in favor of a fair hearing and investigation of the charges made against Professor Childs. If there are good reasons, the public have a right to know them, and if it is only jealousy on the part of Principal Hall, it is equally important that it should be investigated.

Y. M. C. A. in Session.

ROUNDOUT, N. Y., Oct. 4.—The annual convention of the Young Men's Christian Association of the second district of New York State began here last night. About 75 delegates are in attendance. Rev. G. A. Hall and others prominently identified with the Association throughout the State are present. The district embraces Poughkeepsie, Newburg, Catskill, Hudson, Middleton, Port Jervis, Ellenville, and other places along the central Hudson counties. Rev. C. S. Stowetts, of this city, delivered the address of welcome, which was responded to by Thomas Caldwell, of Newburg. Remarks were made by State Secretary Hall, and an address on "Personal Work" was delivered by Rev. G. C. Yeisley, of Hudson. Sessions will be held to-morrow.

Said to Have Eloped With an Anarchist.

ELIZABETH, N. J., Oct. 4.—Mrs. Peace Abberle of High street, in this city, is said to have run away with Charles Klopp, one of the Anarchists who were engaged in a riot some months ago with the Elizabeth police. Klopp was under $500 bail to stand trial for that affair at this term of court. His bondsman is Samuel Hallenberger. Mrs. Abberle, it is said, took $500 with her, leaving her husband, who is a carpenter, with only fourteen cents in his pocket. She also left their two-year-old boy.

Shot His Mother.

UTICA, N. Y., Oct. 4.—At Herkimer last night John Walsh, aged 27 years, shot his mother, it is believed fatally, because she refused to give him money. Walsh for some time resisted arrest, standing at the top of the stairway on the second floor of his home with a revolver in his hand, but was finally captured and locked up. Mrs. Walsh is wounded in the stomach, the bullet going entirely through her body. Physicians say she cannot survive long.

Killed By A Cave-in.

FITCHBURG, Mass., Oct. 4. — Patrick Dacer, aged about 60, was killed by a cave-in during the morning. Another man was buried up to his shoulders and had a narrow escape.

Death of a Soldier's Wife.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Oct. 4.—A dispatch from Bath, Steuben County, states that the wife of Gen. Wm F. Rogers died there at the Soldiers' Home, of which the General is superintendent.

## UPROAR AT A TRIAL

### An Abrupt Adjournment in the Tipperary Cases.

THE MAGISTRATE GETS ANGRY.

Counsul Harrington for the Prisoners Ordered to Leave the Case.

The London Gas Workers Will Strike. McAuliffe and Slavin's Hearing—King William Praised by Priests—Quarantine Established Against Cholera at French and Algerian Ports.

DUBLIN, Oct. 4.—The hearing in the case of the Government against Messrs. Dillon and O'Brien and the other Nationalists, who were arrested on the charge of conspiracy, was continued in the magistrates' court, at Tipperary.

In the course of the proceedings a question arose as to the time the trials would occupy, and Mr. Ronan, the prosecutor for the Crown, declared that he was entirely ignorant of the time it would take to present the case for the Government or for the accused to make their defence. Mr. Healey, of counsel for the defendants, said he was in mortal fear lest the trials would last for six months. Mr. Healey's remarks excited the laughter of those present at the hearing.

Mr. Timothy Harrington, while cross-examining a witness referred to a policeman as a shadow. The presiding magistrate called upon him to withdraw the term, and upon Mr. Harrington refusing to do so, ordered him to leave the case.

An uproar ensued in the court room, amid which Messrs. O'Brien and Dillon expressed their minds freely in regard to the magistrate's action and the general conduct of the case. The court was adjourned for half an hour to put an end to the confusion.

When it reassembled Mr. Harrington's clients announced that they would defend themselves without counsel.

Mr. Dillon was proceeding to address the bench when the crowd in the court room raised a cheer for Harrington. The magistrate at once ordered the room cleared and abruptly adjourned the court, while tumult reigned among the spectators.

A large force of police were massed outside the building.

### BOULANGER'S EXTRAVAGANCE.

His Big Hotel Bills in London and Brussels—One Suite at $40 a Day.

PARIS, Oct. 4.—The announcement that General Boulanger is about to resume his travels and that he will winter in Malta makes certain disclosures in the latest chapter of "Les Coulisses du Boulangisme" especially interesting. In commenting on the General's wanderings, M. Mermeix charges him with the grossest extravagance and gives details of his personal budget. From these it is learned that his private expenditures amounted to 10,000 francs a month, while double that amount was paid out for public purposes.

In further proof of his assertions, Mr. Mermeix cites the fact that Gen. Boulanger's bill for a fortnight at the Hotel Mirgelle, Brussels, was 22,000 francs, and that when he went to London he engaged rooms at the Hotel Bristol, one of the most expensive and aristocratic hostelries in the English metropolis. For these he agreed to pay $40 a day, and although he got the best suite, when shown the apartments by the manager he seemed greatly displeased at what he considered the mediocre character of the furniture, and asked: "Have you nothing better than that."

### CHOLERA IN THE EAST.

Quarantine Established at the French and Algerian Ports.

LONDON, Oct. 4.—It is denied at Lloyd's that cholera has appeared at Aden. Notwithstanding the denial quarantine has been established at the French and Algerian ports against vessels arriving from Aden.

Forty cases of the disease were reported in Aleppo Wednesday, 28 of which proved fatal. The inhabitants of the place are leaving to escape the disease.

SUAKIM, Oct. 4.—Great discontent continues here owing to the stringent precautionary measures taken by the Government against cholera. All trade is completely paralyzed. Hundreds of natives in the interior are dying of starvation.

The Oldest Woman in Connecticut Dead.

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., Oct. 4.—Mrs. James Caley, probably the oldest woman in this State, if not in New England, died at her home at Easton, aged 110 years.

Painters Leave the Knights.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Oct. 4.—The painters have withdrawn from the Knights of Labor and surrendered their charter. They joined the Federation of Labor.


Highest of all in Leavening Power.—U. S. Gov't Report, Aug. 17, 1889.

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### A BOY DIES OF HYDROPHOBIA.

He Was Bitten Six Weeks Ago and the Wound Had Apparently Healed.

NEW BRITAIN, Conn., Oct. 4.—About six weeks ago Arthur, the ten-year-old son of J. W. Holmes, was bitten on the arm by a vagrant dog which was attacking his father's sheep. The wound was dressed and it healed, only a small scar being visible. The other day the boy complained of feeling very sore about the body and the pains seemed to come from the neighborhood of the wound. Doctors were called in, but were unable to do anything for the boy's relief.

Drs. Strong and Wainwright of Hartford were summoned, and held a consultation with Drs. Swazy and Lyon of this city. They pronounced the case incurable, and said that they thought it was hydrophobia.

Last night the boy became delirious and frothed at the mouth, and every few minutes made sounds like the barking of a dog. It took the United strength of several people to keep him on the bed at times. His agony lasted all night, and was only ended by death, which came to his relief at 5 o'clock this morning.

### AFIRE IN PORT.

The Steamer Iroquois Makes a Spectacle for Bridge Pedestrians.

NEW YORK, Oct. 4.—The steamer Iroquois of the Clyde Line was discovered to be on fire shortly before 12 o'clock last night.

She was lying at Pier 28, East River, near Roosevelt ferry. She is loaded with cotton and the fire was discovered in her forward hold. Pedestrians and passengers on the Brooklyn Bridge watched the flames.

Several tugs near at hand towed her out into the river, and it was thought unless the flames could be extinguished quickly that she would have to be scuttled.

Funeral of Hon. Frederick Billings.

WOODSTOCK, Vt., Oct. 4.—The funeral of the late Frederick Billings took place here during the morning. The business of the town was wholly suspended. The services, which were held in the Congregational Church, were simple but impressive, and the church was filled by the townspeople and friends from abroad. The pulpit was decorated with flowers and palm leaves. The services were conducted by Rev. Peter McMillan, pastor of the church, assisted by President M. H. Buckham, of the University of Vermont; Rev. Dr. Henry Van Dyke, pastor of the Brick church in New York, where Mr. Billings attended; Rev. J. F. Brodie, of Salem, Mass., and Rev. Francis W. Smith, rector of the Episcopal Church at Woodstock. The body was borne to the cemetery, followed by a long procession in carriages and on foot.

A New Reform League.

ALBANY, N. Y., Oct. 4.—Leading Democrats of this city, including ex-Surrogate Woods, ex-County Clerk Moore and others, have organized a league which threatens to do injury to the Democratic party in this section. The fundamental principles of the proposed league are: First, political honor; second, the purity of the ballot box; third, the enforcement of the State primary law; fourth, to convince citizens of this city and county that those who shirk political duties are not good citizens, and deserve to be classed among those who seek that which they have not earned; fifth, to seek to get honest men to combine against the dishonest.

No More Indians for Show Business.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 4.—Acting on information that efforts are being made to secure Indians from the reservations in the West to join wild west shows in Europe, Assistant Indian Commissioner Belt has issued a letter of instruction to agents to promptly refuse any applications for this purpose, as it is now against the policy of the Interior Department to grant permits for such purposes. The Indians are also to be informed that if they attempt to leave their reservations for exhibition purposes it will be regarded as an open defiance of the authority of the Government, and that prompt measures will be adopted to detain them.

Quite Immaterial Details.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Oct. 4.—Judge Fenn of the Superior Court listened to a motion by counsel for Yan Phon Lee, the Chinaman who is being sued for absolute divorce by his wife, Maud Jerome Lee. Mr. Lee's counsel asked the court to order Mrs. Lee to be more particular in her complaint and specify the houses in San Francisco where it was alleged the Chinaman was unfaithful and also to give the name of the co-respondent. The court denied the motion.

Verdict Against the Pastor.

SCRANTON, Pa., Oct. 4.—The jury in the breach of promise case brought by Miss Annie Husaboe against the Rev. Peter Roberts, pastor of Plymouth Congregational Church, one of the leading churches of the city, rendered a verdict in favor of the plaintiff for $3,000 damages. No defense was offered. The official board of the church has been called to consider its duty in view of the verdict.

Newspaper Men at Leisure.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 4.—The newspaper representatives of Washington, Baltimore and Philadelphia, with their ladies, will be the guests of the Baltimore & Ohio, the Philadelphia and Reading and the Central Railroad of New Jersey, during a trip on the Royal Blue Line between the Capital and the metropolis to-day and to-morrow.

Declines the Nomination.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Oct. 4.—Christopher Smith, Republican nominee for member of Assembly in the Fourth district of this county, has declined the nomination.

## END OF THE SEASON

### To-Day's Contests Wind up the Championship Games.

ALL LOOKING TO A CONFERENCE.

The Baseball War Has Satisfied Both Sides and They Will Come Together.

Allen G. Thurman, Jr., as a Peacemaker—He Shows the Necessity of Combination—Chicago Secures Second Place—The Brooklyns and the Giants Have Not Settled Their Great Struggle.

NEW YORK, Oct. 4.—There is undoubtedly a strong feeling existing among the leaders in the National and Players' League and American Association that the present disastrous conflict should cease, and the indications are that a conference will be held soon between representatives of the National and Players' Leagues and probably of the American Association to devise some means whereby a settlement can be perfected.

The question of an actual conference only leaked out yesterday, and there are various reasons to believe that such an event will take place. What part the American Association will take in the settlement, if there is any, is simply a matter of conjecture, but one thing is certain, Allen W. Thurman, Jr., a member of the Board of Arbitration, and one of the largest stockholders of the Columbus Club, has been in the city for some time and has had a conference with President Day of the New York (N. L.) Club, Vice-President Talcott of the New York (P. L.) Club, and other luminaries of baseball.

Mr. Thurman admits that the season has been very disastrous for baseball, and he thinks that another year of the same kind would about kill the interest in the sport entirely. His object, he says, in coming to New York was chiefly to consult with the officials of the two rival clubs in the city to see if some plan could not be effected to stop the war. "The continuance of this fight," said he, "means ruin to those financially interested in the clubs. We have considerable at stake in Columbus, and we don't want to lose it."

### BASEBALL GAMES.

National League.

AT BROOKLYN.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Brooklyn | 1 | 0 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | x | —10 |
| Pittsburg | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | — 4 |

Batteries—Foutz and Clarke; Day and Berger.

AT CINCINNATI.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Cincinnati | 0 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | — 8 |
| Boston | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | — 2 |

Batteries—Duryea and Keenan; Clarkson and Bennett.

AT CLEVELAND.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Cleveland | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | — 4 |
| Philadelphia | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | — 5 |

Batteries—Beatin and Zimmer; Esper and Schriver.

AT CHICAGO.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Chicago | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | — 3 |
| New York | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | — 2 |

Game called at the end of seventh inning on account of darkness.

Batteries—Luby and Homer; Ruste and Clark.

Players' League.

AT CLEVELAND.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Cleveland | 0 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | — | 9 | |
| Philadelphia | 0 | 0 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 0 | — | 9 | |

Game was called at the end of the seventh inning on account of darkness.

Batteries—McGill and Sutcliffe; Knell and Milligan.

AT CHICAGO.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Chicago | 3 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | —10 |
| New York | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | — 0 |

Batteries—Baldwin and Farrell; Crane and Brown.

AT PITTSBURG.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Pittsburg | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | — 4 |
| Boston | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | — 0 |

Batteries—Staley and Quinn; Radbourn and Swett.

AT BUFFALO.

Buffalo and Brooklyn game postponed on account of rain.

American Association.

AT LOUISVILLE.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Columbus | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | — 3 |
| Louisville | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | x | — 5 |

Batteries—Chamberlain and O'Connor; Stratton and Ryan.

Attendance at League Games.

| | Players | League |
|---|---|---|
| Chicago | 718 | 500 |
| Cleveland | 300 | 400 |
| Brooklyn | .... | 357 |
| Cincinnati | .... | 802 |
| Pittsburg | 496 | .... |
| Buffalo | Rain | .... |
| Totals | 1,514 | 2,119 |

Standing of the Clubs.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

| | Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'ct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Brookl'n | 80 | 43 | .627 | Boston | 76 | 57 | .571 |
| Chicago | 83 | 53 | .610 | N. York | 63 | 68 | .481 |
| Philadel. | 78 | 51 | .605 | Clev'l'nd | 42 | 93 | .323 |
| Cincin'ti | 77 | 55 | .583 | Pitts'b'rg | 33 | 113 | .169 |

PLAYERS' LEAGUE.

| | Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P'ct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Boston | 80 | 47 | .630 | Philadel. | 67 | 63 | .515 |
| Brookl'n | 75 | 56 | .573 | Pittsb'rg | 59 | 67 | .468 |
| N. York | 74 | 57 | .565 | Clev'l'nd | 53 | 74 | .426 |
| Chicago | 75 | 62 | .547 | Buffalo | 36 | 95 | .275 |

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

| | Won | Lost | P'ct | | Won | Lost | P c |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Lou'v'le | 82 | 41 | .667 | Roch'st'r | 60 | 67 | .513 |
| St. Louis | 76 | 51 | .598 | Athletic | 55 | 70 | .440 |
| Col'mb's | 71 | 55 | .563 | Syracuse | 47 | 71 | .398 |
| Toledo | 65 | 58 | .542 | Ignitim's | 36 | 86 | .290 |

Schedule of To-Day's Games.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

New York vs. Chicago, at Chicago.
Brooklyn vs. Pittsburg, at Brooklyn.
Boston vs. Cincinnati, at Cincinnati.
Philadelphia vs. Cleveland, at Cleveland.

PLAYERS' LEAGUE.

Brooklyn vs. Buffalo, at Buffalo.
New York vs. Chicago, at Chicago.

### SLEEPING AND PREACHING.

Rev. David Kaufman Creating a Sensation in Lancaster County, Pa.

READING, Pa., Oct. 4.—At the Gap, Lancaster county, a sensation has been created by the discourse of Rev. David Kaufman, who is known as the "sleeping preacher."

The clergyman lies down in a bed at a private house, and when he is asleep he arises and begins preaching first in the English and then in the German language.

At the house of C. L. Kaufman, the sleeping preacher spoke nearly three hours when he became exhausted and had to be carried up stairs.

When sleeping and preaching he says he cannot hear, see or feel and when he awakes next morning he is fully refreshed and remembers nothing that took place the night before.

He is going about from house to house and the people have confidence in him.

### FELL DEAD AT THE TABLE.

Written Request That He Be Cremated. "Be Sure I Am Dead First."

CHICAGO, Oct. 4.—William H. Spencer, a travelling salesman, fell dead at the breakfast table during the morning.

He had in his pocket a card dated July 27, 1889, reading as follows:

"I am William H. Spencer, 334 West Eighteenth street, New York city. Aug. 30, 1890.—Am now rooming at 36 Pine street, second flat. Should I be taken ill send word to Mrs. C. Spencer, 334 West Eighteenth street, New York; Miss Julia Spencer, care of William Ellis, Shawville Postoffice, Virginia; Mrs. E. Henrot, care of Monroe & Co., 7 Rue Scribe, Paris, France.

"I am insured in the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company, office 2 West Fourteenth street and Fifth avenue, New York. I wish to be cremated when dead, not buried. Be sure I am dead first."

The Cincinnati Deal.

CINCINNATI, Oct. 4.—There may be a hitch in the transfer of the Cincinnati Club to the Players's League. Secretary Frank H. Brunell is here with the money, and E. B. Talcott has also arrived. Al Johson and John Ward will get here to-day, when a conference with President Stern will be held. There is a disposition on the part of several of the Cincinnati players to hold back, and the old spirit to "squeeze" somebody is evident. It is hardly probable, however, that the deal will fall now.

Dispatches from Suakim.

LONDON, Oct. 4.—Dispatches from Suakim state that much discontent continues among the inhabitants. Trade is paralyzed. Hundreds are dying in the interior from starvation.

### NEWS OF THE DAY.

The County Democracy in New York won in the fight for a share of the election inspectors.

The steamer Corwin has arrived at New York from Alaska with the Government exploring party on board.

The members of the Iron and Steel Institute and guests visited Mr. Edison's electric laboratory, at Llewellyn Park, N. J.

The venerable historian George Bancroft, yesterday quietly celebrated his 90th birthday at his home in Newport, R. I.

The entire Republican ticket in Seattle, Wash., is elected. The Republican majority for Mayor is estimated at 300.

Col. John R. French, who died suddenly Thursday night at Boise City, Idaho, was prominent in the early anti-slavery agitation.

Attorney-General Longley of Nova Scotia, his been rejected to membership by the Halifax Club for advocating annexation to the United States.

A number of the New York State Senators express themselves in favor of the proposed consolidation of Brooklyn and New York.

Suit is brought to break the will of John Crefar, the Chicago merchant, who left $2,000,000 to found and maintain a library and large bequests for other public purposes.

Weather Indications.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 4.—For New England: Slightly warmer; southwesterly winds; showers; followed by fair weather.

For Eastern New York: Rain; followed by fair weather; southerly winds; slightly warmer.

For New Jersey: Showers; followed by fair weather; slightly warmer; southwesterly winds.

For Eastern Pennsylvania: Slightly warmer; westerly winds and fair weather.

For Western New York and Western Pennsylvania: Slightly warmer; southwesterly winds; showers, followed by fair weather.

### NEW YORK MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Oct. 3.—Money on call to-day 3 and 3½ per cent.

BONDS.

| | Closing Yesterday. | Closing To-day. |
|---|---|---|
| 4½s, 1891 Reg | 104½ | 104 |
| 4½s, 1891 Coup | 104½ | 104 |
| 4 s, 1907 Reg | 122½ | 122½ |
| 4 s, 1907 Coup | 120 | 119½ |

STOCK MARKET.

| | Closing Yesterday. | Closing To-day. |
|---|---|---|
| Canadian Pacific | — | 78½ |
| Central Pacific | — | — |
| Chicago, Bur. & Quincy | 93¼ | 93 |
| Delaware & Hudson | 155 | 155 |
| Del., Lack. & Western | 140¼ | 144¾ |
| Erie | 20¾ | 21¼ |
| Erie pf | — | — |
| Lake Shore | 108¾ | 107¾ |
| Louis. & Nash | 85 | 84¾ |
| Michigan Central | 125 | — |
| Missouri Pacific | 70¾ | 70¾ |
| New Jersey Central | 115 | 114 |
| Northwestern | 106¾ | 108 |
| Oregon Navigation | — | — |
| Pacific Mail | 43¾ | 40¾ |
| Reading | 40¾ | 40¾ |
| Rock Island | 81¾ | 80¾ |
| St. Paul | 86½ | 85¾ |
| Union Pacific | 55½ | 57¾ |

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## BY THE WAY.

—Special "cut" prices at Edsall's to-night.

—Conference of Christian young men at the Y. M. C. A., to-night.

—There will be special singing by a male chorus at the Y. M. C. A., meeting to-morrow at 4:15 P. M.

—The regular monthly business meeting of the W. C. T. U. will take place Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Every one will be welcome.

—The Y. M. C. A. will organize a class in book-keeping and penmanship, providing a sufficient number of young men desire to take up the study.

—The annual meeting of the Plainfield Relief Association for election of officers, will be held in the Y. M. C. A. parlors on Monday morning, October 6, at 10 o'clock.

—Through the kindness of Mr. Ginna, the Young Women's Christian Temperance Union have secured Bethel chapel, at Fifth and Washington streets, for a *special* meeting on Monday afternoon of next week at 3:45 sharp.

—Among the shoe men in this vicinity worthy of special notice is C. P. Wheeler, of 37 Somerset street, who devotes his entire time to his establishment, keeps the stock in perfect condition, is on the alert to satisfy his customers in every particular, sells good goods, and makes the prices as low as one could desire.

—Mrs. Dermott, a temperance evangelist from Newark, N. J., will conduct the meetings of the Woman's Temperance Aid Society to-morrow at Reform Hall at 9:15 A. M. and 4 P. M. All are invited. There will be a Mother's meeting held every Thursday at 3 o'clock, in the auditorium of the hall which the women are invited to attend.

—A carriage was crippled at the corner of East Second street and Park avenue last evening, by getting one of its wheels wedged firmly underneath the body of the vehicle. A crowd of people stood around in the rain and watched two men work with a monkey-wrench a quarter of an hour, until the wheel was released from its unwonted state and restored to its customary position where it could rotate without any difficulty.

—The fact that A. Iacolucci has opened a first-class confectionery establishment at 33 and 35 West Front street, is recorded in the advertising columns of THE PRESS today. Mr. Iacolucci is a foreman in the celebrated New York establishment of Tenney, whose candies have become so popular in Plainfield through the agency of the Moy Pharmacy Company. Mr. Iacolucci will continue his relations with Tenney, and in addition will give Plainfielders the best fancy fruit cakes, chocolates, bon-bons, jellies and fine confections his art and skill can devise.

—"Helps to read" have undergone so many improvements since the days of the old-fashioned spectacles that one is not surprised nowadays to hear of new wonderful achievements in the matter of remedying imperfect sight. No matter how bad the case may be, Dickinson, the Park avenue jeweler, feels confident that he can relieve and rejuvenate eyes that are failing of their duties. He has just received a full line of Dr. King's celebrated spectacles and eye-glasses, and can fit one's eyes in a scientific manner. He is Dr. King's sole agent in Plainfield.

## PARTICULAR MENTION.

The Rev. Mr. Shields, pastor of the African Methodist Episcopal church at Bound Brook, will preach in Bethel chapel, this city, Sunday evening.

David Wotherspoon of this city, and partner, won a match for doubles against Warner and Beedau, of Roselle, at the Westfield tennis tournament, Thursday.

During the absence of Herman Simonds, of Broadway, who will make a two-months' trip through the South, his family will be guests at Van Court Inn, Roselle.

The Rev. George Karner, of this city, whose wife was Miss Cadmus, has accepted a call to Albany. Mr. and Mrs. Karner are now in Plainfield visiting at the home of the latter's father, Abram L. Cadmus. Albany has drawn from this city the Revs. Raymond, Dunn, Karner and Skellinger.

### Prepared Her Husband's Supper, and Fell Dead.

The death of Acky Annie Bray, wife of George Bray, of 185 Grove street, North Plainfield, occurred last evening, under peculiarly distressing circumstances. She had been ill since early July, but of late had been feeling a great deal better, and was planning to give her husband a happy celebration of his birthday anniversary, today. Last evening she prepared supper, and made every thing bright and cheerful for his home-coming from a hard day's work. Then she seated herself in a chair to rest. When her husband arrived he found her lying on the floor, in front of the chair, from which she had fallen, dead. Dr. Long was summoned, but the woman was past medical aid. Mrs. Bray was forty years of age. She had been married fourteen years, and was a devoted wife.

### Dunellen, N. J.

The charter of the North American Endowment Associates will be closed Tuesday evening, October 7, 1890. Persons wishing to join as charter members can do so by seeing C. W. Oley, and making out an application before that time.

## THE BOROUGH'S MARCH OF PROGRESS.

### Electric Lighting at Last a Probability—No Money for Somerset Street—Mr. Emmons and Mr. Hegeman Talk Back at One Another.

At the Borough Common Council meeting last evening the project to repair Somerset street was knocked in the head. Councilman Emmons did his best to wrest sufficient money from the hands of the Street Committee for the purchase of 500 tons of crushed stone exclusively for Somerset street, and when the question came to a vote Councilmen Smalley and Sebring stood by him and tied against Councilmen Hegeman, Buckle and Needham. Mayor Place put his deciding vote against the Emmons contingent, and Somerset street stays as it was. Those who voted against the Emmons project explained that they did so, not because they didn't favor it, but because they had been kept, through the remission of the Street Committee, in ignorance of just how big a balance was left in the street mending treasury.

Mr. Emmons said that if he might be permitted to make a few remarks he thought he ought to be allowed to say something, and he wanted to state, and he defied contradiction, that the Street Committee was spending all its money in one favored part of the borough to the exclusion of the other side of town.

Mr. Hegeman protested against Mr. Emmons' talking that way and arousing sectional feeling, and said he protested against it anyway. He also characterized as ridiculous Mr. Emmons' charges that he, Mr. Hegeman, legislated for the interests of one section of the borough and against the interests of another section, and added that Mr. Emmons was himself the obstructionist. Mr. Emmons had voted against the proposition to macadamize Greenbrook road [which statement Mr. Emmons indignantly denied], and as long as Mr. Emmons opposed Greenbrook road Mr. Hegeman would oppose Somerset street.

In explaining the position he took, Mayor Place said, casually, that he supposed the Street Committee—of which Mr. Hegeman is chairman—knew what it was about, at which Mr. Emmons said he'd thought the whole year that they didn't.

For fear that Mr. Emmons didn't understand, Clerk Brokaw arose and said "Motion's lost!"

"Yes"—said Mr. Emmons sarcastically—"I marked it that way."

Petitions which received attention and were referred to appropriate committees was one seeking for the adjustment of the grade and the scraping of the gutters on Vine street, so that pools of detrimental stagnant water would no longer accumulate; one from Warren Engine Company asking the privilege of procuring, through popular subscriptions, a good big fire alarm bell, in place of the present "insignificant" one; and one from the Edison Electric Light Company of North Plainfield, through Chas. F. Hughes, seeking to obtain a franchise to light the streets of the Borough at the rate of $18 per year for each lamp; at least 200 twenty-candle-power lamps would be required, making the annual cost $3,600.

The Fire, Water and Lamps Committee reported that it favored the Edison Company's proposition, and at an adjourned meeting to be held Friday evening, October 10, something will be done towards closing a contract.

### Reform Club.

At the regular meeting of the Reform Club last Thursday evening, the following resolution was adopted:

"*Resolved*, That the ladies of the Temperance Aid Society be and they are hereby respectfully requested to arrange and introduce a varied order of exercises for our Thursday evening meetings, with the view of rendering those occasions increasingly attractive and interesting; and that a special committee of three members of the Reform Club be appointed to co-operate in carrying into practical effect the foregoing suggested work."

President Harper named as such Committee Messrs Vanderbeek, Sampson and Burnett.

The Club also resolved to discontinue its meetings in Reform Hall during the coming union evangelical services under the leadership of Mr. Mills.

### Mechanical Drawing.

The Y. M. C. A. classes in mechanical drawing will be resumed on Tuesday evening, Oct. 14. The advantages to any one connected with the manufacture of machinery of a knowledge of mechanical drawing are so well known that it is not necessary to repeat them here.

The instructors will be C. J. Robertson, draughtsman at Scott's Press Works, and A. J. Gavett, civil engineer. The membership fee in the association ($2) includes this and all other privileges of the Association. Full information at the rooms.

### A Plainfielder Goes Abroad and Gets an Office.

D. T. Dunlap, a brother of Wm. W. Dunlap of Plainfield, and himself a former Plainfielder, has been elected Clerk of the District Court in Carbon county, Wyoming. His plurality was 130. He ran on the Republican ticket, and ran considerably ahead of it.

### Possibility.

"Scotland's burning! Scotland's burning!"
(Wonder what would happen if it should?)
"Pour on water! pour on water!"
(As if 'twould do the smallest bit of good.)
Plainfield's burning! Plainfield's burning!
(Wouldn't it be dreadful if it should!)
Bells are ringing; engines ready;
(Horses down at Westfield hauling wood.)

### Still Crowing.

(*From the Somerville Democrat.*)

Al. Mack says we can't lose with him scoring. We are afraid the score would suffer if it was not for Reger. [But they should both learn that three men put out in one inning is not a "triple play."]

John J. Kenney, of Plainfield, the enterprising shoe dealer, takes an unusual interest in base ball matters, and was so ready to *boil* over during the excitement of the last game, that it still clings to his right hand.

The West Ends are as a rule noted for being hustlers and always out for blood, but especially is this so concerning their Manager, when two weeks ago he was looking for *Gore* the whole day long.

Martin and Lufbery were seen deeply engaged in a game of billiards. They seem to be more at home in playing with three balls than with one.

Our John was in fine condition, and was confident of winning the game, but it was declared a tie in favor of the rain. [Yet John told us he was *not* in condition, and hoped the game would be postponed a week. He said: "Next Saturday I can pitch them out of sight."]

Can it be possible that the Crescents are to lose three straight? It certainly seems so, and yet they wanted to make it a five game series. We would do it, but three games in a season from one club is enough to win.

### Better Mail Service for New Market.

The following letter will bring joy to the hearts of the suburban folks out Seventh street way:

RAILWAY MAIL SERVICE,
Office of Superintendent,
NEW YORK, Sept. 30, 1890.

*Stanley Day, Esq., New Market, N. J.*

Your letters of September 25 to the Honorable Postmaster General at Washington, D. C., enclosing an envelope mailed at New York at 2 P. M. and addressed to yourself at New Market, Sept. 24, and which did not reach you until Sept. 25, has been referred here.

As this office has explained to you on several occasions recently you could not receive at your place the same afternoon by train 5, any mail deposited in the New York postoffice later than 11:30 A. M.

The matter of direct dispatch from New York to New Market by the 5:10 P. M. Lehigh Valley Railroad train has been given attention and arrangements have been made so that commencing with Sept. 30, this mail will be dispatched from New York.

The Postmaster has also been advised of the establishment of this additional mail.

It is trusted that this arrangement will be satisfactory.

Respectfully,
R. C. JACKSON, Supt.

### Why the Adams Express Company is Becoming Unpopular.

The queer movements of the Adams Express Company have called forth words of censure from the Bound Brook *Chronicle*, which says that wherever the company exists the old and reliable men are being dismissed and younger men hired at low wages to fill the vacancies.

Besides abolishing the offices at Plainfield and Somerville the company has now discontinued its Elizabethport branch, much to the inconvenience of Elizabeth merchants, who now threaten to institute a boycott against the entire concern.

The Bound Brook office will be retained. A. M. Converse, of East Bound Brook, who for nearly a quarter of a century has held a position of trust with the company in its main office in New York, is among the list of old men discharged.

### Fanwood Club Car.

Wednesday evening the 5:15 train from New York carried the Fanwood club car on its first trip. The car is one of the handsomest of its kind. It is the original Howard car but much improved in its interior furnishing. Mrs. James Fancher was the first lady to honor it with her presence.

The members of the club include such representative men as R. P. Moore, Walter Force, George Brown, A. D. Beeken, Buz Kempshall, Col. Charles Moore, Bishop Kyte and Wm. E. Gibbs. The car leaves so early in the morning and returns so late in the evening, that Abner P. Downer did not join its coterie. Mrs. Moore, Mrs. Gibbs and Mrs. Warren are among the ladies who have been the club's guests on the car. It leaves Fanwood every morning at 7:37.

### Death of the Rev. W. P. Tilden.

The Rev. W. P. Tilden, who organized the Unitarian Society of Plainfield, died at his home in Milton, a suburb of Boston, yesterday morning, in his seventy-ninth year. Mr. Tilden had for many years been a familiar figure in Boston, where he was a long time pastor of the New South church, and of Church Green. He went to Boston in 1862, and remained until the close of 1883. He was greatly beloved by his parishioners for his kindly ways and his thoughtful care of their welfare. He was preaching in Plainfield, and working hard for the success of the church, when taken ill a year ago. He went to Lakewood and other resorts, hoping to recover his health, but his frame was worn out, and his spirit took its flight.

### Young Men's Rally.

The singing at the Young Men's meeting at the Y. M. C. A., to-morrow afternoon, will be an especially attractive feature. Frederick Moon will conduct the service and there will be brief telling talks by young men. Ten or more men took part in the meeting last week. All men will be heartily welcome.

—Buy your window shades at Fairchild's furniture store 21 and 23 East Front street.

## THE PUGILISTS' HEARING.

### Perhaps the Backers and Spectators Will Also be Prosecuted.

LONDON, Oct. 4.—The hearing in the case of Slavin and McAuliffe, who are charged with assaulting each other and committing a breach of the peace, took place in the Lambeth Police Court. Counsel for the Crown said that if the contest between the two men was declared unlawful by the court, those persons who arranged and abetted the fight would be prosecuted.

After hearing the evidence for and against the prisoners, the court announced that it would reserve its decision for a week.

### Wilhelm Praised By Priests.

BERLIN, Oct. 4.—The Roman Catholic papers of Germany publish a pastoral from the German bishops which deals with the social problem. Emperor William is praised by the bishops for having taken the initiative in the movement toward reform. The pastoral maintains the position already assumed that in the Church will be found the most efficient healer of social ills.

### The Bullocks Were All Right.

MONTREAL, Oct. 4.—Sir Charles Tupper, the Canadian High Commissioner, has cabled from London that an examination of the lungs of the suspected bullocks, which were shipped from Montreal on the Norse King, shows that they are in a healthy condition, and the English Board of Agriculture have declared the entire shipment of the cattle free.

### Troops Called Off.

LONDON, Oct. 4.—The order to keep the troops at Chatham under arms in anticipation of a strike among the employes of the London Gaslight and Coke Company has been countermanded.

### Pitcher Weyhing Discharged.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Oct. 4.—Pitcher Weyhing of the Brooklyn Club who was arrested for abusing Umpire Snyder, from the grand stand, was discharged by the police justice.

### A Railroad for Sheriff's Sale.

LEBANON, Pa., Oct. 4.—Thomas B. Capp, of this city, issued an execution for $37,687 against the South Mountain Railroad, and the property will be sold sheriff's sale on November 29.

### Big Fire at Cannons, Connecticut.

NORWALK, Conn., Oct. 4.—At Cannons, a small town near here, a three-story frame house owned by W. T. Renaud, was burned as were also two smaller structures during the morning. In Renaud's building was a general store, the post office, telegraph office and railroad ticket office. Nothing was saved. A freight house directly opposite was also burned with contents. The cause is supposed to have been incendiary.

### Pittsburg Men Buy a Silver Mine.

TUCSON, Ariz., Oct. 4.—Lemuel Banister and George Westinghouse, of Pittsburg, Pa., have paid $75,000 for a silver mine twenty miles south of Tucson. It is claimed there is $200,000 in sight.

### Stronger Than 100 Years Ago.

LEWISTON, Ill., Oct. 4.—Mrs. Christina Bordner, who will be 101 years old on the 26th of this month, came to town and had her picture taken to-day. She is in excellent health and walks without any assistance.

### Two Children Burned to Death.

MARLBORO, Mass., Oct. 4.—Two children of Nelson Dion, aged 7 and 4 respectively, were burned to death about 8 p. m. by the explosion of a lamp.

### Wines for Debilitated Females.

Physicians have used Speer's wine, and having applied to it the strictest test known to chemistry, they do not hesitate to pronounce it a pure wine of medium strength, and recommend it to be of great advantage to the aged and infirm, also in low and typhoid fevers, Speer's wine will be found very superior.

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On and after Oct. 1, 1890, we propose doing a CASH BUSINESS. And in order to do so we propose to sell at the

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And satisfaction guaranteed. Call and examine and see for yourselves.

Goods delivered free of charge to all parts of the city.

P. S.—Business hours from 6:30 A. M. until we close. J. B. HATFIELD. 10 3 3

WHY WOMEN TALK ABOUT IT.

THIS IS WHY.

Ontario Center, N. Y.
May 7, 1890.
*F. E. C. Medicine Co., Rochester, N. Y.:*

For seven or eight years my wife has been troubled with some kind of kidney trouble. She tried many different remedies but all in vain. She continued to GROW worse. Last fall I induced her to try the F. E. C. Remedy, and before using one bottle she began to improve, and now, after using six bottles, she is entirely cured. I have recommended it to many and it has benefitted in every case heard from.
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## THE SHOOT IS ENDED.

**Bad Weather Interrupts the Sport at Dunellen But Big Events Are Coming.**

The sixth annual tournament of the Middlesex Gun Club came to an end last night. For the first time in the history of the club the weather has operated against success. Torrents of rain fell Thursday night, the 2,000 pigeons left after Wednesday's live-bird sport were drenched in their coops, and 400 of them were killed by the water. Yesterday afternoon a penetrating mist fell, and the men had to wear cumbersome waterproof garments and to shoot through a blinding atmosphere of rain and smoke. The outlook for today was so dreary that it was abruptly decided to postpone the big one-hundred-dollar-entrance sweepstakes, which was to bring together the champions of the various States, and to end the tournament last night.

The shooting for the big guaranteed purse of the season yesterday began well. Of the first 200 birds released from the traps only seven were lost, and of these three were hit and fell dead outside of the boundary line. W. H. Wolstencroft of Philadelphia, who won first money in the same event last year, shared first prize yesterday with W. Crosby of Batavia, N. Y.; each having a clean record of 25 birds killed, defeating the American champion. Quimby, Kleinz, Elliott, Welch, Riggott and VonBrackle each brought 24 to earth, and divided second money. W. H. Green, Wild, Hedden, Manley, and Whitney each missed two and went shares on third. Cannon and Marsh defeated Seigler and Class in shooting off a tie for fourth, and went halves. Peacock and Williams had been in for fifth money, but in shooting off the tie Williams lost.

The marksman who won the most applause during the day was William S. Canon, the famous one-armed shooter from Newark, who brought down his birds with the utmost ease. He lost his arm during the war, and fought two years without it. He arranges his necktie without assistance, laces his shoes rapidly; and in fact does everything as quickly and correctly with one arm as most men do with two. W. Fred. Quimby also was accorded cheers for being the sportsman to use his second barrel least of all during the day.

In several minor events of the day Canon, Kleinz, Crosby, and Welch won first money, and Collins, C. Smith, A. Hedden, Manley, Voorhees, Sigler and Leek won second. Other moneys were won by Dayton, Terry, C. M. Hedden Lindsley, Green, and Peacock.

Financially the tournament has been a great success to the club, and a dozen or two of the participants have profited considerably.

*The indefinite postponement of the big* one-hundred-dollar-entrance fifty-live-bird sweepstakes was a great disapointment to the participants in the tournament, and especially to those who had planned to take part in the event. Elliott, the live-bird champion of the United States, had hoped to compete in this affair with the champions of other States, and, to give vent to his ambition to defeat them, he arranged last night with Frank Class, of Pine Brook, champion of New Jersey, and J. Frank Kleinz, of Philadelphia, champion of Pennsylvania, for a three-cornered match, each man contributing $1,000 to the prize pot and each shooting at 100 live birds. The match will take place within two months.

The conference of delegates from the different New Jersey gun clubs, which was to be held last night, did not take place for want of a quorum; hence the annual Fall tournament of the New Jersey State Sportsmen's Association could not be arranged for, but it was decided to hold a tournament at Newark, from Nov. 25 to Nov. 28, and to adopt it as the State tournament as soon as the consent of a quorum could be procured. At this tournament the shooting of Nov. 25 and 26 will be at inanimate targets, and that of Thanksgiving Day and Nov. 28 at live birds.

**Cigarettes Result Fatally.**

Willie Major, an eight-year-old boy living near Bound Brook, died Tuesday from excessive cigarette smoking. Last Saturday he made cigarettes from the silk of green corn. This he wrapped with newspaper and smoked a number of them. On Sunday he was taken ill and became delirious. He had every symptom of brain fever and died in convulsions.—Plainfield *Press.*

This fatality occurred in Trenton, several miles from Bound Brook. From the manner in which this town is reported by our city contemporaries it seems as though they are writing under the order "if you don't know where it happened say Bound Brook."—*Chronicle.*

The above item was not taken from THE PRESS. It was never published in these columns because there was doubt—and is yet—of its truth.

**Hog Cholera Rampant in the Rural Regions.**

Cholera is epidemic among the live stock in the Bound Brook neighborhood. Wm. Emery, of Gatesville, lost a number of fine hogs with the disease. A large number of chickens, geese and ducks have also died with the same complaint. One who knows says that an ounce of carbolic acid in a gallon of water, set where they will drink it, will save the poultry. He thinks the same treatment would be favorable to the hogs.

The problem of medicine is solved by Hires' Root Beer imparting pure, rich blood. Source of health. Without pure blood a person cannot long remain healthy and free from disease. Hires' Root Beer Packages makes five gallons of a delicious, sparkling temperance drink. Cooling and quenching the thirst. All first-class druggists and grocers sell it.

**"Ladies" Who Remember When Broad Street Was a Cart Path.**

*(From the Westfield Standard.)*

What might properly be termed an old folds re-union occurred at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. C. Marsh last Sunday. There were present at this time a number of ladies who lived in Westfield when Broad street was a cart path, and Ripley Hill a heavy forest. There were no exciting times about school meetings in those days, and a road that could boast of a well-defined wagon track was a boon. The names of those old residents are:—Mrs. Eliza McPeck, of Greenpoint, L. I., who is 80 years of age, Mrs. Wm. Davis, of Phillipsburg, 76 years old; Mrs. Dennis Moffat, of Plainfield, 74 years old, and Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Long, of Plainfield.

**A Grateful Patient Sings Muhlenberg's Praises.**

Ross Linbarger, of Plainfield, has been spending a few days with A. J. Linbarger —says the Bound Brook *Chronicle.* He is recovering from what was expected would be a fatal illness. He was suffering with gangrene in his left foot, and for a long time was an inmate of the Muhlenberg Hospital. He speaks in the highest praise of his treatment at that institution, and says he owes his life to the faithful nursing he received there.

**Bound Brook Borough Must Wake Up.**

The Somerset County Grand Jury has made a presentment against the Bound Brook Borough Commissioners for permitting the Bound Brook streets to remain in such a deplorable condition. The Court was requested to bring the matter before the December grand jury if improvements were not made in the meantime.

**Hope to be Granted Light Next Monday Night.**

The residents of Arlington avenue have graded their street, cut out the curb lines and put the thoroughfare in good condition. Now they clamor for lights. They claim that the street is traveled so extensively and is ordinarily so dark that lamps are an absolute necessity.

## SUNDAY SERVICES.

Brief notices will be inserted under this head free of expense, but must be delivered at this office not later than eleven o'clock on Saturday morning to insure publication.

Friends' Band of Mercy holds its regular monthly meeting in the Peace street house to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock. Aaron M. Powell will preside.

First Unitarian church, Second place, to-morrow. The Rev. Hobart Clark, pastor, will preach. Services at 10:30 A. M., and 7:30 P. M. Sunday school at 11:45 A. M.

Crescent Avenue church, the Rev. Wm. R. Richards, pastor. Services at 10:30 A. M., and 7:30 P. M. Sabbath school at 2:30 P. M. Seats free at the evening service.

The masses in St. Mary's church tomorrow will be at 8:30, 9:45 and 10:45 A. M. Vespers will be held at 8 o'clock in the evening. Sunday school at three o'clock P. M.

The usual meetings of the W. C. T. U. will be held in their rooms 73 West Front street, as follows: Saturday evening at 7:30, Sunday morning at 9:15, Sunday afternoon at 4.

Methodist Episcopal church, the Rev. Chas. B. Mitchell, pastor, will preach at 10:30 A. M., and 7:30 P. M. Sunday school at 2:30 P. M. Evening subject: "Second Sermon to Men."

At the Church of the Heavenly Rest, the Rev. Dr. Taylor, pastor, will conduct the usual services to-morrow. Morning service, with sermon and Holy Communion, will be held at eleven o'clock. Sunday school will begin at 3 o'clock P. M.

A change in the hour of holding the sessions of the M. E. Sunday school will begin to-morrow, when the session will begin at 2:30 P. M. The change will be permanent. Morning services in the M. E. church will be held at 10:30 A. M. and 7:30 P. M.

The usual services will be held in the Park Avenue Baptist church, to-morrow. There will be preaching by the pastor, the Rev. Asa Reed Dilts, at 10:30 A. M. and 7:45 P. M. Morning theme: "Jesus Christ in the Life." Evening theme: "Our Day of Grace."

Services in the First Presbyterian church to-morrow at 10:30 A. M. and 7:30 P. M: Preaching by the pastor, the Rev. K. P. Ketcham. Subject of the morning sermon—"Wisdom and Duty as to Public Opinion. The evening will be devoted to a special service of song.

The First Church of Christ will meet at Amphion Hall, to-morrow morning and evening. The Lord willing J. B. Cleaver will preach. Morning theme, Exodus XXXIV:6-7. Evening: Rev., VIII chapter, by special request. All are invited to attend these meetings.

The Church of the Holy Cross, to-morrow, the Rev. T. Logan Murphy, rector, will conduct morning prayer and preach the sermon with the administration of the Holy Communion, at 11 A. M. Sunday school will meet at 9:45 A. M. The hour of service for afternoon has been changed to 4 P. M.

Services will be held to-morrow, as usual, in the Trinity Reformed church at 10:30 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. In the morning the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be administered. In the evening the pastor, the Rev. Cornelius Schenck, will preach. Subject: "Which side of the Pillar."

Warren Mission Sunday school to-morrow at 2.30 P. M. Praise service at 7:30 and regular Sunday evening meeting at 8 o'clock at which Warren Randolph and J. H. Manning, Secretary of the Y. M. C. A., will preside. Young People's meeting Tuesday evening at eight o'clock. All are invited.

Meetings in Reform Hall to-morrow at the usual hours of 9:15 A. M., 4 and 7:45 P. M. In the evening there will be an address by a prominent temperance lady of Newark, and also, probably, an appropriate reading by a young lady of Plainfield. An interesting meeting is expected. A cordial welcome awaits all attenders.

Don't hawk, and blow, and spit, but use Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy.

## INDIAN BASE-BALL.

**It Isn't Much Like the National Game, but It Is a Lively Sport.**

Ball playing seems to have been a general source of amusement among all the American Indian tribes, but, writes Henry Inman, in the Kansas City Star, it is conceded that the Choctaws, in their uncivilized state, were the most skilled in the game. Of course, the Indian method of playing is not at all similar to the American National game, and indeed it is more like tennis.

It is played with two bats or sticks, and in every house I visited in the Choctaw Nation I saw one or more pairs of these peculiar bats. The sticks are bent into an oval loop at one end, with a web of fine buckskin thongs stretched across them to prevent the ball from falling out when tossed or caught. Each player carries two of these bats, one in each hand, and they catch the ball by jumping into the air, and throw it from the bats, and never are allowed to strike it or catch it with their hands.

In their primitive days it was an invariable law of the game that no player should wear moccasins on his feet, and he could make his appearance on the ball grounds only in the prescribed dress. He had to wear his breech-clout and a beautiful head belt and tail, made of white horse hair or quills, with a mane around his neck constructed of the same material as the tail, dyed in colors. The match was made up months before the day agreed upon for the playing of the game, and was led by two champions, or captains, as we should call them. These captains had the power to go through the tribe, from village to village, and alternately choose the men for their respective sides. The choice of players was generally effected by proxy; two "runners" were sent, armed with a pair of "ball-sticks." These were elaborately ornamented with paint, ribbons and any thing that had a gaudy appearance, and were touched by the players selected as an evidence that they accepted and would be on hand promptly at the appointed time, prepared to take part. Each side erected on the ground, where the game was to take place, two upright poles about thirty feet high and six feet apart, across the top of which another pole was fastened. These were called the goals or "byes," and the distance between them, one representing one side and one the other, was some 800 feet. At a point exactly half way from each goal a small stake was driven where the ball was to be thrown into the air at a certain signal.

All the preliminaries for the game were attended to by an old men, who were also the judges or umpires. First a line was drawn from one goal to the other; this was called the betting line, across which all bets were made and placed in possession of the regularly-appointed stake-holders, and all betting was made the night before the game was to be called. Every conceivable thing was staked that the Indian possessed, for there is no such inveterate gambler as poor Lo. The women of the tribe, too, were as earnest to wager what their lodges contained, even to the last blanket.

The night before the game, all the players assembled around their respective "byes," where, by the light of torches and other fires, the squaws beat their tom-toms and sung the weird songs of the nation. Then was the "ball-play dance" indulged in, all the players of both sides, in their full game dress, rattling their bats together and joining in the monotonous chants of the tribe. Then the squaws formed on each side of the betting-line and there danced and sung appeals to the Great Spirit to decide the game to-morrow in their favor.

The game was always opened by four old medicine men, who were also the umpires. The night before the game was called, while the players and the betters were dancing and having a good time at the "byes" and the betting line, they were squatted down at a small stake, away from the fun, smoking to the Great Spirit for ability to impartially decide the game to-morrow, as their duties required.

The four old men standing at the small stake throw the ball up in the air and then the players, numbering 700 or 800 frequently, rush frantically to the spot, leaping and actually jumping over each others' heads, darting between their adversaries' legs, and all the time keeping up the most demoniacal yells in their efforts to toss the ball to their own side. Sometimes a regular hand-to-hand fight occurs, but it never becomes serious, because, according to one of the rules of the game, every weapon is left in the village and no man is allowed to go or send for one, so that these occasional broils never amount to anything. The game is for 100 points, and a point is when the ball is passed through the poles of either side, which counts one.

All the players' efforts seem to be concentrated upon keeping the ball up in the air, but of course it does fall to the ground once in awhile, and then the scene is pandemonium broke loose; you can not see the players for the dust they raise as they rush together, nor can they see the ball either, and bloody noses and broken shins are the rule. Besides the 700 or 800 players there will often be twice that number of spectators on the ground, so that it can be imagined what a noise they make when all whoop and yell together.

**The Type of Ideal Beauty.**

This is Max O'Rell's idea of "the type of ideal beauty":

R—Take the hair of a Hindoo,
The nose of a Greek,
The mouth of the English,
The complexion of a German,
The height of a Norwegian,
The feet of a Chinese woman,
The teeth of an African,
The arm of a Belgian,
The leg of an Italian girl,
The eye of a Spaniard,
The grace of a French woman,
And you will have an American beauty.

**The Work of a Statesman.**

Some are disposed to attribute to Bismarck the German law which requires the closing of the windows of a room in which a young lady is practicing on the piano. At any rate, the author of the law was a full-grown statesman, who knew how to serve the public.

## A BLUE-GRASS IDYL.

**Two Kentuckians Settle a Difficulty and a Bill in a Gentlemanly Way.**

A blue-grass idyl has been circulating through the Southern society for several days. It is, says the New York Times, a tale of two Kentuckians—one a Major, the other a Colonel—who, after a night of luck at poker, determined to gratify an oft-expressed desire to visit New York. They came, and after two days of sight-seeing the Colonel suggested to the Major that a trip to New York would not be complete without a dinner at Delmonico's. The Major agreed.

It was deemed that it would hardly be considerate to take Mr. Delmonico unawares, and in order to prepare him for so unusual an event as a swell dinner for two the Kentucky gentlemen went to the restaurant early in the day, called for the head waiter and told him what they wanted. "Spare no expense," they said.

They dined at six. It was a splendid dinner. They tasted wines of all kinds that they had never heard of before. They ate a great deal and drank a great deal and told each other stories that both knew by heart. The banquet lasted three hours.

They called for their bill. The waiter placed a check, face down, on the menu. The gentlemen were toasting each other as the waiter did this, and when they placed their glasses on the table he was gone. They saw what appeared to them to be a scrap of paper on the menu and brushed it off. The old fellows were ignorant of the customs of French restaurants and they concluded that the menu must be the bill. The Colonel began to figure up the prices. It seemed that they had eaten a great deal, but the names of dishes were in a language unknown to them, and, any way, they were not in a mood to bother about trifles.

But the Colonel gasped when he figured up the total. It was $960.

"Great heavens, sah!" he exclaimed to the Major. "It is $960. If we pay this we can't get back home."

"We might," suggested the Major, faintly, "we might jump out of this window and run."

"No, sah," said the Colonel, bringing his fist down on the table. "We are Kentucky gentlemen, sah. We will pay this bill, sah, and then, sah, we will shoot the landlord, sah."

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# RELIGIOUS MATTERS.

## BE THOU MY STRENGTH.

When on my day of life the night is falling,
And in the winds from unsinned spaces blown,
I hear far voices out of darkness calling
My feet to paths unknown.

Thou who hast made my home of life so pleasant,
Leave not its tenant when its walls decay;
O love divine, O Helper ever present,
Be Thou my strength and stay!

Be near me when all else is from me drifting,
Earth, sky, home's picture, days of shade and shine,
And kindly faces to my own uplifting
The love which answers mine.

I have but Thee, O Father! Let Thy Spirit
Be with me then to comfort and uphold;
No gate of pearl, no branch of palm, I merit,
Nor street of shining gold.

Suffice it if, my good and ill unreckoned,
And both forgiven through Thy abounding grace,
I find myself by hands familiar beckoned
Unto my fitting place.

Some humble door among Thy many mansions,
Some sheltering shade where sin and striving cease,
And flows forever through Heaven's green expansions
The river of Thy peace.

There from the music round about me stealing,
I fain would learn the new and holy song,
And find at last, beneath Thy trees of healing,
The life for which I long.
—John Greenleaf Whittier, in Churchman.

## "THEREIN TO BE CONTENT."

**The Secret of True Happiness—An Inward State Not Dependent on External Conditions.**

In the journals of the late Louisa M. Alcott is this entry, made in 1874: "When I had the youth I had no money; now I have the money I have no time, and when I get the time, if I ever do, I shall have no health to enjoy life. I suppose it's the discipline I need; but it's rather hard to love the things I do, and see them go by because duty chains me to my galley." This expresses more lugubriously the truth to which Thackeray gave a whimsical setting: "When I was a boy, a confectioner's window that I passed every day was full of taffy. It was a shilling; I had none. Now I have the shilling, but I don't want the taffy." By a sort of irony of fate, it happens to the most of those whom the world esteems supremely fortunate, because they have won the prizes of wealth or fame, that the things won come too late to give happiness, if they ever had that power.

What is this but to say, with the Scripture, that "a man's life consisteth not in the abundance of the things which he possesseth?" Youth is not a desperately unhappy period, as a rule, because many things are desired that can not be possessed; and advanced years need not be void of happiness because they bring possession without desire. The apostle Paul has taught us the secret of happiness, the philosopher's stone that transmutes all into gold, the true elixir of life: "For I have learned, in whatsoever state I am, therein to be content."

Therein, be it observed, not necessarily therewith. Paul writing these words, chained by the wrist to a Roman soldier, and prepared for a speedy sentence of death, was probably no more content *with* such a state than we should be, but he was content *in* it. His happiness rested on a securer basis than outward circumstance and condition. The peace of God, that passeth all understanding, kept his heart, as he prayed that it might keep the hearts of the Philippian Christians. It is the common delusion of men that they could be happy if they were only otherwise circumstanced—that if they had this or that, perfect contentment would abe possible. Paul touches the deepest secret of human nature when he indicates that contentment is an inward state, not in the least dependent on external condition. As our great English poet has sung:

The mind is its own place, and in itself
Can make a Heaven of hell, a hell of Heaven.

We are so constituted by nature that our desires always outrun our possessions,

As if increase of appetite had grown
By what it fed on.

An insatiable craving for more, more, and ever more, makes all that we have seem insignificant by comparison with what we have not. For this craving there is no cure but one, a radical change of nature that shall substitute for love for self the love of God and man. This inward transformation, this moral and spiritual regeneration is what the spirit of God accomplishes for man; and the fruits of this Spirit are love, joy, peace, long-suffering, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, meekness, self-control.

There is nothing in Christian contentment of supineness or slothfulness of spirit, nothing inconsistent with that noble discontent which impels men to strive manfully for the bettering of themselves, their fortunes, and the world. To be content is not to vegetate, not to float with the stream. It is rather to preserve a serene spirit, an unshaken trust in God and the wisdom of His providence, that shall nerve and inspire its possessor to do the utmost of which his powers are capable for the betterment of himself and of the world. —N. Y. Examiner.

## THE BOOK OF LIFE.

**It Has a Wonderful Vitality for a Work That Has Been so Often Demolished.**

The Bible is a book which has been refuted, demolished, overthrown and exploded more times than any other book you ever heard of. Every little while somebody starts up and upsets this book; and it is like upsetting a solid cube of granite. It is just as big one way as the other; and when you have upset it it is right side up, and when you overturn it again it is right side up still. Every little while somebody blows up the Bible; but when it comes down it always lights on its feet, and runs faster than ever through the world. They overthrew the Bible a century ago, in Voltair's time—entirely demolished the whole thing. In less than a hundred years, said Voltaire, Christianity will have been swept from existence, and will have passed into history. Infidelity ran riot through France, red-handed and impious. A century has passed away. Voltaire has "passed into history," and not very respectable history either; but his old printing-press, it is said, has since been used to print the Word of God; and the very house where he lived is packed with Bibles, a depot for the Geneva Bible Society. Thomas Paine demolished the Bible and finished it off finally; but after he had crawled despairingly into a drunkard's grave in 1809, the book took such a leap th at since that time more than twenty times as many Bibles have been made and scattered through the world as ever were made before since the creation of man. Up to the year 1800, from four to six million copies of the Scriptures, in some thirty different languages, comprised all that had been produced since the world began. Eighty years later, in 1880, the statistics of eighty different Bible societies which are now in existence, with their unnumbered agencies and auxiliaries, report more than 165,000,000 Bibles, Testaments and portions of Scripture, with 206 *new* translations, distributed by Bible societies alone since 1804; to say nothing of the unknown millions of Bibles and Testaments which have been issued and circulated by private publishers throughout the world. For a book that has been exploded so many times, this book still shows considerable life.

I have heard of a man traveling around the country exploding this book, and showing up "the mistakes of Moses," at about $200 a night. It is easy work to abuse Moses at $200 a night, especially as Moses is dead, and can not talk back. It would be worth something, after hearing the infidel on "the mistakes of Moses," to hear Moses on "the mistakes of the infidel." When Moses could talk back, he was rather a difficult man to deal with. Pharaoh tried it, and met with poor success. Jannes and Jambres withstood Moses, and it is said found a grave in the Red Sea. Korah, Datham and Abiram tried it, and went down so deep that they have not yet got back. But now Moses is dead, and it is easy to abuse him. It does not take a very brave beast to kick a dead lion.—Dr. H. L. Hastings.

## STRENGTH OF CHARACTER.

**Do Not Mistake Strong Feeling for the Real Article.**

It was Robertson who said most profoundly: "We mistake strong feelings for strong character. You must measure the strength of a man by the power of the feelings which he subdues, not by the power of those which subdue him." This mistake, however, is almost universally made, especially by the young. How often we hear a girl or a boy confessing to a hasty and uncontroled temper in words which clearly convey the suggestion that such a temper is an evidence of strength of character; how many young people deem an even temper a sign of weakness, and the power of self-control an evidence that there is not much either of strength or of sensibility beneath a quiet and equable surface.

Such a view is entirely erroneous. As Robertson says, the only evidence of strength in a man is his power over his own self. Indeed, his powers are not his until they are entirely under his own control. That of which we can be robbed by untoward circumstances, or by the caprice of others, is not ours. This thought carries us one step farther, showing us not only the need of mastery over our own turbulent and insubordinate characteristics, but the need of a voluntary and deliberate exercise of the powers which are by nature ours. For instance, a person may have been endowed with a large stock of good temper, yet he is not truly good-tempered until he has deliberately chosen to be good-tempered in a time when to fail would be natural. Thus George MacDonald says of one of his strongest and most beautiful characters, dowered with an inexhaustible fund of good temper, "but it was not hers until she had made it her own by choosing and willing to be good-tempered when she was disinclined, holding it fast with the hand of determination when the hand of wrong would snatch it from her."

Thus it is only the virtue deliberately willed and chosen which is really ours, ours so truly that no self-will or misbehavoir of another, no untoward circumstance beyond our control, can rob us of it. It is because this truth is not understood and appreciated that so many people fail in their strongest point. So it was that the meekest man spoke unadvisedly with his lips, and the man of courage, Elijah, gave way to utter discouragement and prayed for death. It is not only when we think we stand, but just there where we believe that we stand most firmly, that we have need to take heed lest we fall.—American Messenger.

## "RAM'S HORN" SAYINGS.

Custom is a merciless master.

Never look where you shouldn't walk.

Much doing is not so important as well doing.

Every soul is a battlefield where the powers of hell and Heaven meet and engage in conflict.

The young man that fools away his time is about as long-sighted as the farmer who makes a hen-roost out of his two-hundred dollar self-binder.

God won't help a man who won't do something to help himself. It won't do to sit in a chair and pray for muscle. You can only get it by using what you have.

Astronomy has counted three hundred and fifty millions of shining worlds, all no doubt full of gold mines and yet the church is crowded with people who are afraid that God will not be able to fulfill His promises.

When Solomon made his celebrated remark about considering the ways of the energetic insect and garnering wisdom therefrom, he was not looking at the man who quibbles about trifles. The hairsplitter is always busy.

# WAR ON THE PARTRIDGE.

## A Day in the Woods with Dog and Gun.

**Pen Sketches from a Day's Hunt—A Disappointing Point—Where to Look for Partridges—Gun and Shells That Will Give Best Results.**

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The dawn of the first of September is always greeted with a rattling volley of shotguns in all parts of rural New York. The partridge can no longer skulk about under the protection of law, and he finds it necessary to keep his eye peeled or down goes his shanty.

Nevertheless the first always finds plenty of sportsmen waiting for its arrival and anticipating a day in the woods with their dogs. In some parts of the State very good shooting can be had. But mark you it means work and the hardest kind of work too. One secures his partridge in the same manner as the honest farmer whose ground he hunts upon earns his bread—by the sweat of his brow.

The country is mountainous and the path of the hunter strewn with thorns. In other words it is filled and canopied with thorns and briars, and under foot with jagged rocks and stumps. For a protection against the first wear an entire suit of canvas, with short breeches

IT WAS A TURTLE.

and leggings. For the feet, lace shoes with thick uppers and medium heavy soles filled with bob nails, are the best.

So equipped and accompanied by my two two Irish setters, Fan and Lady Bel, I started out bright and early on the first. We reached a choice piece of cover just in time to see a rabbit, closely pursued by a couple of hounds, make a short run in the adjoining field and then take to the cover again, the hounds in full bay after it. I soon found it was time wasted to hunt over this ground, as every bird was treed, and I only had the doubtful satisfaction of seeing my dogs make false points and of hearing birds get out of trees usually behind me. A short walk brought me to another cover which was a noted partridge retreat for this season of the year, there being plenty of berries for the birds to feed on. It was a tough-looking place to tackle, and after I got in I found it to be even worse than it looked. After having succeeded in extricating myself from an unusually bad tangle, and on recovering enough wind for the purpose, I whistled for the dogs, which were nowhere to be seen. They were apparently out of hearing as well as sight. So I started in search of them.

I began getting pretty well out of temper, and was tearing through the brush regardless of consequences when I stumbled pell mell over the two dogs, carrying them both to the ground with me. On reaching a sitting posture, I found they had already recovered themselves and were standing as staunch as before. It was a sight to warm one's heart. Lady Bel was half a length ahead of Fan with tail, back and head on the same level and both front legs braced squarely in front of her as if to prevent the animated dog flesh that they supported from approaching nearer the game.

Fan was in an easier position. One front foot was raised and her lips were slightly parted, through which could be seen the gleaming fangs and slowly dropping saliva.

With tightly grasped gun pushed well in front of me, I stepped ahead of my dogs. Three, four, five steps ahead of them. Still no signs of a feather. Yet I knew from the dogs' actions that the game was very close. Another step! The suspense began to be unpleasant. A kick in the brush and, for a moment, I thought the rush of air would carry me away with it. Birds got up all around me and some of them within reach of my gun barrel. Luckily the brush was low so they were well up over it before they came in proper range. I

DISCOVERING THE DOGS.

dropped one ahead of me and just had time to cover another with my left as it disappeared in some higher cover to the right. My eyes were gladdened, however, by some floating feathers that marked the spot he disappeared in.

After reloading I gave my dogs, who dropped to shot, permission to "fetch." Lady Bel almost immediately brought in a good sized young bird, and I sent her back to help find the other, walking in the same direction myself. On reaching the spot where I thought the bird fell, I found Fan making game with head turned back looking and waiting for me. As I drew near her she began moving slowly forward, only moving as she heard me do so behind her. So afraid was she of getting too far ahead and flushing the bird. The scent became so strong that she almost crawled on her belly, and just as she stiffened into a point, I heard Lady Bel coming through the bushes. As she approached me I saw she had a winged bird fluttering in her mouth. She got within a few feet of us before knowing it. Suddenly she saw Fan. Slowly her tail raised to the level of her back and one front foot left the ground, making as pretty a back as I ever saw. Meantime, mind you, she had a live bird fluttering in her mouth struggling to get away. A greater proof of intelligence could not well be imagined. Reaching down I stroked her with my hand. She acknowledged the caress by a barely perceptible wag of the tail, but her eyes never for a moment left Fan's form. A few steps forward brought me alongside Fan and with a whir-r-r-r up got a bird which I was fortunate enough to kill. At the command "fetch" Fan went out to retrieve it, and Lady Bel gave up the winged one she had held so long, which I killed, not by wringing its neck or thumping it against a tree, but in a more humane way—by breaking its neck between my teeth.

The last bird fired at which Fan soon brought in turned out to be a very fine old cock. The signs of an old bird are a dark orange mark over the eyes; they also have a much thicker skull than the young ones.

After a pull at my pipe and a chat with the dogs, who understood and appreciated the compliments I gave them, we began walking in the direction that most of the brood had taken. I put up six of them, getting a point on every one and killing three.

This increased my bag to six, and I had made a double shot, the first one I ever made on partridges. By a strong effort I escaped the "big-head," which feeling I had nearly succumbed to after making the double, and pointed my face towards home. I was walking along the top of one of the steep sides of a deep ravine with a creek running through it, which, by the way, is a favorite place for partridges later in the season, as it is warm and protects them from the wind. The dogs were working down below me, one on each side of the stream. I saw Fan just at the water's edge come to a stand and pointing nearly behind her. Lady Bel, seeing her from the other side, drew slowly up, reached the stream and stepped carefully into the water. When about half way across she was evidently overtaken by the fear of coming too near and encroaching on Fan's rights. So she stopped, half emerged, in mid-stream. Dreading the descent down the steep bank, I stood where I was hoping the bird would get up of its own accord. This did not occur, so I slid, scrambled and fell to the bottom and approached the dogs. I reached the stream, but had not yet disturbed a feather. A few more steps brought me on the same side as Fan. I wondered how she could retain the uncomfortable and cramped position she was in. But she did, and showed no signs of weakening either.

Nerving myself for the denoument, I pushed in ahead to flush the partridge, walking over all the ground pointed

A STAUNCH BACK FROM MID-STREAM.

out, but failing to put up the bird. Had I not been sure of the dogs, I should have thought it was a rabbit or squirrel. Under the circumstances it completely mystified me. I looked over at my companions. They stood the same as before. I spoke to them, but they obstinately held their point, and in a way that suggested that they knew their business and thought it was just a little queer I didn't know mine. I began to think I didn't sure enough, when my eyes were attracted by a small, round spotted object just at my feet. By the Great Hora spoons! it was a turtle. The mystery was solved.

One rule that should be closely adhered to in this sport is, to *always shoot*. It makes no difference if you see a feather or not, throw your shot just in front of the leaves the bird's flight disturbed. You may not kill him: the chances are about nine out of ten against you. The advisability of this habit though is proved when a bird shows himself for a few feet only. There is not then a moment's hesitation as to will I or will I not shoot. But the bird is instantly covered and after some practice often killed, although the chance seems a slim one.

In regard to gun and shells the best result in partridge shooting can be obtained with a seven pound breech loader having twenty-eight inch barrels, the right hand barrel cylinder bore and left medium heavy choke. Shells for the right hand barrel (or for the barrel that is first fired) should be loaded with three and a half drahms of smokeless powder, primed with black and one ounce number ten shot. Three wads should be put over the powder and one on top of shot. Shells for the other barrel should have three drahms of best black powder and one ounce number eight shot. For later shooting when the birds are wilder, tougher, and better protected with feathers, use number seven and number five shot.

In the choice of dogs for partridge shooting select a setter. His long thick hair will prove invaluable as a protection against the briars. Whereas a pointer will get foot-sore after a day's hunt, and will also refuse to enter briar patches that a setter will come out of unscratched.

For a pleasant day's shoot a man's dog should be well under control, and to ensure this they must be worked for at least a week in advance of the shooting season. Otherwise they will be headstrong and rank, and will flush, although, perhaps, unintentionally, about as many birds as they stand. J. W. J.

**At Newport.**

Jack—I say, Marie, if thirty-two degrees is the freezing point, I wonder what the squeezing point is?

Marie—I don't know, Jack; possibly two in the shade.—Life.

## Henry Watterson's Anecdote of an Old-Time Kentucky Gambler.

It is related of Chunky Towles, says Henry Watterson in the Louisville Courier-Journal, that in 1852, grown weary of waiting for the coming of the latest intelligence from the National Democratic convention, then sitting in Baltimore, he retired to his bed. An hour or two after tidings of the nomination of Franklin Pierce arrived, and Samuel Bugg, Chunky's political guide, philosopher and friend—an earnest Democrat withal, and a gentleman of extensive knowledge—proceeded at once to awaken the sleeping sportsman. "And who in thunder is Franklin Pierce?" says Chunky. "Why," says Mr. Bugg, "Franklin Pierce is the son of General Benjamin Pierce of revolutionary fame. He was a distinguished Representative and Senator in Congress from New Hampshire; he was offered a seat in Mr. Polk's cabinet and declined it; and he fought gallantly in Mexico as the youngest and most brilliant of New England's Brigadiers!" "In that case," says Chunky, with decision, "I'll get up and dress." He did so, and came down to the City Hotel, in front of which a goodly company was enjoying the summer night in discussing the news. As Chunky approached a leading Whig exclaimed: "Here is Chunky Towles now, and I'll bet him one hundred dollars he never heard of Franklin Pierce in his life, and can't tell who he is, or where he's from." Chunky paused a moment, gazed compassionately upon his interlocutor, and then, with an air of composure and authority, said; "Put up your pocket-book, Colonel. It ain't good sporting rules to win on a certainty. Franklin Pierce, sir, is a son of General Benjamin Pierce, of revolutionary fame. He was a distinguished Representative and Senator from New Hampshire. He was offered a seat in Mr. Polk's Cabinet and declined it. And he served gallantly in Mexico as the youngest and most brilliant of New England's Brigadiers. He is the very man we wanted. I was for him from the first. Hurrah for Pierce!"


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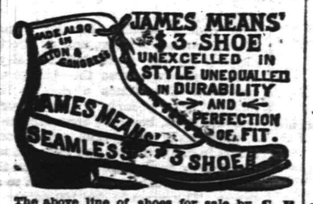

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Leave New York from foot of Liberty street, 4 30, 5 45, 7, 7 45, 8 45, 10, 11, A. M., 1, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4, 4 30, 5, 5 15, 5 30, 5 45, 6, 6 15, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 8, 8 30, 9 15, 10, 11 30 P. M., 12 15, night. Sunday—4 30, 7, 8 30, 9, 9 30, 10, 11 30 A. M., 1, 1 15, 4, 5 30, 6, 7, 9 00, 10 00 P. M., 12 15 night.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield 5 38, 6 29, 6 59, 7 30, 8, 8 37, 9 33, 10 05, 11 09, 11 39, A. M., 1, 2 07, 2 30, 3 12, 3 51, 5 08, 5 31, 6 07, 6 54, 7 03, 8 31, 10 12, 11 28 P. M. Sunday—8 01, 8 52, 11 02, 11 16, A. M., 12 33, 1 30, 3 30, 5 16, 7 07, 7 10, 8 23, 9 32, 10 02 P. M.

Leave Newark 7 10, 7 50, 8 55, 10 10, 11 05 A. M., 1 05, 1 35, 2 40, 3 40, 4 02, 4 37, 5 05, 5 30, 5 55, 6 25, 7 15, 7 35, 8 20, 9 25, 10 10, 11 25 P. M. Sunday—7 20, 8 40, 9 05, 9 40, A. M., 12 05, 1 10, 4 10, 5 40, 6 05, 7 05, 9 25, 10 20 P. M.

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PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7, 8 07, 9 42, 11, 11 58 A. M., 1 59, 2 32, 3 45, 4 34, 5 20, 5 54, 6 30, 6 38, 7 05, 7 13, 7 34, 8 20, 9 43, 11 13, 12 43 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 13, 9 48, A. M., 2 03, 2 30, 5 14, 6 35, 10 15, 11 14 P. M.

Leave Somerville, 6, 6 30, 7 03, 7 25, 7 35, 7 48 9 03, 9 47, 11 15 A. M., 12 35, 1 15, 1 42, 2 05, 2 42, 4 40, 5 12, 5 35, 8 05, 8 50, 11 05, P. M. Sunday—8 25, 10 35 A. M., 12 08, 205, 4 50, 6 40, 8 03, 8 05, 9 38 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7, 8 07, 9 42, A. M., 1 59, 4 34, 5 20, 6 38, 8 20 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 13 A. M., 2 03, 6 35 P. M.

Leave Easton 6 05, 8 44, 12 A. M., 12 52, 4 09, 6 45 P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 52, A. M., 6 40, 7 20 P. M.

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Leave Plainfield 7, 9 42 A. M., 1 59, 5 20 P. M. Sunday—8 13 A. M.

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5 45 A. M. for Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

7 A. M. for High Bridge Branch and Easton.

8 07 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 42 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Manticoke, Drifton, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c.

1 59 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, &c.

4 34 P. M. for D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

5 20 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Schooley's Mountain, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, &c.

6 20 P. M. for Flemington.

6 38 P. M. for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg.

8 20 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8 13 a. m. Sundays for High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, &c., 2 03 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua and Pettsville. 6 35 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m. 1 p. m.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c.

Leave Plainfield 3 37, 8, 11 09, a. m., 1, 3 51, 5 31, p. m. Sundays—(except Ocean Grove) 8 52, a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 38, 8, 10 05, 11 09 a. m., 1, 3 51, 5 31, 7 03 p. m. Sunday—8 52 a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8, 11 09 a. m., 1, 3 51, 5 31, p. m.

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Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia, 1 17, 5 45, 8 29, 9 48, 11 58* a. m., 1 59*, 2 32*, 4 08, 5 34*, 6 38*, 8 20 p. m. Sundays—1 17, 9 48, a. m., 2 32* 4 08, 5 14*, 6 55 p. m.

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## OFF FOR THE WEST

### The President and Party Start on Their Journey.

TO BE ABSENT EIGHT DAYS.

The Trip Being Made in an Elegant Hotel Car.

**Places at Which They Will Stop and Who Comprises the Party—The Time to Be Spent at St. Louis—A Big Reception Arranged for the President at Galesburg, Ill.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 6.—President Harrison and party left here this morning at 11:20 over the Chesapeake & Ohio road for a Western trip, to be absent eight days.

The Presidential party consists of the President, Secretary Tracy, Marshal Ransdell, Capt. Meredith, Secretary Halford, the Executive stenographer, and G. G. Bain, representing the United Press. A representative of the Associated Press will join the party at Cincinnati. The special train is in charge of Charles R. Bishop, General Eastern Passenger Agent of the Chesapeak & Ohio Railway, who will accompany the party during the entire journey.

The train will arrive at Cincinnati early Tuesday morning, the party will leave at 8 a. m., and make short stops at various points between Cincinnati and Danville, Ill., not herestofore announced. From Danville the party will go over the Indianapolis, Bloomington & Western road to Galesburg, Ill., where they will arrive at 9:50 Wednesday morning. From Galesburg to Ottumwa, Ia., and westward to Kansas City and return to Washington.

It is not positively decided yet whether the President will on his return trip remain in St. Louis until late next Saturday night; but if train arrangements can be made to bring him to Indianapolis early on Sunday morning the party will not leave St. Louis until 10 p. m., that night.

The President and party will travel the entire journey in an elegant hotel car. Portions of the journey will be made as a special train and other portions with the special car attached to regular express trains.

**To Receive the President.**

GALESBURG, Ill., Oct. 6.—Extensive arrangements have been completed for the reception of President Harrison when he arrives here next Wednesday. A message from Governor Fifer says that General Vance, with Battery D, has been ordered here. The reunion of the One Hundred and Second Regiment will be held to-morrow, and the Ohio and Indiana regiments will arrive that morning.

## POSTAL TELEGRAPH.

**A Letter of Postmaster-General Wanamaker on the Subject.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 6.—Postmaster-General Wanamaker has just made public a letter recently addressed to Representative Bingham, chairman of the House Committee on Postoffices, embodying an elaborate argument in favor of his limited plan of postal telegraphy. He said in part:

"I am more than ever convinced of the wisdom and practicability of restoring the telegraph to the postal service and make it what it was originally intended to be, a part of the postal system. I say this after closely studying the arguments against the bill made so vigorously by the great telegraph company which is now its only visible opponent. I do not believe it possible to argue this question down. There is a deep and far reaching conviction among the people that the telegraph service is by right a part of the postal service. To carry the postal system from pony riders to stage-coach and on to railroad service, and stop all further progress because three thousand owners of telegraph stock oppose, is not in accord with the genius of our people or the spirit of the times."

As to the constitutionality of postal telegraphy, the Postmaster-General says: "It has been argued by learned lawyers for a score of years that a Government telegraph is unconstitutional. The motives of these gentlemen have been one of two in all cases. They have been the paid attorneys of those corporations whose special interests have demanded that their monopolies should in no way be interfered with. They have known their business and done it well."

He then follows with an elaborate explanation of the limited plan, and of its operation; arguing that it would pay the telegraph companies and be more efficient as well as lower priced.

**Strange Absence of a Buffalo Man.**

BUFFALO, N. Y., Oct. 6.—The police at New York, Albany and other points have been notified of the disappearance of James Stamp, who lived with his wife at 247 Court street, this city. His wife says he left the city on Sept. 4 last to spend two weeks at Cape May to try and benefit his health. He had in his possession at the time he left some $600, and Mrs. Stamp fears foul play as nothing has been heard of him since he left Buffalo.

**Hadn't the Means to Prosecute.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 6.—Ernest Riall, who was arrested at the St. James Hotel Saturday night on a telegram from Omaha, Neb., for embezzling $18,000 from Richard J. Straight by bogus land transactions, was arraigned in the police court during the morning. Mr. Straight was present, and said he had no desire to prosecute Riall and that he had made a mistake in causing his arrest as he could not bear the expense of taking the prisoner back to Omaha for trial. Riall was discharged.

## THE NEW TARIFF LAW.

**Some Little Confusion In Interpretating a Few Points in the Measure.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 6.—The Custom House authorities began this morning to levy duties under the new schedule provided by the McKinley bill. The officers and other employes looked refreshed after Sunday's rest when they appeared for duty this morning, but within an hour the worry of explaining the new schedule to different importers and merchants made them look *extremely* irritated.

On some points in the bill the Custom House authorities are as much in the dark as the importers themselves, and confusion for a while is certain to ensue. This was somewhat aggravated by the rush of goods that came in yesterday and during the early hours of this morning, just too late to pass under the old tariff.

The importers and brokers who had goods on these belated vessels spent a very unhappy Sunday, but they made the best of a bad bargain. The losses of a number of merchants will be very heavy, but no hope for their relief is apparent.

**Comment on the New Tariff Law.**

LONDON, Oct. 6.—The *Observer*, in an article on the McKinley tariff, expresses the hope and the belief that the new measure will, by its stimulus to American manufacturers, attract large numbers of the unemployed workingmen from England to America, thus affording partial relief to the labor market here.

LONDON, Oct. 6.—The Daily News says: The European expectation of a revolt of the American farmers against the artificial dearness caused by the tariff is one that has never been realized. It has always been threatened, but always postponed, and the day of its fulfilment is doubtless yet afar off. The idea that the McKinley tariff will have a weakening effect upon Canadian independence is absurd.

**Grain Importers Were Busy.**

OSWEGO, N. Y., Oct. 6.—The harbor is full of barley-laden vessels from Canada, about 300,000 bushels being afloat. The total importations of barley at this port for the past 30 days has been $1,800,000 bushels. Twenty-nine thousand dollars in duties were collected at the Custom House Saturday night. Every avilable craft was pressed into the service to get the grain here in time. The last ones to leave Canada were instructed to return to Canada with their cargoes if they could not make Oswego by midnight.

**Spain and the McKinley Bill.**

MADRID, Oct. 6.—A rumor is current here that the Spanish Government intends to enter into negotiations with the United States Government for reciprocal concessions touching Cuban and American products. It is also reported that the Government has instructed its agents abroad to notify the home authorities of any measures that may be taken by foreign Goveraments with respect to the new United States tariff law.

## THE MILLER MURDER.

**Damaging New Evidence Said to Have Been Found Against Lingo.**

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 6.—The Camden County officials disclosed new and important evidence to-day toward fastening the guilt of the murder of Mrs. John Miller upon Frank Lingo. Prosecutor Jenkins says he has facts to break down Lingo's alibi. He refused to reveal what it was, but said the facts reached him by a queer coincidence.

The Prosecutor, County Physician Izard, Dr. Formad and Coroner Stanton held a consultation last night and fixed the inquest for Thursday morning at the Camden Court House.

Dr. Formad and County Physician Izard had compared notes on the microscopical examination of Lingo's clothes. Their analyses were essentially the same, and County Physician Izard says that Lingo's undershirt is not the only blood stained garment which accuse Lingo of not only having murdered Mrs. Miller, but also of having criminally assaulted her.

"All these stains bear evidence of Lingo's guilt. I feel sure we have the right man."

Prosecutor Jenkins said this morning that the aggregate evidence against Lingo was strong, and that the grand jury would surely indict the man.

**Green Goods Men Run Down.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 6.—Two young men, Robert D. George and James F. Hafley, of Limestone County, Alabama, were remanded at the Yorkville court on the charge of dealing in "green goods." A complete outfit of green tinted paper, tied up to resemble rolls of bills, and $1,800 in genuine money, were found in their possession.

**Day's Trial to Begin October 16.**

BUFFALO, N. Y, Oct. 6.—The trial of Arthur Day, the bigamist of Rochester, who, it is alleged, sought to hide his crime by pushing his first wife over the cliff at Niagara Falls, will come up at the Fall Assizes, Monday, October 16, and promises to attract about as much attention as the famous Birchall case

## ADMIT THEIR DEFEAT

### Binghamton's Cigarmakers' Strike at an End.

DECLARED OFF LAST NIGHT.

A Disastrous Struggle for Employers and Employes.

**Two Big Factories Forced to Make Assignments and Many of the Strikers Apply to the Poor Authorities for Assistance—The Conspiracy Cases to Be Pushed to the Bitter End.**

BINGHAMTON, N. Y., Oct. 6.—The long and bitter struggle between the cigarmakers of this city and their employers has ended.

The men held a meeting last evening and voted to declare the strike off.

The fight has been the most disastrous ever experienced here. Two factories have been compelled to make assignments and on the other side there has been much want and suffering among the familes of the 3,000 men called out, many of them having been compelled to ask aid from the poormaster.

It is fifteen weeks to-day since the strike was ordered.

Some of the shops have been able to procure nearly all the men they need, and it will be difficult for many of the strikers to obtain employment here.

It is reported that the conspiracy cases brought by the manufacturers against the leaders of the strike will be vigorously prosecuted.

## A COSTLY TRIP.

**How Jay Gould Proposes to Journey in Foreign Waters.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 6.—It is reported that Jay Gould is endeavoring to close negotiations with one of the Atlantic steamship companies for one of their racers for his intended extensive trip in foreign waters. When the yacht Atalanta was first advertised for sale nine months ago, the project of making a two years' tour around the world, which Mr. Gould now contemplates, was about to be consummated. The only stumbling-block was the superstitious views entertained by the Wall street magnate about not caring to sail in anything but an ocean greyhound. The objective point at the outset will be Japan, and the party intends to spend at least six months in Asiatic waters to give Mr. Gould ample time for botanical research in China and the East Indies. The trip will involve an enormous outlay, as much of the interior of the ship will be remodeled to permit of several large suites of sleeping apartments being constructed, and to render possible other luxurious appointments, such as Mr. Gould enjoys at his country place at Irvington. Among the most salient features will be appliances for the cultivation of flowering plants and large store rooms for the preservation of exotics, choice fruit and fresh mushrooms. Mr. Gould will be accompanied by twenty invited guests in addition to his immediate family, and the full complement of crew and officers will be retained.

**Convention of Architects.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 6.—The annual convention of the American Institute of Architects will open in this city on the 22d inst. and continue its session three days. Several important matters will be discussed; one of which, the establishment of United States testing stations for building material, will be of some interest to the public. This is important to the public as it tends toward safe building, and important to the profession as it will give them an opportunity to have doubtful, new or unknown materials and methods of construction tested by trained officials.

**Is Pauline Hall Engaged?**

NEW YORK, Oct. 6—Although the lady herself does not admit it, is reported in theatrical circles in this city that Miss Pauline Hall will soon marry a son of the late General George B. McClellan. The eldest son of the General married a society belle last year, taking Miss Hecksher to the altar. It is quite easy to imagine with what sensation the announcement concerning Miss Hall will be received. This lady was recently reported to have secured a limited divorce from E. R. White. She has been financially successful, and has just bought a fine house on Seventy-first street, in the fashionable quarter, into which she will move in the fall.

**Ex-Mayor Pendleton's Marriage Episode.**

FORT WORTH, Tex., Oct. 6.—Judge Blackhall in the district court has granted Mrs. Pendleton No. 1 a divorce from ex-Mayor Pendleton, and also gave her the custody of the children. Addie Cullen, the telephone beauty will join ex-Mayor Pendleton in Chicago and a second marriage ceremony will be performed.

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## MANY ALLEGED FORGERIES.

**Suits Growing Out of the Patterson Matter Begun at Asbury Park, N. J.**

ASBURY PARK, N. J., Oct. 6.—Ex-Judge Samuel F. Hendrickson, of Monmouth County, and Wm W. Conover, two of the wealthiest men in the county, have brought suit in the Supreme Court against Henry Kroehl, importer of bristles in New York; A. E. Buchanan & Co., extensive lumber dealers, and Samuel D. Ludlow, of Hoboken, N. J., for the amount of promissory notes held by them as endorsers, which are claimed to be forgeries.

These notes are the ones upon which Frank Patterson, of this place, was indicted seven years ago for having uttered.

Forty-one indictments for forging were found against Patterson. Upon many of them he was convicted and sentenced to ten years imprisonment.

The decision in the case was reversed by the Supreme Court, and three trials ensued, in each of which the jury disagreed, whereupon all of the indictments were quashed, and Patterson was released from jail and is now living here.

As the State was unable to prove the cases against Patterson, Conover and Hendrickson, who held these notes as endorsees, together with about $100,000 worth more of the alleged forged notes, will endeavor to collect them all.

Many of the notes and checks are drawn upon some of the most prominent business men in New Jersey.

At the time of Patterson's arrest he was manager of the Grand Opera House here and had several theatrical troupes on the road. Conover and Hendrickson were his backers and had all the notes discounted.

## INGERSOLL BARRED OUT.

**The Noted Infidel Refused the Use of Two Halls in Philadelphia.**

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 6.—I. N. Baker, private secretary to Col. Robert G. Ingersoll, has encountered some difficulties in his attempt to secure a suitable hall in Philadelphia for the colonel's lecture on "Art and Morality."

The lecture is designed to be a testimonial benefit to Walt Whitman, and art and morality are to be discussed, with the aged poet's words as a text. When application was made to the authorities of the Academy of Music, Secretary Bonnaffon, after communicating with Alfred G. Baker, president of the company, refused to let the Academy for this use, on the ground that Col. Ingersoll could not be allowed to speak there.

Mr. Baker then applied for the Union League Club annex, whilh Col. Weidersheim declined to place at his disposal. Finally, Horticultural Hall was engaged and the lecture was arranged for Oct. 31.

Alfred G. Baker said that it had been a principle of the Academy Company throughout his presidency that no person should use their property for the purpose of advocating infidelity and atheism.

On inquiry at the Union League Club it was learned that the hall in the annex was not commonly let to other than club members, and that the refusal might have been on that ground.

## GRIEVES FOR HIS WIFE.

**Birchall Worried More for Her Than for Himself.**

WOODSTOCK, Ont., Oct. 6.—The jail officials say that yesterday Birchall showed more signs of breaking down than on any day since his conviction. He spoke of his wife several times and appeared to be grieving more for her than himself. He dreads the parting with her. This morning he wasmore cheerful, but his old, nonchalant and jocular manner has given way to a quieter and more thoughtful demeanor. Those who come in contact with him daily say that a marked change has come over him and that he begins to appreciate the solemnity of his position. Any little incident occurring in the jail-yard, that comes under his notice, however, amuses him as much as ever.

The strict watch put upon him after his sentence is still maintained and will be until his execution.

No one is allowed to see him, and he will have but few visitors except his counsel and spiritual adviser, when he asks for one.

Mrs. Birchall's health is improving. She has not seen her husband since the last day of the trial and may not do so until just prior to her departure for England, which it is understood her friends have finally induced her to make the latter part of this week.

**Scotch Iron Furnaces Idle.**

GLASGOW, Oct. 6.—All the Scotch iron furnaces are now quenched with the exception of a few which do not belong to the Ironmasters' Combination and which make iron for private purposes. The lockout reduces the market supply 20,000 tons weekly.

**Gilbert and Sullivan's Opera in Berlin.**

LONDON, Oct. 6.—Gilbert and Sullivan's opera, "The Yeoman of the Guard," has been produced for the first time in Berlin, with brilliant success, though "The Gondoliers" recently met with almost complete failure at Vienna.

**Pleased With His American Welcome.**

PARIS, Oct. 6.—The Comte de Paris has sent a cable despatch to friends here saying that he was profoundly touched by the warm welcome he received in America.

**Cholera in Spain.**

MADRID, Oct. 6.—Cholera is believed to have broken out in Barcelona, where five suspected cases have been reported, two of which have proved fatal.

**Novelist Daudet Seriously Ill.**

PARIS, Oct. 6.—Alphonse Daudet, the novelist, is seriously ill.

## NEWS FROM ABROAD

### Conference of Nationalists in Dublin To-Day.

MR. PARNELL NOT PRESENT.

Resolutions Denouncing the English Government to Be Adopted.

**An Effort to Prevent the Promotion of Archbishop Walsh—Famine Victims Already Announced—"Jack the Ripper" Sends Two More Letters—Wealthy Jewish Merchants Ordered From Russia.**

DUBLIN, Oct. 6.—Mr. Parnell is not present at the conference of Nationalist leaders in session here to-day. Mr. Justin McCarthy is in the chair and outlined Mr. Parnell's views. It is understood that resolutions will be adopted denouncing the Government for its failure to take steps toward mitigating the evils of deficient food supply in Ireland; and for its prosecution of O'Brien, Dillon and others at Tipperary.

## THE POPE AND IRELAND.

**A Rumor that Englishmen are Working Against Archbishop Walsh.**

LONDON, Oct. 6.—Advices from Rome state that the British Ministry, through its friends in that city, is bringing all the influence possible to bear upon the Pontiff against the bestowal of a Cardinal's hat upon Archbishop Walsh, of Ireland. The effect of these appeals is not known, but it is said that the Pope is deeply perplexed, as between the British Government and the Irish people.

It is claimed, on behalf of the British Government, that the elevation of the Archbishop at this time would be an expression of approval on the part of Rome of the prelate's course in sanctioning the National League agitation and the plan of campaign, which have heretofore been condemned by the Holy See.

It is rumored in Rome that the opponents of Archbishop Walsh have obtained an assurance that he will not be promoted for some time to come, if ever.

**Gas Workers Fear Discharge.**

LONDON, Oct. 6.—Three thousand gas workers met at Woolwich last evening and formally declared that the suspicions of the Gas Light and Coke Company that they intended to strike were absolutely unfounded. Resolutions were adopted deprecating the action of the company in erecting barracks for contemplated new employes, and in securing the presence of the military in anticipation of a strike. The truth is that the men are afraid that these preparations are for a different purpose than is announced. They are apprehensive lest an attempt is about to be made to force all union men to leave the company's employ, and thus break up the organization.

**Two More Warnings from the "Ripper."**

LONDON, Oct. 6.—The police have received two more letters signed by "Jack the Ripper," and announcing the intention of the bloodthirsty unknown to commit fresh murders and mutilations. The police believe that the letters are genuine. Vigilance committees are being organized in the Whitechapel district, in expectation of a renewal of the "Ripper's" depredations. The police force has also been increased.

**The Irish Famine Now On.**

DUBLIN, Oct. 6.—Several deaths are reported from the island of Achill, on the West coast of Ireland, owing to a lack of proper food, and indirectly to the failure of the potato crop. The condition of the inhabitants on this and other islands is being investigated by order of the Government, but no relief has so far been extended.

**The Kaiser's Sister's Coming Marriage.**

BERLIN, Oct. 6.—The date of the marriage of the Princess Victoria of Prussia to Prince Adolf von Schaumburg-Lippe is announced as December 21, the birthday of the Empress Frederick. The Princess is a sister of the Kaiser, and was once reported to be in love with Prince Alexander of Batten, formerly ruler of Bulgaria.

**Israelites Ordered to Leave Russia.**

LONDON, Oct. 6.—Several wealthy Jewish merchants of Odessa have been ordered by the authorities to settle up their business and leave Russian territory. No charge is made against them, except that they are Jews. The trade of Odessa is largely in Jewish hands, as is indeed that of most Russian cities

**Read "Thanatopsis" at the Funeral.**

LONDON, Oct. 6.—The body of the man Easton, who shot himself at St. Paul's Cathedral on last Sunday, was cremated at Woking on Saturday. Mr. Forder, secretary of the Secular Society, who conducted the funeral, read a portion of Bryant's "Thanatopsis" instead of the regular service.

**A Missing Man Heard From.**

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Oct. 6.—Julius Wolffe, formerly superintendent of the Birmingham Iron Foundry, who disappeared several weeks ago, has been heard from. He has written from Hamburg, Germany, to his late employers that he will not return, he having fled to get rid of an uncongenial wife.

**A Prominent Buffalo Lawyer Dead.**

BUFFALO, N. Y., Oct. 6.—John M. E. Kinney, a prominent lawyer of this city, is dead at his home, No. 279 Oak street. For a time he taught classics in De Lasselles College in New York. He was Assistant Attorney at Buffalo in 1873-6.

## BASEBALL MEN EXCITED.

**The Sale of the Cincinnati Club Still Causing Considerable Talk.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 6.—The transfer of the Cincinnati baseball club, its franchise, players and grounds to the managers of the Players' League is still the all-absorbing talk in baseball circles.

One prominent magnate said this morning that this move on the part of the Players was proof sufficient that they were here to stay, and that the National League people must stir themselves or get out of the way. Another interested and knowing man said that the deals had just begun and that within a few weeks all trouble would be patched up and next season would again witness old-fashion and harmonious baseball.

On Thursday next the National League and as many of the Association directors as accept the invitation sent out by the magnates, will hold a conference at the Fifth Avenue Hotel. No conference of baseball men was ever held that has been anticipated with as much interest as the approaching one. The present situation will be discussed and it is reasonable to say that plans for the redemption of the game will be adopted. In connection with this subject the question of waiving all claims to the players taken from the League and Association by the new rival will be considered.

The outcome of this meeting will probably be the appointment of a committee to consult with representatives of the Players' League. A compromise will then be easy enough to effect if both organizations will concede a little. The League people say they see no possibility of a compromise until the Players consent to withdraw their teams from the cities occupied originally by them and to give in to other demands of a like nature. Such a proposition is not expected to meet with success. In fact, it is claimed that a programme is already arranged with the possibility of a reasonable understanding being reached by the fighting factions.

The nature of the compromise is only a conjecture, but the impression is now gaining ground that the League and Association will have the field next season and the clubs of the Players' organization divided between them. In this way two strong bodies will be formed and all differences settled. Some such scheme as this has been under consideration ever since the sale of the Cincinnatis was first spoken of. That town has been trained to support cheap baseball and will not likely come up to the expectation of the League or Brotherhood.

## BASEBALL GAMES.

**American Association.**

AT ST. LOUIS.

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| St. Louis | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 2 | —6 |
| Toledo | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —2 |

Batteries—Hart and Trost; Healy and Welch.

AT LOUISVILLE.

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| Columbus | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —0 |
| Louisville | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —0 |

Game called on account of darkness.

Batteries—Daily and Ryan; Knaus and Doyle

**Standing of the Clubs.**

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

| | Won | Lost | P. c. | | Won | Lost | P. c. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Louisville | 82 | 42 | .661 | Rochester | 60 | 58 | .508 |
| St. Louis | 77 | 52 | .597 | Athletic | 54 | 75 | .419 |
| Columbus | 72 | 55 | .567 | Syracuse | 50 | 71 | .413 |
| Toledo | 66 | 57 | .537 | Baltimore | 37 | 88 | .296 |

**Schedule of To-Day's Games.**

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

Columbus vs. Louisville, at Louisville.
Toledo vs. St. Louis, at St. Louis.
Athletics vs. Syracuse, at Syracuse.
Baltimore vs. Rochester, at Rochester.

**Death of a Wealthy Baltimore Man.**

BALTIMORE, Md., Oct. 6.—George B. Graham, one of the wealthiest and best known young society men in this city, died at his country residence at Catonsville last evening. Mr. Graham on September 26 was reported to have made an attempt to commit suicide. This was strenuously denied by his family, and it was claimed that the gash which was found in Mr. Graham's throat was the result of an accident while in the act of shaving himself. The wound was not considered dangerous and his recovery was not doubted. Fever, however, followed the injury and to this cause his death is attributed.

**Mettman Will Turn State's Evidence.**

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 6.—A special from Leavenworth, Kan., says: John Mettman, the husband of Mrs. Teresa Mettman, who was so foully butchered here last March, was rearrested on suspicion Friday night. Last night he sent for his attorney, and will turn State's evidence against C. A. Benson, recently arrested at Camden, N. J., and Mrs. Rautzahn, his daughter, who is in jail here. All three are implicated.

## NEWS OF THE DAY.

A strike is in progress on the Texas Central Railroad because the company refuses to supplant the colored brakemen with white men.

Dispatches from Melbourne, Australia, represent that the strike there is still on, though the number of non-union men is increasing.

Horatio S. Hines, a farmer near Elmita, Mo., and Frank Hoffman, a country sport, have been arrested for the Orterville train robbery last August.

No trail has been found of Mrs. Doss McKee, who poisoned her friend and neighbor, Mrs. Wimple, at Rome, Ga., on Saturday. Mrs. Wimple died yesterday.

A straw paper trust representing eighty-two mills, with an output of 325 tons daily, has been formed to control the market west of the Alleghany Mountains.

**Steel Conference Postponed.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 6.—Secretary Tracy announced that the conference of steel manufacturers at the Navy Department set for the 8th instant had been postponed at the request of several gentlemen until October 16.

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## BY THE WAY.

—The regular October meeting of the City Common Council will take place to-night.

—The regular meeting of the McAll Auxiliary will be held at the Public Library to-morrow morning at 11 o'clock.

—The third anniversary of Franklin Council, No. 41, Jr. O. U. A. M., will be held in Amphion Hall this evening.

—Everybody is invited to attend the parlor meeting at the home of Mrs. Poole, 22 West Second street, this evening at 7:45.

—The Union News Company is erecting another building for gentlemen of leisure to lean against, at the North avenue railroad station.

—The regular meeting of the Young Ladies' Mission Band will be held in the Chapel of the First Presbyterian church to-morrow afternoon at four o'clock.

—Prof. John Reynolds, who is not a stranger to Plainfield, will begin at Reform Hall, to-night, a week of mesmeric evenings, with a matinee on Saturday.

—A social meeting of the Young Men's Auxiliary of the Young Men's Christian Association will be held at the Association rooms to-morrow evening at eight o'clock.

—The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper was celebrated yesterday morning in the Trinity Reformed church, at which time six persons were received into membership.

—The Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor of the Seventh Day Baptist church of New Market is raising money to purchase a new illuminator for the church.

—The Rev. J. C. Collins of New Haven, Conn., will inaugurate the Boys' Club this evening at 8 o'clock, in Central Hall, corner of Park and North avenues. Editor A. M. Powell will preside.

—The new tariff bill which takes effect today, has already caused material, changes in the prices of many goods. Importers and wholesale dealers are sending out circulars announcing that all future orders will be subject to the new advanced rates. In Edsall's advertisement today is stated some facts that buyers in his line of goods will do well to investigate.

## PARTICULAR MENTION.

Miss Marguerite Day, of this city, is visiting friends in New York.

Elmer E. Runyon will sing this season with the Metropolitan Singing Society of New York, under the leadership of W. R. Chapman.

Lewis A. Anderson, a former resident of Plainfield, and a brother-in-law of Elias H. Bird of this city, died at New Brunswick Saturday, after an illness of two weeks. He leaves a wife and three children. The funeral services will be held to-morrow.

The first sociable, for the Fall and Winter season, of the New Market Baptist Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor, was held Wednesday evening at the home of John I. Brokaw, president of the society. The attendance was large, and every one, as usual, had a good time.

Dr. Dan Adams and Capt. Doane have returned from the Adirondacks with a record of five deer killed besides an innumerable lot and assortment of small game, trout and salmon. They shipped one of the deer to Plainfield, but it was delayed on the road a week and arrived, alas! too late.

### One Man's Misfortune Drove Him to Drink, Another Was "Led Astray."

The sum of fifty dollars was paid into the City Treasurer this morning by Eugene Brannon, James Whalen, Alonzo Randolph, Ludlow Frazee, Thomas Waldron, Walter Leland, John Kiernan and Thomas Carney, who had crowded the lock-up over Sunday, and whose individual fines for drunkenness and disorderly conduct ranged from five to eight dollars. Eugene Brannon had had his shoulder dislocated by a kick from a horse, and had sought to drown his anguish in the flowing bowl. Alonzo Randolph was a young boy who said he had been enticed into bar-rooms and tempted to drink. Those who sold him liquor may expect an investigation.

### Will Crowd Old Trinity to the Doors.

The convention of the Union County Union of Young People's Societies of Christian Endeavor, to be held in the Trinity Reformed church, Plainfield, this week Friday evening, promises to be a most interesting event. The music will be rendered by the local society, with hymns by the congregation.

The Rev. W. H. Shermer, of the First Baptist church of Elizabeth, will speak on "The Manliness of Christianity," and the Rev. George H. Payson, of the Presbyterian church of Rahway, on the "New Pledge." A paper on "Why we Study the Bible" will be read, and there will be other interesting exercises. Societies from all parts of the county will attend.

Is it not surprising that nearly every household in the country should be acquainted with the merits, virtues, and the healthful properties of Hires' Root Beer? For years it has been the standard drink of those who enjoy a delicious temperance beverage. It tones up the system, helps nature, and is just what all need in hot weather. A 25 cent package makes five gallons. Sold everywhere.

## THE NEW GRACE CHURCH.

### A Model Decided on, and the Vestry Tell the People What Must be Done by Them to Build it.

At last the parishoners of Dr. Rodman's church are being moved in a way that will undoubtedly result in the building of the church they have long needed on the fine location they have long owned at the corner of Seventh and Sycamore streets. Besides the earnest addresses on the subject that have emanated from the pulpit, a circular has been sent forth by the vestry that speaks very plainly as regards the people's duty in the matter.

The vestry believe that it is entirely within the ability of the parish to contribute the funds necessary to enable the vestry to erect and inclose sufficiently for use a suitable church, leaving, if necessary, the finishing and furnishing for another effort; and the only question to be determined is whether those who attend Grace church, and are interested in its growth and prosperity, *will do what they can.*

A stone church of sufficient capacity can be erected and furnished for about $40,000. With the available funds (about $5,000) now on hand, and additional subscriptions of say $10,000, the vestry would feel justified in soliciting detailed plans and specifications, and proceeding with the work, relying on additional subscriptions of at least $5,000 before the building was inclosed.

On this plan the vestry would expect to borrow (mortgaging the church property) $15,000, whice, with funds on hand and subscriptions before named, will enable them to erect the building and make it habitable, leaving a portion of the finishing and furnishing—estimated at say $5,000—for further subscriptions after the church can be occupied.

That they should have and must have a new church building, they say, must be apparent to all, and does not admit of any discussion. The effort made three years ago was not supported as the vestry hoped it would be, and was abandoned; but this effort will not be abandoned, so far as the vestry is concerned, but will be continued until a contract has been made for the erection of the building; and for that purpose the vestry ask for contributions in cash, or in form of subscriptions, which can be sent to C.P. Bull, Treasurer.

The vestrymen themselves have subscribed $5,000, and if the rest of the church people give but twice what those eight men have given, there is sufficient. A sub-committee of vestrymen for the purpose—consisting of W. E. Lowe, O. T. Waring and C. P. Bull—have, after diligent inquiry, decided to recommend the adoption of a ground and elevation similar to that designed by Architect R. W. Gibson, and erected at Olean, N.Y. This has been duplicated, or rather an enlarged copy of the same has been contracted for, by Trinity church, Sing Sing. The church in Sing Sing is to seat 650 people, the greatest width is 81 feet, and the greatest length 140 feet; the contract price for masonry and carpenter work is $26,000; that will finish the church, but not furnish it. Adopting the plan of the Sing Sing church, and inclosing four feet more in width and five feet more in length, and not leaving quite as much space between chancel rail and commencement of pews, yet allowing liberal space for each sitting, there is arranged a plan that will accommodate 720 people, at, it is believed, a cost for masonry and carpenter work not exceeding $28,000; it being estimated that the masonry will be as cheap in Plainfield as in Sing Sing.

Mr. Gibson, the architect, is well known as the designer of the Cathedral in Albany, and whose design for the Cathedral of St. John the Divine, New York, is the favored one. What has influenced the vestry most in their choice is the fact that, while the style of church recommended is very beautiful in its design, it is of economical construction. The style adopted is Gothic. The ground plan consists of chancel, nave, side aisles, with shallow transepts, narthex, organ room, vestry and robing room. Side aisles serve for passageways only, none of the congregation being seated behind pillars or other obstructions. This enables the pillars to be erected of a substantial design and size, giving the interior a dignified effect. The transepts are introduced to give variety and picturesqueness to the design and so as to enlarge the seating capacity near to the pulpit. The masonry work of the interior is of plaster, ornamented with mouldings and carved capitals. The windows at the west end in the transepts and chancel are large tracery windows, while those in the nave aisles are comparatively small and simple. The clere-story gives a double window to each bay division of the nave. The roof has open timber work of pointed arch form, all finished in wood and stained. The roof rests direct upon the pillars of nave, which have no arches. This arrangement enables the clere-story to be used in a height which would not permit of it otherwise, with much more effect than is usually obtained, and at a moderate cost.

Externally the building will be of stone, rough dressed, with bold, pointed arches and water tables, and the trimmings of cut stone of fine quality. The handsome square tower designed for the front, and which will occupy a considerable part of the space, will rise in noble proportions and terminate in battlements, with turret running up easterly corner and overtopping the battlements. The whole effect of the building, as viewed from the front, will be singularly massive and dignified.

These are the main features of the church recommended for consideration, and in order to co-operate with the rector to secure money enough to commence to build, the vestry would suggest that a circular be issued to the parish, which shall embody their views, and an effort be made to secure at least $15,000. In the event of said amount being raised, they further recommend that an architect be employed, at a cost not exceeding three and a half per cent. of the estimated outlay, to furnish plans and specifications of a building, the cost of masonry and carpenter work (to include gas fixtures and windows) of which shall not exceed $30,000.

## A PRETTY OCTOBER WEDDING.

### A Notable Bridal Ceremony at Netherwood's Church of Our Saviour.

The marriage of Miss Marion Gasquoine Haines, the eldest daughter of Samuel A. Haines, President of the National Commercial Travelers' Association, and Constantine P. Ralli, manager of the banking house of Brown Brothers & Co., of New York city, and eldest son of the late P. C. Ralli, of London, was celebrated Saturday morning in the Protestant Episcopal Church of our Saviour at Netherwood. The beautiful little house of worship, which is close by the home of the bride, was prettily decorated with palms and cut flowers, and filled with the friends of the young pair.

Miss Haines, who was accompanied to the chancel rail by her father, wore an extremely pretty costume of brown cloth trimmed with ostrich feathers, with bonnet to match, and carried a bouquet of white roses, yellow chrysanthemums, stephanotis, and smilax. Her only ornament was a beautiful diamond pendant in the shape of a cross, with a superb sapphire in the centre, and a fleur de lis between the bars. This was a gift from the bridegroom, who was attended by James Brown Mabon as best man. Wm. M. Kingsley and Martin Bates were the ushers. There were neither bridesmaids nor maids of honor. The Rev. Dr. George Vandewater, rector of St. Andrew's church, Harlem, officiated, and was assisted by the rector of the Church of Our Saviour, the Rev. S. P. Simpson. A wedding breakfast was served after the ceremony at Belvedere House, the home of the bride's father.

Among the guests were Miss Johnston, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Coe, Mr. and Mrs. John Whiting, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Ralli, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Anthony, Mr. and Mrs. William Palmer Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Brian H. Smith, Mrs. Oscar Hermance, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Henderson, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Rice, George H. Church, Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Buchanan, Henry C. Bowen, Major and Mrs. R. L. Burnett, Miss Anthony, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ellis and family, Mr. and Mrs. William Lord, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Plummer, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Bowen, Mr. and Mrs. J. Vanderventer, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Talmadge and Miss Helen White, of Netherwood; Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Ginna, Mr. Daniel Ginna, Mr. and Mrs. Dorsey Hyde, Miss Edith Hyde, Mrs. S. Jacobus, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fisk, Miss S. Lawrence and Miss Bessie Ginna, of this city.

### Real Water and a Real Garsman.

The famous tank drama, which is one of the great successes, will be presented at Music Hall this and to-morrow evenings. Messrs Jefferson and Taylor have had the play re-written, and in the present shape it promises to be the most remarkable sensational play ever placed on a stage in this country. The great lake and river scenes, which were such features of the drama, have been greatly improved, and the tank will now prove to be no inconvenience to the setting of the other scenes of the play. It will be remembered that much of the action of the piece took place in a very limited space, as the huge tank, which contained many thousands of gallons of water, was of course a permanent fixture during the engagement. As now played the water will be covered over in such a manner that it will not conflict with the setting of the stage in those scenes where the river is not needed. Instead of showing and utilizing the real water in two acts only, as was done originally, the tank will be made to do excellent service in three acts. The great regatta scene, one of the prettiest pictures ever shown on any stage, will be retained, and George Hosmer, the popular Boston oarsman, will be seen in a racing boat illustrating his successful methods and winning the diamond sculls at Henley. The sensational rescue act will be retained, but will be more realistic than ever, and many specialties, including the Herbert Brothers, a trio of trained athletes, will enliven the scene preceding the regatta. The plot of the piece has been strengthened, and much that is amusing and enjoyable has been added to the comedy element.

### Forgot His Manhood in Woman's Presence.

Fanwood society is greatly stirred over an episode which took place yesterday at the home of one of the most prominent residents of Plainfield's thriving suburb. A Union county official whose home is in Fanwood is said to have used insulting and grossly improper language in the parlors of his neighbor, in the presence of the neighbor's wife; and became, it is alleged, so objectionable a visitor that he had to be summarily ejected, after being repeatedly requested to leave. A PRESS reporter sought to interview the husband this morning, but that gentleman said he had nothing to say. It is understood, however, that the husband has written a letter to the official demanding that the disturber apologize to the insulted wife.

### A Chance for Choir Boys.

Three more soprano voices are wanted to train for the Episcopal church choir at Scotch Plains. Boys under twelve years of age, having good voices, and sufficiently fond of music to go through considerable practice in voice training and learning to read music, may apply to Mr. Embury, 60 Washington avenue, Thursday, October 9, at 4:30. All meetings for practice are held at a convenient place here in Plainfield. A conveyance is provided on Sundays, and the boys sing only at morning service.

### The Brightest Jewels

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### A Female Highway Robber.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 6.—Otto Kleanheim, a well-developed German, while walking along Fourteenth street, near Pennsylvania avenue, last night, was seized by a colored girl, who pulled him into an alley, kicked him, knocked him down, and then seized his watch and what money he had in his pockets and ran away. She was subsequently arrested, and turned out to be Eliza Fray, who was just released from the penitentiary, where she served a term for arson.

### National Convention of Jewish Workmen.

NEW YORK, Oct. 6.—The second day's session of the National Convention of Jewish workmen was well attended, 120 delegates, representing 35 trades unions of the United States and Canada, were present. Resolutions were passed advising an international union of the trades unions of the United State and Canada were passed, as were also resolutions condemning the sweating system, which was declared to be a source of much sickness.

### A Notorious Criminal Recaptured.

NASHUA, N. H., Oct. 6.—Four weeks ago John Soucier, a notorious criminal from Montreal, charged with criminal assault upon a woman and horse stealing, broke jail at Beauharnais, Quebec, and escaped to the United States. He was traced to this place and arrested late last night by a detective from Montreal, who will return to Canada with him this afternoon provided the prisoner does not demand extradition papers.

### Another Revolution Brewing in Hayti.

NEW YORK, Oct. 6.—A dispatch from Kingston, Jamaica, represents that another revolution is brewing in Hayti; that the financial condition of the republic is unsatisfactory and that the exports show an alarming decrease of trade, owing partly to the decrease of production during the recent warfare. Coolies are to be imported to cultivate neglected plantations.

### Comte de Paris Leaves for Philadelphia.

NEW YORK, Oct. 6.—The Comte de Paris and party left for Philadelphia via the Philadelphia railroad on the Washington limited express at 10 o'clock this morning. They rode in a special car and were escorted by Colonel J. P. Nicholson and a committee from the Philadelphia Loyal Legion. There will be a stop at Trenton to visit General McClellan's tomb. In Philadelphia there is to be a reception by the Mayor and city officials at 3 o'clock. Afterward there will be a luncheon with George W. Childs at his country seat, Wootten, and in the evening a great reception, arranged by the Philadelphia Commandery of the Loyal Legion.

### A Big Strike On the Erie Probable.

NEW YORK, Oct. 6.—There were many rumors in circulation yesterday in Jersey City that the Federated engineers, firemen, conductors and train hands on the New York, Lake Erie & Western Railroad intended to go on strike today. Careful inquiry, however, proved that no strike will occur so long as the committee is in treaty with the officers of the road in relation to the new schedule. Should the road refuse its demands of the men a strike is not unlikely.

The Democrats of the First Union County (N. Y.) School Commissioners' District, nominated Miss Laura Mayhew as their candidate for commissioner. She is 23 years old.

Forty thousand dollars' worth of property has been destroyed by prairie fire in the town of Lawrence, Grant County, Minn. Thousands of acres of wheat have also been devastated.

The accounts of Postmaster A. G. McGregor, of Baton Rouge, La., who resigned on the 2d inst., and disappeared, have been found correct. John O'Connor has been appointed in his stead.

### Cattle Killed by Elks.

A ranchman living on the Satsop, Col., missed three head of cattle, and noticing a congregation of buzzards a short distance away proceeded to make an investigation and found all three of the animals lying dead, their bones all broken, their horns knocked off, scarcely any hair left on them, and the ground around them all torn up with elk tracks. Apparently a band of elk had come up and attacked them in an opening, hooked and butted them down, and pawed and stamped them to death.

### A Tree That Owns Land.

There is a tree at Athens, Ga., which is a property holder. In the early part of the century the land on which it stands was owned by Colonel W. H. Jackson, who took great delight in watching its growth and enjoying its shade. In his old age the tree had reached magnificent proportions, and the thought of its being destroyed by those who would come after him was so repugnant that he recorded a deed conveying to it all land within a radius of eight feet of it.

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*Close*—7:30 and 9:30 A. M., 1:45, 5:30 and 8 P. M.

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## DEATHS.

ANDERSON—At New Brunswick, N. J., Saturday, Oct. 5, 1890, Lewis A. Anderson.

Funeral from his late residence, No. 24 Codwise avenue, Tuesday, October 7, at 1 o'clock. Interment at convenience of family.

## WANTS AND OFFERS.

*Advertisements under this heading, one cent for each word each insertion.*

WANTED—Girl for general housework; references required. Call at 15 Bay street.

WANTED—A position as useful companion by an American Protestant young lady; highest references. Miss Whittle, 45 Somerset street.

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Bedrooms—2 black walnut and 2 cottage suits, 6 feather pillows, 3 feather bolsters, 3 hair mattresses, 7 cotton and excelsior mattresses, bed spring, blankets, quilts, comfortables, bedsteads, washstands, crockery, looking glasses, pictures, stair and floor carpets, matting, rugs and mats.

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## GOLDEN WINS AN EXTRA TEN.

**After Eight Innings With Twelve Hits and not an Error, the Crescents Flounder in the Bisque.**

When the Crescents had finished their ninth inning at the bat, Saturday, the score stood 6 to 1 in their favor and they had a record of 12 safe hits with a total of 18 bases. They had not made an error and Doran had held the West Ends down to one little hit in eight innings. Then occurred a most unprecedented concatenation of circumstances that, combined with the tactics of umpire Golden, who was possibly inspired by a promise of ten dollars from Manager Mack of the West Ends, tied the score.

Already during the game the bias of the umpire was apparent to the experts. His name was Golden but his decisions as to balls and strikes were as tinkling brass. In the fourth inning Doran repeated his feat of the previous game by striking out George Gore, but Golden would not call the big professional out again. Harkins was also struck out but permitted to live and boasted of it. In spite of this sort of a deal, however, the Crescents held the West Ends down, and but four of the visitors reached first base in eight innings.

But in the ninth the Crescents' young infield could not stand the strain against the picked professionals. Gil Hatfield, the New York League team's noted infield player, went to the bat first. The three-thousand-dollar short stop hit a little one to the ten-dollar short stop, and Martin failed to handle it in his usual style. He was on his tip toes, and really did not know just where he was for a moment or two. Meanwhile Hatfield had reached first, and went to second on a passed ball. Gore, also of the New York league, followed and duplicated his hit of the previous game by a two-bagger over third base. Hatfield came home on the hit, and Gore subsequently went to third on another unfortunate slip of Chick Hofford's, who had been playing a phenomenal game up to this closing inning. Bowes was struck out, but was followed by Farrell, who was given his first on what Golden called four balls. Harkins was also struck out but the umpire would not allow it, and compelled Doran to put one where the batter could safely hit it. He did and another run came in. Williams was also given his first on balls by Golden, but Kennedy of Cobbleskill would not wait and fanned himself out in a ridiculous way that caused the grand stand to laugh although its Plainfield occupants were beginning to feel rather anxious. There were two out, and Bergen knocked to Lee, but the latter failed to accept the chance, and another run was scored. A pop-fly that dropped in right field too far out for Lufbery and too far in for Hatfield, was Carby's contribution to his country. It let in Williams with the run that tied the score, and as soon as he recovered his breath he went over to first base and shook the arm that did it.

The excitement was now intense. The score was 6 to 6. Bergen and Carbonell were on the bases, and Gil Hatfield was again at the bat. The crowd stood up and pressed against the ropes. Golden saw at his right and left, and behind him, a sea of faces that he naturally supposed largely represented the home team's friends. He made up his mind then and there that he had fully earned his money, and wished he was far, far away. The first ball pitched met Hatfield's bat fair and square, and out of reach of the infield. Bergen started for the home plate with the winning run, and made a bold slide. He passed Hofford before the latter got the ball that O'Rourke threw in. But Hofford turned quickly when he did get it, and touched Bergen as he was feeling with hands and feet for the plate. Five hundred men swarmed into the diamond in an instant, and Golden's decision could not be heard by the other five hundred who kept their seats. He looked at the crowd, remembered he was in Plainfield, said the man was out, and fled.

But he refused to continue the game. He said it was impossible to get the crowd off the field; and then, when he was told that the diamond could be cleared in a few minutes, said that he was afraid to go back. Meanwhile there was all sorts of scrapping and tongue lashing going on amid the crowd, but the only arrest was of a young Somervillian who interfered because the officers sought to take in his over-excitable father. He was subsequently fined five dollars. Golden then asked Manager Leggett for Manager Mack. Mr. Leggett said that he would pay him whatever was the price agreed upon, and it was not necessary to find Mr. Mack. Golden then told Mr. Leggett and Mr. Burnet that "Mr. Mack promised to pay me ten dollars out of his own pocket."

Possibly that is one reason the Crescents lost. Another reason is the costly infield errors, and another possibly that Doran breaks badly when he does break. His ninth inning Saturday was almost a fac simile of the eighth of the game before when the West Ends snatched victory from defeat in the same way. Then the record was two singles, a two-bagger and a base on balls. Saturday it was two bases on balls, three singles and a two-bagger.

The Crescents, as usual, with the exception of the unlucky inning, out played and out batted their opponents. Harkins was hammered at will, and was only left in the box because the West Ends saw no chance of saving the game and wanted to save from disgrace the pitcher who had won so many battles for them. Hofford was great, and Lally a wonder. His hit that struck the house beyond the centre field fence won him a box of cigars from Tom Keller. Lufbery never made a break, and set an example for them all. His playing, and Farrell's, was way out of Gil Hatfield's sight. The latter made two of the worst errors of the game. O'Rourke did great work with the stick, and his throw-in in the ninth inning saved the game.

Thus closed this season's games with Somerville. The tie will not be played.

The score:

CRESCENT LEAGUE.

| | AB | R | BH | SB | SO | LB | PO | A | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Martin, ss | 4 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 1 |
| Hatfield, rf | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| McIndoe, lf | 4 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Lally, 1b | 4 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 11 | 1 | 0 |
| Lufbery, 2b | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 2 | 0 |
| O'Rourke, cf | 4 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Hofford, c | 4 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 9 | 1 | 0 |
| Doran, p | 4 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 0 |
| Lee, 3b | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 2 |
| | 6 | 12 | 4 | 4 | 5 | 27 | 12 | 3 | |

WEST ENDS.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Carbonell, cf | 5 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Hatfield, ss | 4 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 2 |
| Gore, lf | 4 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Bowes, c | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 4 | 2 | 1 |
| Farrell, 2b | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 3 | 0 |
| Harkins, p | 4 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Williams, 3b | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Kennedy, rf | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| Bergen, 1b | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 12 | 0 | 0 |
| | 6 | 5 | 1 | 1 | 8 | 5 | 27 | 12 | 4 |

SCORE BY INNINGS.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Crescents | 1 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —6 |
| West Ends | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | —6 |

Earned run—Crescents 1. First base on errors—Crescents, 2; West Ends, 2. First base on balls—West Ends, 3. Hit by ball—Martin, Farrell. Two-base hits—O'Rourke (2), McIndoe, Doran, Gore. Three base hit—Lally. Double plays—Hatfield to Farrell to Bergen; Kennedy to Bergen. Passed balls—Hofford (2), Bowes (2). Flies caught—By Crescents, 7; by West Ends, 10. Time of game—1:45. Umpire—Mr. Golden.

## GETTING READY FOR MR. MILLS.

**Fervent Zeal Will Not Be Lacking When the Famous Evangelist Begins His Plainfield Work.**

A great deal of interest is already manifested over the coming of the Rev. B. Fay Mills, who will begin his great revival work in Plainfield November 3. Preliminary arrangements are rapidly being consummated. The pastors of the various churches met with the laymen in the Young Men's Christian Association rooms Saturday evening, when a General Committee to take charge of the work of conducting the services was organized with the Rev. Dr. D. J. Yerkes as Chairman and the Rev. Asa Reed Dilts as Secretary. The following were appointed from among the members of the General Committee as an Executive Committee:

Pastors—The Rev. Dr. Yerkes, the Rev. Mr. Dilts, the Rev. Dr. K. P. Ketcham, the Rev. C. S. Mitchell, the Rev. Mr. Newell, the Rev. C. L. Goodrich, the Rev. W. R. Richards.

Laymen—E. E. St. John, J. W. Jackson, E. C. Pease, J. D. Spicer, A. L. Force.

A Nominating Committee—consisting of the Rev. Dr. Ketcham, the Rev. Mr. Goodrich, the Rev. Mr. Schenck, the Rev. Mr. Mitchell and Messrs O. B. Leonard and J. D. Spicer—was appointed to nominate Committees on Finance, Advertising, Canvassing, Music, Ushers and Devotional Services. They will report their nominations for confirmation at a meeting of the Executive and General Committees Saturday night.

The various evangelistic services to be conducted by Mr. Mills will be held, at different afternoons and evenings, in two or three different churches, including probably the First Baptist and the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian.

## CALIFORNIA ON WHEELS.

**A Tropical Traveling Fair Free to the Plainfield People.**

"California on Wheels," the free exhibition fruit fair of the California State Board of Trade, in an elegant vestibuled train of three Southern Pacific parlor coaches, now visiting the principal cities of the United States, will arrive in Plainfield to-morrow morning at 8:20 o'clock and will halt at the central station, where it will be open free to the public from 8:30 A. M. to 8 P. M., that day only.

Gavin D. High, the press correspondent, said this morning to a PRESS reporter, in explaining the nature of the exhibition, that the cars included a display of all the interesting natural and manufactured products of the golden State, from a peanut to a baby ostrich, but the main object was to widen a market for all of those semi-tropical fruits which New Jersey did not attempt to grow. These fruits—the orange, lemon, date, banana and olive—have hitherto been imported from Southern Europe, Mexico or the South Sea Isles, but are now being grown luxuriantly and abundantly in California, and the State Board of Trade has devised the roving free fair to let the people know that fact. There will be nothing for sale at the cars, and as there are no catchpenny attachments visitors will not be allowed to spend any money even if they wish to do so. The train has thus far been visited by an average of 8,000 ladies and gentlemen a day.

**Chautauquans Have a Merry Time.**

The members of the New Market Chautauqua Literary and Scientific Circle entertained a number of friends in the lecture room of the Seventh Day Baptist church at New Market Thursday evening The Rev. Mr. Livermore explained the method of study employed, and specimen questions giving an idea as to the nature of the work were propounded. Miss Mary Titsworth won a prize in a spelling match in which members of the Circle participated. A trio and a quartette were sung, and at the close of the literary exercises Mrs. Jarley introduced one of her far-famed collections of wax-works, causing an abundance of fun. Altogether a most enjoyable evening was spent.

## HYSTERICAL INVENTIONS.

**A Wonderful Sweeping Machine and an Automatic Rocking Chair.**

A genius with a profound thought-mill has taken up the subject of dusting and sweeping by means of suction draughts. He has a perambulating machine which, by means of fans and hydraulic pressure, gets a draught through a spiral hose with a nozzle shaped at its terminus like the trouble end of a trombone. He starts up a grand racket on the carpet till the dust flies, then turns on this blizzard machine and a condensed cyclone is immediately precipitated. He moves his hose end round like the snout of a Jersey hog, and wherever the cloud of dust arises the suction of his mechanism draws it, and it immediately goes "up the spout," so to speak. The idea is all right; the only difficulty which stands in the way is the possibility of his getting too big a draught on and shooting in stray leaves from the family textbook, odd socks or sister's bangs.

This idea, which is chronicled as an invention in the Patent Office at Washington, is on a par with the rocking chair which came out eight months ago, says the Pittsburgh Dispatch. The inventor arranged under the rockers a pair of bellows attached to a series of pipes running up the chair back to about where your neck would rest. As you rocked the chair the bellows worked and you were given hysterical breezes. It worked all right for the man who could stand shower baths, but it cost one furniture dealer I know of three good customers by neuralgia, pneumonia and croup. In another case the customer tried it and had to run a block to catch his wig. It's a good idea, though, but, like all those things, you have to get some one to think so. As for myself, I think the sweeping machine would be better employed shooting coal into a cellar, and the man with the bellows-rocker would make a fortune if he worked it up around the eaves of a roof and blew the snow into the next county instead of down the back of the neighbor who always gets under the roof at the wrong time.

## EXPELLING A FROG.

**How a French Duchess Was Cured of a Painful Hallucination.**

The Duchess of Trois-Etoiles, one of the most aristocratic ladies of the Faubourg St. Germain, says Racket, had got possessed of the idea that she had swallowed a frog. She felt this frog—she declared she had—and its presence robbed her of her peace of mind, sleep and even of health. The Parisian physicians had the rudeness to deny the existence of this animal, ignorant, as they were, but the poor lady suffered martyrdom. A fortunate chance made her acquainted with Dr. Cabarus, a brother-in-law of De Lesseps, and to him she told her tale of woe. He felt, with a seriousness worthy of Hippocrates himself, the pulse of the fair patient, inquired after various symptoms, and when the charming aristocrat had exhausted all her store of arguments to prove her pet delusion, the youthful doctor said, after a well-feigned pause: "Madame, the frog is there, but I will remove it." He then prescribed an innocent emetic, and went to the nearest flower-shop, where he bought a small, green frog. Armed with this confederate, he presented himself once more before the Duchess, and placed a basin of water in readiness. The emetic began to take effect, the Duchess' eyes filled with tears, and the doctor took advantage of the opportunity to slip the green frog into the basin. On seeing the frog, a load was removed from the Duchess' heart. The next instant, she turned pale, and, as Dr. Cabarns supported her tottering frame, she cried, in a despairing tone: "Oh, doctor, I am not cured, for the frog has left a little one behind." "Stop!" cried Cabarus, without allowing a trace of embarrassment to be seen in his manner; "that we shall soon see." He then threw a searching glance upon the frog, which he had by this time taken in his hand, and uttered, with a certainty that settled the whole question, these words: "Madame, that is an impossibility, for the frog is a male."

## THAT SPOILED IT.

**How a Clergyman, Instead of Curing an Evil, Augmented It.**

An eccentric clergyman in Cornwall, says London Pick-me-up, had been much annoyed by a way his congregation had got into of looking round to take stock of late comers. After enduring the annoyance for some time, he said, on entering the reading-desk one day:

"Brethren, I regret to see that your attention is called away from your religious duties by your very natural desire to see who comes in behind you. I propose, henceforth, to save you the trouble by naming each person who may enter, and I hope that the services will then be allowed to proceed without interruption."

He then began: "Dearly Beloved," but paused half-way to interpolate: "Farmer Stubbins with his wife and daughter." Farmer Stubbins looked rather surprised, but the minister with perfect gravity resumed his exhortation. Presently he again paused: "Sam Curtis and William Diggle." The abashed congregation kept their eyes studiously bent on their books. The service proceeded in the most orderly manner, the parson interrupting himself every now and then to name some new comer. At last he said, still with the same perfect gravity: "Mrs. Symonds, of the Red Lion, in a new bonnet."

In a moment he felt his mistake, but it was too late. Every feminine head in the congregation had turned round to look at the new bonnet.

**The Term "Pin-Money."**

The term "pin money" thus originated: "Long after the invention of pins in the fourteenth century, the maker was allowed to sell them in open shop only on the first and second of January. It was then that the court ladies and city dames flocked to the depots to buy them, having been first provided with pin-money by their husbands. When the pins became cheap and common the ladies spent their allowances on other fancies, but the term pin-money remained in vogue."

## THE COUNTRY GROCERY.

**What Is Usually Kept in Stock in One of These Establishments.**

How surprisingly one country grocery "store" resembles another. It is as if they were all intentionally modeled after a given pattern. Dry goods, chiefly calicoes, for rural dames and damsels, always occupy the shelves on the left; crockery, tinware and barreled goods in the rear; miscellaneous foods and other articles on the shelves to the right, and near the door a glass-covered case full of "notions" of all sorts. The variety of wants supplied by such a "store" is simply marvelous. A representative of the Washington Star happened into one the other day in a village down the river, and, while negotiating for some paper and envelopes, pen, ink and postage stamps, amused himself with taking note of some of the things offered for sale.

The "notion" case alone was a small museum. Among other articles in it were tooth-brushes, cologne, carpenters' pencils, back hair combs, thimbles, sleeve-buttons, watch keys, bay rum, spectacles, shirt studs, rubber nipples for babies' bottles, crochet needles, pocket mirrors, scissors and violin strings. Also, in the same case were banjo strings, fishing tackle, knives, babies' rubber rings, jew's-harps, mouth organs, tooth-powders, violin rosin, ginger cakes, prize packages containing candy and jewelry, tin horns and a few yards of lace.

On the other shelves behind were shirts, collars and cuffs and neckties; also straw and other hats, many boxes full of shoes, blacking and brushes. Beyond the shelves full of calicoes were crockery, brass ware, tin ware, twine for making seines, lamp-shades and chimneys, glass ware, canvas for sails, lamps, coffee, grinders, carpenters' tools, molasses, vinegar and liquors, padlocks, popcorn, boxes of roasted peanuts, paints and oils, toothpicks and ice skates. Around on the other side were patent medicines, chewing tobacco, cigars, powder and shot, wash-tubs and boards, soap, bluing, school crayons, slates and books. All sorts of canned goods, preserves and pickles were in stock; also sauces, confectionery, clocks, castor oil, honey, cough drops, mustard plasters, porous plasters, glue, nails, rope and pills. There was even a supply of ready-made clothing, likewise salt meats and rat poison.

This will give a slight notion of the stock of a typical country grocery. Such an establishment must have every thing that anybody can by any possibility want, and much of the stuff it deals in lies on the shelves for years before the right customer comes along.

## SHE MADE HIM NAUGHTY.

**Made Him Think About Kissing Girls, and Then He Kissed Her.**

They met by chance in the berry field, this bashful boy and laughing girl, says a writer in the New York Mercury. Her eyes were as black as the berries in her basket, and as brilliant as those of the cat-birds chattering in the tree above her head. Her full, red, pouting lips seemed made expressly for kisses. The boy's basket was full, and he kindly volunteered to help the bewitching little maid fill hers. Often while plucking the melting fruit from some glorious clusters her curls brushed his cheeks, but still it always seemed to be purely accidental. The little maid, too, seemed anxious to work on the same clusters on which the boy was engaged, and her sweet, young face was often temptingly near his own, as from time to time she turned to address him. At last her lips pouted, her eyes flashed and she almost succeeded in coaxing her sweet brow to wrinkle indignantly. "Don't you think," said she, "that the other day, when I was out here all alone with a certain boy of my acquaintance, just as I am with you to-day, the naughty little fellow up and kissed me. He just caught me this way," and her lips nearly touched those of the boy by her side as she endeavored to show him how it had been done. For a moment it seemed as if he would have to be as naughty as that other boy, but his bashfulness saved him. Still pouting, the little maid then placed her dimpled hands upon his shoulders, and, looking archly into his eyes, she said: "You are a dear good boy, ain't you, and you wouldn't be naughty and treat me the way that other boy did, would you?" Then the poor boy seemed to lose his head, and fifteen seconds later the little black-eyed maid was talking in this strain: "Oh, please let me go! You are smothering me with kisses, and I really believe that you are more naughty than that other boy, after all." Attached to this story there is no moral. It has been so from the beginning.

**Had Faith in the Court.**

One of the oldest and best practitioners at the Erie County (N. Y.) bar was arguing a case the other day, and was depending more upon his own sound logic than upon authorities for success. At a critical juncture the judge interrupted the speaker with this inquiry: "Yes; I understand; but where are your authorities upon the subject?" "If your honor please," retorted he, briskly, "I will explain the absence of authorities, with your permission, by telling a little story: A young man freshly admitted to practice had produced in court in support of a motion a wealth of authorities. After allowing the young man to read page upon page of dry decisions the judge at length interrupted, wearily: 'You are just beginning in practice,' said he; 'let me give you some advice. It does very well to cite authorities once in awhile, but you must always trust somewhat to the common sense of the court.'" It was a bold position to take, but it won him his case.

**A Vegetable Chameleon.**

An exploring party surveying the Isthmus of Tehuantepec reports the discovery of a flower that changes its color with the hours of the day. In the morning it is grayish white, at noon red, and towards sunset purplish or grayish-blue. Certain varieties of Ipomœa (morning-glory, etc.), according to Prof. Hermes, show a similar peculiarity, though in a less pronounced degree, at the time of the first opening of their flower-chalice.

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Dated September 17, 1890.
J. B. COWARD,
City Clerk of the city of Plainfield.
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Wednesday, October 1.
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Will re-open on Thursday, September 18. The Kindergarten will re-open on Wednesday, October First.
For particulars, address
Miss E. E. KENYON, Principal.
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On and After Tuesday, Oct. 7,
The office of the late Dr. Titsworth, at 106 East Front street, will be occupied by Dr. H. S. Jones, recently of Elizabeth, N. J.
OFFICE HOURS—Until 10 A. M.; at 12 noon; from 5 to 7:30 P. M. H. S. JONES, M. D.
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# HOW YOU MUST VOTE.

## Condensation of New Jersey's New Ballot Law.

### THE PROVISIONS AND PENALTIES.

**How Nominations Must Be Made—The Printing and Obtaining of the Ballots. Casting the Ballot—How Secrecy Is Provided For.**

According to the provisions of the New Jersey ballot reform law, passed at the last session of the legislature, the person of legal age who would exercise the rights of suffrage at any future elections must first see that his name and address is properly entered upon the registry books of the election district in which he resides not later than the Tuesday next preceding the day of election. The board of registry must first meet and organize on the Tuesday four weeks next preceding the annual election, and within the week terminating on the following Saturday the board must make by canvass or otherwise a complete list of all legal voters in said district. This list must be posted in handbill form in at least two conspicuous places in the election district, where it may be scrutinized by all. Final corrections will be made on the Tuesday preceding the day of election, and the revised registry list must be filed with the clerk of the city or township not later than the Thursday following.

PREPARING THE BALLOT.

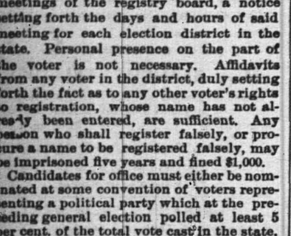
The county clerks must publish in not more than six papers in each county, divided as equally as possible as to politics, for at least two weeks preceding the meetings of the registry board, a notice setting forth the days and hours of said meeting for each election district in the state. Personal presence on the part of the voter is not necessary. Affidavits from any voter in the district, duly setting forth the fact as to any other voter's rights to registration, whose name has not already been entered, are sufficient. Any person who shall register falsely, or procure a name to be registered falsely, may be imprisoned five years and fined $1,000.

Candidates for office must either be nominated at some convention of voters representing a political party which at the preceding general election polled at least 5 per cent. of the total vote cast in the state, or by a "petition" of legally qualified voters signed by at least 1 per cent. of the entire vote cast at the last preceding election for members of the general assembly in the state, county, district or other division in which the nominations are made. All certificates and petitions nominating candidates for state offices must be filed with the secretary of state forty days previous to election. General assembly and county candidates must file their certificates of nomination with the clerk of the county in which they are to be voted for twenty days prior to election. Other certificates of nominations must be filed with the clerks of the respective municipalities fifteen days prior to election.

All ballots are to be printed at public expense, and are to be provided by the clerk of the county if for county or state offices, and if otherwise by the municipal clerk. The nominations of each party or group of petitioners shall be printed on separate tickets, underneath the title or name of the party, on plain white paper of uniform size, quality, thickness and type, and on the back of each ballot shall be printed the words, "Official Ballot for ——" (designating in the blank the election district for which the ballot is prepared), the date of the election and a facsimile of the signature of the county or municipal clerk. Two hundred and fifty ballots shall be supplied for every fifty votes cast by such party at the preceding election for members of the general assembly.

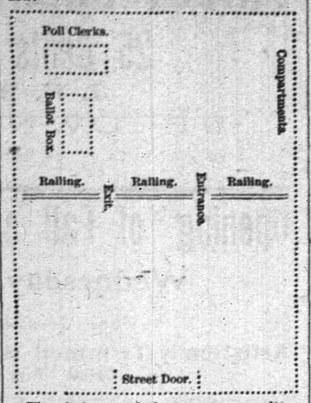
In case of nominations by any party or petitioners that cast no votes at the preceding election, the number of ballots to be provided at public expense shall be equal to one-half the total vote cast in the election district or precinct at the last preceding election for general assembly.

The same clerks are required to provide for each election district a quantity of what are called "official envelopes," equal in number to double the number of votes cast in said districts at the preceding general election. These envelopes must be of a uniform quality of plain white paper, 3½ inches in length by 2 inches in width, with ungummed flaps. On the back of each envelope shall be printed the words, "Official Envelope for ——" (designating number of district), with date of election and fac-simile of the clerk's signature.



RECEIVING THE VOTE.

The law further provides that at each of the polling places booths or compartments, one for not less than seventy-five votes cast at the preceding election, shall be provided, in which voters may, if they so desire, procure and prepare their ballots secretly and screened from the observation of others. The door, when closed, must be so arranged as to show some part of the person standing in the booth, and the compartments must stand within a railed inclosure, to which no outsiders are admitted except the voters in the exercise of their privileges, and the officers conducting the election. The ballot boxes must be so situated that the voter may deliver his ballot to the election officer before leaving the railed inclosure. The general arrangement of the polling place must be substantially in accordance with the following diagram, which forms a part of the law:

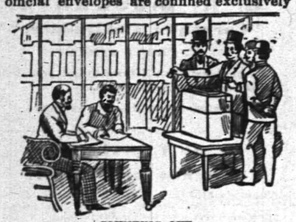



The chairman of the county committee or the municipal committee of any political party having candidates for public office to be voted for may appoint two agents for each polling place, who shall act as challengers for their parties. Candidates nominated by petition, who may have no party organization, are also entitled to appoint two agents to represent them at each polling place. These agents are not permitted within the voting enclosure, except when a person is challenged and when the vote is being counted. They may, however, remain at all times within the polling room, together with the candidates of the various parties and the officers present to preserve order.

No electioneering shall be permitted within any polling place, and none publicly within 100 feet of the same. The voter, as he enters the railed inclosure, will be furnished by a member of the election board, stationed in close proximity, with one of the official envelopes, and he shall also be provided with at least one of the official ballots of each party. These ballots he may have secured before entering or he may find them in the booths. Having the ballots and the official envelope he must enter one of the compartments, close the door, and remain there a sufficient time (not exceeding five minutes) to inclose the ballot he desires to vote in the official envelope. He must make no mark or designating device upon the ballot or envelope, and on emerging from the booth he must hand this envelope to a member of the election board, who must deposit the same in the ballot box in presence of the voter.

Any voter who declares under oath, and establishes to the satisfaction of a majority of the election board, that by reason of any physical disability he is unable to prepare his own ballot, may take a friend, whom he may select, to the booth, whose duty it shall be to assist the voter in preparing his ballot.

Should the voter in any manner spoil his first official envelope he can obtain a second one, but no more. While the law provides that any voter can purchase of the county or municipal clerk as many official ballots as he can pay for, and the same may be distributed before election day, the official envelopes are confined exclusively



COUNTING OFF.

to the polling room. In counting the vote the envelope containing the ballots shall be opened, the ballot removed, the names on the ballot counted and recorded, and the ballot must then, before another envelope is opened, be returned to the original envelope, and ballot and envelope shall be numbered and strung, as under the old law. If any envelope shall be found to contain more than one ballot the ballots shall be returned to the envelope, and on it written the words, "Rejected Ballots," and such envelope and ballots shall be strung on the string of rejected ballots. If any designating mark, sign or device shall appear upon either the official envelope or the official ballot such ballot shall be absolutely void, and shall not be counted for any candidate.

The law is fortified with severe penalties for a violation of any of the provisions of the act. For destroying or suppressing certificates of nominations or petitions a person may be imprisoned five years. For destroying ballots in the election booths or stealing the same a person may be fined $500 and imprisoned until the fine is paid. Any officer, under the act, who in any manner violates his duty, may be imprisoned three years. The printer who supplies the ballots, who shall misspell a name purposely or arrange the ticket except as specified under the law, may be fined $1,000 and imprisoned five years.

Any person who may mark any official ballot or envelope by any designation whereby any person may determine how any voter has voted may be fined $500 and imprisoned one year. Any member of any election board, or any clerk of the same, having any knowledge as to how a person votes, who shall reveal such knowledge to any other person, may be fined $2,000 or imprisoned five years. Any person who shall directly or indirectly offer money or any other consideration to a voter to vote or refrain from voting or registering may be fined $2,000 and imprisoned five years.

Promises of office or employment are considered just as bad, and the punishment is the same. Any person who shall contribute money to be expended in bribing voters may be called upon to pay a fine of $2,000 or spend ten years in prison. The man who shall accept any consideration for voting or refraining to vote may have to pay a fine of $1,000 or go to jail for one year. Any employers or corporation who may attempt to intimidate their workmen, directly or indirectly, can be called upon when convicted to pay a fine of $2,000 and spend five years in prison. Any person who shall do any electioneering on election day within 100 feet of any polling place, or a person who shall show his ballot after it is prepared for voting to any person in such a way as to reveal its contents, or any voter who shall offer to vote anything but an official ballot in an official envelope, lays himself liable to a fine of $25 for each and every offense.

In addition to these numerous and severe penalties the law finally provides that the court may disfranchise and disqualify to hold any office within the state for such length of time as it may deem proper any person convicted of any of the offenses mentioned.

## A NEBRASKA HEROINE.

**How a Woman with Nerve Governed a Western Community.**

"Talk about leetle women," said the man on the cracker box, who was entertaining the insurance agent and a tree traveler, "there ain't nothin' under the sun a leetle woman can't do if she sets out tew. She jest takes hold and does by stratagee what a big woman does by main strength and awkwardness. Ain't it so, Sleepy Sam?"

The reservation Indian designated grunted "ugh!" although he did not understand a word that was said, writes Mrs. M. L. Rayne, the recorder of this anecdote, in the Detroit Free Press.

"It 'minds me of a incident which happened when I was the postmaster an' 'spress agent at this here place. Omaha warn't much more than a village, an' its main curiosity was a floatin' bridge in them days. There was a valise come in by 'spress with no kind of direction on it. Now I'd just had a queer 'sperience with a trunk that got left here, no name or nothin', but a young woman come in for it, an' I sed, sez I: 'Dentify it, my dear: if it is yours, while I open it.'

"'I will,' says she; 'there's a dozen eggs in I'm takin' to my aunt to make a omelet.'

"'Take it, my dear,' says I; 'it's yours, an' your aunt's omelet is made, but I guess the rest of your things ain't improved any.'

"Gentlemen, when I hefted the valise it was as heavy as lead."

"Dynamite?" suggested the traveler, gently.

"Bricks?" inquired the insurance man.

"Way off. I felt it incumulent on me as a Government officer to open that valise and find out what was in it, and I was getting ready tew hunt a key, when right then in walked two women. One of them was the Widow Snell, a poor washed-out, weeping woman, that always aggravated me to death a sniffin' over her dear departed Jim, the meanest and most cantankerous human this side of the Rockies. The other was a little mite of a dandified woman. I could hev' lifted her with one hand, an' her head was hardly above the counter.

"'Cap'n,' says she—yes, I fit in the war—'Cap'n, is there a valise here for me?'

"'Ain't but one valise here, ma'am, an' that ain't for you,' says I.

"'How do you know?' says she, as pert as you please. 'I'll thank you to let me see it.'

"I lifted it up and banged it on the counter.

"'Be careful,' says she, 'it might go off;' then she took a key off a ribbon at her neck and handed it to me.

"'Unlock it,' says she.

"The way she ordered me round made my head swim. Sure enough, the key unlocked it slick as a whistle.

"'You'll please tell me what's in this here valise, ma'am,' says I, in my official voice.

"'Oh yes,' says she, gettin' up on tiptoe. "there's a navy revolver, an' a seven-shooter, and an English bulldog that only holds one bullet, but shoots to kill and—'

"'These they are, ma'am, an' they're yours,' says I; 'I don't dispute your word in the least and will be much obliged if you'll just take the hull arsenal off my hands.'

"She stuck the revolvers in her belt and carried the bulldog in her hand.

"'Come, Alice,' says she, 'we'll go home now,' and she walked out and walked out past all them reserve Injuns without a look at 'em, the widow following as meek as Moses."

"What was she doing here?" asked the insurance man.

"Gentlemen, she were a visitin' her cousin, that poor, sighin', cryin' widow. It were the year thet the Bad Axe Injuns was sent up here to our reservation to make life a burden to us, till that leetle woman come up here loaded for bear. That cousin of hers didn't have gumption enough to keep them from stealing the roof from over her head. An' one night gentlemen, the little woman heard a step outside her window, and saw an Injun taking off the widow's best horse, an' she jest opens the door and steps out, an' says she: 'Stop in your tracks or you're a dead Injun,' and she held the cold muzzle of the pistol to his head. He did'nt wait for no parleyin', but just evaporated to onct.

"The Injuns liked her mightily for her pluck, an' one day as she sot on the fence drawin' pictures of the bluffs, an' the tepees, along rid a Injun and stopped to admire her. He didn't have much on but a blanket, an' was dirty and sassy, an' he fanned himself with a turkey-tail fan. Says he:

"'Got man?'

"'Yes—Chicago—git,' says she. She kinder played with the shooter in her left an' he got, an' I reckon that was the shortest courtship on record.

"That little woman stayed there till she coaxed the widow to swap the farm for town lots, and sell off all the stuff, and put the money in the bank, and she made her stop cryin' an' sniffin' over that pesky Jim Snell, an' brace up an' be somebody. When she got things a boomin' and the Injuns tamed down into decent members of sassiety she packed up her firearms and went home to Chicago an' then the funniest thing of all came out, for the widow told on her. *There weren't one of them firearms loaded.* She had just bulldozed the hull lot of us with empty revolvers. Fact, gentlemen, have some pop? The law forbids any thing stronger."

When everybody had popped the tree traveler asked carelessly:

"What became of the widow?"

"Married her myself," said the man on the cracker-box, rising slowly; "anybody got any thing to say in favor or against?"

Nobody had.

### Freaks of Electric Wire.

A tree in Nashville caught fire from an electric wire. One limb was burned entirely off. A policeman threw water on the burning limb with a hose, and when the water struck the fire he experienced a severe electric shock.

### Knows All About It Now.

"I never realized what was meant by fingers of scorn," said a young Washington man, "until I proposed to a deaf mute and was rejected."

"A LIFE'S EXPERIENCE."

LYDIA PINKHAM to MRS. CHAS. H. PINKHAM. "My daughter, you have spent many years of your life in aiding me to compile these records. An analysis of every case of female disease ever brought to my attention is here; this will aid you in perpetuating my work. Here is a life's practice of a **Woman among Women, and contains Facts that cannot be found elsewhere!** It is the **largest** collection **the world has ever known.**"

NOTE. These Records are available to the **Women of the world.** Personal attention is given to confidential letters, and correspondence is solicited from suffering women. Send stamp for "Guide to Health and Etiquette."

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### Notice of Attachment.

*UNION COUNTY CIRCUIT COURT.*

The Hockanum Company, Pltff. vs John F. Plummer, Albert T. Plummer and William S. Darling, Def'ts. } On Contract. On Attachment.

Notice is hereby given that a writ of attachment at the suit of The Hockanum Company against the rights and credits, money and effects, goods and chattels, lands and tenements of John F. Plummer, Albert T. Plummer and William S. Darling, non-resident debtors, for the sum of Four hundred and fifty thousand dollars, issued out of the Union County Circuit Court on the twelfth day of May, A. D., 1890. Returnable and returned into Court duly executed by the Sheriff of the County of Union, on the second day of June, A. D., 1890.

Dated July 2nd, 1890.

JOHN L. CROWELL, Clerk.

Bacot & Record, Att'y's for Pl'ff, No. 1 Montgomery Street, Jersey City. 10 1 10 caw

### Notice of Attachment.

*UNION COUNTY CIRCUIT COURT.*

The New England Company, Pl'ff. vs John F. Plummer, Albert T. Plummer and William S. Darling, Def'ts. } On Contract. Attachment.

Notice is hereby given that a writ of attachment at the suit of the New England Company, against the rights and credits, moneys and effects, goods and chattels, lands and tenements of John F. Plummer, Albert T. Plummer and William S. Darling, non-resident debtors, for the sum of Three hundred thousand six hundred and twenty-eight 25-100 dollars, issued out of the Union County Circuit Court, on the twentieth day of June, A. D., 1890. Returnable and returned into Court, duly executed by the Sheriff of the County of Union on the first day of July, A. D., 1890.

Dated July 2nd, 1890.

JOHN L. CROWELL, Clerk.

Bacot & Record, Att'ys for Pl'ff, No. 1 Montgomery Street, Jersey City. 10 1 10 caw

### Notice of Attachment.

*UNION COUNTY CIRCUIT COURT.*

John C. Payne, Pl'ff. vs John F. Plummer, Albert T. Plummer and William S. Darling, Def'ts. } On Contract. On Attachment.

Notice is hereby given that a writ of attachment at the suit of John C. Payne, against the rights and credits, moneys and effects, goods and chattels, lands and tenements of John F. Plummer, Albert T. Plummer and William S. Darling, non-resident debtors, for the sum of Twenty thousand dollars, issued out of the Union County Circuit Court on the third day of July, A. D., 1890. Returnable and returned into Court duly executed by the sheriff of the County of Union, on the fourteenth day of July, A. D., 1890.

Dated July 17th, 1890.

JOHN L. CROWELL, Clerk.

Bacot & Record, Att'ys of Pl'ff, 1 Montgomery Street, Jersey City. 10 1 10 caw

### 1890.

## TAXES.

Notice is hereby given to the Taxpayers of the **City of Plainfield,** that the Taxes assessed in said city for the year 1890, are now due and payable, and that if the said Taxes be not paid by **the 20th day of December next,** the names of the defaulters, with their respective taxes, will be returned to the City Judge for prosecution.

The Commissioners of Appeal in cases of taxation, will meet in the Council chamber on the *Fourth TUESDAY in November* next, (the 25th), and sit from 2 o'clock P. M. until 5 o'clock P. M., or longer if found necessary, to dispose of all cases submitted to them for consideration.

JOHN JOHNSON,
Collector of Taxes.

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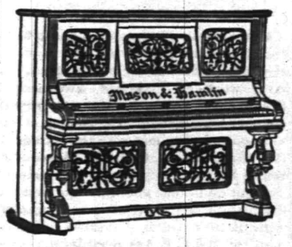


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| 4th do | 10.00 | do | 10.27 | do |
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| 6th do | 11.45 | do | 12.06 P.M. | do |
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| 8th do | 2.45 | do | To the Post Office. | |
| 9th do | 3.30 | do | meet 3 51 P. M. | train. |
| 10th do | 5.00 | do | do 5.39 | do |
| 11th do | 5.45 | do | do 6.07 | do |
| 12th do | 6.45 | do | do 7.02 | do |

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PLAINFIELD AND NEW YORK.

Leave Plainfield 3 37, 5 24, 5 38, 6 29, 6 59, 7 26, 7 30, 7 58, 8, 8 15, 8 31, 8 37, 9 22, 10 05, 11 09, 11 39, A. M., 1, 1 41, 2 07, 2 30, 3 12, 3 51, 5 08, 5 31, 6 07, 6 54, 7 03, 8 31, 9 25, 10 12, 11 28 P. M. Sunday—6 37, 8 34, 9 01, 9 52, 11 02, 11 15 A. M., 12 33, 1 33, 3 30, 5 16, 7 01, 7 10, 8 23, 8 32, 10 02 P. M.

Leave New York from foot of Liberty street, 4 30, 5 45, 7, 7 45, 8 45, 10, 11, A. M., 1, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4, 4 30, 5, 5 15, 5 30, 6, 6 15, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 8, 8 30, 9 15, 10, 11 30 P. M., 12 15, night. Sunday—4 30, 7, 8 30, 9, 9 30, A. M., 12 M., 1, 1 15, 4, 5 30, 6, 7, 9 00, 10 00 P. M., 12 15 night.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield 5 38, 6 29, 6 59, 7 30, 8, 8 27, 9 32, 10 05, 11 09, 11 39, A. M., 1, 2 07, 2 30, 3 12, 3 51, 5 08, 5 31, 6 07, 6 54, 7 03, 8 31, 10 12, 11 28 P. M. Sunday—8 07, 8 52, 11 02, 11 16 A. M., 12 33, 1 33, 3 30, 5 16, 7 01, 7 10, 8 23, 8 32, 10 02 P. M.

Leave Newark 7 10, 7 50, 8 55, 10 10, 11 05 A. M., 1 05, 1 25, 3 25, 3 40, 4 05, 4 27, 5 05, 5 50, 6 55, 7 15, 7 35, 8 20, 9 35, 10 10, 11 25 P. M. Sunday—7 20, 8 40, 9 05, 9 50, A. M., 12 05, 1 10, 4 10, 5 40, 6 05, 7 05, 9 25, 10 20 P. M.

Passengers for Newark change cars at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7, 8 07, 9 42, 11, 11 58 A. M., 1 59, 2 32, 3 45, 4 34, 5 20, 5 34, 6 20, 6 38, 7 08, 7 19, 7 34, 8 20, 9 43, 11 15, 12 43 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 13, 9 45, A. M., 2 03, 2 30, 5 14, 6 15, 11 14 P. M.

Leave Somerville, 6, 6 30, 7 03, 7 25, 7 35, 7 49, 9 05, 9 47, 11 15 A. M., 12 35, 1 15, 1 48, 2 05, 2 24 40, 5 12, 5 35, 8 05, 8 50, 11 05, P. M. Sunday—8 25, 10 35 A. M., 12 08, 3 05, 4 50, 6 40, 8 03, 8 05, 9 38 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7, 8 07, 9 42, A. M., 1 59, 4 34, 5 20, 6 38, 8 20 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 13 A. M., 2 03, 6 35 P. M.

Leave Easton 6 05, 8 44, 10 A. M., 12 32, 4 09, 6 49 P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 52, A. M., 6 40, 7 20 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 7, 9 42 A. M., 1 59, 5 20 P. M. Sunday—8 13 A. M.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

LEAVE PLAINFIELD.

5 45 A. M. for Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

7 A. M. for High Bridge Branch and Easton.

8 07 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 42 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Nanticoke, Drifton, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c.

1 59 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, &c.

4 34 P. M. for D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

5 20 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Schooley's Mountain, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, &c.

6 20 P. M. for Flemington.

6 38 P. M. for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg.

8 20 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8 13 a. m. Sundays for High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, &c., 2 03 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua and Pottsville. 6 35 p. m Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m. 1 p. m.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c.

Leave Plainfield 3 37, 8, 11 09 a. m., 1, 3 51, 5 31, p. m. Sundays—(except Ocean Grove) 8 03, a. m., 3 20 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 38, 8, 10 05, 11 09 a. m., 1, 3 51, 5 31, 7 03 p. m. Sunday—8 52 a. m., 3 20 p. m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8, 11 09 a. m., 1, 3 51, 5 31, p. m.

ROUND BROOK ROUTE.

Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia, 1 17, 5 45, 8 29, 9 48, 11 58*, a. m., 1 59*, 2 32*, 4 08, 5 34*, 5 39*, 8 20 p. m. Sundays—1 17, 9 48, a. m., 2 30*, 4 08, 5 14*, 6 55 p. m.

For Baltimore and Washington at 1 17, 9 48, 11 58*, a. m., 2 43, 4 08, 5 34* p. m. Sundays—1 17, 9 48 a. m., 2 57, 4 08, 5 14* p. m.

RETURNING—LEAVE PHILADELPHIA,

Ninth and Green streets, 7 30*, 8 30*, 9 30, 11 05 a. m., 12 45, 1 30, 3 15, 5 15, 6 15, 6 02, 8 45, 12 p. m Sundays—9 a. m., 12 50, 2 10, 5 15, 6 10, 8, 12 p. m.

From 24th and Chestnut—8 10, 8 20*, 11 08, a. m. 12 23, 3 20, 6 18, 8 05, p. m. Sundays—2 10, 9 56 a. m., 12 52, 3 20, 5 18, 8 05 p. m.

Leave Trenton, Warren and Tucker sts., 1 20, 4 00,* 8*, 9\

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## GEN. RAUM'S REPORT

### Operations of the Pension Bureau for the Past Year.

SOME INTERESTING FIGURES.

Over Five Hundred Thousand Pensioners Borne Upon the Rolls

**The Average Annual Value of Each Pension $133.94—66,337 Original Claims Allowed During the Year—Condition of the Bureau When the Present Commissioner Took Charge.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 7.—The annual report of Green B. Raum, Commissioner of Pensions, for the fiscal year ended June 30 past, and including the first quarter of the current fiscal year of the operations of his bureau, has been submitted to the Secretary of the Interior. It shows that at the end of the fiscal year there were 537,944 pensioners borne upon the rolls.

There were 66,337 original claims allowed during the year, being 14,716 more than were allowed in 1889. The amount of the first payment of these claims aggregated $32,478,831, being $11,036,492 more than in the previous fiscal year, and $10,179,225 more than the first payments of the fiscal year 1888.

The average annual value of each pension at the close of the year was $133.94.

Commissioner Raum says that upon taking charge of the Pension Office last October, he discovered that a number of important changes were necessary to secure satisfactory results, which were brought to the attention of the Secretary of the Interior.

There were no satisfactory specified duties provided for the deputy commissioner or the chief clerk of the Bureau. Several thousand letters were daily received from claimants and attorneys making complaints to which no reply was made; the medical division was divided into sections for consideration of classified diseases, the power of reopening claims was exercised by heads of divisions and examiners without submitting them to the commissioner; claims were drawn from the files, from day to day, for adjudication at the discretion of the file clerks, claimants having no power to cause the settlement of their claims when complete; eighteen per cent. of the official force was assigned to duty in the field for the special examination of cases when there were 14,335 cases in the special examination division; a division had been created called the Board of Re-review, composed of about 40 persons for the re-examination of cases passed upon by the Board of Review; and matters relating to the appointment and promotion of the official force of the Pension Office and of Boards of Medical Examiners were under the direction of two divisions.

The report contains all the orders in regard to these defects in administration, and the manner in which they were remedied.

The Commissioner devoted considerable space to discussing and explaining the present system of drawing cases from the files for adjudication, and says that under the system of the completed files, the claimant has a right, upon proper certification that his claim is complete, to have it immediately placed upon the "completed files" and taken up in its order for adjudication. Claims placed upon the "completed files" are taken up within a week for action, and if found complete are immediately allowed.

**$20,000 for Stealing a Wife's Husband.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 7.—Mrs. Ada Richardson has obtained a verdict before a sheriff's jury for $20,000, for the alienation of her husband's affections. Her husband is David C. Richardson, to whom she was married in 1874. The couple lived together until 1881 when he began to neglect her for Mrs. Ella T. Burt, wife of George A. Burt. Mrs. Richardson brought suit against Mrs. Burt for $25,000, with the result stated. Both women have cattle ranches in Texas and are supposed to be there now. Mr. Burt is understood to have business in Pennsylvania.

**Report of the Governor of New Mexico.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 7.—The annual report of Gov. Prince, of New Mexico, has been submitted to the Secretary of the Interior. He says that the titles to the Spanish-American land grants in the territory have been finally settled. He estimates the population of the territory at from 180,000 to 185,000; although the census returns for 1890 show but 153,076. The total output of metals last year is closely estimated as follows: Gold, $1,136,320; silver, $1,891,105; lead, $354,839; copper, $64,620; total product, $4,023,884. An earnest plea for statehood is made.

**Chinamen Captured Trying to Steal In.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 7.—The Collector of Customs at Port Towansend, Wash., reports to the Treasury Department under the date of Sept. 26, that Inspector Jackling on Sept. 24 captured a sloop with 20 Chinamen aboard, bound from British Columbia to a landing in that State. Two men in charge of the vessel ran her ashore near Port Haddock and escaped. The Chinamen were captured and imprisoned at McNeil's Island, awaiting extradition.

**Census Figures.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 7.—The census Office announce the population of Michigan to be 2,089,792, an increase since 1880 of 452,875. The total population of Indiana as announced is 2,189,030, an increase since 1880 of 210,729. The population of Albuquerque, New Mexico, is 6,058, increase during the past decade, 3,743.

### DAY ON TRIAL.

**His Case Called This Morning at Welland, Ont.**

WELLAND, Ont., Oct. 7.—The grand jury having returned a ture bill last night against Arthur Hoyt Day for the murder of his wife, Desire Day, the prisoner was arraigned at once and pleaded not guilty.

He was then asked if he was ready for trial and he answered in the affirmative, the case was set down for today, and at 9:30 this morning the case was opened and is now in progress.

Mrs. Day No. 2 arrived yesterday to give evidence as to the second marriage. She came to court when the case was called.

Detective Rogers of the Provincial staff, and detectives Hayden and Furtherer of Rochester, are all here assisting Chief Young in connecting the links in the chain of evidence for the Crown.

The case will be concluded to-night.

### THE BALTIMORE'S COMMANDER.

**Captain Schley Notifies the Navy Department of His Stay at Stockholm.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 7.—Captain Schley, Commander of the United States steamer Baltimore, in a letter to the navy department, dated Stockholm, Sweden, Sept. 21, announces his arrival at that port with the remains of the inventor Ericsson.

The remains were received and honored with the most imposing consideration by his Government.

On Sept. 18, King Oscar of Sweden, his Secretary of State and staff officers paid a visit to the Baltimore, and were received with all the honors due His Majesty prescribed by the naval regulations. King Oscar expressed himself as highly pleased with his visit and desired Captain Schley to send his congratulations to President Harrison on having such a magnificent vessel.

### WILL HE FURTHER CONFESS?

**Birchall's Jailors Expect That He Will Soon Admit All.**

WOODSTOCK, Ont., Oct. 7.—From his present actions the jail officials expect Birchall to soon confess his crime. He already acknowledges that he was an accessory and confesses that he took Benwell to Eastwood and beyond, in the direction of the swamp, where the body of the young Englishman was discovered, but denies that it was his hand that slew Benwell. He does not say much about his negotiations with the victim and his father, though he freely admits he went in to swindle both of them and Pelly.

**Sale of Yearlings.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 7.—The following are among the yearlings sold at Morris Park during the morning: Chestnut colt by George Kinney-Kate Clark to S. S. Brown, $850; chestnut filly by George Kinney-Sunbeam to B. McClelland, $1,275; chestnut colt by Blue Eyes-Allegro to D. T. Pulsifer, $1,050; bay cols by Spendthrift-Janet to B. McClelland, 2,600; bay colt by Spendthrift-Torchlight to S. S. Brown, $1,200; bay colt by Spendthrift Alcina to J. H. Morris, $1,050; chestnut colt by Spendthrift-Miramar to S. S. Brown, $1,300.

**Patriotic Sons of America in Session.**

BOSTON, Oct. 7.—Delegations to the National Camp of the Patriotic Sons of America are here from all parts of the country. In all, 175 delegates are on hand. The ritual and constitutional committees presented their report to the meeting this morning. Concerning the objects of the order, it is stated that it is not anti-Catholic, but is nonsectarian and non-political, seeking only to guard the best interests of the country. It demands some changes in the naturalization and emigration laws.

**Chicago Street Car Employes' Demands.**

CHICAGO, Oct. 7.—A committee of five from the West Side Street Car Conductors and Drivers Association called on General Manager Parsons to-day and presented their request for higher wages and a demand that an order be issued addressed to the officers of the company not to discriminate against any organization among the employes of the road. Mr. Parsons replied that he would give the request of the men a careful consideration, and would reply as soon as practicable.

**A Long Standing Suit Settled.**

NEWPORT, R. I., Oct. 7.—At the annual meeting of the Newport and Wickford Railroad and Steamboat Company, the law suit of Contractor John Beattie against the company, which has been pending nearly twenty years, was settled for $24,000, which includes the original contract and interest. It was voted to build a larger and faster steamer to replace the present one before another year.

**Declines to Run for Assembly.**

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Oct. 7.—Sylvester Wilcox, of Mendon, the Democratic nominee for the Assembly in the First District of Monroe County, has decided not to make the canvas. Business engagements are given as the cause of his withdrawal.

## MAY OFFEND FRANCE

### The Comte's Reception Here Creating Comment.

A FOE OF THEIR REPUBLIC.

Diplomatic Investigation Said to Be Likely to Result.

**Collector Erhardt Represented as Welcoming Him in the Name of the President of the United States—Little Thought Given to the Subject in Washington—The Philadelphia Reception.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 7.—President Harrison has been apprised unofficially that the French Government is likely to make the recent welcome of the Comte de Paris in New York city a matter of official diplomatic inquiry. Collector Erhardt was represented in the papers as welcoming the Comte in this language:

"I am instructed, sir, by the President of the United States and the Government at Washington, to welcome you to these shores, and to extend to you every courtesy in my power."

As the Comte de Paris is the head of the house of Orleans and aspires to place that dynasty on a throne in France, to the destruction of the present Republican Government, the French Government's representatives at New York and Washington have been much disturbed by the character of this seemingly official welcome of the noted royalist.

President Harrison has unofficially stated that neither he nor the Government directed or instructed such a welcome to be extended to the Comte de Paris, and that an official inquiry from the French Government, which is likely to be made, will be met by an official disavowal. When spoken to about the matter this morning, Secretary Windom seemed to treat the matter as a joke, saying that while he had heard something of it he had no official information regarding it.

### A BRILLIANT RECEPTION.

**The Comte Dined in Philadelphia Last Night—Off for Washington To-Day.**

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 7.—The reception of the Comte de Paris last night by the Union League Club was one of the most brilliant affairs of its kind that has ever taken place in this city. The rooms and corridors were crowded with members of the club and invited guests.

About 9 o'clock the distinguished party arrived at the club. The Comte entered on the arm of General Gregg, followed by the Duc de Orleans on the arm of George W. Childs, and behind them the rest of the party.

On arriving at the library the Comte and his son took their positions, the Comte having Mr. Childs at his side and the Duc de Orleans having William C. Houston, President of the Union League, at his side.

For the next half hour these two gentlemen were kept busy introducing the Comte and his son to the thousand or more guests who filled the rooms.

Among those who passed before the Comte and were presented were Gen. Daniel E. Sickles of New York, Gen. Parke of Chicago, who commanded an army corps during the war, General Alexander S. Webb, who commanded the Philadelphia brigade that broke Pickett's charge at Gettysburg; Gen. Doubleday, General Lewis Merrill, Governor Biggs, of Delaware; General Fitz-John Porter, vice-president J. N. Dubarry, of the Pennsylvania Railroad; ex-Senator Sewell, of New Jersey; Adjutant-General Hastings, of Pennsylvania, and Gen. J. W. Hoffman, whose division opened the first days fight at Gettysburg.

When all present had been presented to the Comte and the Duc, they moved about the room chatting with different persons.

When the signal for supper was given the Comte took the arm of Gen. Gregg and the Duc took that of Mr Houston, the rest of the party following.

Arrangements had been made for the Comte and his party to dine in a private room, and when they had walked through the supper room they retired to the private room.

The following gentlemen took supper with them: Gen. Sickles, Gen. Butterfield, Gen. Greely, Gen. Doubleday, Gen. Parke, ex-Attorney-General Wayne MacVeagh, Edwin N. Benson, George W. Childs, William C. Houston, Samuel B. Huey and Col. Nicholson.

The Comte did not again return to the supper room, but at the conclusion of the supper he and the rest of the party went at once to the Stratford Hotel, where they have a suite of rooms.

At 10 o'clock this morning a special over the Pennsylvania road left with the entire party for Washington. Tomorrow afternoon the Comte will leave for Richmond, and later will visit scenes of the battles in which he participated in Virginia.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—U. S. Gov't Report, Aug. 17, 1889.

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

### THE BASEBALL CONFERENCE.

**President Day Tells How the Trouble Can Be Patched Up.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 7.—The outcome of the baseball conference to be held in this city day after tomorrow is looked forward to with much interest, as it is believed that it will then be decided whether the war is to be continued throughout next season or not. President Day speaking on the subject, said that the only solution of the difficulty that will effectually do away with the rivalry and put the clubs on a paying basis once more is to consolidate the rival clubs of each city, so that there will be but one representative club. The only way this could be done was, he thought, for one League to buy the other out.

"If the Brotherhood," continued Mr. Day "is rich enough to do this they can purchase my club, and I have but little doubt that the whole National League would be glad to sell out for that matter, provided a fair price could be secured."

**To Aid the Buffalo Club.**

BUFFALO, N. Y., Oct. 7.—Secretary Brunnell, of the Players' League, has wired the Buffalo Club to come to Cincinnati for exhibition games with the Cincinnatis on Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week. Mr. Brunnell is interesting himself to help the Buffalo Club out of its financial predicament. No official statement has been made of the losses of the Buffalo Club, but it is thought they will foot up between $10,000 and $15,000.

### BASEBALL GAMES.

**American Association.**

AT LOUISVILLE.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Columbus | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —0 |
| Louisville | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | x | —2 |

Batteries—Gastright and O'Connor; Stratton and Ryan.

AT ST. LOUIS.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| St. Louis | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | | —3 |
| Toledo | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 2 | 0 | | —10 |

Batteries—Nichols and Frost; Sprague and Seage.

AT SYRACUSE.

Syracuse and Athletic game postponed on account of rain.

AT ROCHESTER.

Rochester and Baltimore game postponed on account of rain.

**Players' League.**

AT CINCINNATI.

EXHIBITION GAME.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Cincinnati | 0 | 1 | 4 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | —11 |
| Cleveland | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | —4 |

Batteries—Mulland and Harrington; O'Brien and Brennan.

**Standing of the Clubs.**

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

| | Won | Lost | P ct | | Won | Lost | P ct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Louisville | 83 | 42 | .664 | Rochester | 60 | 58 | .508 |
| St. Louis | 77 | 53 | .592 | Athletic | 54 | 75 | .419 |
| Columbus | 72 | 56 | .563 | Syracuse | 50 | 71 | .413 |
| Toledo | 67 | 57 | .540 | Baltimore | 37 | 93 | .298 |

**Schedule of To-Day's Games.**

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

Syracuse vs. Baltimore, at Baltimore.
Rochester vs. Athletics, at Philadelphia.
Toledo vs. Louisville, at Louisville.
Columbus vs. St. Louis, at St. Louis.

### CONNECTICUT ELECTION.

**Democrats Gain in Hartford County—Republicans Ahead in New Haven.**

HARTFORD, Conn., Oct. 7.—Returns from about half the towns in the State show nearly the usual quantity of changes. In Hartford County the Democratic gains seem on these returns to outnumber the Republican, while in New Haven County it is the other way. Returns from the eastern part of the State are meagre. In general the vote was light. Figures thus far do not show any decided drift of feeling either way, such as is sometimes indicated even in these town elections.

It looks as if the voting had been almost wholly on local issues.

In this city, on account of the system of minority representation in the different boards, and vacancies on the tickets, all the Republican and Democratic tickets were elected except one. Both parties nominated two candidates for the Board of School Visitors, while the Board consists of three. Two Democrats and one Republican were elected. The Board of Selectmen chosen were: George W. Fowler, Democrat and Republican; Thomas J. Blake, Democrat; Wm. Westphal, Democrat; John A. Crilly, Republican, and Edwin J. Smith, Republican.

**Is the Engagement Broken?**

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Oct. 7.—A reporter called on Dr. Thomas Emory, at whose house Miss Minnie Davis was a guest when she first met Mr. Wilkinson, in regard to the report from New Orleans that their engagement had been broken off. Mr. Emory said that he had no definite information regarding the report, but that he did not believe it was true. He understood the wedding had been postponed until next June. Mr. Wilkinson's sister would neither deny or affirm the report.

BEAUVOIR, Miss., Oct. 7.—It is reported here that the engagement of Miss Winnie Davis with Mr. Wilkinson has been severed, and gossip is busily employed advancing reasons. One is that Mr. Wilkinson is waiting to recover from recent financial misfortunes.

**Pastor Roberts Wants a New Trial.**

SCRANTON, Pa., Oct. 7.—Application has been made for a new trial in the case of Annie Husaboe against Pastor Roberts. Among the reasons given—there were eight of them—was that the absence of the plaintiff from the court room prevented the defence from proving that Annie had brought a similar action against Lois P. Jerdee, in Dane County, Wis., in 1873. Roberts' congregation has deferred action on his resignation until the rule for a new trial is disposed of.

**Bank Statements Called.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 7.—The Comptroller of Currency has called for a report of the condition of National banks at the close of business on Thursday, October 2.

## HER FORMAL APPEAL

### No Further Doubt About Ireland's Impending Distress.

ASSISTANCE SORELY NEEDED.

All Bluster of English Papers Knocked in the Head.

**Names of the Gentlemen Selected to Come to America in Ireland's Cause—The Dillon-O'Brien Trial—Serious Trouble Feared at Clonmel—Other News from Abroad of General Interest.**

LONDON, Oct. 7.—All the bluster made by the Government's played out organ, the Times, to the effect that there was not much, if any, apprehension concerning the condition of Ireland during the coming winter, was knocked in the head by a resolution prepared at the instigation of Mr. Parnell, and adopted at the Nationalists' meeting in Dublin.

The resolution says that the Nationalist party is compelled by circumstances to make an appeal to its friends everywhere in behalf of the Irish tenants, and it looks especially to its friends in America to subscribe generously for the defence of a distressed people. This appeal, the resolution says, is made most unwillingly, but the desperate strait in which the Irish tenants are now placed makes it absolutely necessary that assistance should be asked from friends and sympathizers throughout the world.

**They Will Come to Amerisa.**

DUBLIN, Oct. 7.—The following gentlemen, selected yesterday by the Nationalists to visit America in the interest of Irish famine-threatened districts, have signified their willingness to start at any time: John Dillon, M. P. for East Mayo; William O'Brien, M. P. for Northeastern Division of Cork; Thomas Power O'Connor, M. P. for Scotland (Liverpool); Timothy D. Sullivan, M. P. for College Green, (Dublin City); Timothy Harrington and Thomas P. Gill, M. P. for Southern Division of Louth.

**The Irish Trials.**

TIPPERARY, Oct. 7.—The trial of Messrs. O'Brien, Dillon and others was further postponed last night until today to allow the Crown to make inquiry as to whether O'Mahony was really to sick to appear. Certificates from his physician were not considered as evidence enough. Several lively tilts between Mr. O'Brien and the prosecutor occurred.

**Germany on the Lookout for Spies.**

BERLIN, Oct. 7.—The German authorities continue to be absurdly vigilant, just now, in their outlook for spies. The brother of the Dutch Minister to France was taking a walk on the fortifications at Mayence, when he was arrested on the charge of being a French spy. Upon showing who he was he was released.

**Serious Trouble Feared at Clonmel.**

CLONMEL, Oct. 7.—One hundred hussars and 350 extra policemen have arrived at this place. Their presence here is attributed to the fears of the Government that trouble may occur between the Eighteenth Irish Regiment and the Berkshire Regiment, both commands being now quartered in the town.

**Split in Nationalists' Ranks Claimed.**

LONDON, Oct. 7.—The Conservatives are industriously circulating a report that Mr. Parnell's absence from the Dublin conference has led to a split in the Nationalist ranks. Such a rumor has gained currency in various quarters, but cannot be traced to a trustworthy source.

**The Czar's Bitter Foes.**

ST. PETERSBURG, Oct. 7.—Large numbers of arrests continue to be made of persons suspected of Nihilism. The police have discovered what is supposed to be a Russian branch of the Workingmen's International Organization, and have arrested many of the members.

**Dismissing Russian Soldiers.**

ST. PETERSBURG, Oct. 7.—Russia has dismissed 12,000 men from her army and navy within the past two months, and it is stated that further discharges will be made shortly.

**Flood Sufferers in France.**

PARIS, Oct. 7.—Great distress prevails in the regions of Southern France recently visited by flood, and the French Chambers will be asked to do something for the sufferers.

**Will Unite to Beat Tammany.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 7.—The Republican county convention last night virtually decided to unite with other factions against Tammany Hall. The Gibbs delegates were expelled by a vote of 179 to 14. Col Cruger moved that a straight ticket be run with Chauncey M. Depew for Mayor. Ex-Judge Patterson said Depew couldn't carry the city. Every practical politician, he said, knew that a straight Republican ticket would be beaten. A committee was finally appointed to consider the advisability of a coalition and report Friday night. This action is understood to mean a coalition ticket.

**No Vessel Ashore on Pollock Rip.**

CHATHAM, Mass., Oct. 7.—The report that a four-master schooner is aground on Pollock Rip is incorrect. There is no vessel ashore in that vicinity.

**Nominated for Congress.**

BINGHAMTON, N. Y., Oct. 7.—Thos. H. Beal, of Madison county, has been nominated for Congress by the Democrats of the Twenty-sixth district.

### THE PRESIDENT'S TRIP.

**A Stop Made at Osgood, Ind., at Nine O'Clock This Morning.**

OSGOOD, Ind., Oct. 7.—The train bearing the President an party reached here at 9:30 this morning and a stop of a few minutes was made. The President had just finished breakfast before the train stopped. A large crowd was at the depot, and as the President stepped out on the rear platform he was heartily cheered. He shook hands with a number of those who climbed on the platform and the train pulled out amid loud cheers.

The President's decision to stop at St. Louis Saturday until 10 p. m., which was made final this morning, will cut out stops at Greencastle and Danville, which had been planned.

### POLYGAMY ABANDONED.

**The Laws of the United States Recognized by the Mormon Church.**

SALT LAKE, Utah, Oct. 7.—The Mormon Conference last evening resolved by a unanimous vote to sustain President Woodruff in his action in abolishing polygamy. Not a dissenting voice was heard in the entire assembly of 10,000 persons.

**German Day in Baltimore.**

BALTIMORE, Md., Oct. 7.—The greatest torchlight parade ever seen here was the principal feature of German Day in Baltimore. Fifteen thousand persons were in the parade. The line was made brilliant by every known illumination device. Seventy enormous and elaborate floats presented a beautiful appearance. After being reviewed by the Mayor the paraders adjourned to the different halls where the festivities of the day were rounded up in a happy manner.

**The Presbyterian Committee Meets.**

PITTSBURG, Pa., Oct. 7.—The committee appointed to revise the Confession of Faith of the Presbyterian Church will meet in Pittsburg this afternoon. A number of the committee arrived last night, and the balance came in this morning.

### NEWS OF THE DAY.

The Prince of Wales has arrived in Vienna. He is travelling incognito.

Nineteen hundred emigrants from Russia have sailed for New York from Bremen.

The Republicans of the Fourth (N. Y.) Assembly district of Albany county nominated Wm. B. Leroy, of Cohoes, for Assembly.

Dom Pedro, ex-Emperor of Brazil is stopping at Cologne. He constantly means for his lost throne. His mind is affected.

James McNaughton's residence, at Maxwell, Ont., was burned last night. McNaughton and a girl eight years of age perished in the flames.

The Osborn, Mechanics, Metacomet, Comell, Slade and Seaconnet mills at Fall River, Mass., have shut down for one week to relieve the depression in the cloth market.

German Day was celebrated on a large scale in many cities throughout the United States. In Milwaukee and other Northwester cities the day was almost a holiday.

Many of the Austrian papers teem with angry articles concerning the American tariff. They contain more denunciation than criticism. The Government is making efforts to allay the excitement.

The case of Conductor John Houghtaling, charged with manslaughter in displaying criminal negligence which resulted in the wreck on the Lake Shore at Hamburg, on March 6, last, is on at Buffalo.

The President before leaving for the West appointed Chas. A. Dougherty of Pennsylvania, to be Secretary of Legation to Mexico and H. Remsen Whitehouse of New York, to be Secretary of Legation to Italy.

The members of the Knights of Labor in Altany who were instrumental in causing the strike on the Central, are going to make a fight in the courts against the fiat of the Central road against the Knights. They are to be supported by the General Council.

### Weather Indications.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 7.—For New England: Rains; winds shifting to southeasterly; slightly warmer.

For Eastern New York and New Jersey: Rain; southeasterly, shifting to westerly, winds.

For Eastern Pennsylvania: Rain; slightly cooler; westerly winds.

For Western New York and Western Pennsylvania: Rains, followed by fair weather; northwesterly winds; slightly cooler.

### NEW YORK MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Oct. 6.—Money on call to-day 5 per cent.

BONDS.

| | Closing Saturday. | Closing To-day. |
|---|---|---|
| 4½s, 1891 Reg | 104½ | 104 |
| 4½s, 1891 Coup | 104½ | 104 |
| 4 s, 1907 Reg | 122 | 122½ |
| 4 s, 1907 Coup | 120 | 119½ |

STOCK MARKET.

| | Closing Saturday. | Closing To-day. |
|---|---|---|
| Canadian Pacific | 78½ | |
| Central Pacific | | |
| Chicago, Bur. & Quincy | 93 | 93¼ |
| Delaware & Hudson | 135 | 135 |
| Del., Lack. & Western | 144⅝ | 145¼ |
| Erie | 24½ | 23¾ |
| Erie pref | | |
| Lake Shore | 107⅜ | 106⅞ |
| Louis. & Nash | 84½ | 84⅝ |
| Michigan Central | | 94½ |
| Missouri Pacific | 70⅜ | 67⅞ |
| New Jersey Central | 114 | 114½ |
| Northwestern | 108 | 108 |
| Oregon Navigation | | |
| Pacific Mail | 40¾ | 40⅝ |
| Reading | 40¾ | |
| Rock Island | 80⅜ | 78½ |
| St. Paul | 65⅜ | 65⅜ |
| Union Pacific | 54⅛ | 54⅛ |

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## BY THE WAY.

—One of Plainfield's oldest residents says she saw snow fall today.

—The doctors held one of their periodical reunions, with a supper at the City Hotel, last evening.

—A Missionary Concert will be held in the Crescent Avenue chapel to-morrow evening. Subject—Persia.

—The annual missionary service of the Dunellen Presbyterian Sunday school will be held Sunday evening, October 19.

—The Norwich team have a benefit at home, to-morrow, and have wired the Crescents an invitation to come on and play them again.

—On Thursday next at 12 o'clock, T. J. Gillies will sell the entire household furniture belonging to Mrs. C. B. Terry, at 183 East Second street.

—The Dark Secret was presented at Music Hall last evening in a manner and by a company that deserve the public's approval. It will be repeated this evening, and THE PRESS advises everybody to see it.

—Arrangements are being perfected for a series of highly interesting discourses in Reform Hall. The Rev. Mr. Dwight will be the speaker next Sunday evening, and Samuel A. Haines, of Netherwood, the week following.

—Quite a large audience, considering the weather, greeted Prof. Reynolds on his first evening at Reform Hall, last night. This remarkable man has a number of new experiments in hypnotism that add to the interest and entertainment of his wonderful exhibitions.

—The first rehearsal of the Melopoia will be held in the Crescent Avenue chapel this evening. All the rehearsals of this society under the leadership of Mr. Chapman, will be held in this chapel. The rehearsals of the Choral Society under Mr. Fitzhugh, will be held in Vincent Chapel.

—Mr. Holmes, late agent of Adams Express company, will continue to carry on his city express and coal busines with office in Woolston and Buckle's store, 27 North avenue. Mr. Dunavan will have charge of the city express. Drivers Ayers, Totten and Conover are now out of the employ of Mr. Holmes.

### Women in Handcuffs Excite the Throng.

Two women from the borough—Mrs. Noah Drake, and the relict of the late Italian "Romeo"—caused a big rumpus this morning, in Magistrate Hardy's office, where they were sentenced to thirty days' imprisonment for drunkenness and disorderly conduct. They unloaded their minds in the foulest of language, and smashed the glass in Mr. Hardy's door. Their violence necessitated the use of handcuffs, and in their manacled condition they were hustled off to the railroad station, bound for Somerville, and followed by a curious crowd.

### Another Victim of the Mad Dog.

"Belford," a high-bred pointer belonging to Samuel C. Allen, was shot yesterday because she betrayed symptoms of hydrophobia. Just twenty-nine days ago last Friday, she was bitten by the dog that bit Miss Quenzer. On Friday "Belford" began to chew at the boards of her kennel and was put in a corn crib. Dr. Long pronounced her mad, but one of Allen's friends told him otherwise and the dog was allowed to run loose. Then her owner discovered his mistake and had to kill her.

### A Two Dollar Bill Covers it All.

A most competent instructor has been secured to teach a class in bookkeeping and penmanship at the Young Men's Christian Association. The class will be organized when a sufficient number of young men have signified their desire for such instruction. The $2 membership fee in the Association entitles to this, and to such other privileges as instruction in short-hand, mechanical drawing, attendance at members receptions and the use of the library.

### Boys Have Now But to Ask, and They Will Receive in Abundance.

John C. Collins, of New Haven, Conn., addressed the meeting of the Plainfield Boys' Club in Central Hall, corner of North and Park avenues, last evening, and will again be present next Monday evening. He is General Superintendent of Boys' Clubs for the United States and Canada. Boys may apply for members' tickets giving them all the free privileges of the club every night this week.

### A Plainfield Pastor Will Address Them.

The fourth anniversary of the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor of the Dunellen Presbyterian church will be celebrated Oct. 16. The Rev. W. C. Stinson, pastor of the church, and the Rev. Cornelius Schenck, pastor of the Trinity Reformed church of Plainfield, will deliver addresses. A reception will be held in the Sunday school room at the close of the evening.

Is it not surprising that nearly every household in the country should be acquainted with the merits, virtues, and the healthful properties of Hires' Root Beer? For years it has been the standard drink of those who enjoy a delicious temperance beverage. It tones up the system, helps nature, and is just what all need in hot weather. A 25 cent package makes five gallons. Sold everywhere.

## MORE ELABORATE THAN EVER.

### The Plainfield Choral Concerts Will Have an Orchestra at Every One.

Last evening was the first rehearsal of the Choral Society of the coming season, and in spite of the weather there was a full attendance. The reports of what had already been accomplished and what was assured, were unprecedentedly favorable. At the time of the first rehearsal of last year, there had been 70 subscriptions received, netting $700; while last evening the number reported was just double, of which 52 were new patrons who had never subscribed before. Only 15 more subscribers can be accommodated.

Leader Fitzhugh made a speech and President Howland an address. The society was told that the coming concerts would be the most elaborate in style of any that were ever given in Plainfield. The chorus is full and better even than last year especially in the basso parts. President Howland, in his address, stated that the Society was beginning the most successful year in its existence, in the quality of the works to be given, the efficiency of its chorus, and also financially. There will be an orchestra at each of the three concerts. At the first concert will be given Mendelssohn's Oratorio of "Elijah," with four soloists. The first part of the second concert will consist of solos and part songs, some of which are to be accompanied by the orchestra. The second part will be Gade's "Grusaders," with three soloists. At the third concert will be rendered Haydn's Oratorio of "The Creation," with three soloists.

Owing to the limited seating capacity of the Hall, only a few more subscribers can be received. Those who wish to subscribe should do so at once or it will be too late. Names may be sent to the treasurer, H. O. Newman, 4 West Fifth street.

### A Woman Adds to Plainfield Pastors' Testimony.

The meeting in Reform Hall Sunday evening was very interesting. President Harper occupied the chair, the Rev. Mr. Love conducted the devotional services, and Mr. Vanderbeek's full choir, with Miss Alice Smith as accompanist, acceptably discharged their duty.

The President announced that Mrs. Dumott, a temperance worker from Newark, had been prevented from attending, as expected, because of a sudden death in her family.

He then introduced Miss Florence G. Hawkins, who admirably read from a pamphlet entitled "The Liquor Traffic in Western Africa," by Mary E. Leavitt, and which pictured the awful devastation wrought there by the intoxicating fluid. Miss Hawkins was followed by the Rev. E. M. Rodman, who based his remarks largely on the sad story Miss Hawkins had recited, and urged that Christian nations should arouse themselves to the enormity of the evil traffic and apply an effectual remedy by exterminating it. Dr. Rodman gave most excellent counsel to all present and depicted in various forms the ruin of strong drink.

After appropriate and instructive remarks by the Rev. Mr. Love and Edward P. Williams, the attentive assemblage dispersed under the benediction pronounced by Dr. Rodman.

### Something You Shouldn't Miss.

There are always more or less difficulties to encounter in running a tank drama and especially one in which a woman takes an active part. An audience always expect to see somebody leap into the water and if a woman is advertised a woman it must be. For this reason "A Dark Secret" company which appears at Music Hall again this evening, always carries more than one lady who does not object to a bath in public now and then. There are three of them in this company: Misses Belle Stoddard, Edith Fassett and Lillie Ayres, but the entire trio were ill one night in Philadelphia. None of them would risk the water, and it became necessary to dump a man into the tank. So one was dressed up and with a wig the very color of Miss Stoddard's hair. When he was thrown into the water the deception was perfect, when lo! the drowning "girls" wig came off and a glossy bald spot, looking like a lily floated on the water with a false face for a foundation.

The company is a large and able one. The show is well staged, and, in fact, nothing better in scene and story has ever been rendered at Music Hall.

### A Chance for Choir Boys.

Three more soprano voices are wanted to train for the Episcopal church choir at Scotch Plains. Boys under twelve years of age, having good voices, and sufficiently fond of music to go through considerable practice in voice training and learning to read music, may apply to Mr. Embury, 60 Washington avenue, Thursday, October 9, at 4:30. All meetings for practice are held at a convenient place here in Plainfield. A conveyance is provided on Sundays, and the boys sing only at morning service.

### For Christ and the Church.

The annual election for officers of the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor of Trinity Reformed church, was held last evening and resulted in the unanimous choice of the following people and they entered at once upon their respective duties:

President—Theo. H. Hardy.
1st Vice President—Chas. P. Gelhaar.
2d Vice President—Mrs. C. Schenck.
Recording Secretary—Miss Jennie Wyckoff.
Corresponding Secretary—Miss E. C. Benedict.
Treasurer—Miss Nellie Bogert.

## PARTICULAR MENTION.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew M. Vanderbeek have returned from their wedding trip, and have begun housekeeping at their pleasant new home on Grove street.

Miss Ella Laws, who has been visiting Mrs. Wm. G. E. See, a former schoolmate, at "The Elms," East Front street, returned to her home in Jersey City, yesterday.

George C. Martin and family of Eighth street and Central avenue, left Plainfield at 1:30 P. M., Sunday, for Kansas City, Mo, where Mr. Martin has just entered business and where his family will make their home for the future.

An excellent portrait of Julian Hawthorne, the famous novelist whose face was a familiar sight on Plainfield streets during his residence at Scotch Plains, adorns the pages of the current issue of the Elizabeth *Town Tattle*.

Dr. H. S. Jones, of the homœopathist school, has begun practice in Plainfield at the office of the late Dr. Titsworth, 106 East Front street. He is a graduate of the New York College of Homœopathy, and practiced for three years in Elizabeth before setting out on a series of travels from which he has returned to choose Plainfield for his home.

### Entering Its Fourth Year of Success.

Franklin Council, No. 41, Jr. O. U. A. M., celebrated its third anniversary last evening by an entertainment and "lunch-box sociable" in Amphion Hall. The pleasant features of the programme included an address by Mr. McFarland, of Trenton, piano solos by Miss Pierson, of Merristown, recitations by Miss Susie March of Westfield, and by Mr. Phillips, a harp solo by Donatto Lasine, and songs by the Eclipse Quartette—Messrs J. C. Martin, E. C. Searing, R. W. Schlereth and E. Southard. The floor manager of the dance that followed was Gilbert Sutphen Martin, Past Councilor of Franklin Council, who also led the grand march in his usual graceful style with his cousin, Miss Lizzie Sutphen.

### Warren Engine Earns $30 for the Borough.

Workmen attempted to fill the huge tank on the Music Hall stage yesterday, by carrying buckets from Green brook at the rear of the building, but found the work nearly as arduous as trying to bail out the ocean, and gave up in despair. The services of Warren Engine were then procured, and after forty minutes' pumping the tank was filled. Then the Engine Company collected thirty dollars.

### A $600 Soprano to Favor Us.

The first musicale of the Melopoia, to be given at the Union County Country Club's Casino, will be on the evening of Dec., 23. The first grand concert by the same society at the same place, will be on the evening of Jan. 27. Upon the latter occasion will appear Miss Howe, the wonderful soprano whose terms are $600 a night.

### Not Guilty of Attempted Murder.

Henry Hess, of North Plainfield, was today acquitted at Somerville of the charge made by his wife that he had tried to poison her daughter.

### The German Wrestler Won.

NEW YORK, Oct. 7.—A wrestling match between Ernest Roeber, champion wrestler of Germany, and Henry Volting, of the Central Turn Verein, of New York, took place in Parepa Hall last night. The stake was a purse of $500 and a gold medal, and the conditions were three falls out of five. Roeber won three straight bouts in five, twelve and three minutes respectively.

### Officers of the C. V. Railroad.

HARRISBURG, Pa., Oct. 7.—The following officers were elected at a meeting of the stockholders of the Cumberland Valley Railroad: President, Thomas B. Kennedy. Directors—Thomas B. Kennedy, George B. Ruberts, J. N. DuBarry, John P. Green, Wistar Morris, A. J. Cassatt, H. H. Houston, John Stewart, W. W. Jennings, J. Herman Bossler, Edward B. Watts.

### Fall Field Drill in Philadelphia To-day.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 7.—The members of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company, of Boston, about 225 in number, arrived here this morning by special train, to take part in fall field drill which is being celebrated to day.

### Arranging for Gen. Grant's Monument.

NEW YORK, Oct. 7.—The executive committee of the Grant Monument Committee met and appointed a subcommittee to visit and survey the exact location for the monument in Riverside Park. The Comte de Paris, having expressed a desire to visit, officially, the tomb of General Grant before his departure for Europe, General Collis, the chairman, was deputed to accompany him and to request the company of General Sherman.

### A New Life Saving Station.

GLOUCESTER, Mass., Oct. 7.—The United States Government has purchased a lot of land about midway of Wingaersheek Beach, Ipswich Bay, for the purpose of erecting a life saving station, to be in operation the present season, but there is no indication of any building operations there yet.

### Compte de Paris to Mrs. McClellan.

TRENTON, N. J., Oct. 7.—After visiting the grave of General McClellan, the Compte de Paris sent the following cablegram to Mrs. George B. McClellan, who is residing at Tunbridge Wells, England: "I am deeply impressed by a visit to the grave of my beloved chief. I send you expressions of my sympathy and wishes for your welfare."

### Congressman Vaux Accepts.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 7.—Congressman Richard Vaux has accepted the nomination tendered him by the citizens of the Third Congressional District.

### Justice and Ex-Clown.

Dan Rice, the old-time clown, is passing his summer in New York, and looks as young and fresh as a boy from school. He lectures some nowadays, and knows how to give an interesting talk, says the New York World. Occasionally he meets a venerable person who laughed at his jokes and grimaces nearly fifty years ago, and who recalls his grand old educated horse Excelsior, over which Dan himself has shed many a tear. One day a United States justice shook hands with him on the rear of a Broadway car. "Uncle Dan," said the justice, "you don't know me, and this is the first time in my life that I have ever spoken to you, but when I was a boy I crawled under your tent to see you, got caught by a canvasman, and had powdered resin sprinkled all over my hair." The justice and the ex-clown had a great laugh over the incident.

### A Big Car Company Embarrassed.

HARRISBURG, Pa., Oct. 7.—The affairs of the Harrisburg Car Company of this city are in an embarrassed condition due to the recent failure of the Iron Car Company of New York. Notes of the Harrisburg Company went to protest Saturday and creditors have been asked for an extension of time. The assets largely exceed the liabilities and if the extension is granted there will be no suspension.

### Benson to be Taken Back to Kansas.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 7.—The requisition papers have reached this city from Leavenworth County, Kansas, authorizing Deputy Sheriff Pickens, of that county, to take C. A. Benson, now in the custody of the Camden police, west for the murder of Mrs Teresa Mettman. The deputy can not start, however, until the papers are indorsed by Governor Abbett, and this will delay the removal of the prisoner until this evening.

### Seen by Rapid.

Mr. Rapid—Did you recognize the lady who smiled at us as we passed?

Mr. Gayboy—No, I do not remember to have ever seen her before.

Mr. Rapid—I thought not. She is your wife.—Texas Siftings.

### Lavish Liberality.

Summer Boarder (wearily) — You have had veal at every meal since I came.

Farmer Furrow (cheerfully)—We kin afford it. It was our own calf; and it ain't half gone yet.—Puck.

**Struck Down.**

What was the matter?

Overwork, brain and nerve exhaustion, heart trouble.

People without number are straining their brains and nervous systems in the mad race for subsistence, fortune or fame by overwork, in dissipation or other cause, and exhausting their nervous and physical energies, until sleepless nights, falling powers, complete nervous exhaustion, heart failure, paralysis, insanity or death must be the inevitable end unless help from some source is received.

You, reader, are rushing blindly on to sure destruction. You are warned every day and every hour of your impending doom. How? By those strange sensations, that dull, dizzy and bad feeling head, that restlessness, irritability and nervousness; by those more or less sleepless nights, from which you wake tired and unrefreshed; by the weak, trembling, cold limbs, by the malarial symptoms, the languor and sense of nervous and physical exhaustion which grows upon you more and more. These are danger signals, and your very life depends upon heeding them.

What is to be done? The answer is plain enough. You are losing your nerve force and power, and running down in strength, energy and vitality. Whatever will restore this lost strength and vigor to the brain and nerves will put you again in sound health and strength. This is precisely what Dr. Greene's Nervura, the great brain and nerve invigorant, will do. As a restorer of nerve force, a builder up of nerve power, vigor and energy, this wonderful remedy has no equal in the world. You can have no idea until you try it of its marvellous toning, strengthening and invigorating effects, its beneficial and healthful action as a brain, nerve and blood restorative. It is purely vegetable and perfectly harmless, and can be obtained at any drug store for $1 per bottle.

**A Marvellous Cure.**

For two years I was one of the most miserable of mankind. I had indigestion and nervous dyspepsia; everything I ate disagreed with my stomach, which caused me to have a fluttering of the heart. I was very nervous at all times—cold feet and hands, sleepless nights, and, in fact, was cranky and ugly. *In all, it was a miserable existence for me* until I used Dr. Greene's Nervura. After trying all other remedies that I ever knew or heard tell of, and after giving up all hopes of getting cured, I concluded I would try Dr. Greene's Nervura. After taking two bottles I began to feel the effects of it, and continued until I considered myself cured. I had no more indigestion or dyspepsia; my nerves were strong; no more trouble with my stomach or fluttering of heart; no cold feet or hands: I sleep well and get up refreshed; *in fact, I feel I am myself again*, all due to Dr. Greene's Nervura. Any one troubled with the same disease who gives it a fair trial I am positive will be benefitted by it. CHAS. A. TITSWORTH,

243 Seventh st., Jersey City, N. J.

Dr. Greene of 35 West Fourteenth street, New York, its discoverer, is the famous specialist in the cure of nervous and chronic diseases. The doctor has devoted special attention to the treatment of all forms of chronic diseases through letter correspondence, and will give by mail his opinion and advice in any case free of charge. The perfection of this system renders a complete cure almost assured, as his success in treatment by correspondence is wonderful and unequalled. Send for symptom blank to fill out, or write him about your case.

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### Why the Count is With Us.

PARIS, Oct. 7.—The Government papers to-day continue in expressing the opinion that the Count of Paris has chosen to visit America at this time in order to escape the embarrassing effect of the Boulanger revelations, to the effect that the Royalists had used Boulanger as a tool to accomplish the overthrow of the republic.

### An Extra Session of the Ohio Legislature.

COLUMBUS, O., Oct. 7.—Gov. Campbell has drafted a proclamation calling an extra session of the General Assembly on October 13 to take action on the Cincinnati Board of Public Improvement imbroglio.

"THE THREE GRACES"
FOR THE BREAKFAST TABLE ARE
"REXWHEAT" MUSH,
"REXWHEAT" GEMS,
"REXWHEAT" GRIDDLE CAKES.
REXWHEAT
FURNISHES
MEAT FOR THE POOR,
DAINTIES FOR THE RICH,
HEALTH FOR ALL
Unequalled in Flavor, Wholesomeness, and Ease of Preparation by any other cereal.
AT ALL GROCERS
5 24 6m tts

The Auction Sale
Of Mrs. C. B. Ferry, 183 East Second street, has been
Adjourned to Thursday, Oct. 9,
At 12 o'clock, noon. Sale positive, rain or shine.
T. J. GILLIES, Auctioneer.
10 7 2

TRY OUR
QUEEN and NEW ENGLAND BREAD.
HENRY LIEFKE
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NORTH PLAINFIELD, N. J.
2 4-tf

CLAIRVOYANT
MRS. DR. EDWARDS
Having entirely recovered from her severe illness, is now able to see her patrons again
On and after Wednesday, Oct. 1,
at the City Hotel, from 2 to 8 o'clock P. M. Room 4, one flight up.
Ladies 50c to $1. Gentlemen $1.
After this week she can be consulted all day.
9 30 tf

### Arrival and Departure of Mails.

*NEW YORK MAILS.*
*Arrive*—7:20, 8 40, A. M., 12:15, 2:30, 5:30 P. M.
*Close*—7:30 and 9:30 A. M., 1:45, 5:30 and 8 P. M.
*SOMERVILLE AND EASTON MAILS.*
*Arrive*—8:40 A. M., 2:40, 6:30 P. M.
*Close*—7:30 A. M., 4:30 P. M.

Direct mail to Trenton and Philadelphia at 4:30 P. M.

*SUNDAY MAILS.*
Office open from 9:30 to 10:30 A. M.
Mail closes at 6:30 P. M.

E. B. POPE, P. M.

## WANTS AND OFFERS.

*Advertisements under this heading, one cent for each word each insertion.*

WANTED—A young fresh milch cow. Address No. 1 West Fourth street. 10 7 2

YOUNG lady desires a position as Trimmer. Address Milliner, 1,205 East Grand street, Elizabeth, New Jersey.

FURNISHED Room to let on West Front st. Address B., PRESS office. 10 7 tf

FOR SALE at a Bargain, a first-class coach and heavy gold-mounted harness. Inquire at Homan's carriage manufactory, Somerset street. 10 7 3

WANTED—Girl for general housework; references required. Call at 15 Bay street.

WANTED—A light farm wagon. Address No. 1 West Fourth street. 10 7 2

WANTED—Coachman and gardener; reference. Apply A. W. Haviland, 26 RockView avenue. Call in the evening.

WANTED—One or 2 respectable young men to board. 108 Summit avenue. 10 7 2

WELL educated German lady desires position as managing housekeeper or governess in a small (widower) family. Address "German," PRESS office.

LOST, from 8 Second place, large black kitten. Reward for its return.

WANTED—Cook and laundress, or girl for general housework; reference. Apply A. W. Haviland, 26 RockView avenue. Call in the evening.

WASHING and Ironing wanted, by a respectable woman, at her house. Apply 76 East Third street. 10 2 w

ESTEY Organ for sale. Apply 160 East Second street. 10 1 6

FOR SALE—A second hand piano, in good condition. Inquire 107 Park avenue. 9 22 tf

LADIES doing their own dressmaking or employing plain seamstress, can secure perfect fit and pattern for future use. Taylor system. Miss A. T. Buckley, 27 West 4th street. 9 22 tf

STORAGE for furniture in separate rooms. Apply to C. Frank French, 69 somerset st. 9 2 tf

WANTED—Jobbing at painting, glazing kalsomining and roof painting. Address Isaac Kennedy, 55 East Front street. tf

WANTED—Work cleaning Vaults and Cesspools. Satisfaction guaranteed. City Odorless Excavating Works, 206 Broadway. Mrs. David Jones, Proprietor. No connection with JONES & Co. 6-11-tf

OUR MOTTO—LOWEST PRICES CONSISTENT WITH GOOD QUALITY AND HONEST QUANTITY.
The choicest Creamery Butter that can be produced
Apollinaris Water; pints, $1.50, quarts, $2 dozen; Belfast Ginger Ale, $1.40 dozen.
Excelsior Sugar Cured Hams are the best—15c.
The finest Java and Mocha coffee in town, and the prices are right. Won't be undersold for same quality of goods. P. M. DEMAREST.
25 PARK AVENUE.
8-6-tf

Prof. John Reynolds
Will give entertainments in
Hypnotism or Mesmerism,
AT
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Every Night This Week at 8 o'clock.
ADMISSION 25 and 35 Cents.
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Under the auspices of the
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ON
Tuesday & Wednesday Ev'gs,
OCTOBER 7 and 8.
Admission, - - - 10 Cents
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M. H. A.
MUSIC HALL.
TO-NIGHT
Jefferson & Taylor's Great Aquatic Spectacle,
"A DARK SECRET."
With the original cast, scenery and realistic effects. The new Henley regatta scene; real boats, racing shells, steam launches on a river of real water.
George Rosmer, the popular oarsman, in the winning shell; the Herbert Bros., 3 heaviest gymnasts in the World; the Manhattan Quartette, in vocal selections; the realistic drowning scene, the sensation of a lifetimes.
PRICES—35, 50, 75c., and $1.
Seats on sale Friday. 9 30 td

C. C. SHAYNE
Wholesale Manufacturing Furrier,
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103½ Prince St.,
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124 West 42d St.,
Two blocks west of Grand Central Depot.
Offers at retail at both stores, the latest styles in Fur Capes, Sealskin Garments and other Leading Fashionable Furs, at lowest cash wholesale manufacturers' prices.
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LOW PRICES.
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The Reina Victoria Segar
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P. AGNEY,
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Yard—Mountain Avenue.
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Orders attended to promptly in city and Borough. 3-6-tf

E. H. HOLMES,
DEALER IN
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OFFICE—With Woolston & Buckle, 27 North Avenue.
YARD—Madison Avenue, opp. Electric Light Station. 12-

BROWN & HILL,
Shaving and Hair Cutting Parlors,
[FORCE'S HOTEL,] No. 5 North Avenue.
Special attention paid to
Children's Hair Cutting.
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Valuable Building Lots for Sale,
On Grove street and Craig place, North Plainfield. This plot is one of the most desirable in the Borough, and is offered for sale at a reasonable price and on easy terms. Will be sold in quantities to suit. Apply to Owner, at 25 Craig place. 3-14-tf

J. B. KLINE & CO.,
DEALERS IN
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TELEPHONE CALL, 58.
Yards—Corner of Front St. & Grant Ave
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The BEST GRADES OF EVERYTHING at the MOST LIBERAL PRICES. 9-6-1

PECK'S CORNER.
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In all the FALL SHADES, at
PECK'S!
PERFECT IN FIT,
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SEBRING'S,
LARGE STOCK OF
CHILDREN'S CLOTHING
27 PARK AVENUE. 12-6-

LOWER THAN OLD PRICES!!
THE NEW TARIFF BILL goes into effect today, Oct. 6. The cry is "Higher Prices!" We are receiving circulars from importers announcing that all future orders will be subject to the new prices.
OUR HOUSE has been fortunate in securing large supplies before the High Prices goes into effect, and will continue to sell at old prices as long as the present stock holds out. Some
NEW LACE CURTAINS have just come in that are being offered even LOWER THAN OLD PRICES! Note the figures:
50c., $1 00, 1 25, 1 35, 1 50, 1 65, 1 75, 2 00, 2 15, 2 25, 2 50, 2 65, 3 00, 3 25, 3 50 and up.
ALSO a lot of LINEN NAPKINS, at less than old prices.
YOU can save money by investigating the LOW PRICES at
EDSALL'S, No. 20 West Front St. EDSALL'S.

NEW GOODS!
JARDINIERE'S, CRACKER JARS,
FANCY POTTERY, ARTISTIC LAMPS,
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FURNITURE, BEDDING, UPHOLSTERY.
Large Assortment!
New Goods!!
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—Manufacturing and Repairing a Specialty.—
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SEA FOOD!
Scale and Shell.
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FALL IS HERE
And I am ready for it with a full line of
Dress Goods, Underwear,
Blankets and Comfortables.
NEW STYLES of Ingrain, Tapestry, and Body Brussel Carpets, Oil Cloths, Etc., at the LOWEST PRICES, to which I invite your attention.
H. A. POPE,
Corner FRONT and SOMERSET STS.
The old reliable Dry Goods, Carpet, and Notion House. 11-13-y

First Annual Clearing Out Sale of WALL PAPER!
The purpose of which is to dispose of our entire stock and renew it exclusively with the new patterns of the coming season. Points worth considering:
FIRST—Our stock is very large, carefully selected, and all this season's goods.
SECOND—The first customers will have a larger stock to select from, and will get the choicest bargains.
THIRD—Prices will be the lowest ever offered—bargains being offered daily below cost. Sale closes September 1.
A. D. VANSCIVER, 47 NORTH AVE.,
Opposite Depot. — (Chotola Building), —Plainfield, N. J.
N. B.—ALL BRANCHES OF PAINTING A SPECIALTY. 1-10-1

COAL LUMBER
And
Builders Supplies
LOOMIS & RICE
49 B'DWAY

## RENOUNCING THEIR OLD ALLEGIANCE.

**Councilmen Roberts and Smith Desert the Democrats, and Councilman Jenkins Joins Them—Water Works, Rapid Transit and Street Perfection Receive Attention at Municipal Hands.**

The marked feature of last evening's meeting of the Plainfield Common Council was the unanimity with which Councilmen Roberts and Smith voted with their fellow-Republicans and against the four Democrats with whom they have been prominently affiliated, the past seven months, in working zealously for various public interests. The first important matter in which this division of the former amalgamation was noticeable was a proposition connected with the water-works question.

Councilman Newhall, Chairman of the Water Board, opened the subject by reporting concerning the letter from Chas. K. Moore, Manager of the Water Works, which had been referred to the Board at the last meeting of the Council, and which had requested that the Board meet with the Company to examine into a proposition for the speedy completion of the works and for avoiding litigation. Mr. Newhall stated that after Council had adjourned last month the Board met with Mr. Edwards, representing not only the Water Works Company and Mr. Moore, but also the Plainfield Water Supply Company. This meeting—he added—was of no account whatever. It would be an absolute impossibility to give an idea of what was said. It would probably never be heard of again. Immediately following the meeting, however, the Board had received from the Plainfield Water Supply Company, through Frank Bergen, President, the following communication:

*To the Water Board of the City of Plainfield:*

GENTLEMEN:—We understand that at a conference between your honorable body and the counsel for Mr. Moore and the Water Works Co., held Monday evening, it was agreed that a definite proposition from the Plainfield Water Supply Co., for the construction of water works would be the proper basis of further negotiations on the subject. We have accordingly considered the matter carefully, and have gone over the various provisions of the contract between the Water Works Co., and the City, made in December last, with a desire to agree to all of its essential provisions so far as it is prudent to do so. Many of the provisons of the contract, if legal, are of but little practical value to the City, although they would no doubt make it difficult to obtain capital to build the works, and might be used effectively to depress the value of securities issued by a Company subject to its terms. The main objects, however, sought to be attained by the contract are these:

1—The construction of water works capable of giving the City at all times a plentiful supply of pure and wholesome water.

2. The works to be constructed in a first-class manner, of the best material, and as soon as practicable.

3. Furnishing the city with 250 hydrants for use in extinguishing fires, and such additional hydrants from time to time as the growth of the city may require in the judgment of the Common Council; the charge for hydrants for a period of ten years after the completion of the works to be $15 each per year.

4. The good quality of the water to be *constantly maintained*, and the rates for consumers to be reasonable.

The schedule of rates set out in the contract of December 27 is for the most part fair, but a few changes of minor importance should be made. These general provisions contain substantially all that can reasonably be expected, and our Company is ready and willing to enter into a contract with the city based thereon, and to proceed at once to construct the works.

It should be added that our company has recently negotiated with the Plainfield company and Mr. Moore, and is now in position to obtain title to the property at Netherwood on which twenty wells have been sunk and a pumping station is in course of erection. All the capital required has been provided, and our charter confers unquestionable authority to construct the works without applying for any additional franchise. A committee of our Board of Directors—consisting of Messrs John W. Murray, O. T. Waring and the President—has been appointed, and will be pleased to confer with your honorable body at your convenience.

THE PLAINFIELD WATER SUPPLY CO.,
By Frank P. Bergen, President.
Sept. 19, 1890.

In response to this communication—continued Mr. Newhall—the Board immediately notified Mr. Bergen that it was ready to meet at any time the representatives of the Plainfield Water Supply Company, but up the present time the Water Supply Company had not expressed themselves as ready to act definitely in the matter.

The entire matter was referred back to the Water Board, and Mr. Newhall then presented a communication from Supervising Engineer Hering stating that all work on the construction of the water works had been suspended, suggesting that he discontinue the services of his resident engineer until resumption of the work should be made, and promising in return to claim no pay whatever till work was resumed. In conjunction with Mr. Hering's letter Councilman Newhall presented a resolution accepting Mr. Hering's proposition. To this resolution Councilman Hetfield took exception, and moved that it be referred to Corporation Counsel Marsh for his advice. Mr. Hetfield held that to permit Mr. Hering to remove his resident engineer from the city would be a direct violation, by the city, of the water-works contract, and ought not to be done. It wasn't the city's fault that work on the water-works had been suspended and that there was nothing for the resident engineer to do. A contract was a sacred thing, and if the city took a step like this it furnished a precedent for the Water-Works Company to break its contract.

Mr. Newhall said that there was no need of referring the matter to Mr. Marsh for his advice, for Mr. Marsh had framed the phraseology of both Mr. Hering's proposition and the Water Board's resolution, so that there should be no legal flaw. The proposed action was unquestionably in the interests of the city. It was simply a question of Mr. Hering's withdrawing his resident engineer and surrendering, during the water-works inactivity, his right to receive from the city $360 per month, until there was something for himself and his resident engineer to do—all of which he considered highly honorable of Mr. Hering.

It's just this way:—added Councilman Rushmore—if we insist so rigidly on sticking to the contract, and refuse to let him withdraw his engineer, to whom he has to pay $150 per month, he will demand from us every month $360, for doing absolutely nothing.

Councilman Smith also was of the opinion that the contract would not be interfered with by the action proposed.

Councilman Jenkins said nothing, but his subsequent vote found him arrayed with the Democratic trio present, and filling in the vacancy they suffered through Councilman Gallup's absence. These four votes, however, of Councilmen Hetfield, Jenkins, Moffett and Spangenberg, to refer the matter to the Corporation Counsel, were unavailing against the five of Councilmen Johnson, Newhall, Roberts, Rushmore and Smith, and the resolution of Mr. Newhall was carried.

Not only on this question did Dr. Jenkins side with Messrs Hetfield, Moffett and Spangenberg. Just as often as Messrs Roberts and Smith indicated by their votes their desertion of their Democratic former comrades, just so often did he indicate by his vote his allegiance to the standard they had deserted. The "Big Six" seemed to have lost the two others, but to have gained him irrevocably.

The next question on which this peculiar division was shown was the matter of accepting Cemetery avenue as a public thoroughfare. The Trustees of Hillside Cemetery reported that they had bought the land and opened up the street—which extends, a half-mile in length, from Park avenue to Woodland avenue, at the main entrance of the cemetery—and had spent $4,000 in preparing the roadway for macadamization. Now they desired that the city accept the avenue as a public highway, and that it be macadamized in time for Winter travel.

Mr. Hetfield objected to accepting the avenue until it had been put in perfect condition, with sidewalk and macadam already laid. Mr. Newhall suggested that after accepting the street the city would have the power to compel the owners of the land fronting on it to lay such walks as might be required. After some discussion the avenue was accepted as a public thoroughfare by the following vote:

To accept—Councilmen Johnson, Moffett, Newhall, Roberts, Rushmore and Smith—6.

Not to accept—Councilmen Hetfield, Jenkins and Spangenberg—3.

The avenue had hardly been accepted when Mr. Smith was ready with an ordinance providing that it be macadamized. Mr. Hetfield again urged objections. Cemetery avenue, he said, ought not to be macadamized until Third street and other streets in the heart of the town were attended to. Dr. Jenkins was of the same opinion, and wanted streets such as Grove, in the heart of the city, put in proper shape, before attending to the driveways of the outskirts. Grove street was in a disgraceful condition, and so were others of the most important streets; Cemetery avenue could wait.

The vote by which the ordinance was adopted on its second reading, and ordered engrossed and advertised preparatory to its final passage, was as follows:

In favor—Councilmen Johnson, Newhall, Roberts, Rushmore and Smith—5.

Against—Councilmen Hetfield, Jenkins, Moffett and Spangenberg—4.

Plainfield is therefore at last to have a perfect roadway leading to the gates of the most beautiful cemetery in the State. The money to pay for the macadamization will come out of the general instead of the street fund, as what is left of the street fund will be needed in macadamizing and repairing Third street and other thoroughfares.

The ordinance having for its object the macadamization of Plainfield avenue was also brought up by Mr. Smith, was opposed by Mr. Hetfield, and was adopted on its third reading by the same familiar vote of 5 to 4, Councilmen Hetfield, Jenkins, Moffett and Spangenberg voting no. On its final passage President Moffett went over to the "aye" side and made the vote 6 to 3.

Just what has been expended on the streets this year was explained by Chairman Smith, of the Street Committee, in a detailed report. The total outlay, from March 1 to September 1 was $11,498.55, leaving a balance of $3.501.45 of the $15,000 appropriation.

Interest in fire-alarm matters was revived by Mr. Hetfield, who presented a resolution providing for the purchase of a $300 steam whistle to be used in connection with the city's Gamewell Fire-Alarm System. A letter had already been received from the Plainfield Electric Light Company calling attention to the fact that the city's right to use the electric light poles for fire-alarm purposes ceased with the expiration of the contract for city lighting, October 31, and Mr. Newhall remarked that unless the city renewed its contract with the Company favors at the hands of the Company could hardly be expected. Of course a renewal of the contract was probable, but there was no stipulation or agreement before Council that even with a renewal of the contract the Company would furnish steam for the blowing of the fire-alarm whistle free of charge. He wanted the arrangements made known whereby the whistle was to be blown after being purchased and put on the building.

After further argument the matter was refetred to the Committee on Lights, who will arrange a steam whistle stipulation in the new street lighting contract with the Company.

The three lights which THE PRESS had said were needed on Westervelt avenue were ordered placed in position.

Edwin H. Dobbs resigned from the regular police force on account of being troubled with an old wound. His resignation was accepted, and Christian Frederickson was appointed in his place.

Wm. Mattox and Nicholas Conway were appointed special policemen.

The Plainfield Construction Company petitioned for a franchise to construct and operate a street railway from the corner of Park avenue and Randolph road, through Randolph road, Arlington avenue and Fourth street, and such other streets as the property-owners of the city might designate. The matter was referred to the Committee on Streets.

Plainfield Engine Company, No. 2, was granted the privilege of taking its apparatus to the firemen's parade at Perth Amboy Oct. 15.

A petition for a crosswalk across East Front street from the postoffice to the City National Bank was referred to the Committee on Streets with power, and the walk will probably be laid at an early date.

The City Treasurer was authorized to borrow $500 for the poor fund, and $3,000 to pay a note about to fall due.

A special meeting of the Council to adopt the Cemetery avenue macadamization ordinance on its final passage will be held Oct. 24, and the work on the roadway will then be pushed forward.

## WHAT THE VILLAGERS ARE DOING.

**A Scotch Plains Correspondent Records the Events of His Locality.**

John Mooney, who was seriously injured, some time ago, in a machine shop at Newark, has almost entirely recovered from his wounds, and has returned to his Scotch Plains home from a Newark hospital.

The people of the Scotch Plains Baptist church are having substantial new sheds built for the shelter of church-going teams.

The villagers are beginning to talk about a wedding that is soon to occur, and are arranging all sorts of little surprises for the happiness of the young people. THE PRESS will be supplied with all due information of the event.

Mrs. John Marsh, Jr., gave her daughter Josie a very pretty birthday party Saturday evening. Thirty young people were included among the guests. The grand march to the dining room was played by Miss Lida Husted on the piano, and was led by Master Ernest and Miss Edith Marsh. The refreshments consisted of almost everything suited to the taste of the children. It was a pleasant sight to see the little ones march to the music, as well as to note the mannerly way they conducted themselves, seated at a table spread so sumptuously.

The recent entertainment in elocution given by Miss Ella Knight, of Clyde, N. Y., at Excelsior Hall, was considered very fine. She fully satisfied the expectations of those who heard her, and should she come again she would be made welcome.

PRIM PAUL PENNER.

**Nothing Can Fail Where Women Rule.**

The New Brooklyn Baptist church at South Plainfield has followed the example of Plainfield, Dunellen and New Market by organizing a Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor. The Rev. A. Armstrong, the venerable pastor of the church, warmly advocated the proposed organization and expressed great faith in it as a means of drawing the young people into active church service. Mrs. Armstrong, wife of the pastor, was chosen President. That the new society will have a flourishing existence, and that the various duties of its officers will be conscientiously performed, there can be no doubt, since all the names on the official list are those of ladies.

**Smashed His Face With a Club.**

James Craig, an old Grand Army veteran of Bound Brook, entered Dunham's hardware store Saturday night, according to *The Evening Sun*, and asked for some money. As the money was not forthcoming he drew a revolver and a knife. Policeman Sebring was called in. He drew a club and rained blow after blow on the old man's face. A crowd immediately gathered and the policeman was obliged to stop his cruel work. Craig is regarded as a harmless, half-crazed cripple. A number of citizens will appear in his behalf when the case comes up in court.

—The White House *Monitor*, Hunterdon county's new weekly publication, is a good local newspaper, and deserves a liberal support from the people whom it seeks to serve. Its editor is L. T. Stryker, formerly of Bound Brook.

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## A BRIDGE OF DEBTS.

**Curious Custom Obtaining in a Thrifty Tyrolese Village.**

The "credit system," as it is ordinarily known nowadays, appears to belong to an advanced state of society, and to be impracticable under simple conditions of life, but it is in use, nevertheless, in some very primitive communities. In the valley of Possey, in the Austrian Tyrol, where the Alpine inhabitants lead a simple life, practically all business and work is conducted on credit, subject to an annual settlement. On a certain day in winter the inhabitants of the valley meet at the bridge of St. Leonard's, a place which is convenient to all, and the day is devoted to balancing accounts.

The first business in order at these meetings is the payment of debts. Every one pays what he owes; some depend upon what they collect to meet debts owed to others, but the inhabitants of Possey are thrifty and honest, and there is usually money enough to go around.

The bridge of St. Leonard's, in other words, is the clearing-house of the valley of Possey.

After the debts are paid, contracts are entered into for the next year. Labor engages itself, and the farmers, crops are often bargained for in advance.

If any debtor fails to appear at the bridge and meet his dues on this "squaring-up" day, he is practically cut off from further dealings with the other inhabitants of the valley. No more credit is allowed him, and he is generally fain to re-establish himself in the good-will of his fellows by paying his debts as soon as he possibly can. To be able to hold up one's head on the bridge is the test of solvency and honor.

There is a tradition in the Tyrol that once, a long time ago, after a year of scarcity and disaster, the inhabitants of the valley of Possey met at St. Leonard's bridge. Each one owed some one else, and each one was owed by some one else. Consequently each depended upon being paid by his neighbor who owed him in order to be able to pay his neighbor whom he owed.

But as no one appeared to have any money, no one's debt could be paid. The people stood about in despair, until presently a well-to-do miller, who was known to have money, arrived.

"Good!" said Hans Melchior, the tailor. "Here is Wilhelm Gutpfennig. He will start the ball rolling. Whom do you owe, Wilhelm?"

"No one!"

"So? Well, will you lend me forty gold thalers until noon?"

The miller thought the matter over a moment.

"Yes," he said. "I believe you are honest, Hans Melchior. I will lend you the money."

He advanced forty thalers to Hans, who used it to pay his debt to Pieter the weaver, and Pieter the weaver passed it on to discharge his obligation to another citizen, and so it went from hand to hand, discharging the very moderate debts of the Possey inhabitants until it came to the last man, who happened to owe Hans Melchior just forty thalers. He paid it, of course, and with it Melchoir at once settled his debt to Gutpfenning, the miller.

Now since the miller had paid himself out of the grists as he went along and was owed by nobody, his forty gold thalers had paid all the debts in Possey, and though every one else had come to the bridge in the morning moneyless, every one went home in the afternoon solvent and happy!—Youth's Companion.

## CAUSES OF BALDNESS.

**Physical Conditions Which Retard or Stimulate Growth of the Hair.**

Dyspepsia is one of the most common causes of baldness. Nature is a great economizer, and when the nutrient elements furnished by the blood are insufficient to properly support the whole body, she cuts off the supply to parts the least vital, like the hair and nails, that the heart, lungs and other vital organs may be the better nourished. In cases of severe fevers this economy is particularly noticeable. A single hair is a sort of history of the physical condition of an individual during the time it has been growing, if one could read closely enough. Take a hair from the beard or from the head and scrutinize it, and you will see that it shows some attenuated places, indicating that at that period of its growth the blood supply was deficient from over-work, or anxiety, or under-feeding.

The hair falls out when the strength of its roots is insufficient to sustain its weight any longer and a new hair will take its place unless the root is diseased. For this reason, each person has a certain definite length of hair. When the hair begins to slit or fall out, massage to the scalp is excelent. Place the tip of the fingers upon the scalp and then vibrate or move the scalp while holding the pressure steadily. This will stimulate the blood vessels underneath and bring about better nourishment of the hair. A brush of unevenly tufted bristles is also excelent to use upon the scalp, not the hair.—From a Lecture by J. H. Kellogg, M. D.

—I wonder if there are any written or unwritten laws upon the subject of men's headgear! Have the archæologists ever found inscribed tablets bearing reference to the hats of the ancients? Whether or not, there are one or two irrevocable maxims that seem to have come rolling down the ages. It is a fact that a cloth hat has never had a successful run when made in the shape of a sailor straw. It is equally true that a straw hat built upon the contour of a cloth derby has never been a success. Nor has a combination of sailor brim and pot-hat crown, or vice versa, in either straw or cloth, ever met with warm approval from the public.—Clothier and Furnisher.

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Of course I love the House o' God,
But I don't feel to hum there
The way I uster do, afore
New-fangled ways had come there.
Tho' things are finer now, a heap,
My heart it keeps a clingin'
To our big bare old meetin'-house,
Where Sam'wel led the singin'.

I 'low it's sorter solemn-like
To hear the organ pealin';
It kinder makes yer blood run cold,
An' fills ye full o' feelin',
But, somehow, it don't tech the spot—
Now, mind ye, I ain't slingin'
No slurs—ez that bass viol did
When Sam'wel led the singin'.

I tell ye what, when he struck up
The tune, an' Sister Hanner
Put in her purty treble—eh?
That's what you'd call sopranner—
Why, all the choir, with might an' main,
Set to, an' seemed a flingin'
Their hull souls out with ev'ry note,
When Sam'wel led the singin'.

An', land alive, the way they'd race
Thro' grand old "Coronation!"
Each voice a' chasin' t'other round,
It jes' beat all creation!
I allus thought it must a' set
The bells o' Heaven a-ringin'
To hear us "Crown Him Lord of All,"
When Sam'wel led the singin'.

Folks didn't sing for money then;
They sung because 'twas in 'em
An' must come out. I uster feel—
If parson couldn't win 'em
With preachin' an' with prayin' an'
His everlastin' dingin'—
That choir'd fetch sinners to the fold,
When Sam'wel led the singin'.
—Boston Globe.

## AN OSAGE WEDDING.

### Interesting Preliminaries Before the Bride Is Secured.

There is no such thing as courtship with an Osage Indian. As a consequence aboriginal society is not thrilled by elopements, nor are unwelcome suitors torn by the family dog and kicked out of the yard by the enraged moccasin of the family representative. All this is avoided in the simple life of the Indian. The first the poor savage knows of any matrimonial intent on his part he is told of it by his relatives. He has gotten along by this time into his twentieth year; he has shaken a light and airy foot in the native dance, colddecked his seniors in the subtle poker, raced his pony on the tribal campus—but now, for the first time he is brought to bay with one of the serious propositions of life; but on this, as on every grave occasion of his career, the Indian decides nothing, but puts himself completely in the hands of his friends.

In the first place his relatives—and the term includes the third, fourth and even the fifth remove—get together and discuss his character and prospects. He has no voice and is not even in the galleries during this debate. Finally it is concluded that he better marry, and that being decided, the next question is, who to? The belles of the band then have a rapid and merciless overhauling and the discussion of their merits is warm and long. But a conclusion is come to at last and a select deputation of dusky diplomats is sent to feel the pulse of the maiden's father in the matter and learn if, under proper arrangement, he will consent to the projected nuptials. He is taciturn and reticent, but by grunt and shoulder shrug half intimates a belief that he could very probably live through the ordeal. It will be presently seen that the matter, from the standpoint of the girl's father, presents some dark and gloomy business propositions not to be lightly passed on.

Satisfied on the point of a probable willingness of the girl's family, back troops the delegation to the waiting household of the buck and recounts the interview. Next on the list a very important interrogatory claims an answer.

"How much will they give for the girl?"

The meeting is a mixed one—squaws and bucks—and numbers perhaps thirty people. When the affair of "price" is on the carpet, they first engage themselves in solemn thought and silence prevails for fifteen minutes. At last some old buck, whose age and standing give him title to consideration, commences a talk which has for its burden the merits of the intended bride and groom and the propriety of their union from a family as well as a personal point of view. He concludes his oratory in a practical way by donating three ponies towards making up the "price" of the girl. He is followed briefly by others, and the termination of each outburst is a statement of what the speaker will contribute in ponies, blankets, kettles or any form of savage wealth to the blessed end in view.

When the number of ponies and amount of other property is settled, an intimation of a certain day is given to the other side, who are at home for the occasion, and at the time intimated a procession starts from the wickey-up of the coming Benedict, leading the ponies and bearing the blankets and other bric-a-brac decided on as a just and fitting "price." This property they leave just outside the lodge of the bride's father, tying the ponies—say thirteen in all—near at hand. Should the bride's relatives regard the "price" as too small—and in deference to dusky etiquette the first proffer is generally so considered, so soon as the procession is withdrawn some old squaw of the household of the girl, perhaps her aunt, comes out and turns the ponies loose. This is significant of refusal and the groom's relatives convene again and add a couple of ponies, making fifteen in all.

Fifteen ponies is quite a "price" for a girl as the market now stands and intimates a very high grade of girl. Four, five and six is about the proper caper, and I mention fifteen simply because it was the mark reached for the daughter of one Strike Axe while I was with the Indians. This girl struggled under the disadvantage of being a graduate of Carlisle University and ordinarily, with such a handicap, would not have brought two ponies; but her father was a wealthy Indian and had *a nice home-farm*, and besides she had two younger and very handsome sisters, all of which counteracted the unfortunate effect of her enlightenment and notched her figure "way up."

The second offer of fifteen ponies is accepted, notice of which is given by bringing the ponies nearer to the bride's home.

Next, the groom's people cook up an immense feast and carry it to the family of the bride. Having distended their pleased stomachs therewith the bride's people cook up an immense feast and purvey it to the family of the groom, who thereupon get their ten claws into it with grunts of satisfaction.

This is the first time the game has come their way, and they play it lustily.

Next, a day is appointed for the final play; matters so far have consumed a week and it has come now to the last round and wind-up. On the day set the groom, who has taken about as much part in the affair as the balls do in a game of billiards, arrays himself as nearly like the sun as his wardrobe will permit and pulling over all a look of inspired idiocy, walks off to a little distance from the scene of action and seats him on a rock, with his back, as it were, to the future. His bride to be is loaded with gewgaws, trinkets, jewelry and good clothes until every one of her pegs is full, and mounted on a splendid pony a pistol is fired as a signal, and she is started slowly in the direction of the groom's home. At the firing of the pistol three of the grooms relatives, not of his immediate family—two squaws and one buck, start in a race for the approaching girl. The one who gets there first, who is generally very properly the buck, gets her pony, and the other two—the squaws—coming up next take the girl from her saddle, tear her finery from her in a trice, and in an instant she gleams in the sun like a statue of some bronze Diana. These squaws divide her purple and fine linen.

She is not allowed to embrace the onlookers for any prolonged period, but is quickly wrapped in a blanket and borne to the groom's home.

There she is splendidly enrobed in an outfit entirely new, which the buck has provided, and is installed in a comfortable seat on the ground, while a banquet is prepared. When the viands are ready the groom is called in, and, without noting the presence of his bride, takes a seat near her, looking inexpressibly silly. When thus seated they are made to eat their food from the same dish and that settles it—they are married tight and fast.

Recurring to the importance of the question to the girl's father, it is proper to add that in deference to Osage law and custom the old man, following the wedding, at once turns over his home to be always and forever the property and possession of his son-in-law, the old fellow being constrained to hustle around for a new one, if he has not had the foresight to do so already.

Another effect is that when a buck is wedded to a girl, by the same ceremony he is wedded to all of her sisters also, down to a baby of a year old, if one exists in that relationship. They are all his—his wives or property. At a proper age he takes them as his wives in fact without any more fuss and feathers; or, if he don't feel so disposed, he sells them to some other buck who fancies them.—Kansas City Star.

### A PECULIAR WAGER.

**The Novel Way in Which a Philadelphian Raised Twenty-Five Dollars.**

Man's weakest point often lies in his memory, or rather, want of memory. An individual who is in business among the financiers down on Third street, says the Philadelphia Inquirer, not long ago wagered a basket of champagne that he could hustle around among his friends for a couple of hours and in that time raise twenty-five dollars by making them believe they owed it to him. The two parties in the wager, with several friends, were seated in a down-town cafe. The man who made the wager said he would have to go alone, and placed himself on his honor to act fairly and report truthfully. So off he started, and had not gone half a block before he met his friend Jones.

"Hello, Jones," he exclaimed. "I say, Jones, it's awfully unpleasant for me to ask for it, but I'm a little short, and would like to have that five I loaned you about two weeks ago."

Jones looked at him in amazement.

"Five," he exclaimed, meditatively, "by Jove, I've no recollection of borrowing a V of you."

"Well, so long as your memory is so bad, we'll let it go. Good-bye. I'll see you—"

"No, no; not at all. Here, old boy, is your five. Seems to me now that I did borrow of you, but, upon my soul, old fellow, I'd quite forgotten it. Should have paid it long ago. Awful obliged for the accommodation, doncherknow. Ta-ta."

And so the better went on. From Smith he secured ten dollars, from another five dollars, from another two dollars, and from still another three dollars, all in half an hour or so. He went back to the cafe, displayed his ill-gotten wealth, and helped to drink the basket of wine. The following evening he invited his victims to drink with him at the Bellevue. When the coffee and cigars were brought on Jones ventured the opinion that the host had made a big winning. This the host denied, and then explained that he was going to pay the bill with the money he had extorted from his hearers and told the story of his peculiar wager.

**Styles of American Beauty.**

There are changes taking place in established standards of beauty. For instance, the Southern type of lovely woman was formerly a creature of languorous movement, dusky hair, passionate, dark eyes; to-day she is frequently a classic blonde, devoid of high color, like a Cherokee rose, perfect in outline and energetic in movement, as are the traditional Northerners. Those American women, however, who are the most admired abroad are the conjunction of these two leading types—golden hair united to brown or hazel eyes, soft, smooth skin, with faint olive shading, little color, features sharply defined and the figure healthily rounded.

THE bicycle craze prevails in Denmark, and the ladies there ride them astride.

**This Interesting Head-Piece Means Chopsticks, of Which the Use Is Hereinafter Explained.**

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If one can not read the head-piece of this letter it argues, of necessity, that he can not read nor understand one word of Japanese, nor learn aught from the characters which are herewith printed. As all is possible, none the less, to him who will learn, I shall proceed to explain them. In the museum of wooden figures here, the scene which, more than any thing else, seems to excite the curiosity of foreigners, during our great Buddhist fair of Assaska is assuredly the one which represents Europeans eating with a fork. To the throngs this has for many a day seemed incomprehensible, and so soon as the crowd has seen

FIG. 1.

these figures, they have expressed their surprise by cries of astonishment, accompanied by awkward and droll imitations with their fingers. "Sodeska! is it possible!" In short, this habit is a complete surprise to them. "A smart trick, in truth," they say, "to carry one's food to one's mouth with a tool that resembles a pitchfork more than any thing else," and they think that one is in great luck if it arrive there without slipping away and falling back into the sauce or spattering the tablecloth. "How graceful and neat," they cry out disdainfully. There is good reason to believe, too, that those awkward tools which you call forks will

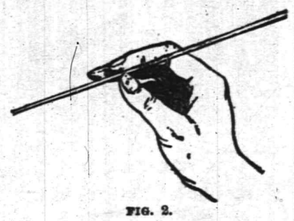

FIG. 2.

not long be used after you have learned something of Japanese cooking and their manner of eating. By what follows, I wish to inculcate in my readers some idea of the grace of our little Japanese chopsticks. So refined and so neat at table, when they are handled with proper dexterity and grace.

No one has accurately described their function, because no one can adequately understand it. First examine the characters at the head of this letter, to which allusion has already been made, and which serve to designate the chopsticks. You will at once see that it is easier to write and pronounce than the word fork. And now let us compare the two objects. On one hand we find barbarity in form, enormous weight, a tool difficult to handle and of doubtful cleanliness, while on the other hand, we see grace, refinement and extreme neatness. Stop to examine the two little chopsticks, six inches in length, the thickness of a lead pencil and of dazzling whiteness.

Our neighbors, the Chinese, who are less refined in their customs than we, make them of gold and silver, and times even of ivory, for use among the rich, while the poorer people in the restaurants use them made of the commoner metal. In the restaurants these little chop-sticks are used to establish a sort of lot-

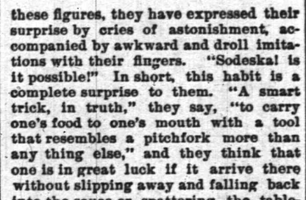

FIG. 3.

tery. They are heaped high up in a pile and in a great wooden box behind the door and marked with a cipher. Each patron of the place on entering plunges his hand into the box and draws out at hazard two sticks for his meal, and those whom fortune has favored and have drawn out two sticks with corresponding ciphers, are entitled to an additional dish.

Among us this custom is unknown, our civilization being too much refined for indulgence in these sorts of pastimes. Neither the poor nor the rich are ever served twice with the same chopsticks, were it even for the simplest meal. With us they are made exclusively of wood and invariably burned after each repast. When seated at the table each guest finds at his place a sealed envelope, containing a pair of chopsticks made of wood and immaculately white. And to show that they have never before been used they are cut from the same piece of stick and not entirely separated from the bottoms, precisely as your sulphur matches are made. When the first course has been served each guest unseals his envelope, picks up the chopsticks and separates them by breaking the wood.

By observing the following instructions one can readily learn how to use the chopsticks. Take the first stick and in the manner indicated in Fig. 1 place one end in the angle formed by the base of the thumb of the right hand and the forefinger, the middle of the stick resting lightly on the third finger, which must be slightly extended. Under these conditions the chopstick without any effort of pressure remains rigid and immovable—a part of the hand, in fact—which can only be moved when it follows that in its revolutions around the wrist. When this has been learned, seize the second stick between the end of the thumb which remains free the forefinger and the middle finger, precisely as one picks up a pen when about to write. This is the movable chop-

FIG. 4.

stick, in which resides all the mechanism and all the secret. It is this which by being brought closer to or moved farther from the first stick, will form the pincers to pick up every object, no matter how small it may be. The combination of these two maneuvers produces Fig. 3, and you can see how easy and graceful it becomes.

No matter how awkward you foreigners may be with your hands, it is impossible that you should not succeed in using the chopsticks at your first trial. The proof of it is that European children are the first to use them with us, and so soon as they have picked them up, they lose entirely the use of the fork, and it is only with great difficulty they acquire it again, much to the disgust of their parents. One should be able to do every thing with our chopsticks, but the supreme test of ability is to take eggs one by one from a plate and place them in a basket, situated on the floor, between the legs (see Fig. 4). In doing this it is necessary to avoid with great care the X, for then the stick becoming crossed, either crushes the egg or it falls and is broken. In one of the stores here, filled with household utensils, which one of our Emperors of the fifteenth century brought home from the temple of Nara, can be found several sorts of chop-sticks for eating and various kinds of models, which goes to prove that even at that early age we Japanese were eating with neatness and grace, while your ancestors were eating with their fingers.

### A ROMANTIC CAREER.

**Senator Mitchell's Rise from Obscure Poverty to Wealth and Prominence.**

Hon Binger Herman, the Congressional Representative of Oregon, speaking of Senator Mitchell, says that his career has been romantic in the extreme. When very young he started life by opening a law office in a little adobe town called San Luis Obispo. Unfortunately the practice of law was conducted entirely in the Spanish language, and he debated for awhile whether he should go to some other city where the English language was used, or whether he should learn the Spanish language. He finally concluded that it would be cheaper and better for him to go to San Francisco, and he went there. He debated a long time as to whether he should thence go to Nevada, a country about which all people were wild because of the recent discovery of gold there, or whether he should go to Oregon. He finally decided to go to Oregon, and left San Francisco on the 4th of July, 1860, with just fifty-two dollars in his pocket. He stopped at a hotel in Portland where they charged twenty dollars a week for board; and, after a short stay he decided that he would open a law office there.

At that time he only had five dollars left, but his landlord trusted him for his board, and he hired a little office which had no furniture in it whatever. His last five dollar bill he spent in purchasing a book of the statutes of Oregon. He had no other library except the splendid education which he carried around in his head.

It was hard, up-hill work, as the reader may well understand, but young Mitchell got out his shingle finally, and by the end of the first year he had twenty-six out of the fifty-two cases that came before the court. He is a very handsome fellow, very affable, very polite and agreeable in his manners, and his practice rose steadily, so that it was not long before he was making $40,000 a year in his legitimate law practice. Of course, like begets like, and money begets money; and as soon as young Mitchell paid off his debts and commenced to save a little money in bank, he made investments of the money so that his fortune continued to grow. He is now far above the reach of possible want and the future of his family is also well cared for.

**What a Blind Man Needs.**

Schools for the blind are deficient in one important particular—they give too little attention to the practical and too much to the theoretical parts of education. I was educated in a school for the blind, says a blind man, and spent a good deal of time, for instance, in learning music, for which I had neither taste nor talent, and have always since been sorry I did not learn another trade instead of wasting my time at a piano. What a blind man needs is not so much high-grade culture as ability to make a living. He is put at a serious disadvantage by reasons of his blindness, and, as his bread is the prime consideration with him, he comes in after life to look with disapprobation on most of the educational frills now so popular in schools for the blind. To be sure, if he has time to learn any thing besides a trade, let him do it, and at all events he he should learn to read, but let him learn his trade first, and the balance if he can.—Chicago Journal.

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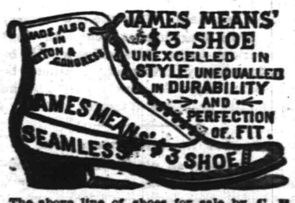

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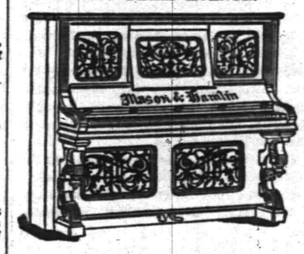

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PLAINFIELD AND NEW YORK.

Leave Plainfield 3 27, 5 24, 5 35, 6 29, 6 59, 7 26 7 30, 7 56, 8, 8 15, 8 31, 8 57, 9 22, 10 05, 11 09, 12 39, A. M., 1, 1 41, 2 07, 2 30, 3 12, 3 51, 5 08, 5 31, 5 07, 6 54, 7 05, 8 31, 9 28, 10 12, 11 28 P. M. Sunday—3 37, 5 24, 8 01, 8 52, 11 02, 11 16 A. M., 12 23, 1 55, 3 30, 5 16, 7 01, 7 10, 8 23, 8 32, 10 02 P. M.

Leave New York from foot of Liberty street, 4 30, 5 45, 7, 7 45, 8 45, 10, 11, A. M., 1, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4, 4 30, 5, 5 15, 5 30, 5 45, 6, 6 15, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 8, 8 30, 9, 9 15, 10, 11 30 P. M. Night, Sunday—4 30, 7, 8 30, 9, 9 30, A. M., 12 M., 1, 1 30, 4, 5 30, 6, 7, 9 00, 10 00 P. M., 12 15 night.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield 5 38, 6 29, 6 59, 7 30, 8, 8 37, 9 32, 10 05, 11 09, 11 39, A. M., 1, 2 07, 2 30, 3 12, 3 51, 5 08, 5 31, 6 07, 6 54, 7 05, 8 31, 10 12, 11 28 P. M. Sunday—8 01, 8 52, 11 16 A. M., 12 23, 1 55, 3 30, 5 16, 7 01, 7 10, 8 23, 8 32, 10 02 P. M.

Leave Newark 7 10, 7 50, 8 55, 10 10, 11 05 A. M., 1 05, 1 35, 2 40, 3 40, 4 02, 4 37, 5 05, 5 30, 5 55, 6 25, 7 15, 7 55, 9 20, 9 35, 10 10, 11 25 P. M. Sunday—7 20, 8 40, 9 05, 9 50, A. M., 12 05, 1 10, 4 10, 5 40, 6 05, 7 05, 9 25, 10 20 P. M.

Passengers for Newark change cars at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7, 8 07, 9 42, 11, 11 58 A. M., 1 59, 2 32, 3 45, 4 34, 5 20, 5 34, 6 20, 6 38, 7 03, 7 11, 7 34 8 20, 9 43, 11 13, 12 43 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 19, 9 48, A. M., 2 03, 2 30, 5 14, 6 35, 10 15, 11 14 P. M.

Leave Somerville, 6, 6 30, 7 03, 7 25, 7 55, 7 48 9 05, 9 47, 11 15 A. M., 12 30, 1 15, 1 48, 2 08, 2 32 4 40, 5 12, 5 35, 8 05, 8 50, 11 05, P. M. Sunday—8 25, 10 35 A. M., 12 08, 105, 4 50, 6 40, 8 03, 8 05, 9 30 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7, 8 07, 9 42, A. M., 1 59, 4 34, 6 20, 6 38, 9 20 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 13 A. M., 2 03, 6 35 P. M.

Leave Easton 6 05, 8 44, 10 A. M., 12 32, 4 09, 6 49 P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 52, A. M., 6 40, 7 50 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 7, 9 42 A. M., 1 59, 5 20 P. M. Sunday—8 13 A. M.

**WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.**
LEAVE PLAINFIELD.

5 45 A. M. for Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

7 A. M. for High Bridge Branch and Easton.

8 07 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 42 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Nanticoke, Drifton, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c.

1 59 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, &c.

4 34 P. M. for D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

5 20 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Schooley's Mountain, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, &c.

6 20 P. M. for Flemington.

6 38 P. M. for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg.

9 20 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8, 13 a. m. Sundays for High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, &c., 2 03 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua and Pettsville. 6 35 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

For Atlantic City, 3 27 a. m. 1 p. m.

**Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c.**

Leave Plainfield 3 27, 8, 11 09, a. m., 1, 5 51, 5 51, p. m. Sundays—(except Ocean Grove) 8 52, a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 3 27, 5 28, 8, 10 05, 11 09 a. m., 1, 3 51, 5 51, 7 03 p. m. Sunday—8 52 a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Freehold, 3 27, 8, 11 09 a. m., 1, 3 51, 5 51, p. m.

**ROUND BROOK ROUTE.**

Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia, 1 17, 5 45, 6 29, 9 48, 11 58* a. m., 1 59*, 3 32*, 4 08, 5 34*, 8 20*, 8 29* p. m. Sundays - 1 17, 9 48, a. m., 3 20*, 4 08, 5 14*, 6 55 p. m.

For Baltimore and Washington at 1 17, 9 48, 11 58*, a. m., 2 45, 4 08, 5 34* p. m. Sundays—1 17, 9 48 a. m., 3 47, 4 08, 5 14* p. m.

RETURNING—LEAVE PHILADELPHIA.

Ninth and Green streets, 7 30*, 8 30*, 9 30, 11 05 a. m., 12 45, 1 30, 3 15, 5 15, 6 15, 6 02, 8 45, 12 m. Sundays—9 a. m., 12 50, 3 10, 5 15, 6 10, 8, 12 p. m.

From 24th and Chestnut—8 10, 8 30*, 11 08, a. m., 12 52, 3 20, 6 18, 8 06, p. m. Sundays—9 10, 11 35 a. m., 12 52, 3 20, 6 18, 8 06 p. m.

Leave Trenton, Warren and Tucker sts., 1 20, 4 09, 7*, 9*, 9* 10 10, 11 55 a. m., 1 26, 2 10, 3 40* 5 25, 6 55, 8 47, 10 p. m. Sundays—1 20, 4 09, 9 00 a. m., 1 26, 4, 5 55, 7, 8 47 p. m.

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## BLOWN TO ATOMS

### Terrible Explosion at the Dupont Powder Mills

### NEAR WILMINGTON, DELAWARE

Twelve Persons Killed and a Number of Others More or Less Injured.

*Many Houses Wrecked By the Explosions That Were Felt In Three States—The Disaster Caused By a Workman Who Was Soldering Up Cans of Powder. Some of the Victims Blown to Pieces.*

WILMINGTON, Del., Oct. 8.—A terrific explosion resulting in the loss of twelve lives, the injuring of many people and the destruction of much property occurred yesterday afternoon in the upper yard of the extensive powder works of E I. Dupont, De Nemours & Co., on Brandywine Creek, three miles north of this city. The shock was keenly felt here and caused intense excitement. Buildings trembled and windows were demolished.

A reporter who left here for the scene of the disaster says that as he reached the Mount Salem Methodist Church, a mile from the city, he saw broken frames in the church windows and other evidences of destruction.

Following a curve in the road, he beheld an appalling spectacle. Women and children, wives and sons and daughters of men employed in the powder manufactory were madly rushing here and there seeking information about their loved ones.

The yard in which the mills stood was littered with debris of fallen buildings, and at some places where buildings had been the only trace left was empty cellars.

The little village of Dupont's Banks, immediately outside the powder yard, presented a most pitiable appearance. A hundred dwellings were either demolished or badly damaged. Buildings were unroofed, fronts of houses were blown out and wrecked.

Inside the dwellings the devastation was complete.

The soda mill, a large stone building about 200 yards from the magazines, is wrecked, the roof of the charcoal mills fell, and the buildings themselves took fire from the furnaces. Effective use of the fire apparatus at the works soon extinguished the fires.

Where the corning and packing house stood there are holes in the ground ten feet deep.

The large storage magazine containing several tons of powder and built of corrugated iron is situated about a quarter of a mile from the wrecked mills, it with another smaller mill escaped; also the glazing-room and press room.

Four of the Duponts and several clerks were in the office when the explosion took place. Every window was blown out and much of the plastering fell from the walls, but beyond scratches, cuts and bruises no one was hurt.

Two horses being driven through the yard were killed while their driver escaped.

William R. Green was working in the magazine when that blew up first. He was packing powder for the Government. It is supposed that his soldering iron became hot and ignited the powder.

There were at least seven successive explosions. Every dwelling in the neighborhood is wrecked or unroofed, and buildings within a radius of half a mile are more or less damaged.

The little town of Rockland is a complete wreck. None of its houses are left standing. Rockland is a village on the Brandywine, a mile above the scene of the explosion. It comprised a large paper mill owned by the Jessup & Moore Company, and about fifty dwellings, in which chiefly resided the mill employes. Its population is about two hundred.

About fifty families are rendered homeless there.

The injured are being gathered into the hospital building appertaining to the works, and are receiving such aid as they need.

Some of the killed were blown to pieces.

The list of dead, so far reported, is as follows:

Wm S. Green, a solderer, aged 40, leaves a widow and four children. His body was found whole but so badly blackened as to be barely recognizable. William McGarvey, laborer, aged 40, single, head blown off; Martin Dolan, aged 65, employed in the graining mill, leaves a family; Jim Dolan, a laborer, aged 60, single; John H. Harrigan, laborer, married, aged 30; Michael Harrigan, laborer; Patrick Dougherty, aged 30, single; John Newell, laborer, aged 30, leaves a family; John Herlihe, laborer; Michael Herlihe, laborer; Mrs. Rosie Dougherty, aged 30, found crushed by the roof of her house.

It is estimated that between seven and ten tons of powder were exploded, some reports say two or three times that much. The total loss will be from $200,000 to $500,000. The company is rich and will begin to rebuild at once.

### Says There Is No Danger of Famine.

LONDON, Oct. 8.—Sir Michael Hicks-Beach, Minister of Commerce, speaking at Gloucester last night ridiculed Mr. Morley's statements regarding the condition of Ireland. He said there was no famine, such as had existed in 1846, and while there was a partial failure of the potato crop in some districts, the Government would not allow any suffering to result from it.

### Endorsed the Republican Nominee.

BUFFALO, Oct. 8.—The Democratic Eighth Judicial district convention supported the Republican nominee for Judge of the Supreme Court, Hon. Albert Haight.

### C. Y. M. N. UNION.

**The Sixteenth Annual Convention in Session at Washington.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 8.—The sixteenth annual convention of the Catholic Young Men's National Union is in session here. Delegates to the number of 100 are present, representing about 50 Catholic societies, members of the Union.

In an address to the convention Cardinal Gibbons said: "Some one has said, that were he given the making of a country's songs, he cared not who made its laws. I would amend that by saying that if I were given the forming of the character of the young men of the land I would not care for the rest." He went on to talk of the prospects and duties of the Union, and referred to the plans of work that are to be discussed at this meeting, more especially the question of the formation of reading rooms and libraries.

He was frequently interrupted by applause, and when he sat down the applause was long and enthusiastic, so that he was compelled to acknowledge it again and again.

The Union was welcomed to Washington by District Commissioner Douglass in a short address to which Bishop Keane responded. The business of the convention then began and various reports were read, and applications for membership from some 25 societies were filed and referred.

The convention will be in session several days.

### DINED AT WASHINGTON.

**The Count of Paris and Party Entertained By Old Soldiers Last Night.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 8.—The Count of Paris and party were given a dinner last night at the Metropolitan Club by General Schofield. Secretaries Noble and Rusk, Admiral Franklin, Generals Rosecrans, Augur, Wright, Har, Casey, Breckinridge, Howard, Vincent, Butterfield and McKeever, and Colonels Coppinger and Nicholson were among the guests.

The Count and his suite will leave Washington for Norfolk this evening, and returning to Richmond will spend several days about Fredericksburg, visiting the battlefields of Chancellorsville and the Wilderness. He will then return to Washington a few days later and will visit Antietam and Gettysburg before returning to New York.

### New York Congressional Nominations.

GREENFIELD, Mass., Oct. 8.—The Democrats of the Eleventh district nominated Frederick S. Coolidge of Ashburnham for Congress.

MIDDLETOWN, N. Y., Oct. 8.—The Republican Congressional convention of the Fifteenth district nominated Clarence Lexow of Rockland County for Congress.

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., Oct. 8.—The Republicans of the Sixteenth district nominated General John A. Ketcham for Congress.

HARRISBURG, Pa., Oct. 8.—The Democrats of the Eighteenth District nominated G. W. Skinner for Congress.

### Another Tragedy in Warren County, N. Y.

GLENS FALLS, N. Y., Oct. 8.—News of another tragedy in Warren County has reached here. It is reported that Franklin Colts and his son Charles, aged 16 years, of Warrensburg, visited the Luzerne Fair the last week in August. Colts returned alone, saying the boy had gone to Fort Edward to work. He brought back the boy's old clothing, bloodstained and dirty, to be washed. Nothing further being heard of the son, search was made with the result of finding the dead body of Charles under the barn. It is said that the father has been arrested.

### Assembly Nominations.

G. Bradley Taylor has been nominated by the Democrats of the First Orange district at Newburg for member of the Assembly.

Lewis Varney, of Saratoga, was nominated by the Republicans of the Second Saratoga Assembly district.

James L. Dempsey, of Clinton, was renominated for member of Assembly by the Democrats of the Second Oneida district at Rome.

The Hon. E. A. Briggs was nominated for Assembly by the Republicans of Poughkeepsie.

### Object to Free Masons Participating.

LOWELL, Mass., Oct. 8.—Rev. Wm. J. Joyce, of the Oblate Order, has presented at the city clerk's office the remonstrance against laying the corner stone of the city hall by the Masonic rite. The remonstrance bears the names of twenty-three clergymen and 4,640 Catholic laymen. The names of the pastor and associates of St. Peter's Church are not in the remonstrance.

### Salvador and Guatemala Fighting Again.

CITY OF GUATEMALA, Oct. 8.—Advices received here say the Guatemalans and Salvadorians are fighting again on the frontier. It states war has again been precipitated owing to the inability of the Guatemalan Government to exchange prisoners with Salvador. The first named Government shot every Salvadorian soldier captured in the late war.

## GUILTY OF MURDER

### Arthur Day Convicted of Killing His Wife.

### TO BE HANGED NOVEMBER, 18.

### Speedy Work of the Law's Machinery at Welland, Ont.

*Convicted on the Evidence Given By His Sister, Mrs. Quigley, of Rochester—She Breaks Down While Telling Her Story. The Defence Offered No Evidence—The Jury Out Only Two Hours.*

WELLAND, Ont., Oct. 8.—The trial of Arthur Day of Rochester, N. Y., for the murder of his wife on July 27 last, was an example of speedy justice. The case was called at 9:30 yesterday morning and at precisely 10:30 last night went to the jury. At 12:45 this morning a verdict of guilty was returned and Day was sentenced to be hanged on November 18.

The principal witness against the defendant was his sister, Mrs Quigley, of Rochester. She testified in substance as follows:

I remember being at the Falls in July last. My brother asked me to go there with him, offering to pay my fare. I asked him was his wife going, and she said yes. We went to the Erie depot, where we were joined by Mrs. Day. We then found we would have to take the New York Central and so went on that road. We had dinner at the Falls. Then we took the street car to the lower Suspension Bridge which we crossed and started for the Whirlpool. When we reached the point overlooking the Whirlpool, I sat down to rest, as my feet were swollen. About twenty minutes afterward I saw a shadow pass behind me which must have been my brother and his wife. The next I saw of them they were standing on the brink about three to five minutes walk away from me in the direction where we came from.

"How were they standing?"

"One behind the other. My brother was behind Desire. I was standing looking at the river. The next time he looked he was waving to me with a black handkerchief and I walked up to where he was."

"What did he say when you walked up to him?"

All eyes in the court room were upon the witness intently. She was silent for a few moments. A pin could be heard drop. Suddenly her eyes filled with tears and she broke out sobbing and weeping.

"Well, if I must tell, I must," she exclaimed, and looking straight at the prisoner, her brother, she said: "He said 'I have shoved her over. She never moved, and never knew what struck her.'"

Then the witness broke down entirely, bowed her head on the rail of the witness-box and sobbed pitifully.

On cross examination the witness admitted that she had been arrested twice for larceny and that she once kept a house of ill-repute.

Mr. German endeavored to shake her story as to the fatal walk to the whirlpool, but she stuck to everything she had said without the slightest variation.

She was then re-examined by Mr. Johnstone as to the exact positions of the accused and his supposed victim and the witness, but no new facts were brought out.

Witnesses were then called to testify to the finding of the body; the place where it lay, and its condition.

Several witnesses, including B. C. Furtherer, of Rochester, N. Y., John C. Hayden and Mrs. Hulbert, of Rochester, gave evidence corroborating evidence previously given, and the court took a recess until 7:45 p. m.

Upon resuming, the prisoner having no evidence to offer, Mr. German addressed the jury. He claimed that the Crown had no evidence against the prisoner except that of Mrs. Quigley. Mr. German made an eloquent appeal in favor of the prisoner.

Mr. Johnson, for the Crown, said that Mrs. Quigley was testifying against her own brother and would not be likely to swear falsely to imperil him.

Judge Rose then reviewed the evidence, charging strongly against the prisoner. He told the jury they should return a verdict upon the evidence, if it was a case of suicide or accidental, the prisoner was innocent, if not, he was guilty.

### Striking Michigan Miners.

ISPHEMING, Mich., Oct. 8.—A mass meeting of the three thousand striking miners will be held to day at which the miners will discuss the situation. There is some hope that a compromise can be reached. Every mine in Ispheming is now idle. The strikers are orderly. [redacted]

### Want to Organize Banks.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 8.—Applications for authority to organize national banks have been filed with the Comptroller of the Currency as follows: The Dominion National Bank of Bristol, at Bristol, Va.; the First National Bank of Dushore, at Dushore, Pa.


Highest of all in Leavening Power.—U. S. Gov't Report, Aug. 17, 1889.

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### THE JERSEY MYSTERY.

**Lingo's Lawyers Ready for the Prosecutor's Latest Developments.**

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 8.—It does not look now as if the prosecution was going to have an easy task fastening the murder of Mrs. Miller on the negro, Lingo, unless they have evidence of which the public has no knowledge. His attorneys now explain the whereabouts of the missing razor and the blood stains on his clothing. Lawyer Jess, speaking of the razor said: "We have had Lingo's razor ever since he was arrested in the Leconey case. It has never been out of our possession. We are ready to turn it over to the State at any time, and so convince them that one of the mysteries, so far as Lingo is concerned, is cleared away.

"As to the blood stains on Lingo's clothing that can be easily explained. Frank is a known professional hog killer for the farmers about Matchtown, and was bound to get more or less blood on his clothing."

Dr. Bartine, a prominent physician of Merchantville, said that from the appearance of the wound in the murdered womans neck he was of the opinion it was made with some other instrument than a razor, one not as sharp.

### STRICT GUARD OVER BIRCHALL.

**The Sheriff Receives Special Instructions from the Provincial Prison Inspector.**

WOODSTOCK, Ont., Oct. 8.—The sheriff has received definite instructions from the provincial inspector of prisons with regard to the care of Birchall.

The jailor will purchase the prisoner's food and superintend its cooking and preparation. Birchall will not be allowed the use of a knife or anything else with which he might do bodily harm to his attendant or himself. No one is to be allowed to see him except the jail surgeon and his spiritual adviser unless on the special order of the sheriff.

It is advised that the visits of his wife be restricted to once a week, and the husband and wife are not to be allowed to approach each other close enough to enable him to receive secretly anything whatever from her.

### Census Figures.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 8.—The Census Office has announced the following statistics with the increases since 1880: Ohio, population of State, 3,666,719; increase 468,657. West Virginia, population of State, 770,448; increase 141,991. Iowa, population of State, 1,906,729; increase 282,114. New York State—Counties, Delaware, 45,221; increase 2,500. Orange, 96,662; increase 3,442. Rockland, 35,055; increase 7,365. Sullivan, 30,390; increase 1,601. Ulster, 86,762, increase 924. Cities in New York State—Kingston, 21,181; increase 2,837. Middletown, 11,918; increase 3,424. Newburgh, 23,263; increase 5,214.

### Free Delivery to Be Established.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 8.—The free delivery service will be established at the following named postoffices on November 1, 1890: Melrose, Mass.; Plymouth, Mass.; Everett, Mass.; Peabody, Mass.; South Bethlehem, Pa.; Shamokin, Pa.; Oil City, Pa.; Sharon, Pa.; Ironton, O.; Marion, O.; Waverly N. Y.; Central Falls, R. I.; Vineland, N. J.; Jeffersonville, Ind.; Laporte, Ind.; Connorsville, Ind.; Alameda, Cal.; San Bernadino, Cal.; Owasso, Mich.; West Bay City, Mich.; Pontiac, Mich.; Nevada, Mo.; West Superior, Wis.; Durham, N. C., and Greensborough, N. C.

### The Central Advances Wages.

NEW YORK, Oct. 8.—The Central has increased the wages of their freight engineers and firemen as follows, the the advance beginning the first of this month: Engineers of over two years' experience running "mogul" or ten-wheel engines will be paid four cents a mile. All firemen on "mogul" or ten-wheel engines will be paid two cents a mile. The increase in mileage rates, it is claimed, means an advance in their wages of from 20 to 30 per cent., and places the freight men on a level with the passenger men.

### Will Carry Freight Both Ways.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 8.—Circulars are now being issued both in London and Philadelphia conveying the important information that the North Atlantic Steamship line, which has hitherto maintained sailings eastbound only, is now enlarged and will be hereafter operated as a regular service both ways between London and Philadelphia.

### Cholera's Terrible Work.

LONDON, Oct. 8.—Horrible accounts come from the Red Sea of the condition of the cholera victims. The Arabs and strangers in that region are dying by scores. From the interior of Arabia the accounts are as fully heartrending, and the victims are said to be numbered by the thousands.

### Conductor Houghtaling Acquitted.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Oct. 8.—The trial of Conductor Houghtaling on the charge of manslaughter, for carelessness in causing the accident at Hamburg, in which a number of people were killed, resulted in acquittal, the jury being out only one hour.

### Inspecting the Road.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 8.—President A. A. McLeod, of the Philadelphia & Reading Railroad, has started on a tour of inspection of the road, which will include the new work on the Harrisburg & Pittsburg Railroad at the State Capital.

### Death of Prof. Hewitt.

BALTIMORE, Oct. 8.—Prof. J. H. Hewitt, who died at his home in this city yesterday in the 90th year of his age, was a contemporary of Edgar Allen Poe, and the author of a number of songs and poems popular 50 years ago.

## THE WESTERN TRIP

### Tour of the President and His Party.

### SPEECHES AT MANY PLACES.

### An Outpouring of the People to See the Chief Executive.

*He Makes an Address at Nearly Every Stopping Place—An Old Man Who Voted for His Grandfather Shook Hands With the President and Addressed Him as Ben.*

DANVILLE, Ill., Oct. 8.—The President's trip is one of continuous ovations. Kentucky, Ohio, and Indiana have joined in doing him homage, and in the land of Dixie the greeting was no less warm than in the native State of President Harrison. The Chief Executive is kept busy addressing the people who flock to the depot as the train enters each town at which a stop is made.

As the train passed Notch Bend, Ind., where is situated the old Harrison Homestead, a stop was made just abreast the house in which Benjamin Harrison first saw the light, and but a few yards from the white shaft that marks the tomb of ex-President William Henry Harrison. As the President passed to the rear platform he was unaccompanied by the rest of the party, who left him to the memories that the scenes of his childhood and youth called forth. After a brief stop the train passed on, but the President was visibly affected. When the little town of Lawrenceburg was reached his voice was heavy with emotion as he addressed the crowd of old neighbors and friends that thronged to greet him.

Secretary Tracy contented himself by merely bowing to the enthusiastic crowd, and he and the President had time to shake a few eager hands that were extended as the train pulled out.

At Milan and Osgood large crowds were also assembled, but the President merely appeared on the platform of the rear car, introduced Secretary Tracy, and bowed to the cheering crowds.

At North Vernon, Ind., the crowd would be satisfied with nothing less than a speech, and the President said a few kind words to them.

Seymour, Ind., gave rousing evidence of the President's popularity in that little town, and after he had introduced Secretary Tracy, a note was handed the President, which he hastily perused. It was a request to speak to the school children, which he did in a few fitting words.

At Mitchell, Consul-General New left the party, and once more the President was called upon to pay his acknowlments to the school children.

At Washington, Ind., an old gray-haired man pushed his way through the crowd, grasped the President by the hand and addressing him as Ben, said he had voted for his grandfather and for him, and would vote again for him. He said he hoped the President did not object to being addressed as Ben. To this the President laughed and informed him that it pleased him to be addressed by old friends.

This encouraged an old lady to exclaim as she grasped the President's hand: "I feel as though I am related to you, Mr. President. Your grandfather and mine ate roast turkey and pig together, and that makes us related, doesn't it?"

The President bowed his affirmation to this logic as the train moved out.

The principal event of the day was the reception of the party at Terre Haute. A stand had been erected and beautifully decorated, and fully 10,000 people assembled to greet the party. Here the President and Secretary Tracy spoke at some length.

### He Murdered Ten People.

MACON, Ga., Oct. 8.—In the Houston County Superior Court at Perry, yesterday afternoon, Thomas G. Woolfolk was a second time sentenced to be hanged for the murder of ten members of his father's family in Bibb County, in August, 1887. The case is the most notable one in the criminal annals of the State. On the night of August 7, 1887, Woolfolk took an axe, and going from room to room in his father's house, butchered every one of its inmates while they slept. They were his father, step-mother, three half-sisters, three half-brothers, one infant in arms, and an aged aunt, Mrs. West. He will be hanged October 10.

### Returns from Connecticut.

HARTFORD, Conn., Oct. 8.—Official returns from the town elections in Connecticut come in slowly. These are to a large degree local contests and are often more personal and domestic than political, though the result is always looked for with interest. Of 110 towns at present reported, 49 elect Republican town clerks and Board of Selectmen, 39 go Democratic, and 22 are divided. Last year these same towns stood 52 Republican, 32 Democratic, 22 divided.

### Committee on Faith Revision.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Oct. 8.—The Committee on Revision of Confession of Faith of the Presbyterian Church effected a permanent organization by the election of Dr. William C. Roberts of Lake Forest College, Illinois, president, and Dr. William E. E. Moore, of Columbus, O., secretary. The members of the press will not be permitted to attend any of the committee meetings.

### Train Robber Burrows Run Down.

MOBILE, Ala., Oct. 8.—A dispatch from Linden, Ala., says that Rube Burrows, the train robber, was entrapped and captured by John McDuffie, near Myrtlewood, Marengo County, about midnight, and is now in jail at Linden.

### BASEBALL GAMES.

**American Association.**

AT LOUISVILLE.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Louisville | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | x | —6 |
| Toledo | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | —3 |

Batteries—Ehret and Weckbecker; Cushman and Sage.

AT ST. LOUIS.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| St. Louis | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | —3 |
| Columbus | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —3 |

Game called at the end of ninth inning on account of darkness.

Batteries—Hart and Frost; Chamberlain and O'Connor.

AT PHILADELPHIA.

Athletic and Rochester game postponed on account of rain.

AT BALTIMORE.

Baltimore and Syracuse game postponed on account of rain.

**Players' League.**

AT CINCINNATI.

EXHIBITION GAME.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Cincinnati | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —2 |
| Cleveland | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 4 | x | —8 |

Batteries—Rhines and Harrington; McGill and Brennan.

**Standing of the Clubs.**

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

| | Won | Lost | P.C. | | Won | Lost | P.C. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Loui'v'le | 84 | 42 | .667 | Roch'st'r | 60 | 58 | .508 |
| St. Louis | 77 | 53 | .592 | Athletic | 54 | 75 | .419 |
| Col'mb's | 72 | 56 | .563 | Syracuse | 50 | 71 | .413 |
| Toledo | 67 | 58 | .536 | Baltim're | 37 | 88 | .296 |

**Schedule of To-Day's Games.**

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

Syracuse vs. Baltimore, at Baltimore.
Rochester vs. Athletics, at Philadelphia.
Toledo vs. Louisville, at Louisville.
Columbus vs. St. Louis, at St. Louis.

### The Soudan Famine.

LONDON, Oct. 8.—Late reports from the Soudan confirm the worst reports regarding the famine there. Suakim is thronged with the orphans of those who have perished through war and starvation, and several acts of cannibalism are reported to have occurred among the starving Hadendowas. The hospital at Suakim is full of the sick, and a British Relief Society is busy administering to the wants of the suffering.

### The Irish Trials.

TIPPERARY, Oct. 8.—An adjournment has been taken till Friday in the Dillon-O'Brien cases. Dr. Nadin, who had visited Mr. O'Mahony, informed the court yesterday that that gentleman would be unable to be present for several days yet at the quickest. Mr. Dillon says that on Friday Mr. O'Mahony would come here to reside during the trial.

### Suicided on the High Sea.

LIVERPOOL, Oct. 8.—Two steerage passengers on the steamer Majestic committed suicide during the voyage from New York. The passengers made up a purse of $550 for the widow and children of one of the men.

### Sir Henry Drummond Wolff Dying.

LONDON, Oct. 8.—Sir Henry Drummond Wolff, British Ambassador to Persia, is dying.

### NEWS OF THE DAY.

The New York State Convention of Universalists is in session at Buffalo.

Rev. Henry A. White, chaplain to the House of Commons, died suddenly in London yesterday.

Mr. Gladstone has informed his friends that on the occasion of his visit to West Calder he will discuss the labor problem.

William O'Connor has been indicted at Albany, N. Y., for murder in the first degree, in causing the death of John Walker last June.

The New York Court of Appeals has affirmed the decision of the lower court in the case of Schihick Jugigo, the Japanese murderer.

Mr. Thomas P. Gill, Member of Parliament, who was selected by the Irish National Convention as one of the Irish mission to the United States, has already sailed for America.

The returns from all the polls of the school election at Binghamton, N. Y., show that about 3,000 women voted, instead of 500, as was previously stated. This is said to be the best record outside of Boston.

The steamer Alamo of the Mallory line arrived at New York last evening from Galveston with her cargo of cotton on fire. After passing Quarantine she proceeded to the Erie Basin, the fire was extinguished. The cargo consisted of 5,000 bales.

### Weather Indications.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 8.—For New England: Rains; with clearing weather during the day; winds shifting to westerly; stationary temperature.

For Eastern New York: Rain, followed by fair weather; variable winds; stationary temperature.

For New Jersey and Delaware: Fair weather, preceded by showers; slightly cooler; westerly winds.

For Western New York: Fair weather, preceded by rain in the vicinity of Oswego; northwesterly winds; stationary temperature, except slightly cooler near Lake Ontario.

### NEW YORK MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Oct. 7.—Money on call to-day 5 and 6 per cent.

BONDS.

| | Closing Yesterday. | Closing To-day. |
|---|---|---|
| 4½s, 1891 Reg | 104½ | 104 |
| 4½s, 1891 Coup | 104½ | 104 |
| 4 s, 1907 Reg | 125¾ | 125¾ |
| 4 s, 1907 Coup | 120 | 110 |

STOCK MARKET.

| | Closing Yesterday. | Closing To-day. |
|---|---|---|
| Canadian Pacific | — | 77¾ |
| Central Pacific | — | 30⅝ |
| Chicago, Bur. & Quincy | 98¼ | 98⅜ |
| Delaware & Hudson | 155 | 153⅝ |
| Del., Lack. & Western | 143¾ | 143¾ |
| Erie | 23⅞ | 23⅛ |
| Erie pref. | 57⅞ | 60 |
| Lake Shore | 106¾ | 107 |
| Louis. & Nash | 81⅝ | 81⅜ |
| Michigan Central | 94½ | — |
| Missouri Pacific | 67⅞ | 68¼ |
| New Jersey Central | 114¾ | 115 |
| Northwestern | 108 | 107¾ |
| Oregon Navigation | — | — |
| Pacific Mail | 40¾ | 40 |
| Reading | — | 38¼ |
| Rock Island | 78¼ | 78¼ |
| St. Paul | 82¾ | 82¾ |

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## BY THE WAY.

—John L. Kretzer was fined $7 yesterday for drunkenness and disorderly conduct.

—Prof. Reynolds will continue his experiments in hypnotism or mesmerism, at Reform Hall, every evening this week.

—The recent harvest moon fair and supper in Vincent chapel netted $300 for the benefit of the new Methodist chapel at Evona.

—The Plainfield Gesang & Turn Verein will have a big fair for the benefit of its German and English school, from the 13th to the 18th inst.

—A tutti-frutti mechanical device which yields a generous sample of its wares in response to the dropping of a cent into the slot, is the latest addition at Mosher's Crescent parlor, 23 North avenue.

—A meeting of the Woman's Home Missionary Society will be held Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock, in the parlors of the Crescent Avenue church. All the ladies of the congregation are cordially invited.

—The trials of the indicted race track men have been put off for a month. A number of Plainfielders are on the struck juries. It will make a difference whether the accused are tried before VanSyckel or McCormick.

—Everybody said that young farmer Rogers of Washingtonville was foolish to plant peas late in the Summer, but he is selling them as fast as he can pick them now at two dollars a bushel, and laughing at the wise old ones who shook their heads.

—The United Tea and Coffee Growers' Association—ever making improvements in conducting their business—have decided to further the convenience of their trade by delivering goods by wagon on Saturday evenings till 9 P. M. See their adv. to-morrow.

—The "Dudley Buck" is the best Quartet in New York or Brooklyn today. Its members are soloists of repute; their voices blend in a beautifully rich and harmonious quality of tone, and they sing with facility and expression. They will give a concert at Music Hall Thursday evening of next week.

—The Young Men's Christian Association will tender a reception to machinists at the Association rooms to-morrow evening between the hours of 8 and 10 o'clock. A fine gymnastic exhibition, musical specialties, refreshments, and social intercourse, will all tend to make the evening one of great pleasure to all.

## PARTICULAR MENTION.

Miss Evie Taylor, of Philadelphia, is visiting Miss Mabel Woodruff, of Second street.

Miss Mary Bradt, of Albany, N. Y., is visiting Miss Jennie VanWinkle, of Madison avenue.

**Republicans Appoint Their Delegates.**

The Republican voters of the First, Second and Third wards met last night and elected delegates as follows:

FIRST WARD—Chairman—J. B. Coward. Secretary—R. E. Coriell. County Convention Delegates—Geo. W. Cole, J. B. Coward, George W. Moore, R. A. Meeker, Elias H. Bird. Assembly Convention Delegates—E. E. Anthony, Theodore Mason, Lewis Peterson, J. Fred MacDonald, Moses Terrill. Members of County Executive Committee—Geo. W. Moore, J. B. Coward.

SECOND WARD—Chairman—W. R. Codington. Secretary—L. J. Denton. Assembly Convention Delegates—H. C. Squires, I. C. Pierson, Bernard B. Gray, Wm. H. Sampson, John Brooks. County Convention Delegates—A. C. Baynon, L. J. Denton, John Johnson, George H. Goddard, S. A. Ginna. Members of County Executive Committee—H. H. Baker, Rufus K. Case.

THIRD WARD—Chairman—John W. Murray. Secretary—Wm. T. Kirk. County Convention Delegates—John W. Murray, Jr., F. A. Dunham, Wm. T. Kirk, Wm. Thompson, Alex. Gilbert. Assembly Convention Delegates—T. O. Doane, F. E. Marsh, Alex. Gilbert, M. M. Dunham, B. F. Coriell. Members of County Executive Committee—J. Frank Hubbard, Ernest R. Ackerman.

The fourth ward primary will be held to-night. The Assembly Convention will be held at the Town Hall, Westfield, Monday, October 13, to nominate a candidate for Member of Assembly. The County Convention will be held at Library Hall, Elizabeth, to-morrow afternoon at two o'clock, for the purpose of nominating candidates for Senator, Sheriff and Coroners.

The Republican primary at Fanwood resulted as follows: County Convention delegates—David P. Hall, Postmaster H. Hand, Dr. F. W. Westcott. Assembly Convention delegates—John Robinson, Lewis W. Miller, Joseph Clark. Members of County Executive Committee—David P. Hall, Lewis W. Miller.

**Getting Ready for the Winter's Work.**

Huribut Circle, C. L. S. C., will meet to-morrow evening in Vincent Chapel, at eight o'clock, to organize for the work of 1890-91. All who desire to become members, or to be informed respecting the purposes of the circle, are invited to attend. The course of readings for the year is varied and interesting, and includes English History, Language and Literature, French Literature, Geology and American Church History.

## HYMENEAL.

THIERS—PELLETRAU.

This evening at the home of the bride's parents, 306 Livingston street, Brooklyn, will take place the wedding of Miss Florence Lansing Pelletrau and Charles Rodolphe Thiers of this city. The immediate relatives and intimate friends only, of the couple, will be present at the ceremony, but a large number of invitations have been issued for a reception to follow from 8 till 10 o'clock. Messrs Emerson and Jackson, of the Crescent League, will be the ushers. Upon their return from a wedding trip, Dr. and Mrs. Thiers will be at home in the Craig homestead on Somerset street. The extensive list of bridal gifts already received, testifies how high a place the couple occupy in the esteem of their large circle of acquaintances. Their friends in the Crescent League presented them with an elegant and costly clock of onyx.

STOVER—SYMONDS.

The marriage of Herbert W. Stover, of this city, and Miss Lillian Symonds, will take place at six o'clock to-morrow evening at the home of the bride's mother, First street, Albany. The affair will be very private because of the recent death of the bride's father. The groom is a son of ex-Councilman and ex-Fire Commissioner Rowland M. Stover, and occupies a lucrative position with John W. Murray's fire insurance company, the German American. The newly-wedded couple will live in this city.

CODDINGTON—WILSON.

The wedding of William Archibald Coddington, of Plainfield, to Miss Ida May Wilson, of the Borough, will take place this evening at six o'clock, at the home of the bride's brother, Albert H. Wilson, of Woodbridge. The officiating clergyman will be the Rev. Mr. Gates, pastor of the Woodbridge M. E. church. The form of ceremony will be Episcopalian. The groom himself, attired in a Prince Albert costume of broadcloth, will escort the bride through an aisle formed by the twinings of silken white ribbon, to the altar nook that has been provided for the occasion in a bay window of the parlors. The bride will wear a handsome costume of white silk, low corsage, and will carry a bouquet of Marechal Niel roses. The wedding march, from Lohengrin, will be played by Miss Imogene Smith, of Dunellen. The pathway over which the bride and groom will pass will be strewn with flowers. The ushers will include Charles B. VanWinkle and Fred Cutter, of Plainfield. The number of guests will be limited strictly to relatives and intimate friends, owing to the recent death of the mother of the groom. A reception will follow the ceremony, and the happy young husband and wife will depart on their wedding trip. Their honeymoon will be spent amid the rare October beauties of the Berkshire Hills and other New England resorts. Their future home is Plainfield.

M'INTYRE—WOODLAND.

Miss Annie Woodland, youngest daughter of the late John A. Woodland, and sister of Henry Woodland of Grandview avenue, was married to David M. McIntyre, of Newark, at her home, 215 Somerset street, North Plainfield, today. Immediately after the ceremony the happy couple boarded an early afternoon train for a wedding trip in the South.

## TURN ON THE LIGHT!

**Let There Be Illumination of Councilmanic Methods as Well as of Streets.**

Superintentendent Moore, of the Plainfield Electric Light Company, told a PRESS reporter today that his company had offered, and offers now, to light the streets of the borough of North Plainfield with lamps of a greater candle-power, and for less money per lamp, than was stipulated in the recent offer of the proposed Edison Electric Light Company of North Plainfield. Yet the Committee on Lights reported at the last meeting of the Borough Council that they preferred the offer of the Edison Company to that of the Plainfield Company. This is a matter that ought to be thoroughly investigated at the next meeting, Friday evening. The money that is spent on street lights comes out of the pockets of the people, and that concern which will give the best service for the least money ought to receive the contract.

**Lawyer Reed Has Lawyer VanNess Put in Jail.**

Some time ago lawyer J. K. VanNess bought at Sheriff's sale a part of the Allen property out East Front street. He paid only a part of the purchase money, and proceedings were commenced to get the rest. The court upon application of Counselor Charles Reed issued its summons for VanNess, but he failed to appear. Then a warrant for his arrest for contempt was placed in Constable Amos Moffett's hands.

After patient waiting and watching the Constable got his hands on VanNess, and the slippery attorney was locked up in the County Jail under Warden Dodd's care.

**Dr. Davis Gets Judgment for His Horse.**

The first case to be tried in the Union County Courts this term was that of Dr. T. S. Davis against Mark Moore. The physician had a horse killed, some time ago, on Peace street, by Moore's driving into it, and the suit for damages resulted. The justice of the doctor's claim was made so apparent by Counselor Chas. A. Reed that he was promptly awarded a verdict for $326.85.

## BANDED TOGETHER FOR EARNEST WORK.

**Progress of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union—New Superintendents Chosen—What is Mapped Out for the Future.**

At a recent meeting of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union the election of the following Superintendents of Department Work for the coming year was confirmed:

Evangelistic—Mrs. Eaton; Loyal Temperance Legion—Miss Beekman; Kitchen Garden—Miss Alice Smith; Literature—Mrs. Yates; Sunday school—Mrs. Winter; Press—Miss C. R. Yates; Parliamentary Usage—Miss C.R. Yates; Parlor meetings—Mrs. P. M. Smith; Hygiene—Mrs. Coard; Unfermented wine—Mrs. Coard; German Work—Mrs. Voehl; Social Purity—Mrs. A. M. Powell; Flower Mission—Miss Mineola Tomlinson.

Reports from these several departments will be given at the Thursday meetings of the Union, which are to be held hereafter at 3:30 P. M., at the Woman's Christian Temperance Union rooms, 73 West Front street, and to which not only the members but the public generally are cordially invited.

Beginning with Oct. 16, the weekly meetings of the Union will be held Thursday afternoon at 3:30.

The regular monthly business meetings of the Union are hereafter to be held on the afternoons of the second Thursday of each month at 3:30 o'clock.

Pursuant to a call by the National Woman's Christian Temperance Union, the meeting of Thursday, Oct. 30, will be set apart for prayer, further notice of which will be given later.

The W. C. T. U. Bazar, which was arranged early last Spring to be held next month, has been postponed to December, commencing on the 9th, in consideration of the November evangelistic meetings, recently announced to be conducted in this city.

## A BRIGHT LIFE CLOSED.

**Death Ends the Useful Career of an Ambitious Young Citizen.**

The funeral of the late Lewis A. Anderson, formerly of Plainfield, and brother-in-law of Lewis M. Bird, of the Borough, took place from his late residence in New Brunswick yesterday. Mr. Anderson was born at Greenpoint, L. I., March 11, 1852, and was in his thirty-ninth year. On April 26, 1876, at the age of 24, he was married to Miss Fannie S. Bird, of Somerset county. Three children blessed their union: Louise, 12 years; George, 9 years; and Harry 6 years. The last is now suffering from typhoid fever, the same disease which caused the father's death. Mr. Anderson was a prominent member of Palestine Lodge, No. 111, Free and Accepted Masons, and at the time of his death was Senior Warden, and would in all probability have been its next Master. He was a member of Ruth Chapter, No. 12, Order of the Eastern Star. He was also a member of St. James' Methodist Episcopal church, Relief Council, Order of United American Mechanics, Washington Commandery, and Secretary of Liberty Hose Company. Every since G. B. Munn, his brother-in-law, has been unable to give his attention to his business, Mr. Anderson had taken entire charge of the Empire Machine Works at New Brunswick, and managed them with marked ability and success, devoting all his energies to this as well as anything else he undertook to do. His motto seemed to be that whatever was worth doing at all was worth doing well. His death is a severe blow to his wife and children, he having recently built and furnished a comfortable home, and was, to all appearances, just reaching life's highest enjoyment.

He was a devoted husband and loving father, affectionate and kind to his family, unselfish and true to his friends, and died leaving a host of them to mourn his untimely end.

**This Year's Events in Bi Club's Tournament.**

The events for the Fall tournament of the Bicycle Club to be held at The Crescent about Nov. 15 will include the following:

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|---|---|---|
| 60 yards dash | Open to Plainfield | |
| Hurdle race (handicap) | " | " |
| 1 mile Safety | " | " |
| ½ mile run (handicap) | " | " |
| 60 yards relief | " | " |
| 1 mile roller skate | " | " |
| Sack race | " | Club |
| 3-legged race | " | " |
| 1 mile Safety Bi | " | " |
| 1 mile ordinary Bi | " | " |
| ¼ mile run (handicap) | " | " |
| ¼ mile run, scholars' champion, scratch. | | |
| Tug of war, Elizabeth Wheelmen and Plainfield Bicycle Club. | | |

Entry fee, 50 cents for the first event; 25 cents, each after. Those who have not already made their entries should do so before the 13th inst., as the committee must have a sufficient number to guarantee success before they can decide whether or not to go ahead.

**Sacred Concert Next Sunday Evening.**

Their first praise service of the season will be given by the Crescent Avenue choir, next Sunday evening. The programme will consist of:

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|---|---|
| Be Merciful to Me, O Lord | Robyn |
| Saviour, when Night Involves the Skies | Shelley |
| O Lord, I Come | Braga |
| The Pillars of the Earth | Tours |
| Trio—Fountain of Life Eternal | Campana |
| Solo, tenor | Rock of Ages |

Is it not surprising that nearly every household in the country should be acquainted with the merits, virtues, and the healthful properties of Hires' Root Beer? For years it has been the standard drink of those who enjoy a delicious temperance beverage. It tones up the system, helps nature, and is just what all need in hot weather. A 25 cent package makes five gallons. Sold everywhere.

**Five Months for Manslaughter.**

BIDDEFORD, Me., Oct. 8.—William Minnehan was convicted of manslaughter at Alfred, and sentenced to five months in jail. Last summer, Minnehan, while drunk, took his children out in a boat. To frighten the youngest, a little girl, he held her over the side of the boat. His hold upon her gave way, and the child fell into the water and was drowned.

**Big Bequest to Amherst College.**

WORCESTER, Mass., Oct. 8.—The will of the late John C. Newton, of this city, has just been admitted to probate. The bulk of the property, amounting to $40,000, is bequeathed to Amherst College as a permanent endowment to the professor's chair, now held by Richard H. Mather, that of Greek and Art of Sculpture.

**Dutch Ports Angry Over Our Tariff.**

LONDON, Oct. 8.—Amsterdam advices represent that the feeling in the Dutch ports is most bitter regarding the McKinley tariff, and that the Dutch Ministry is endeavoring to devise some method of retaliation. This is difficult, owing to the fact that American trade with Holland has been nearly one-sided.

**Report of the Governor of Alaska.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 8.—Lyman E. Knapp, Governor of Alaska, in his annual report to the Secretary says that about 100,000 full-sized fur skins were taken by the Alaska Commercial Company during the year, and probably half as many more were captured at sea and stolen by poaching vessels. The cod fishing industry in Alaska, though far from insignificant, is only a tithe of what it should be. The people of Alaska want a delegate to represent them in Congress.

**Revolution Again Feared in Buenos Ayres.**

BUENOS AYRES, Oct. 8.—This city was thrown into a panic last night by rumors of a new revolution. The troops were called out, and detachments of cavalry patrolled streets. The police were armed and held in readiness to meet any emergency. Reinforcements of artillery came to the city this morning, and the naval fleet were gotten ready to co-operate with the land forces in case of necessity. Many Deputies and Senators passed the night at the President's residence.

**Morley an Envoy of Peace.**

LONDON, Oct. 8.—Mr. John Morley, speaking last night at Swindon, ridiculed the idea that because he had been a Minister he should blindfold himself to the condition of affairs in Ireland. What pleased him more than being a Minister was his being an envoy of peace and hope from the democracy of England to the democracy of Ireland. Every word he had told Englishmen as to the happenings in Ireland was the truth, and he was glad he had helped in the exposure of the magisterial authorities.

**Must Send the Chinamen Back.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 8.—The Treasury Department, in reply to a letter from United States Marshal Brown, of Tacoma, asking what disposition he should make of Chinese laborers found to be in the United States unlawfully, informed him to return to China at once at the Government's expense all such Chinese laborers.

**Guilty of Manslaughter.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 8.—Phenix P. Palmer, the safe mover, who on the 26th of March last, killed lawyer John H. Atkinson, by the blow of a cart rung, was convicted of manslaughter in the first degree, as charged in the indictment last night. The penalty is from 5 to 20 years.

**The Y. C. T. U. Convention.**

ELMIRA, N. Y., Oct. 8.—The Rev. Thomas K. Beecher delivered a formal address of welcome before the W. C. T. U. convention, last evening, and there was also an address by the Rev. Mr. Eastman.

**Guilty of Murder in First Degree.**

SKOWHEGAN, Me., Oct. 8.—Micah W. Norton, charged with murdering his housekeeper, Ann Cooley, in New Portland, last April, has been found guilty of murder in the first degree.

**Bread! Bread! The Cry for Bread!**

A million loaves, not enough for one city! Five millions, not enough for one State! Fifty millions, not enough for this country a single day, yet often what sour, soggy stuff it is, nevertheless it is eaten, and the result is dyspepsia, biliousness, sick headache, impoverished blood, pimples, blotches and scrofula. For the correction of all this, and as a general tonic for the system, take Golden Medical Discovery prepared by Dr. Pierce, of Buffalo. Its action is like a charm, a "benediction that follows after prayer." A remedy for stomanchic and liver troubles, as well as a specific for throat and lung disorders. It is *guaranteed* to benefit or cure, or money refunded.

VAN COURT INN,

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## CITY SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT.

**Mr. Hurlbut Bears Testimony to Principal Goodrich's Service, and Tells the State Superintendent all About the Finest Schools in New Jersey.**

Because of the unavoidable absence of two of the School Trustees on the regular meeting night of the Board of Education which would have been last Monday, the meeting was held a week earlier. At that time City Superintendent Hurlbut presented his annual report as follows:

*To the State Superintendent of Public Instruction:*

DEAR SIR:—I have the honor to present my report of the Plainfield Public Schools, for the year ending August 31, 1890.

As has been stated in former reports, the actual work of the Superintendent is done by the Principal, who is now in charge of five schools, assisted in the management by a Vice Principal in each school building. During all the past year our efficient Principal, Miss Julia E. Bulkley, was absent on leave, engaged in a tour through Europe and the East, both for recreation, health, and the study of school methods in various countries, of which she has now brought home carefully prepared reports. The high standard of our schools was maintained during her absence by the Acting Principal, Mr Lincoln B. Goodrich.

In the Spring of 1889 we opened a new building, the Irving school, on the corner of Monroe avenue and Fourth street, in a rapidly growing suburb of the city known as Evona. The building contains rooms for twelve classes, of which six are already occupied, a larger number than had been expected before the opening. This new building has only partially relieved the overcrowding in the other schools, as it is too remote from the centre of the city to admit of the transfer of many scholars.

During the Winter an unusually large number of teachers and pupils were absent from school through the prevailing epidemic of *la grippe*, which for a time seriously interfered with our school work. Fortunately none of the cases proved fatal, and all the teachers were able after a time to resume their duties.

The night school, which was so successful in 1888, was reopened last Winter. But the pressure of orders in the three large factories of the city required many of the students to work during the evenings; and this fact, together with the prevalence of the epidemic, reduced the night students to such a minimum of attendance that the Board did not feel warranted in keeping the school open after February.

In the Winter a concert was given under the auspices of the High School. The money raised, together with the proceeds of a similar concert the previous year, resulted in a profit of over $160, which was expended in the purchase of new singing books. The musical training in our schools is thorough—every class receiving regular lessons from a special teacher each week, and being drilled between the lessons by the teacher of the class.

Drawing receives attention in our schools. The system is one of the best; and it is conducted by a professional teacher in charge of the department.

It is believed that one of our schools, the Washington, on Fifth street, was the first in New Jersey to receive the present of an American flag, a few years ago. Since that precedent was established, gifts of flags have been made to the other schools, until all have been provided. We think that the flag of the nation, waving upon every school-house, will be an educating influence in character and in love of country.

Our High School has always been marked by a peculiar interest on the part of its Alumni. At every public occasion, the graduates of former years are present in large numbers; the classes have maintained an organization, and meet from time to time; and many of the Alumni have presented gifts to the school. Several valuable pictures, cabinets of minerals, of flora and fauna, and of stuffed birds and animals, have in this way been received, and now ornament the halls of our High School building. Recently the class of 1879 showed its affection for its Alma Mater, by presenting the High School with a beautiful clock.

At the commencement exercises, on June 26, a graduating class of nineteen received diplomas. Three of this number enter Princeton College without conditions; one, Rutgers, on certificate without examination; one, Wellesley, on certificate; and one, the Baltimore Woman's College, on certificate. Vassar College and the State Normal School also receive our graduates upon certificate. We send our graduates to the best colleges in the land without further preparation than is required to graduate in our own High School.

The three graduates of our Training Class who received diplomas at the previous commencement after two years of faithful study and practice in actual teaching work, were among the regular teachers of the school last year and did work that merited approval. The requisite for membership in this Training Class is that the candidate shall be a graduate in our own High School, and shall be approved by the Board of Education. It will not be many years before our own Training Class graduates will supply nearly all the demand in our schools for new teachers.

Let me repeat what I have often stated before, that the high standard of our schools could not be attained by any workers less earnest, aspiring, and devoted, than the noble band of teachers in our schools, than whom no more faithful can be found.

JESSE L. HURLBUT,
City Supt. of Schools.

## OCTOBER TERM OF COURT.

**Cases in Which Plainfielders are More or Less Interested.**

Yesterday morning the October term of Court began at Elizabeth. Sheriff Glasby drew the grand jury, among whom are the following from this city: William M. Sandford, Stewart H. Whitney, Isaac W. Rushmore, Alexander M. Runyon.

The following are the cases in which Plainfielders are interested:

SUPREME COURT CAUSES.

Thomas S. Davis vs. Mark E. Moore; in tort. Chas. A. Reed, William K. McClure.

John Chandler vs. The Plainfield Electric Light Company. R. V. Lindabury, Jackson & Codington.

Susan C. Savage vs. Noah W. Pike; on contract. Aug. W. Cutler, William K. McClure.

CIRCUIT COURT CAUSES.

Monroe B. Long and John H. Jackson, executors of Frazee Lee, deceased, vs. Nicholas Mooney; on contract. Jackson & Codington, Vail & Ward.

Elizabeth Schneider vs Elizabeth Giese; on contract Craig A. Marsh, Jackson & Codington.

William H. Clum vs. Job Male; on contract. J. P. Hoffman, Jr., Craig A. Marsh.

John M. Doubleday vs. Patrick Casey; on contract. Craig A. Marsh, John T. Dunn.

Walter G. Runyon, applt., vs. Thomas Thompson, applee. Justice V. W. Nash.

Cornelia A. Pickel, applt., vs. Henry Smith, applee. Justice J. O'Oakley Nodyne.

Wilson Fisk, applt., vs. Thomas O. Bullock, et al., partners, etc., applee. Justice J. Oakley Nodyne.

JUSTICE APPEAL LIST.

Tunis J. Corey, applt., vs Jos. B. Miller et al., applee. Justice V. W. Nash.

Louisa Davis, applt., vs. Theo. F. French et als., as French Brothers, applee. Justice J. Oakley Nodyne.

Patrick Muldoon, applt., vs. Nathan Rosenblum, applee. Justice V.W. Nash.

William Callahan, applt., vs. The Treasurer of the City of Plainfield, applees. Judge W. R. Codington.

**Mount Ararat's Champion Whipped by an Elizabeth Unknown.**

*(From the Elizabeth Journal.)*

Monday night the fight between Frank Smith of Westfield and the Unknown of Elizabeth took place at the mills at Staten Island. Both parties left Elizabeth at 11:30 in a tug boat for the battle grounds. They were received by their friends, and at 1:15 the fighters took their corners. Time was called, the men came to the centre of the ring, shook hands and pounded away. The Westfield lad had the best of it till the sixth round, when the Unknown settled down to business, landing his left on the eye of his opponent, who showed signs of fear. The Unknown did not stop till he succeeded in knocking his man senseless to the ground. He was given time, but came up only to receive the terrible left hand of the Unknown, which knocked him clear out of time. The unknown was carried out on the shoulders of his friends with cheers and with yells. The Unknown has fought twenty-four battles and lost but one. A large amount of money changed hands.

**Changes in Real Estate.**

Among recent real estate transfers in this vicinity are recorded the following:

George H. Dunham and wife, of New York, to Isaac S. Randolph, of Plainfield, on Clinton avenue, Plainfield, 171x200 feet, $1,000.

Jeremiah Manning and wife and others, of Plainfield, to Julia A. Garett, wife of William H. Garett, Plainfield, land on Sandford avenue, Plainfield, 420 feet North west from East Front street, 60x 198 feet, $2,500.

Elizabeth C. Taylor and Henry A. Taylor, of Milford, Conn., to Robert L. Livingston, of Plainfield, land in Westfield Township, on Southeast side Broad street, 80x100 feet, $100.

Edward J. Mercier and wife, of Milburn, N. J., to Floyd F. Simmons, of New Providence, 19 acres and 7,500 square feet of land in New Providence and North Plainfield, $2,400.

**What Carey's Organ Would Call, "Another Lie Nailed."**

Carey's lawyer Bergen—who is also counselor to the Hon. John Kean, Jr., who has stopped the building of waterworks in Plainfield—seems to have been too busy to read in full in THE PRESS the brief of Corporation Counsel Marsh to the Supreme Court in defense of Mayor Male and the Board of Police for suspending the policeman with the foul mouth.

Counselor Bergen begins his reply to the defendants' brief with these words: 'In his argument for the defendants, counsel prudently ignores the act of 1885." This is entirely false. Counselor Marsh refers to that particular act more than once, and cites cases decided under it and decisions construing it.

**Promised One Girl and Married Another.**

A warrant has been issued by Justice Nash for the arrest of Thomas Peterson, colored, on complaint of Lizzie Courtney, who trusted her honor and happiness to his keeping, and found too late that men betray. She discovered his faithlessness only after he had gone to Brooklyn and had married another woman, and now she wants him punished for failing to keep his promise of marriage to her.

## PILLS FOR DYSPEPTICS.

AT a hotel: Traveler (sitting up in bed with his watch in his hand)—Six o'clock. And they haven't come to wake me yet. I shall miss my train!

SOMETIMES a typographical error adds zest, as in one "local" which began: "Dr. Smith, who is widely known as one of the most killful of our physicians," the "s" having disappeared.

FIRST Young Lady (examining the directory in drug store)—"I can not find the name in this directory, Ethel!" Second Young Lady—"No? What shall we do?" First Young Lady—"Let us go to another drug store and examine their directory."

DURING a hunt a Lieutenant fired at a rabbit, but missed it and narrowly missed the Major of his regiment, who was in front of him. "Donnerwetter!" exclaimed the Major. "I say, Lieutenant, are you shooting at rabbits or for promotion?"

MISS WALDO (firmly and with an heroic look in her eyes)—"I shall marry Clarence, papa, come what may. My wifely influence, I am sure, will lead him to reform." Father—"I did not know he was dissipated, Penelope." Miss Waldo—"He isn't, papa, but his grammar is something atrocious."

"OH, sir," continued the Texas traveler, "you do not not know what it is to be in the hands of a desperate gang of men, to have a rope round your neck, to feel it crushing and crushing on your throat, to—" "No," interrupted the other, "but I know what it is to propose to and be accepted by a Boston girl."

GRADGRIND (to his employes)—"Nobody but me is to touch that clock. Nobody is to begin or leave off work except as it indicates the time." Foreman—"Yes, sir." Gradgrind (the next day)—"Why, the day is one-fourth gone and nobody's at work! What does this mean?" Foreman (meekly)—"You forgot to wind the clock, sir."

A COLORED dude chanced to be among the seated passengers in a Washington horse-car. A young lady of his own color entered, and he immediately arose and offered her his seat. She gracefully demurred, and said: "I do not like to deprive you of your seat, sir." "Oh! no depravity, miss," was his reply; "no depravity at all; I prefer to stand."

A PROSPEROUS quack was asked by a doctor how it was he had so many customers. The quack took him to his window overlooking a crowded street, and said: "What proportion of the people passing do you think are sensible persons with well-balanced minds?" "Perhaps one in ten," was the rejoinder. "Just so," said the quack, "and I get the nine."

A STOUT man, with a large bag and a distressed countenance, came to a ticket-seller's window one day, and said, excitedly: "Tell me what time the three-fifty train leaves?" The ticket-seller looked at him with a fixed and solemn gaze a moment, and then answered: "It leaves at ten minutes of four." "Ten minutes of four!" exclaimed the stout gentleman; "what a fraud these railroads are! Actually misleading people five minutes in their time-tables for the fun of seeing them left!"

AFTER shopping for the greater part of a recent afternoon, a well-known Brooklyn lady, with a letter in her hand, entered a drug store. She asked for and received a postage stamp. "Any thing else to-day, ma'am?" inquired the clerk. "No, I think not," she replied; "please send it to the house." "I—I beg pardon, ma'am," stammered the clerk, "but what is it you wish to have delivered?" "Why, the—the—" Then, suddenly refreshing her mind, she quickly added: "Oh, well, never mind it," and took the postage stamp and walked out.

## STATISTICAL SHREDS.

OF every million people in the world 800 are blind.

JUST 250,000 women are married yearly in England.

OVER 10,000 Irish people settle in England every year.

THERE were 86,981 paupers in London in the third week in July—4,215 indoor and 82,766 outdoor.

THE census of St. Petersburgh, taken in July last, shows a population of 853,882. In December, 1889, the population was 1,003,315.

OVER 110,000—to be exact, 111,589—emigrants embarked during the last quarter from the various ports of the British Isles. These include 35,468 foreigners.

THE mortality of the globe is said to be 67 every minute, 97,790 every day, or 35,630,835 every year. The births amount to 100,000 every day, 36,792,000 every year.

IN 1860, when the population of England and Wales was a little below 20,000,000, there were over 800,000 paupers. Now, with an estimated population of 29,000,000, the number has fallen to 685,000.

THE proportion of insane to sane persons in the United States is one in every 262; in Scotland it is one in every 574; in the agricultural districts of England it is one in 820; in London the proportion is one in 400.

OF the entire human race 506,000,000 are well clothed, that is, they wear garments of some kind; 250,000,000 habitually go naked, and 700,000,000 only cover parts of the body; 500,000,000 live in houses, 700,000,000 in huts and caves and 250,000,000 virtually have no shelter.

ACCORDING to the results of an inquiry instituted by the French Government, there are at present in France 3,000,000 households in which there has been no child; 2,500,000 in which there was one; 2,500,000, two children; 1,500,000, three; about 1,000,000, four; 550,000, five; 330,000, six, and 200,000, seven or more.

FRANCE has 38,000,000 of population, 11,995 doctors, while it graduates 624 medical students in one year. Germany has 45,000,000 of population, about 30,000 doctors, and graduates 925 students in one year. The United States has about 60,000,000 of population, nearly 100,000 doctors, 13,091 medical students, and graduated 3,740 students in one year.

## SEMI-NEWSY AND WHOLLY NICE.

GLOVES with webs between the fingers are a recent invention, intended to aid swimmers is getting a better purchase on the water than the bare hand gives.

COWHIDE horse-shoes are reported to be growing in favor in England and other parts of Europe. They have the advantages of lightness, great durability, superior adhesion and avoidance of split hoofs. The Japanese are said to have used straw horse-shoes for centuries, the straw being treated by an unknown chemical process.

THE legend as to the origin of woman is different with various nations. Not more than four nations accept the legend that she was made from a man's rib. The Japanese believe that she grew on a tree, the Laplanders that she was once a rabbit, the Persians that she fell from the heavens, and the Australians that she was first a toad-stool.

A PATENTED weather prognosticator sold in Prague is a landscape colored with the salts of cobalt. These colors are very sensitive to moisture and are made still more so by mixture with gelatine. With increasing moisture in the atmosphere, the blue heavens of the picture assume a dirty red hue, and the green grass and foliage, the yellow background, etc., are also strikingly changed in color.

A SWEET girl graduate, says an exchange, thus described the manner in which a goat butted a boy out of the front yard: "He hurled the previous end of his anatomy against the boy's afterward with an earnestness and velocity which, backed by the ponderosity of the goat's avoirdupois, imparted a momentum that was not relaxed until he landed on terra firma beyond the pale of the goat's jurisdiction."

AN apiary on wheels is one of the latest innovations in California. After the foot-hills have been pastured the bee herder moves his bees to a higher elevation, where the industrious insects gather the nectar stored in the blossoms of wild clover, chapparal and other plants, and when these have been relieved of their saccharine matter the bees are again moved to a higher elevation, where flowers peculiar to their region yield up their sweets to them.

A KANSAS CITY street-car conductor has found an easy way to beat the bell-punch. He goes off to some secluded spot at night, notes the number indicated by the register, pulls the machine till it has counted off the entire ten thousand and begun at one again, after which he rings till the register indicates one hundred less than when he began and stops. He is then in a position to ring fares honestly all next day, and be five dollars ahead of the company at night.

A SURGEON on a Cunard liner has been noting the peculiarities of cigar lighting practiced by men of different nationalities. "If a party are sitting down for a smoke," says he, "the Frenchman will scratch a match, wait till the brimstone has exhausted itself, and, with a smile and gracious bow, will pass it to his nearest neighbor before lighting his own weed. The German, after igniting the match, will first light his own cigar, and then offer the match to his friend. But the oddest character of all is the Englishman. His weed ready for use, he will strike his match, light his cigar, and, without a thought of the others, will deliberately drop the lucifer into the nearest receptacle."

## WELL-KNOWN LITERATI.

GENERAL LONGSTREET is understood to be engaged upon a history of the civil war and especially of the campaign in which he had a share.

THE many who have enjoyed the writings of Mrs. Rose Terry Cooke will regret to learn that in these later days of her life she is an almost confirmed invalid. She is confined to her home at Pittsfield, Mass., and suffers much pain from rheumatic troubles.

GEORGE MEREDITH, the novelist, looks younger than his years, which are sixty-two. In addition to his novel writing he is a "reader" for a big firm of publishers in London. He is the most indulgent of readers, and often enters into correspondence with the ambitious authors and gives them advice.

THE backyard of Lord Tennyson's home is said to be strewn with clay pipes that he has used and discarded. The poet is a prodigious smoker, and, like Carlyle, he prefers the humble clay pipe, rarely smoking a cigar. He is now over eighty years old, and looks more like a farmer than a man of letters.

AMONG the presents received by Dr. Oliver Wendell Holmes on his eighty-first birthday was a gold-lined silver spoon, the handle of which bore a witch on a broomstick, the word Salem and the emblematic witch pins crossed, which a lady brought as a token of his latest poem, the "Broomstick Train."

HENRIK IBSEN, who continues his quiet and reticent life at Munich, has recently begun to write a new drama. His son, Dr. Sigurd Ibsen, is also engaged in literary work at present, the subject being a book on the relations between Norway and Sweden. Dr. Sigurd Ibsen is a notorious malcontent with regard to the existing state of affairs.

THE real name of Mrs. Alexander, the popular novelist, is Mrs. Hector. She gave up writing some years ago to please her husband, who, she says, "thought a writing woman an abomination." Since Mr. Hector's death, she has resumed her pen. "The Wooing O't" is her most famous work, and the one which first brought her favorable notice. Mrs. Alexander lives in London, where, she says, she can always write better than anywhere else.

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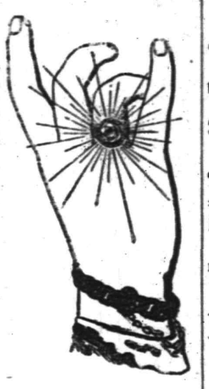

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## POETIC MELLIFLUENCE.

**Love's Dawn.**

In wandering through waste places of the world
I met my love and knew not she was mine.
But soon a light more tender, more divine,
Filled earth and heaven; richer cloud-curtains furled
The west at eve; a softer flush impearled
The gates of dawn; a note more pure and fine
Rang in the thrush's song; a rarer shine
Varnished the leaves by May's sweet sun uncurled.
To me, who loved but knew not, all the air
Trembled to shocks of far-off melodies,
As all the summer's rustling thrills the trees
When Spring's suns strike their boughs, asleep and bare.
And then, one blessed day, I saw arise
Love's morning, glorious, in her candid eyes.
—John Hay, in Century.

**The Ballad of a Bivalve.**

A plump little oyster that lived in the sea,
As pretty and pert as an oyster might be;
And all through the summer he chuckled and smiled
To see all his neighbors from ocean beguiled,
The perch and the blue-fish, the bass and the shad
Were lured from their lairs in a fashion most sad;
But the oyster remained in his usual place,
And remarked: "'Tis as plain as the nose on my face
Men are 'fraid of me,
As they well may be;"
And he chuckled and snirked in bivalve glee:
"Te-he!"
Such a jocular oyster he!

"The fish and the crabs and the scallops," quoth he,
"Are not war-like and savage of aspect like me.
Our enemies come with their nets and their hooks,
And attack them because of their amiable looks.
As for me, I have nothing to do all the day
But laugh and grow fat in a jovial way:
At all my companions my fun I can poke,
For they say that men eat 'em—well, that *is* a joke."
Oh, he seemed as free
As the rolling sea;
So he laughed and giggled outrageously:
"Te-he!"
Such a rollicking oyster he!

But the days of the summer were not long lived,
And the months with the R's in 'em soon arrived;
Then that little oyster, whose points were true blue,
Discovered himself in a deuce of a stew;
'Twas awfully lonesome and comfortless there,
And he wished that he wasn't so plump and so fair.
No kith or kindred could hear him moan—
'Twas a church fair supper—he was alone.
They drew lots, you see,
For they couldn't agree
To divide that bivalve once so free.
Ah, me!
Such a dolorous oyster he!
—Harry B. Smith, in America.

**Speak the Truth.**

Speak the truth, boy—promptly, boldly,—
Though the speaking cost you pain,
And your best friends treat you coldly,
In their anger and disdain.
All are faulty, and confessior
Half atones for error done,
While of truth you hold possessior
You've a friend—a trusty one.

Speak the truth! If you have wandered
Blindly from the path of right,
And in your delusion squandered
Time in chasing vain delight,
Strive by every wise endeavor
To regain what you have lost;
Yield to vile deception never,
Speak the truth at any cost.

Speak the truth! No man sleeps sweetly
While a lie lurks in his breast;
Peace of mind is wrecked completely,
Stung is conscience, dead is rest.
Miserable is the sinner
While the truth remains untold,
Nor is he of peace a winner
Till he speaks out free and bold.

Speak the truth and fear no evil—
Truth is noble, truth is grand,
Lies are fathered by the devil,
And will die while truth will stand.
Lies, like reefs, will wreck and blight you
Ere your bark can reach the shore—
Truth, the beacon grand, will light you,
And conduct you safely o'er.
—Francis S. Smith, in N. Y. Weekly.

**Slander.**

A friend's fair fame is a fragile thing,
And, stabbed by a word untrue,
Though the wealth of worlds to your aid you bring
You can not remove the slanderous sting.
Nor the wrong you have done, undo.

So 'tis better to speak a kindly word
Than to smile with knowing smile,
When the tongue of slander by malice stirred,
Pours out the tale which were best unheard,
That is filled with fraud and guile.
—Beth Day, in Housekeeper.

**My Summer Trip.**

I've been abroad this summer!
I went by the "Hammock" line;
I made a most beautiful voyage,
For the weather was always fine.

My companion, a bright little squirrel,
Who chattered and winked at me.
The sea birds were red breasted robins,
The sky was the deep blue sea.

The "wind that blew over the ocean"
Touched Victoria's wide domain;
It carried me down into Venice;
It took me to storied Spain.

I saw the most wonderful castles—
I never could tell you all
The beautiful pictures of dreamland
That came at a moment's call.

I boarded the vessel in August,
One sunshiny day at three,
And of all the summer excursions
This seemed the best to me.

For though I kissed the baby,
And hugged her to me tight,
I was always back at twilight,
To kiss her again good-night.
—Mrs. A. S. Roe, in Table Talk.

**Katy Did.**

Katy sang a merry song,
Katy did! Katy did!
Through the summer evenings long,
Katy did!
When the sun had left the west
And the birds had gone to rest,
Then she sang her very best,
Katy did, did, did!

Katy brought us tidings true,
Katy did! Katy did!
In the twilight and the dew,
Katy did!
For she said the frost so still
Would be creeping o'er the hill,
And the nights would grow more chill,
Katy did, did, did!

Soon, she said, he would be here,
Katy did! Katy did!
Turning meadow, crisp and sere,
Katy did!
Then, she said, the chestnut's burr
Would be open with a stir,
And she gave her wings a whir!
Katy did, did, did!

So she gave us warning fair,
Katy did! Katy did!
That we might for him prepare,
Katy did!
Fill the storehouse and the bin,
Gather all the apples in,
Thus our praises she did win,
Katy did, did, did!
—Helen Whitney Clark, in Golden Days.

## PICTURESQUE VAGS.

**Exhibiting Animals Nowadays Made a Precarious Business.**

**No Room for It in New York City—An Odd Scene in a Court-Room—Where Bears Come From and How They Are Trained.**

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[Special Correspondence.]

Charles Lamb, in one of his dainty essays, lamented the decay of beggars in the metropolis. What he termed the "all-sweeping besom of societarian reformation" was driving their picturesque tatters and lineaments trained to supplication from accustomed nooks and corners. A pathetic and graceful plea he put in to save the beloved vagrants. His sympathetic pen set out a rather seamy subject in soft and pleasing lights; its crude colors were shaded down with the conceptions of a gentle fancy; and the effect was charming, even to those irascible persons who regarded beggars as a nuisance, and welcomed their proposed extirpation. Elia declared the vagrant to be "the only man in the universe who was not obliged to study appearances;" that the ups and downs of the world concerned him not; that nobody expected him to go bail or surety; and that, in short, he was the only free man among us. In

THE BLUE COAT PROTECTING THE LAW.

vain the beggar was invested with poetical associations that no one had discovered but the quaint essayist. The flat had gone forth that the tatterdemalion must take himself and his physical and vocal importunities hence, and Charles Lamb in his daily walks to the bank began to miss many a familiar figure. One can imagine him returning to earth and lifting up his hands in horror to learn how precarious the ordinances of modern society have made the ancient trade of mendicancy in all its forms; how it has been hedged about by prohibitions and permits; and how the edicts extend even to instruments of melody and to dumb animals that afford mirth and innocent amusement to little children.

The writer well remembers a scene in Jefferson market police court, New York City, one Sunday morning. The benches were filled, as usual, with the friends of the slatternly and unkept prisoners who filed out from the stone cells to answer the same old charges of intoxication, disorderly conduct, assault and battery, etc. Fines were settled and outcast offenders were sent back to serve a day in durance vile for every dollar unpaid. Still the court-room did not thin out. Everybody was waiting to see what disposition was to be made of the case foreign to his experience. The prisoners—there was a whole tribe of them—made a picturesque group. There were three well-built, sturdy men, dressed in rough corduroy and wearing long boots. Each had a shock of black hair, blunt, vacuous features and a woolen comforter tied around his neck. Then there were as many olive-cheeked, sloe-eyed women, with squat figures and large feet shod with coarse boots. They wore bright-hued shawls over their heads and massive gold ornaments in their ears. Four or five open-eyed children, who were small editions of their fathers and mothers in features and dress, completed this motley party. The magistrate surveyed them with an amused smile, and, turning to an officer, asked him what was the charge against these people.

"Leading bears through the streets, without a permit, your honor," was the reply, and everybody tittered at the enormity of the offense.

"Don't you know," asked the justice, with an affectation of sternness, of the oldest of the men, "that you have no business to turn the streets of this town into a circus?"

The prisoner addressed—he was a Savoyard—shook his head and then poured forth a torrent of patois, gesticulating wildly as he told the story of his wrongs in free America. Then there

SOME OF BRUIN'S TRICKS.

was a loud demand for an interpreter, and while one was being found the seedy lawyer, who had invited himself to defend the prisoners, told the magistrate that the Savoyards, who had dropped into the city no one knew how, were attempting to give a performance with their bears on a West street dock when arrested. Not one of them could speak English. The lawyer said their ignorance of the customs of the country was a sufficient defense, and he asked that they be allowed to go their way without fine.

By this time an interpreter had been found, in the person of a rag-picker, whose features still showed the traces of a night's debauch, for which he had paid into the city treasury the sum of five dollars as the price of his entertainment on the flagstones of a cell. With many a vernacular struggle he drew from the oldest Savoyard the story of the band. They had come over in the steerage of an Italian steamer from Genoa, bringing the bears with them. Previously they had heard dazzling tales of the fortunes to be made in America by exhibitions of performing bears, and how the natives, having more money than they knew what to do with, showered gold upon those who amused them. The Savoyards had no sooner landed than they prepared to gather the first fruits of their harvest. The three bears, after standing on their heads in a row, had just begun to dance a clumsy jig to the wild shouts of the natives, when a man in a blue coat and waving a heavy stick gave the party to understand, bears and all, that they must come with him. The tin cups had not even been passed round for the money.

"Are the bears in court?" asked the magistrate, with mock solemnity.

At this there was a general roar of laughter, and when it subsided the officer said the bears had been put into a stable on Barrow street, pending disposition of the case. The old Savoyard, in his grating patois, began to exclaim against the outrage of taking away his bears and locking the party up in cold cells all night. He thought it was a free country, where the foreigner met with kindness. As it wasn't, they would all go elsewhere if the judge would give them the bears. His honor said that unless the Savoyards had money sufficient for their present wants he would be obliged to ship them back to Italy, together with their animals. One of the prisoners produced a bundle. It was a knotted bandanna, and when he untied it a store of silver coins was disclosed. The magistrate thereupon decided that they must pay for the first experience in a free country the sum of five dollars, and he directed the policeman to see the men, women, children and bears over the Harlem river, at which the officer made a very wry face. Five dollars to these Old World vagrants sounded like a fine of cruel proportions, and there were tearful and excruciating lamentations before they paid it.

The bear which these people exhibit for bread is usually the cinnamon variety, found in the Pyrenees or Vosges mountains. Not being essentially a carniverous animal—that is to say, feeding on fruit, honey, vegetables and smaller animals—he is easily managed, and if taken young learns a few simple tricks, such as climbing a pole at the word, footing a measure to the strains of an accordeon, counting up to ten with a movement of his paw, marching with a stick for a gun, catching a pole and making a salaam. He is by no means an intellectual animal, and it is only by a great expenditure of patience and constant prodding with an iron-shod staff that he acquires the tricks which so amuse the children. Old bears are not in demand for show purposes. In their natural state they serve to guide the

TRAINED BEAR AND MASTER.

mountaineer to the cave where their cubs are housed. It becomes an easy affair to capture the little fellows after the big ones are trapped. The cost of a cub is trifling to the French or Italian stroller. A few dollars will buy one in almost any town in the Mediterranean districts. In America the dealers make you pay dearly for the privilege of possessing a cinnamon bear. Out of curiosity the writer asked a well-known Park row dealer in wild animals what the market price of a young cinnamon bear was. "It will cost you $300," he said, "and you can't get one cheaper in this country."

The common black bear of America is sometimes carried around the country by the French Canadians. They cross the line in the spring and exhibit through the New England and New York country places, working their way to the factory towns, where they have compatriots. In the wilderness the black bear is almost as timid as a wild duck. You may hear him breaking through the bush in a lumbering run as you approach, and he will never face you unless he is come upon suddenly, or is rendered desperate by hunger. The dam, if her young are in the vicinity, is apt to show her teeth to the intruder—she has forty-two of them. In confinement the American bear—like a true lover of liberty—often grows morose and vicious. He does not prove so tractable as the brown bear of Europe. Not long ago a sinewy French-Canadian was earning a pretty penny by giving wrestling exhibitions with his bear, an unusually big black one.

Birds that can tell one's fortune have made their appearance in recent years, and the gentle creatures bid fair to eclipse the popularity of the monkeys. They are usually the property of a calm-eyed philosopher who has long ago awakened to the folly of shouldering his way through the hurly-burly to snatch an existence. With his infinite patience he teaches his little pets—they are canaries or small green paroquets—to hop off a perch on which they sit unconfined together, and, flying to a little cabinet, to select an envelope. Returning to their perch they allow the fortune-seeker to take the fateful decree from their bill. According as you are a gentleman or lady—that is what the bird proprietor calls you—these cunning creatures pick out a missive relating to good luck in worldly affairs or to matrimony.

## ELECTRICITY'S ECCENTRICITIES

A large chestnut tree measuring eighteen feet in circumference at the base was struck by lightning near Frederick, Mo., and split in the center from top to bottom. There was no storm at the time.

A tree in Nashville caught fire from an electric wire. One limb was burned entirely off. A policeman threw water on the burning limb with a hose, and when the water struck the fire he experienced a severe electric shock.

Gottfried Lawrence, of Greenwood, Pa., was struck by lightning and instantly killed. The queer fact in connection with his death is that he was sitting between two other men and neither of these two men were injured in the least.

John Fess, of Medaryville, Ind., was struck by lightning, every bone in his body being broken. Downey Knotts, seated on the wagon seat beside him, escaped unhurt, and so did the horses Fess was driving, but a dog trotting under the wagon was killed.

During a thunder-storm a thunderbolt came down out of the clouds into the back yard of Peter Shugarts, of Clayville, Pa., and struck his pump. It was a new wooden pump, and the lightning knocked it into splinters and ran down the sucker rod until it reached the water, when it jumped off.

Lightning struck the house of Fred Kapper, in Houghton County, Mich., and the bolt passed within a few feet of his wife, who for years had been a sufferer from inflammatory rheumatism. She was violently shocked, and felt, as she says, "as if ten thousand pins had punctured my flesh." Since that moment her rheumatic pains have left her.

While services were being held in a church in Twiggs County, Ga., there came a vivid flash of lightning, accompanied by a quick and terrific peal of thunder. The lightning struck a tree thirty yards from the church, under which thirteen negroes were gathered. One was instantly killed and ten wounded. The entire party was hurled to the ground senseless.

During a recent thunder-storm in Philadelphia, the lightning indulged in some strange freaks in the vicinity of Chestnut and Twelfth streets. Balls of fire darted through the air, and two of them passed through a window into the fourth floor of Darlington, Runk & Co.'s dry goods store and exploded, creating intense excitement. Another ball entered the establishment of the S. S. White Dental Company and shattered an electric light.

During a thunder-storm in a Colorado lumber camp a Mexican was struck on the head by lightning, which run down one side of his face, over the shoulder, transversely across the breast, down around one leg and out through the shoe top. His face was badly burned, and the course of the current over him was marked by a red brand. His clothes were torn from him and the sole of the shoe completely torn off. He lay apparently dead, and was left at the place until the storm was over. After lying in the rain for two hours he was resuscitated, and is now as well as ever except for the burn.

## RICH ARCHÆOLOGICAL FINDS.

An urn containing a mixture of dark mold and fragments of bone was brought to light recently by the workmen engaged in making a railway cut near Botley station, Hants, England. It is believed that the vessel is a Celtic cinerary urn.

A farmer of Joanna, near Reading, Pa., in digging an excavation unearthed a large iron plate three feet square, bearing date April 4, 1570. Two Indians are represented on one side of the plate and a pair of anchors on the reverse side. The plate also bears an inscription in German. It is believed that the iron plate was part of a stove made in Germany or Holland 320 years ago.

While prospecting for borax recently in Salt Well valley, Cal., Dr. Woodin found some petrified bones of an extinct animal. The ball part of the hip joint is nearly as large as the crown of a Derby hat. The corresponding bone of an ox is about the size of a hen's egg. The size of the extinct animal may be inferred from this comparison. Other parts of the skeleton of the same animal were found.

An interesting Indian relic was found recently near Clark's station, Wilkes County, Ga. It is an earthen pot that will hold a little more than a gallon, burned hard, and in almost a perfect state of preservation. Some think it was shaken in a willow basket, as the small indentations all over the outside indicate. Portions of the outside are blackened from being used on the fire. This pot was buried under a field that has been in cultivation for perhaps half a century, and the washing of the soil discovered it.

The excavations in a hill on the plain of Marathon by the Archæological Society of Athens have resulted in the discovery of charred bones, believed to be the remains of the one hundred and ninety-two Athenians who fell in the famous battle. Several years ago Dr. Schliemann made excavations at the same place, but he met with no success, and renounced the work. The charred bones were found at a depth of thirty-nine feet, near the base of the hill. In addition to the remains urns were found, which according to a custom of that time were buried empty. At a later date the ashes were placed in them. The excavations are to be continued.

Dr. J. F. Snyder, a Virginia, Ill., archæologist, has just returned home from Schuyler County, Ill., where he opened an Indian mound. The corpse was in the tumulus of a chief. The corpse had been laid with the head to the east. On the forehead of the decayed skeleton was found a crescent-shaped ornament of thin, hammered copper. On the breast had been placed a large sheet of mica, that no doubt had served as a mirror. On one side of the skull was a small pottery vase of peculiar form. In one hand was a small stone axe and in the other several arrows and spearheads of flint, a few bone awls and fragments of a large seashell.

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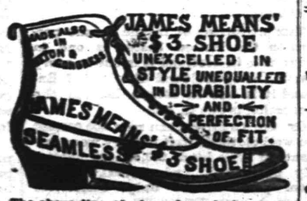


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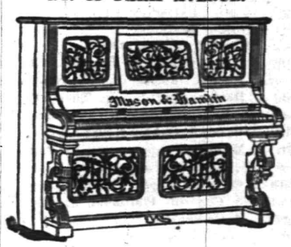


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Leave Plainfield 3 37, 5 54, 8 38, 9 29, 6 59, 7 26 7 30, 7 58, 8, 8 15, 8 37, 9 03, 10 05, 11 09, 11 39, A. M., 1, 1 41, 2 07, 2 30, 3 12, 3 51, 5 08, 5 31, 6 07, 6 54, 7 03, 8 31, 9 28, 10 12, 11 28 P. M. Sunday—3 37, 5 54, 8 01, 8 52, 11 02, 11 16 A. M., 12 33, 1 33, 3 30, 5 16, 7 01, 7 10, 8 23, 8 32, 10 02 P. M.

Leave New York from foot of Liberty street, 4 30, 5 45, 7, 7 45, 8 45, 10, 11, A. M., 1, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 4 45, 4 30, 5, 5 15, 5 30, 5 45, 6, 6 15, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 8, 9 30, 9 15, 10, 11 30 P. M., 12 15, night. Sunday—4 30, 7 8 30, 9 30, A. M., 12 M., 1, 1 15, 4, 5 30, 6, 7, 9 00, 10 00 P. M., 12 15 night.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield 5 38, 6 29, 6 59, 7 30, 8, 8 37, 9 32, 10 05, 11 09, 11 39, A. M., 1, 2 07, 2 30, 3 12, 3 51, 5 08, 5 31, 6 07, 6 54, 7 03, 8 31, 10 12, 11 28 P. M. Sunday—8 01, 8 52, 11 16, A. M., 12 33, 1 33, 3 30, 5 16, 7 01, 7 10, 8 23, 8 32, 10 02 P. M.

Leave Newark 7 10, 7 50, 8 55, 10 10, 11 05 A. M., 1 05, 1 35, 2 40, 3 40, 4 02, 4 37, 5 05, 5 30, 5 55, 6 25, 7 15, 7 35, 8 20, 9 35, 10 10, 11 25 P. M. Sunday—7 20, 8 40, 9 05, 9 50, A. M., 12 05, 1 10, 4 10, 5 40, 6 05 7 05, 9 25, 10 20 P. M.

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PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7, 8 07, 9 42, 11, 11 58 A. M., 1 50, 2 32, 3 45, 4 34, 5 20, 5 34, 6 20, 6 38, 7 03, 7 12, 7 34 8 20, 9 43, 11 13, 12 43 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 13, 9 48, A. M., 2 03, 2 30, 5 14, 6 35, 10 15, 11 14 P. M.

Leave Somerville, 6, 6 30, 7 03, 7 25, 7 35, 7 48 9 05, 9 47, 11 15 A. M., 12 35, 1 15, 1 48, 2 05, 3 2 4 40, 5 12, 5 35, 8 05, 8 50, 11 05, P. M. Sunday—8 25, 10 35 A. M., 12 08, 305, 4 50, 6 40, 8 03, 8 05, 9 36 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7, 8 07, 9 42, A. M., 1 50, 4 34, 5 20, 6 38, 8 20 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 13 A. M., 2 03, 6 35 P. M.

Leave Easton 6 05, 8 44, 10 A. M., 12 32, 4 09, 6 49 P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 52, A. M., 6 40, 7 30 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 7, 9 42 A. M., 1 59, 5 20 P. M. Sunday—9 12 A. M.

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LEAVE PLAINFIELD.

5 45 A. M. for Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

7 A. M. for High Bridge Branch and Easton.

9 07 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 42 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c.

1 59 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, &c.

4 34 P. M. for D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

5 20 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Schooley's Mountain, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, &c.

6 20 P. M. for Flemington.

6 38 P. M. for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg.

8 20 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

8 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Wilkesbarre and Scranton, 8, 14 a. m. Sundays for High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, shamokin, &c., 2 05 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua and Pottsville. 6 35 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m. 1 p. m.

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For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 38, 8, 10 05, 11 09 a. m., 1, 3 51, 5 31, 7 03 p. m. Sunday—8 52 a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8, 11 09 a. m., 1, 3 51, 5 31 p. m.

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## RUBE BURROWS' END

### Tragic Death of the Notorious Train Robber.

**HE ESCAPES FROM THE JAIL.**

After Cunningly Getting the Drop on His Two Guards.

**He Then Boldly Enters a Hotel and Demands the Return of Money Taken From Him by One of His Captors, Who He Wounds and Is Then Himself Shot Dead.**

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Oct. 9.—The killing of Rube Burrows at Linden, Ala., early yesterday morning, by one of his captors, J. C. Carter, has rid the country of one of the most daring outlaws and train robbers that has terrorized a portion of the South in years.

It is now learned that Burrows was captured about 4 o'clock Tuesday afternoon near Myrtle, Monroe County, Ala. John McDuffee, a farmer, succeeded in leading him into a trap, though he was not secured without a struggle.

The rewards offered by the several States, railroad and express companies for the capture of the outlaw amounted to $7,500.

Burrows was making his way back to Lamar County. He had passed through Monroe and had been in Marengo during the past few days. Detectives and deputy sheriffs have been close upon his heels since Sunday. Tuesday McDuffee came upon Rube, who had stepped into a negro's house out of the rain.

McDuffee had along with him two negroes, who agreed to assist him in the capture. Rube had placed his rifle in the corner of the room, but still retained his trusty revolvers. The colored men engaged him in conversation. He did not suspect that they were against him, and in an unguarded moment the two pounced upon him, each one seizing a hand to prevent his shooting. He fought the darkies desperately, but McDuffee and others soon came on the scene and after a struggle succeeded in subduing and securely tying the desperado.

McDuffee rode triumphantly into Linden with his prize. He had Rube strapped hand and foot in front of him on his horse, his head on one side and feet on the other side of the horse. Rube suffered greatly from his uncomfortable ride, as the farmer, who feared his prisoner and the big reward might slip through his fingers, had strapped him on the horse as securely as though he were in a vise. The robber had only $178 on his person.

Burrows was at once placed in the Sheriff's office inside the jail under guard of McDuffee and a negro.

J. C. Carter, the other captor was at the hotel with the money found on Burrow's person when he was arrested. The outlaw's hands and feet were tied, and every precaution was taken to prevent his getting away.

Early yesterday morning he complained of hunger, McDuffee answered that he had nothing to eat. A pair of saddle-bags, which had been taken from the prisoner, was lying in the room. Looking toward them in a careless sort of way the outlaw observed: "I have some crackers in my saddle-bags if you will hand them to me."

McDuffee suspected nothing, and handed the saddlebags over without opening them. Burrows, instead of crackers, drew forth a pair of pistols, and, covering McDuffee and the negro, ordered them to untie him, which they did, and, keeping them in front of him, he walked out of the front dooor. He then asked for his money, and started toward the hotel to recover it of Carter, who had it.

The latter, of course, was greatly surprised to see Burrows, whom he supposed was bound hand and foot in jail. Burrows drew his revolver and demanded his money. Both then opened fire, and Burrows was killed, while Cartere received an ugly wound in the breast. The affair has created intense excitement. Carter is the hero of the hour. The extent of his injuries is not known at present.

Another account says that Burrows went to the hotel, but did not find Carter there. He was sleeping in a room in the rear of the store of a merchant. Burrows went there at once, and with the aid of a negro who he had compelled to accompany him, made the negro knock at the door and tell Carter he was wanted at the jail. When Carter appeared he demanded his money. Carter at once drew his pistol and both men shot at the same moment. Carter was wounded in the breast and Burrows was shot through the bowels. As Burrows fell he aimed his revolver at the negro and sent a ball through his shoulder. Burrows died at once. Carter is fatally wounded and the negro only slightly.

**Effected a National Organization.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 9.—The marble cutters in session here effected a national organization, electing these officers: President, A. B. Smith, of Allegheny, Pa.; vice-president, B. J. Flannagan, of Chicago; treasurer, John McVey, of New York; sergeant-at-arms, H. J. Allen, of New York. Executive Board: W. T. Keating, of New York; B. J. Flannagan, of Chicago; L. B. Rees, of Louisville; E. J. Keenna, Milwaukee, and George Hemming, of Brooklyn.

**Report on Kemmler's Electrocution.**

ALBANY, Oct. 9.—Dr. Carlos F. McDonald, who had charge of the Kemmler electrocution, has submitted a long report on the case to Gov. Hill. He says that the plan is a success, that death was instantaneous and that the apparent revival of Kemmler after the first shock was due to muscular reaction solely, and that the intent and purpose of the law was carried out.

### THE POWDER EXPLOSION.

**Workmen Busy Clearing Away the Ruin —Correct List of the Dead.**

WILMINGTON, Del., Oct. 9.—Work of clearing away the ruins caused by the powder explosion is being pushed forward as rapidly as possible. The destruction in the neighborhood is almost complete, and the only wonder is that so many people escaped.

Charles Dupont, one of the younger members of the firm, said that it was impossible to give a clear statement of the disaster. There had been seven explosions, and about half a dozen of the twenty buildings in the upper yard had gone up. The only people who could give any account of the affair, he said, were dead. "All the members of our family," he said, "were cut more or less, but none were seriously injured."

Joseph A. Buck of Rockland was an eye witness of the explosion. "While I was looking at some men handling kegs of powder," said he, "I felt the earth slipping from under me. I beheld sheets of flame and vast clouds of smoke. Reports like the firing of thousands of cannon followed in quick succession. High masses—buildings and earth—were thrown hundreds of feet in the air. Their fall was accompanied by fearful crashes. From where I stood it was impossible to tell in what order the mills were blown up, but it was the big middle magazine building that exploded first. I rushed to the nearest tree and hid myself from the destruction. The tree shook as if in a hurricane. I heard the sound of some heavy material fall to the ground. I looked twenty yards ahead of me and saw a stone, no doubt part of the foundation of one of the buildings. It was about two feet long and a foot wide. The distance from where I stood to the scene of destruction was about a mile. I was half blinded and choked by the smoke."

The following is a corrected list of the killed:

William McGarvey.
William R. Green.
Michael Harrigan.
Patrick Dougherty.
Owen Newall.
John H. Harrigan.
James Dolan,
Martin Dolan.
John and Michael Kelsher.
Mrs. Rose Dougherty.

The forty wounded are being tenderly cared for by the neighbors and most of the dead were buried to-day. The several hundred people rendered homeless by the explosions are being taken care of by their friends and will be looked after until their wrecked homes can be restored.

### DEMANDED HIS MONEY.

**A Dover, N. H., Man Lured from His Store and Shot Five Times.**

DOVER, N. H., Oct. 9.—A man believed to be Harry, alias "Tegge" Holland, who has but recently been released from Alfred jail, called at the second-hand store of Edward Carr last night and induced Mr. Carr, under pretext of having goods to sell, to accompany him to his home. When part way there Holland drew a revolver and demanded Carr's money, and upon the latter hesitating fired five shots at him, all taking effect, one in the neck, one in the nose, two in the arm, and one in the hip. Holland then made his escape.

Carr was assisted to Dr. Lothrop's office, where four of the balls were extracted, that in the nose not having yet been removed

The doctors think he has but slight chance of recovery.

**Bids Opened at the Navy Department.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 9.—Bids were opened at the Navy Department for furnishing a pumping plant for the dry dock at Boston. The Holly Manufacturing Company of Lockport, N. Y., bid $156,400; Southwalk Machine Company of Philadelphia bid $49,890, and Samuel F. Pope & Co. of Chicago bid $34,197, the last two bids being for a different type plant and pump. The bids will not be awarded for several weeks.

**Day to Die December 19.**

WELLAND, Ont. 9.—On the opening of court here yesterday, Mr. Johnstone, Crown counsel, pointed out that murderer Day had been sentenced to be hanged on "Thursday, Nov. 18th," and that Nov. 18th falls on Tuesday. His lordship stated it was his intention to sentence him to be hanged on December 18th, and the date was changed accordingly.

**Connor and Kemp to Row In America.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 9.—A special cable message from London says: William O'Conner, the champion oarsman of of America, posted £160 as the first deposit in his match with Kemp, which was arranged in Australia. The match is for £500 a side, and is to be rowed in America in March.

**The Proposed Advance on Shoes.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 9.—It is now stated that the advance for shoes, decided on by the meeting of the manufacturers, representing all parts of the country, which was held in this city yesterday, would be at least from 25 to 50 cents a pair.

## VIEWING THE WEST

### The Presidential Party Spends Another Delightful Day.

**BIG RECEPTION AT GALESBURG.**

**Thousands of People Turn Out There to Welcome the Chief Executive.**

**He Reviews His Old Brigade, Makes Speeches, Lays a Corner Stone, Attends a Banquet and Hurries on His Trip—A Ride of a Few Miles Enjoyed in the Locomotive Cab.**

GALESBURG, Ill., Oct. 9.—The Presidential party spent another delightful day and no one on the train shows any signs of fatigue. The President arose early and was escorted to the railroad station at Peoria by the Mayor and City Council of that city, the G. A. R. posts, and a company of the Illinois National Guard. Five thousand people were present at the station, to whom the President made a brief speech.

Just before the train reached Galesburg it was stopped, and the President, Secretary Tracy and Judge Rice mounted the engine and took seats in the cab with Engineer Frank Hilton, who was a member of the 102d Illinois regiment. Secretary Tracy was allowed to ring the bell several times, and the President opened the whistle valve occasionally. After a run of five miles the train was stopped and the party re-entered the car.

At the station here the President was met by Mayor Stevens and a local committee, who acted as his escort to the Union Hotel. There was an enormous crowd at the station and lining the streets, and the progress of the procession of carriages was marked with continued cheering. At the hotel the President was taken to a private parlor, and in a short time arrangements were made for a brief reception to distinguished local citizens. Gen. Post made the introductions.

At 10:50 the party were driven about the public square to the reviewing stand which had been erected facing Main street. The crowd was packed so densely in front of the stand that it was with difficulty the head of the procession forced its way through.

Here the President reviewed his old brigade. There passed in review the veterans of the Twentieth Army Corps, 2,500 school children of Central Illinois, and thousands of citizens. At the conclusion of the parade the party repaired to the speakers' stand in front of the Court House, where, in an hour's reception, distinguished citizens from all parts of the State and West greeted the President.

The President was welcomed by the Mayor and made a long speech in reply. His remarks were again and again interrupted by applause.

At the close of the President's speech Secretary Tracy was introduced and spoke briefly, thanking the people for their magnificent reception and welcome.

Congressman Grosvepor of Ohio spoke briefly, after which the meeting came to a close. The party then repaired to Knox College, where the corner stone of the alumni hall was to be laid by the President. Dr. Newton Bateman, president of Knox College, pronounced the invocation and Prof. Milton Comstock read a sketch of the origin and growth of the college. Prof. J. A. Adams then introduced the President, who made a short speech. Then the corner stone was placed in position, and the President with a trowel carefully closed it and covered the seams with mortar. Great applause greeted this performance, which brought the ceremonies to an end. The party now repaired to the hotel for dinner, and at 3 o'clock the reunion of the First Brigade, the President's old command, was held at the Opera House.

Here the President made an address to the old soldiers and a hearty good time was had.

The President determined at a late hour not to remain all night, as he desired to stop at Burlington for an hour, so in the evening he was escorted to the train by a mammoth procession and bid the city goodby.

**County Nominations.**

UTICA, N. Y., Oct. 9.—The Chenango County Democratic convention nominated this ticket: For Member of Assembly, A. B. Robinson of Green; County Treasurer, Holdridge T. Owen of Norwich; Superintendent of the Poor, Derby Breed of Smithville; Justice for Sessions, W. T. Priest of Pharsalis; School Commissioner, First District, Elmer A. Kinney of Norwich; Second District, Albert B. Marion of McDonough.

**Indicted for Violating Census Law.**

CONCORD, N. H., Oct. 9.—In the United States Court the grand jury reported an indictment against Daniel Sanborn, of Fremont, for refusing to answer a census enumerator. He is 62 years of age, and personal dislike for the official is said to have been the reason for refusing to answer his interrogatories.

### BASEBALL CONFERENCE.

**Will the Meeting To-day in New York Bring About a Compromise.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 9.—The conference of baseball men at the Fifth Avenue Hotel to-day will, it is thought, reach an agreement that will harmonize the game next season. All the League clubs have representatives in attendance and the American Association and Brotherhood have delegates within easy reach in case their services are needed. By this means all unnecessary delays will be avoided and the work of the conference expedited. Few of the magnates expect to see the compromise effected at the present session, but within another week they are confident that steps to accomplish this purpose will be under way.

From what could be learned from the gossip in the hotel corridor before the conference was begun it seemed that the majority of the League and the Players were opposed to the consolidation scheme. They think the avoiding of conflicting schedules will enable them both to live, but it will never revive local interest. The patronage would be just as evenly divided as this season. There is therefore only one real way out, and that is through the consolidation of the three organizations and the reconstruction of the circuits.

The subject has to be handled very delicately, and while a few of the League men still favor the continuation of hostilities the majority of them are weary of the war. On the other hand the Players' are most considerate in their talk of the compromise. Even Ward, who was so opposed to playing with the men who deserted the Brotherhood at the beginning of the season, said to-day that this should not prevent the settlement of the difficulty.

### BASEBALL GAMES.

**American Association.**

AT LOUISVILLE.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Louisville | 1 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | x—8 |
| Toledo | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0—3 |

Batteries—Daily and Ryan; Smith and Sage.

AT ST. LOUIS.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| St. Louis | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 3 | — | 6 |
| Columbus | 0 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 4 | — | 11 |

Game called at the end of seventh inning on account of darkness.

Batteries—Stivetts and Frost; Easton and O'Connor.

AT PHILADELPHIA.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Athletic | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | — | 1 |
| Rochester | 3 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 3 | 1 | 4 | 2 | — | 17 |

Game called at the end of the eighth inning on account of darkness.

Batteries—O'Neil and Snyder; Barr and McKeogh.

AT BALTIMORE—FIRST GAME.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Baltimore | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0—5 |
| Syracuse | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 0 | x—6 |

Batteries—McMahon and Robinson; Marr and Pitz.

SECOND GAME.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Baltimore | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 1—4 |
| Syracuse | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3—6 |

Batteries—German and Townsend; Keefe and Pitz.

**Players' League.**

EXHIBITION GAMES.

AT CINCINNATI.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Cincinnati | 2 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 7 | —14 |
| Cleveland | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | — 1 |

Game called at the end of the eighth inning on account of darkness.

Batteries—Dolan and Keenan; Gruber and Brennan.

AT PITTSBURG.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Pittsburg | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | —4 |
| Brooklyn | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —5 |

Batteries—Sowders and Daily; Staley and Fields.

**Standing of the Clubs.**

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

| | Won | Lost | Per. | | Won | Lost | Per. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Louisville | 85 | 42 | .669 | Rochester | 61 | 58 | .513 |
| St. Louis | 77 | 54 | .588 | Athletic | 54 | 76 | .412 |
| Columbus | 73 | 56 | .566 | Syracuse | 52 | 71 | .423 |
| Toledo | 67 | 59 | .532 | Baltimore | 37 | 90 | .291 |

**Schedule of To-Day's Games.**

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

Syracuse vs. Baltimore, at Baltimore.
Rochester vs. Athletics, at Philadelphia.
Toledo vs. Louisville, at Louisville.
Columbus vs. St. Louis, at St. Louis.

**Kingston's Annual Fire Parade.**

KINGSTON, N. Y., Oct. 9.—The annual inspection and parade of the fire department here was attended by visiting organizations from Hudson, Catskill, Stamford, Hobart, Ellenville and other places. The prize for coming the greatest distance was awarded to Hoysradt Hose, of Hudson; for the best appearance, Citizens Hose, of Catskills; for the largest number in line, Pioneer Hose, of Catskill, and Pioneer Engine Company, of Ellenville. Star Hose running team, of Hobart, won the prize for hose race. Upwards of 5,000 visitors were present.

**The Situation on the Erie.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 9.—Everything remains quiet on the Erie railroad. Last night was set for the strike in case the demand made by the employes of the road upon Second Vice-President E. E. Thomas for shorter hours was not granted. Mr. Thomas sent a letter to Chairman Youngston of the delegation of employes, informing him that he would positively give the men an answer sometime during to-day. It is understood that the Board of Directors is in favor of meeting the men on a fair basis.

**Mule Spinners Elect Officers.**

BOSTON, Mass., Oct. 9.—At the National Mule Spinners' Association session the annual election of officers resulted: President, Harry Woods, Kearney, N. J.; vice-president, Joseph Dowling, Nashua, N. H.; secretary, A. Moore, Fall River, Mass.; treasurer, Thomas O'Donnell, and an executive committee. The convention will meet at Lowell at the expiration of six months.

**Salutes and Speeches in Salamanca, N. Y.**

SALAMANCA, N. Y., Oct. 9.—The people of Salamanca celebrated the enactment of the bill extending the leases in the white villages on the Allegheny reservation from 12 to 99 years. Salutes were fired, speeches made, and resolutions adopted thanking Senator Hiscock and Congressman Laidlaw for their efforts in behalf of the bill.

## LATE NEWS BY CABLE

### Balfour and Threatened Famine in Ireland.

**HE MAKES LIGHT OF THE MATTER**

**The English Government, He Says, Is Prepared to Look After the Poor.**

**A Grand Reception Welcomed Polly on His Return from Canada—Minister Reid Explains to France the Count of Paris' Reception in America Has No Political Significance.**

LONDON, Oct. 9.—Balfour in a letter to the Central News says that while there is serious failure of the potato crop in portions of Ireland, the Government poor department will be amply able to take care of those in distress without outside assistance.

Mr. Balfour's statement was issued as the result of pressure from his friends, who desired to use it as a cue for campaign work. Mr. Balfour is expected to go into the matter more in detail in his forthcoming speeches. It may therefore be taken as settled that the Government officially rejects the idea that any distress exists except such as can be alleviated easily and by ordinary measures.

**Polly's Welcome Home.**

LONDON, Oct. 9.—The little town of Saffron-Walden, in Essex, is the scene of much rejoicing over the safe return of young Polly from Canada, where he is popularly believed to have had a narrow escape from the fate which overtook his companion, Benwell. The streets of the place were decorated with flags and arches, and the numerous friends of the Polly family are giving the returned wanderer a hearty welcome.

**The Tariff to Be Discussed in France.**

PARIS, Oct. 9.—The Budget Committee of the French Chamber of Deputies will meet on Monday next and the Chambers will convene on October 20. The proposed new tariff will be the leading subject of discussion. Public opinion in France favors retaliation against the United States.

**Minister Reid Makes Explanation.**

PARIS, Oct. 9.—Minister Reid has explained to the French Government, by directions from Washington, that the reception of the Comte de Paris in America has no political significance whatever, and that the United States has the friendliest feeling toward the French Government.

**Relief Should Be in Food.**

LONDON, Oct. 9.—Leading Irish Nationalists join in the opinion that relief for the famine-threatened regions should come in the form of food. Mr. T. D. Sullivan is quoted as saying that not one dollar of money contributed for relief should go into the hands of the landlords.

**The Bismarck Memorial Fund.**

BERLIN, Oct. 9.—The Bismarck memorial fund has now reached $20,000. The Berlin Volksblatt insists that the cash shall be handed to the Prince instead of being used for the procurement of a bust or other artistic memorial.

**Further Trouble in Buenos Ayres.**

LONDON, Oct. 9.—A special cable despatch from Buenos Ayres says there is no reason for fearing further trouble as both city and country are tranquil.

**Mr. Jonasson Acquitted.**

BERLIN, Oct. 9.—Mr. Jonasson, of New York, who was accused of lese majeste, in having spoken insultingly of the Emperor, has been acquitted.

### THE VISITING IRON MEN.

**They Will Spend the Balance of the Week at Pittsburg.**

PITTSBURG, Pa., Oct. 9.—The members of the British Iron and Steel Institute, Verein Deutscher Eisenhenttenleute and the American Institute of Mining Engineers arrived here at 9 o'clock last night and will remain the rest of the week.

A movement was started a few days ago among the employes of the iron mills to take part in the reception of the visitors, as many of the latter are desirous of inquiring into the condition of American iron workers for the purpose of comparison.

A delegation of 25 members of the local committee went to Altoona in the morning and escorted the distinguished delegates to this city.

To-day and to-morrow will be given to sessions in Carnegie Hall and short excursions about the city. The Edgar Thomson Steel works at Braddock and Carnegie homestead will also be visited Friday. On Saturday the delegates will be taken to the coal and coke regions and other points of interest.

**The Salford Harriers in Buffalo.**

BUFFALO, N. Y., Oct. 9.—The Salford Harriers arrived here Monday evening and are being entertained by the Buffalo Athletic Club, whose guests they are until the athletic games on Saturday. Secretary Hardwick of the Harriers said that his men were becoming acclimated and would make a better showing hereafter.

**Young Sprague Kills Himself.**

SEATTLE, Wash., Oct. 9.—William Sprague, Jr., son of ex-Gov. Sprague of Rhode Island, committed suicide by inhaling chloroform yesterday afternoon. The deceased came from Chicago, and secured employment with the Seattle "Journal." Despondency was the cause of his suicide.

### NAMED FOR CONGRESS.

**Nominations Made in a Number of Districts.**

AUBURN, N. Y., Oct. 9.—Captain E. K. Burnham of Newark, Wayne County was nominated for Congress by the Democrats of the Twenty-seventh District. Captain Burnham is also the nominee of the Union League, a union of farmers, veterans and Union Labor, for Congress.

ALBANY, N. Y., Oct. 9.—The Republicans of Nineteenth Congressional District nominated Edward A. Durant for Congress.

UTICA, N. Y., Oct. 9.—The Republicans of the Twenty-third Congressional District, at Boonville, nominated the Hon. James. S. Sherman for Congress.

SOUTH FRAMINGHAM, Mass., Oct. 9.—George F. Williams, of Dedham, was nominated by the Democrats of the Ninth District for Congress.

BROOKLYN, N. Y., Oct. 9.—The Kings County Republicans made the following Congressional nominations: Second District, James Gresham; Third District, William C. Wallace; Fourth District, Andrew J. Perry; Fifth District, John E. Smith.

NEW YORK, Oct. 9.—The County Democracy of the Tenth District nominated Gen. Francis A. Spinola for Congress, and in the Seventh District nominated William T. Croasdale, the editor of Henry George's paper, the Standard, for Congress.

In the Seventh District Tammany Hall renominated Hon. Edward J. Dunphy for Congress.

Timothy J. Campbell was nominated for Congress by the County Democracy of the Eighth District, and endorsed by Tammany Hall.

Ashbel P. Fitch was nominated for Congress in the Thirteenth District last evening by Tammany Hall and endorsed by the County Democracy.

Hon. Roswell P. Flower was renominated for Congress by the County Democracy and Tammany Hall in the Twelfth District.

John Dewitt Warner was nominated for Congress in the Eleventh District by the County Democracy and endorsed by Tammany Hall.

Amos J. Cummings was renominated for Congress by the Tammany Hall organization and endorsed by the County Democracy.

**An Election Contest Settled.**

HARTFORD, Conn., Oct. 9.—The Supreme Court has decided the famous contested election case of Talcott, Democrat vs. Philbrick, Republican, for the position of Alderman in the Seventh Ward. It is the first case made under the new secret ballot law. The court sustains the finding of the lower court and seats Talcott and unseats Philbrick.

**Secretary Tracy for the Senator.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 9.—It is believed in inner Republican circles that Messrs. Platt and Hiscock are pushing Secretary Tracy for Senator in place of Senator Evarts.

### NEWS OF THE DAY.

The movement for universal suffrage is attaining tremendous strength in Belgium.

The annual conference for the welfare of Indians is in session at Loch Matapoe and will continue throughout Friday.

The Treasury Department yesterday purchased 289,000 ounces of silver, 50,000 ounces at $1.11 5-8 and 239,000 ounces at $1.11 7-10.

Thomas Hicks, a well known artist of New York city, died at his country home, "Thornwood," at Trenton Falls, N. Y., last evening.

A three-year-old son of Mrs. James Duffin, at Easton, Pa., was choked to death yesterday by a grain of coffee which lodged in his throat.

The strike of the New Zealand colliers has failed. Thirty-four steamers of the Union Company are running, thus furnishing employment to 2,000 non-union men.

At a meeting of the Framingham, Mass., school committee yesterday it was voted to close the public schools for a time on account of the prevalence of diphtheria.

Judge Andrews in the New York Supreme Court denied the application for a mandamus to compel Comptroller Myers to pay New York city employes weekly.

**Weather Indications.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 8.—For Massachusetts, Rhode Island and Connecticut: Fair weather; stationary temperature, except in the vicinity of Boston; slightly warmer.

For Eastern and Western New York: slightly warmer; fair weather; winds shifting to southerly.

For Eastern New Jersey and Delaware: slightly warmer; fair weather, winds shifting to southerly.

**NEW YORK MARKETS.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 8.—Money on call to-day 5 and 5½ per cent.

BONDS.

| | Closing Yesterday. | Closing To-day. |
|---|---|---|
| 4½s, 1891 Reg | 104 | 104½ |
| 4½s, 1891 Coup | 104 | 104½ |
| 4 s, 1907 Reg | 122½ | 122 |
| 4 s, 1907 Coup | 110 | 120 |

STOCK MARKET.

| | Closing Yesterday. | Closing To-day. |
|---|---|---|
| Canadian Pacific | 77¾ | — |
| Central Pacific | 30½ | — |
| Chicago, Bur. & Quincy | 99¾ | 99¾ |
| Delaware & Hudson | 153¾ | 154 |
| Del., Lack. & Western | 143½ | 144 |
| Erie | 23¾ | 23 |
| Erie pref | 60 | — |
| Lake Shore | 107 | 106¾ |
| Louis. & Nash | 81¾ | 81¾ |
| Manhatan Central | — | — |
| Missouri Pacific | 68¾ | 69¾ |
| New Jersey Central | 115 | 115 |
| Northwestern | 107¾ | 107 |
| Oregon Navigation | 40 | 39 |
| Pacific Mail | — | — |
| Reading | 38¾ | — |
| Rock Island | 78¾ | 78¾ |
| St. Paul | 80¾ | 81½ |
| Union Pacific | 52¾ | — |


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## BY THE WAY.

—Members of the short-hand class of last Spring are requested to meet Mr. Robinson at the Y. M. C. A. rooms this evening.

—A young daughter of Israel Lewis lost a portion of a finger by crushing her hand in the cog-wheels of a clothes wringer yesterday.

—Mr. Mulford will be in attendance at Central Hall, corner of North and Park avenues, this evening, to enroll the names of boys who wish to go to the Boys' Club.

—The workers' training class for ladies will meet at the Y. M. C. A. rooms Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock. The review of the book of Exodus will be the subject. All ladies interested are invited.

—The auditorium of Reform Hall being rented to Prof. Reynolds for the entire week, the regular meeting of the Reform Club will this evening be held in the basement parlor, beginning at 8 o'clock.

—The Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor of the Trinity Reformed church will celebrate the fifth anniversary of their organization to-night, by a sociable in the lecture room of the church.

—Thomas Peterson, who was arrested yesterday on a serious charge preferred by Lizzie Courtney, as told exclusively in THE PRESS, has waived examination and furnished bonds to await the action of the Grand Jury.

—The Crescents will play the Ridgewoods, of Brooklyn, next Saturday, and the entire receipts of the game will be given to the players. Of the two games already played between these two teams, each have won one.

—Sunday, October 12, being the day appointed by the State Councilor of the Jr. O. U. A. M., as a day of thanksgiving, Franklin Council will go to the M. E. church in a body and listen to a sermon by the Rev. Chas. B. Mitchell, at 7:30 in the evening.

—B. E. Rainey, of New Brunswick, is at the City Hotel for the purpose of introducing the Excelsior Slate Paint, an excellent preservative for shingle, gravel, felt and metal roofs. It has already been applied to over 500,000 buildings in the United States. His adv. appears in another column.

—Prof. Reynolds had some of the best people in town at his mesmeric and hypnotic exhibition in Reform Hall last night, and gave an entertainment that afforded merriment to all. Some of the new features of his exhibition are even more interesting and wonderful than the old. He has had good subjects nearly every night. Last evening three young women submitted themselves to his influence, and did all sorts of mirth-provoking things. The conversation of one through an imaginary telephone caused much laughter.

## PARTICULAR MENTION.

Anna Sperling, daughter of Mrs. Rachel Sperling, died Tuesday in the 27th year of her age, at her home, corner of Fourth and Sycamore streets.

The friends of Magistrate Hardy, of the Borough, are expecting him home to-night with all sorts of big fish and tall stories. When he awoke this morning he found the day so delightful, and the outdoor atmosphere so invigorating, that he could not resist the impulse to go fishing. He scorned the idea of riding, a day like this, and, in company with Frank Coe, a Patersonian friend, set out afoot on a nine-mile tramp to the Passaic River, where he has been tempting the finny denizens all day.

**Plainfield Backed Elliott, and Won.**

A select gathering of noted sportsmen from New York, Philadelphia, Boston, Plainfield, and elsewhere assembled on the grounds of the Cartaret Gun Club, yesterday, to witness the great live pigeon match between J. A. Elliott, of Kansas City, the present champion wing-shot of the United States, and Edgar Murphy, well-known to many of our citizens. The match was at 100 birds each, $1,000 a side. Several members of the Middlesex Gun Club were present by invitation, including Chas. Smith, or, as he is better known, "Dutchey," who was a heavy backer of Elliott, and of course won, as the score stood 94 to 93 in Elliott's favor. The match was said by the marksmen present to be the grandest shoot ever witnessed in this country.

**The New Election Boards Hard at Work.**

The election boards in Plainfield, as in other places, met in their respective districts, Tuesday morning, in accordance with the new election law, and organized for work.

The work of canvassing the different election districts, for the house-to-house registration, has been begun, and as the work must be completed by midnight of Saturday the canvassers have to proceed at a lively gait.

Such being the fact, it is probable that residents called on will do all in their power to assist by giving as quickly as possible all information desired.

Is it not surprising that nearly every household in the country should be acquainted with the merits, virtues, and the healthful properties of Hires' Root Beer? For years it has been the standard drink of those who enjoy a delicious temperance beverage. It tones up the system, helps nature, and is just what all need in hot weather. A 25 cent package makes five gallons. Sold everywhere.

## HYMENEAL.

HAND—HOSSINGER.

A large gathering of friends and relatives assembled at the residence of Mrs. Frank Hossinger, of Scotch Plains, last evening, to witness the marriage of her daughter, Annie, to Edward L. Hand.

The ceremony was conducted by the Rev. Dr. J. H. Parks, of the Scotch Plains Baptist church.

The bride was handsomely attired in white India silk, and was attended by Miss Emmie Schriener as flower-girl. The "best man" was J. E. Flannery.

A wedding dance and banquet followed the ceremony, and the guests maintained a whirl of festivity till early morning. The happy young couple received many valuable presents, and were showered with congratulations and good wishes.

**Dr. Ketcham Preaches at New Jersey's Banner Church.**

In connection with the meeting of the Presbytery of Elizabeth at Lamington, Somerset county, yesterday, was celebrated the 150th anniversary of the Lamington Presbyterian church. Displayed on one side of the church walls was the list of its pastors, who during the entire century and a half numbered only seven, showing that the term of each must have been long. Opposite this record was a list of the 17 who have entered the ministry from the Lamington church. This is the banner record of the State, if not of the country. During the afternoon the Rev. Dr. Mancius H. Hutton, of New Brunswick, delivered a masterly oration, and the Rev. Dr. K. P. Ketcham, of the First Presbyterian church of Plainfield, preached a highly interesting sermon on "The Influences of the Country Church," both of which the visiting clergymen asked to have published in pamphlet form.

In the evening the Rev. Dr. Kempshall, of Elizabeth, gave a biographical sketch and eulogy of the Rev. Dr. John McDowell; the Rev. Dr. Teal, of Elizabeth, on the Rev. Dr. Wm. McDowell; the Rev. John T. Kerr on the Rev. Dr. Blauvelt, who was Lamington's pastor fifty-six years; and the Rev. I. A. Blauvelt, of Roselle, on the Rev. Dr. Sutphen, at one time pastor of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church.

Nearly all of Lamington's pastors have been prominent figures in church history and public life, and the clergymen of the Presbytery thoroughly enjoyed devoting the day to a study of their lives and methods. Besides Dr. Ketcham the Rev's W. E. Honeyman and W. R. Richards attended from this city.

**Preparing for the Coming of the Great Evangelist.**

The Nominating Committee working in connection with the coming of Evangelist Mills met at the Young Men's Christian Association rooms last night and made the following nominations:

Committee on Finance—J. W. Jackson, L. W. Serrell, C. T. Kissam.

Advertising—O. B. Leonard, G. W. Rockfellow, F. C. Lounsbury, Seely Edsall.

Canvassing—W. D. Murray, John Lindsay, W. B. Codington, J. H. Manning, E. E. Anthony.

Music—C. W. McCutchen, D. E. Davis, D. E. Titsworth.

Ushers—Geo. B. Cornwell, O. W. Dunham, J. W. Gavett.

Devotional—C. B. Mitchell, K. P. Ketcham, J. D. Spicer.

Those of the committee present were the Rev. Dr. Ketcham, the Rev. C. L. Goodrich, the Rev. C. B. Mitchell, O. B. Leonard and J. D. Spicer. The Rev. Cornelius Schenck was absent through illness. The committee will present its nominations to the General Committee and Executive Committee at the joint meeting Saturday evening for confirmation.

**Plainfield Methodists Say Let the Women Vote.**

The vote of the Plainfield Methodist Episcopal church on the question "Shall women be eligible to election as delegates to the electoral and general conferences of the Methodist Episcopal church?" was in favor of all church members, whatever the sex, being eligible as delegates. The result of the voting on this question among the congregations throughout the State will be reported to the local conferences, and will have an influence on the action of the conferences in the matter. In this connection the Newark *Advertiser* remarks as follows:

Votes are being taken in the Methodist churches of this city to determine whether they desire to have women eligible for membership in the General Conference. The answer in every case is overwhelmingly negative, and the curious fact is that a majority of the voters are women. It is another illustration of the total indifference of the gentler sex to the right of suffrage. The ladies do not vote because they dot want to vote. Nothing else hinders them.

**A Good Time for All Boys, and It Doesn't Cost Them a Cent.**

Eleven boys enrolled their names on the books of the Boys' Club last night. The rooms were in charge of H. B. Wells and Wm. T. Broadway, who told the young people what advantages the organization would give to them. Next Monday night General Superintendent Collins will again be present, and will bring with him the Plainfield Superintendent. Books and games will be distributed the same evening. Meanwhile, the rooms are open every night, giving boys an opportunity to enroll their names and receive the membership tickets which convey so many privileges, free of charge.

**Rankin Gets It.**

The Republican delegates of Union county, at Elizabeth, this afternoon, nominated Mayor John C. Rankin for Senator, and James Clark, of Rahway, the present Deputy, for Sheriff.

## BEHIND CLOSED DOORS.

**Freeholders Begin the Examination of Engineer Dunham's Books.**

The Committee of the Board of Freeholders which is to investigate the books of Engineer Dunham, to report upon the criticisms made in *The New York World*, held its first session at Elizabeth yesterday. The committee comprises Freeholders Trahon, Jones, Doty, Roll, West, Wright, and Director Hubbard. Engineer Dunham also was in attendance, and the clerk of the Board, Charles A. Reed.

The committee met in the Freeholders' room. The representatives of the local press had made inquiries of individual members of the committee, and were given to understand that it would be a public investigation so far as the admission to reporters was concerned. The committee intended to begin proceedings at 11 o'clock, but it was nearer noon when they organized. The door was closed, but a *Journal* reporter went in. Some surprise was manifested, and when the reporter asked if he was an intruder. Chairman Trahon put the matter to vote, and it was resolved to exclude the press.

Director Hubbard said that in a sense the investigation was a matter in which the public had an interest, and so far as the public's interest went the investigation would be made public in the findings of the committee which would be submitted to the Board. Mr. Roll took a similar view, and the reporter retired.

## WARBLINGS FROM WARRENVILLE.

**The Dominie Takes Unto Himself a Wife —A Happy Visit is Ended—Wagon Thieves Rebuffed.**

The Rev. Frank Hertel, of the Warren Congregational church, has returned home from his Western trip, and has brought from the town of Macomb, in the far-off State of Illinois, a charming bride to share the comforts, and increase the happiness, of the parsonage. The cosy little home seemed far more bright and cheerful than the old bachelor quarters, Friday evening, when a cordial reception was given to the pastor and his wife, and a banquet was prepared by the ladies. The event was highly felicitous. John H. Carney, of North Plainfield, added to the pleasure of the people by his funny original recitations.

Miss Emma Hopper has returned to her home at Long Island City, after a very pleasant visit at the home of her cousin, Mrs. G. E. Whitten.

Thieves visited John Miller's farm Monday evening for the evident purpose of stealing Mr. Miller's best, brand new buggy, but fortunately Mr. Miller had removed one of the wheels that afternoon and had left it locked up in one of the buildings, so that the buggy was too much of a white elephant to move.

BEN BOLT.

**Plainfield's New Pastor Ordained a Presbyterian.**

The Rev. Mr. Newell, who has been preaching at Hope chapel the past four weeks, was yesterday examined by the Presbytery of Elizabeth for ordination to the Gospel ministry. His examination was highly creditable to him, and the Presbytery with entire unanimity proceeded to ordain him, last evening, in the Lamington church. The Rev. Mr. Green, of Crasford, presided, and proposed the constitutional questions; the Rev. W. E. Honeyman, of North Plainfield, made the ordaining prayer; and the Rev. W. R. Richards, of the Crescent Avenue church, gave the charge to Mr. Newell; after which each member of the Presbytery took Mr. Newell by the hand and welcomed him to the ministry.

**A Treat For Plainfield Machinists To-night.**

Among the features of the programme for the reception to be tendered the machinists of the city at the Young Men's Christian Association rooms to-night will be a gymnastic exhibition by Prof. Logan and members of the Orange Y. M. C. A.; hand and staff solos by Prof. F. Milner, of Jersey City, who will also play on the verephone, or tumbleronicon; and zither solos by a musician from Brooklyn.

**A Hotel Burned by Thieves.**

UTICA, N. Y., Oct. 9.—The hotel of John McCabe, at West Martinsburg, Lewis County, and the outbuildings were destroyed by fire late yesterday afternoon. From the fact that a pair of trousers containing a wallet in which were $105 of Mr. McCabe's money were found missing and concealed in another building, minus the money, it is supposed that the fire was caused by an incendiary, who stole the money and set fire to the hotel to hide the theft. Loss, $3,000; insurance, $1,000.

**Pauline Hall's Jewels Stolen.**

NEWARK, N. J., Oct. 9.—The chief of police was notified last evening that $2 diamonds and other jewels, valued at $15,000, the property of Pauline Hall, the comic opera singer, were stolen from Jacob's Theatre, where Miss Hall is playing. Among the jewels stolen are a diamond cross, the gift of the Empress of Russia and a diamond bracelet presented by Queen Victoria.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 9.—Pauline Hall's stolen jewels were all recovered in a pawnshop in this city, late last night, by Detective Stainsby.

**The Acton-Lewis Agreement.**

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 9.—The article of agreement between Joe Acton, the "Little Demon," and Evan Lewis, the "Strangler," for a wrestling match for $500 a side stipulates that Lewis agrees to throw Acton twice within an hour. Failing to do this he will lose, or in case that Acton should secure a fall he loses also. The match will take place in this city between November 1 and 15.

**Good Record for Indian Scholars.**

MOHAWK LAKE, N. Y., Oct. 9.—At the eighth annual Indian Conference here the Rev. C. W. Freeland, of Hampton, who has for several years been inspecting returned students on the reservations, said that of 110 from Hampton only four had turned out failures, a percentage not larger can be found in many Eastern schools for white children. Ex-President McCosh of Princeton read a paper to demonstrate the capacity of the Indian for civilation.

**McAuliffe and Myer Matched.**

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 9.—Jack McAuliffe and Billy Myer have been matched to fight before the Metropolitan Athletic Club of this city sometime during next January for $2,500 a side and a purse of $5,000 and the lightweight championship of the world. Five ounce gloves are to be used and the men are to fight at 133 pounds. McAuliffe is to be allowed $250 for expenses.

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CORPORATION NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the following ordinance has been introduced before the Common Council, read the second time, and ordered engrossed, preparatory to its third reading, and that it is the intention of the Council to adopt the same.

J. B. COWARD, City Clerk.

Plainfield, N. J., October 6, 1890.

AN ORDINANCE

To macadamize Cemetery avenue, running from Park avenue to Woodland avenue.

The Inhabitants of the City of Plainfield by their Common Council do enact as follows:

Section 1. That said avenue from the southerly side of Park avenue to the northerly side of Woodland avenue for the width of sixteen feet, that is to say for the distance of eight feet, on either side of the centre line of said avenue be permanently improved with broken stone for the depth of six inches, of good quality and proper sizes, the same to be properly laid, compacted and rolled, so that when completed the surface shall be smooth and even and shall conform to the grade of said avenue as now established thereon, to be done under the direction of the street commissioner and to be paid for out of the money raised by tax for the improvement of streets as provided by the act of the Legislature, entitled "an act to authorize cities to make improvements in the road beds of the streets at the general expense."

Fees $3.60.

AN ORDINANCE

To macadamize Plainfield avenue from the south easterly side of West Seventh street to the southerly boundary of the city.

Whereas the owners of property fronting on Plainfield avenue between the south easterly side of West Seventh street, and the southerly boundary line of the city have subscribed for the macadamizing and otherwise improving of Plainfield avenue as hereinafter directed, and have agreed to day or caused to be paid for the work and macadamizing and otherwise improving of said avenue and the cost and expenses incurred for the same, the sum or two thousand dollars, therefore

The inhabitants of the City of Plainfield by their Common Council do enact as follows.

SECTION 1. That Plainfield avenue from south easterly side of West Seventh street to the southerly boundary of the city for the width of sixteen feet, that is to say for the distance of eight feet on either side of the centre line of said street, be macadamized for a uniform depth of six inches with crushed stone of good quality and proper sizes the same to be properly laid, compacted, and rolled so that when complete the surface shall be smooth and even and shall conform to the grade of said street throughout, as said grade has already been established for said street by ordinance, said macadamizing to be done under the supervision of the Street Commissioner, who shall have power to do all necessary grading of said road bed wherever required to bring the same to conform with said grade as already established.

SECTION 2. In order to protect said street and the macadamizing thereof from surface water the gutters of said street on both sides thereof from said south easterly side of West Seventh street to the city line as aforesaid, shall be protected by tailings or larger pieces of crushed stone, and wherever necessary in the judgment of the Street Commissioner, proper culverts of flag stone shall be constructed for the proper carrying off of said surface water, said work to be done under the supervision of the Street Commissioner.

SECTION 3. That the owners of property fronting on said Plainfield avenue shall pay or cause to be paid into the City Treasury the aforesaid sum of two thousand dollars on the completion of said work, said owners having agreed so to do and after applying such sum toward the cost of said work and macadamizing as hereinbefore directed, the remainder of such cost shall be at the general expenses of the city and be paid as provided by chapter 223 of the laws of New Jersey for the year 1884.

SECTION 4. All ordinances or parts of ordinances conflicting herewith be and the same are hereby repealed.

Adopted by the Common Council October 6, 1890.

Approved by the Mayor October 7, 1890.

JOB MALE, Mayor.

Attest: JOSEPH B. COWARD, City Clerk.

Fees, $6.30.

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*Close*—7:30 and 9:30 A. M., 1:45, 5:30 and 8 P. M

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Ladies 50c to $1. Gentlemen $1.

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**MARRIAGES.**

MCINTYRE—WOODLAND—On Wednesday, Oct. 8, 1890, by the Rev. D. J. Yerkes, D. D., Anna Bovingdon Woodland, of North Plainfield, to David A. McIntyre, of Newark, N. J.

**DEATHS.**

SPERLING—In this city Oct. 7, Anna M., daughter of Mrs. Rachel Sperling, aged 26 years and 4 months.

Funeral services from the Baptist church, George's Road, Middlesex county, Friday, Oct. 10, at 11 o'clock, A. M. Interment at Dayton, N. J.

**WANTS AND OFFERS.**

*Advertisements under this heading, one cent for each word each insertion.*

BOY, 17 years old, wants a situation in a store. Address E. B., PRESS office,

ROOMS, with or without board. 21 West 2d street. 10 9 12

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WASHING and Ironing wanted, by a respectable woman, at her house. Apply 78 East Third street. 10 2 w

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STORAGE for furniture in separate rooms. Apply to C. Frank French, 69 Somerset st. 9 2 tf

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**DEMOCRATIC PRIMARIES.**

Pursuant to the call of the Union County Democratic Executive Committee, the Democratic electors of the city of Plainfield will meet at the times and places herein specified, to elect delegates to the Democratic County Convention to be held at Library Hall, in the city of Elizabeth, on Monday October 13th instant.

| | Del. | Dem Hd'qrs, 20 W. Front st. |
|---|---|---|
| 1st ward, | 4 | Friday, Oct. 10, 7½ o'clock P. M. |
| 2d ward, | 3 | Oct 10 at 8 o'clock P. M. |
| 3d ward, | 2 | Saturday Oct. 11, at 7½ P. M. |
| 4th ward, | 6 | Oct. 11 at 8 o'clock P. M. |

Per order JAMES H MARTINE, President Dem Ass'n.

Louis F. Wadsworth, Sec'y. 10 9 2

North Plainfield Democratic Primary.

The Democratic voters of North Plainfield Township will assemble in the basement of the new school house Friday evening, Oct. 10, at 8 o'clock, to elect 5 delegates to attend the County Convention to be held at the Court House, in Somerville, on Monday, Oct. 13, at 10 o'clock.

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## HOPE FOR PLAINFIELD YET.

**Ripleyville's Benefactor Tells How the Central Railroad Has Helped Develop the Westfield Station Driveways and Effect a Union Between Two Important County Roads; and Shows the Company's Desire to Keep All Promises, Even for Removing Ugly Freight House Obstructions.**

At a recent meeting of the Town Committee of Westfield, Chauncey B. Ripley, one of Union County's most liberal-hearted, progressive, and public-spirited citizens, presented the following interesting repotr of what he and his co-workers are doing for the benefit of the people:

*To the Town Committee, Westfield, N. J.:*

—SIRS: I submit to you herewith a statement of the improvements made by me around the station of the Central Railroad of New Jersey, and on South avenue, respecting which you heard my application nearly eighteen months ago, when you passed a resolution in the matter. The work was completed the latter part of last September, having been delayed, as members of your committee are aware, because the supply of stone from the Railroad Company was insufficient. The weather was very unfavorable for road work, especially on South avenue from Westfield avenue to Central avenue, much of the season last year; and because of the earth running down, and the banks caving in, some portions of the road had to be built up and put in order more than half a dozen times, and at a great additional expense. Besides that hinderance, expecting stone, as I was, every week through the year, I kept the road, or tried to keep it, constantly in order, so that it would be ready to receive the stone whenever it came. The company's agents made many promises, but seldom kept them. Sometimes they would send stone and require the cars to be unloaded at once, often failing to give me word of the arrival until just as I was taking a train to New York. Mr. Peddle did the best he could, there being others in authority besides him, and new emergencies arising, over which he had no control. The company did not "go back on me," but gave me, after waiting a year and a half, the necessary stone, which proved to be about twice the quantity of the most extravagant estimating; being 102 car-loads, or 816.1 cubic yards. The freight alone, on the stone furnished to me, amounts to $720.12. The value of the stone at Glen Gardner is $693.69. Therefore the total contribution of the Central Railroad Company is $1,418.81.

In addition to the contribution of the Central Railroad of New Jersey, of the stone and cartage referred to above, that company has also put in at my solititation and during the same period, about 150 feet of 12-inch iron pipe, along South avenue, at the junction of the avenue and the passenger station drive, which I estimate to have cost them $175; also iron pipes at the junction of the freight station drive and South avenue, estimated fairly at $50: also drain pipe near the passenger station, on South side, across the West park, of say 200 feet, estimated at the sum of $30. The total help of the Central Railroad is therefore $1,413.81 plus $175 plus $50 plus $30; or $1,668.81 in all. Our citizens should recognize this liberality in verification of a declaration of one of its officers to the subscriber, when applied to for aid in this improvement, which declaration was as follows: "The company will spare no pains in making the approaches to its stations first-class."

Union county, through the aid of our Freeholder, James T. Pierson, and the members of the committees of which he was the chairman, has aided me in the renovation and sinking of bridges at the junction of Westfield and South avenues, Summit and South avenues, and Ross place and South avenue, amounting to *not less than* $500. Citizens who are interested in moving freight from the freight station have contributed say $300. Add these latter sums to the above $1,668.81 contributed by the Railroad Company, and we have, entirely free of cost to the township, $1,668.81 plus $500 plus $300, or a total of $2,268.81. This is a much larger sum than anyone supposed the road would cost. The road if built by the county contractors would have cost $5,241.60, if stoned only 16 feet wide. But our road is stoned 18 feet wide, and that adds ⅛ to the cost, so that at that width it would have cost $5,241.60 plus ⅛ of that sum; or $655.20 more; making a total of $5,896.80. The county roads cost last year over $10,000 a mile, 16 feet wide. This year they cost less. The road in question, with the arms extending around the stations, is over half a mile in length. Our road is improved and made good from fence to fence, full width, 66 feet. Our road district and citizens have put down walks along the entire length, and have laid good crossings, costing enough to raise to $6,200 the total given above.

The following is a statement of the cost of preparing the road bed for the crushed stone and putting it on and keeping the road in good condition for the time:

Paid George B. Brown, Robert Woodruff, S. D. Winter and others in May, 1889, for grading and for moving and putting on stone..... $ 175 00
June, for men and teams, do..... 125 00
August, do do do..... 65 00
September do do do..... 95 00
October do do do..... 60 00
November do do do..... 55 00
December do do do..... 205 00
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June do do do..... 160 00
July do do do..... 185 00
August do do do..... 133 00
September do do do..... 70 00
Total..... $1,328 00

Besides this I have furnished:

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| 25 loads compost, say | | $ 50 00 |
| 4 bags oats | do | 3 40 |
| Bag timothy | do | 5 50 |
| Bag clover | do | 9 50 |
| 50 loads stones and pebbles | | 50 00 |
| Rolling with county roller on several occasions | | 24 00 |
| Watering for rolling | | 3 00 |
| 6 barrels wood ashes | | 6 00 |
| 2 bags bone | | 3 00 |
| 50 trees and planting | | 87 50 |
| Mowing and top dressing | | 15 00 |
| | | $ 256 90 |
| Amount brought down | | 1,328 00 |
| | | $1,584 90 |

As a memorandum of work done in putting on stone, which I enter short:

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| Unloading 50 cars on ground | $ 50 00 |
| Loading same, carting and spreading | 150 00 |
| Unloading 52 cars, carting and spreading same | 156 00 |
| Raking road, 20 times, say | 100 00 |
| Rolling and sprinkling | 27 00 |
| Mending and making over ready for delivery, year and half, say | 75 00 |
| | $ 558 00 |

Respectfully submitted,
CHAUNCEY B. RIPLEY.

Dated October 6, 1890.

The Town Committee received the above report and placed it on file, directing that a draft of $500 be drawn by the treasurer in favor of Mr. Ripley.

The entire cost of the road referred to is nearly $4,000. The contributions from the Central Railroad Company, the citizens of Westfield, the Township of Westfield, and Union county, are about $3,000. The balance of the cost, which is not far from $1,000, falls upon Mr. Ripley, who constructed the road. The chief value of the road as an improvement is in the fact that it affords excellent approaches to the passenger and freight stations on the South side of the Central Railroad's track and unites the county road leading to Plainfield with the county road leading to Rahway, but it is also worthy of note just here that the facts reported by Mr. Ripley concerning the Central Railroad Company indicate that if one only has patience to wait long enough that busy concern eventually gets time to fulfill its promises. Now that the company has kept its assurances of long ago to the people of Ripleyville and kept them with *so much generous abundance as* Mr. Ripley has stated, the Crescent City may again take heart and look for the removal of the freight house nuisance and the consequent development of *our* town on the South side of the tracks. If the railroad people are so ready to help boom Westfield's South side, Plainfield, possessing the queen station of the road, has certainly cause for hope.

## NORTH PLAINFIELD'S TAX BILLS.

**Assessor Cooley Explains One Reason Why Borough and City Ought to be Consolidated.**

*The Commission on Taxation*, which has been pursuing its inquiries in various parts of New Jersey, paid a visit to Somerville yesterday, and put the various Township Assessors of Somerset county through Senator Everitt's fire of examination. Some of the facts that came to light will no doubt be a surprise to those people in the State who have been laboring under the impression that assessment values in Somerset were exceptionally high. The fact is that great inequalities exist and the bases on which assessments are levied in different townships vary from the full or "true" value required by the constitution of the State to less than two-thirds value. In North Plainfield the assessor does very much as they do in Camden: he gets the true value and then chops off 60 per cent. and assesses only 40 per cent.

Even in Camden, where the assessments are notoriously below the true value, the assessors only admitted to a deduction of 40 per cent. But the assessor of North Plainfield has much to contend with,—remarks the New York *World*, in comment—and no doubt has good reasons for keeping his assessments *down to* 40 per cent. of value, for he said that was the rate of assessment in the city of Plainfield, in the adjoining county of Union, and if he assessed property in his township at anywhere near its full value or, in fact, any higher than he did in view of the state of affairs existing in Plainfield City, he could not live in the place.

Senator Everitt plied his questions in the line of inquiry pursued in every county so far with much adroitness and almost won the assessors to his pet ideas. He believes that the State school tax system should be abolished and every county be compelled to raise her own school moneys.

It has been a well-known fact for years that Somerset county pays a State school tax of $5,000 to $6,000 more than she receives back in the redistribution of the same fund by the State; and it has been generally claimed, and not disputed—the tax being paid in on the basis of ratables and redistributed on the basis of school population—that Somerset county's ratables must be pretty near up to true value. But it is held by the *World* correspondent that the claim can be *successfully* disputed after yesterday's investigation. If Somerset's ratables were up to full value she probably would have to come to the rescue of the counties poorer in purse and richer in progeny to the tune of several thousand more every year. Indeed, the nearer the Commission gets to the end of its investigation into the methods prevailing in the several counties, cities and townships the more convinced everybody seems to be that the wiping out of the State school tax and throwing upon every county the responsibility of raising its own school moneys would remove one of the greatest incentives for undervaluation. And as this idea gains popular favor so does that of State and County Boards of Equalization, and the idea of valuing real estate for assessment once in every four or five years.

Another matter is the taxation of bank stock. There are scarcely two townships in the State, let alone two counties, where the same method is adopted in assessing bank stock. It seems to be the popular idea that the stock should be taxed to the bank at par value and at the rate prevailing in the place where the bank is located, the entire tax to go to that town or city. This would no doubt result in a protest from the townships where stock is owned of banks situated elsewhere in the State, but the lawmakers from localities where the banks are situated would outnumber those from localities where there are no banks to such an extent that the protest could scarcely be heard.

An instance of the way bank-stock is now taxed was revealed by Assessor Reger, of Bridgewater Township. He said he assessed the stock of the First National Bank of Somerville at $200 per share, its market price being over $300. Asked why he assessed at only $200, he replied that he had consulted with the bank officers and they had told him that if the affairs of the bank were wound up to-morrow the stock would not realize more than $225 a share. And Mr. Reger thought that if that was the case $200 per share was a fair assessment value. It was remarked, however, that this should be pretty valuable stock, as it pays 18 per cent. on its capital annually.

When it came the turn of Assessor Cooley, of North Plainfield, to be questioned, Senator Everitt presented the following query:

"*How do you assess property*: at its true value, or some percentage less?"

"We strike"—was the answer—"what we consider the fair selling value, and then fix the assessment value at from 40 to 50 per cent. of that."

"Do you mean to say that you assess property at only 40 or 50 per cent. of its true value?"

"Yes; North Plainfield (which is in Somerset county) and the City of Plainfield (*in Union county*) are to all intents and purposes one place, and as they assess property in Plainfield at only 40 per cent of its value, *for me to assess any* higher would operate against us. In fact, no man could live in the town if he assessed property anywhere near true value."

Judge Williamson gave a forcible illustration of the injustice of assessing property at any percentage under true value.

"Why," he exclaimed, "I can invest in property worth $100,000, and by placing mortgages on it for $65,000 can avoid the payment of a single dollar of tax. How? Why, when the assessor comes around he finds property worth $100,000; he assesses it for $65,000 and I get a $65,000 deduction because of my mortgages, and the mortgagee has to pay the whole tax. I know lots of people in this town worth from $30,000 to $50,000, some of whom don't pay a dollar's tax and others only on $6,000 or $7,000. They mortgage their property for the express purpose of evading their taxes. All property should be assessed at full value, so that the mortgagor would be obliged to pay taxes on his equity in any mortgaged property."

**Much Property Changes Hands.**

Among the recent real estate transfers of this vicinity are recorded the following:

Elizabeth N. Goddard and husband to Emily A. Swanson, all of Plainfield, land in Plainfield, at West corner of Ninth street and Second place, 129x75., $3,000.

Charles H. Hand and wife, Plainfield, to Richard H. McCullough, of North Plainfield, lot southwest side of McDowell street, 50x150 feet, $400.

Peter Dock, of Newark, to Peter Dock, Jr., land in Plainfield on northwest side of Third street, 163 feet northeast from Richmond street, 162x36 feet, $1,750.

Wm. D. Manning and wife and Marcus W. Manning, of Plainfield, to Peter A. Emmons and John P. Emmons, of North Plainfield, on New street, Plainfield, 187x40 ft., $1,300

Ida Reed Opdyke and husband to Kneeland P. Ketcham, all of Plainfield, land corner Eighth street and Arlington avenue, Plainfield, 90x200 ft., $5,130.

Central N. J. Land Imp. Co., to Margaret Levell, of Plainfield, land on northwest side of Third street, 400 feet southwest from Spooner avenue, 50x174, $450.

Wm. M. Sandford and wife to James C. Manning, all of Plainfield, land on Sandford avenue, Plainfield, 540 feet northwest from East Front street, 60x198 feet, $810.

Clarence J. Rice and Mary B. Loomis, and husband, of North Plainfield, to Abram D. VanSciver, land on Sandford avenue, Plainfield, 1,075 feet from East Front street, 136x250 feet, $1,000.

Geo. Codington and wife to Wm. B Codington, property in North Plainfield, $1,200.

Wm. White and wife to Robert E. Brand and Harriet Brand, property in North Plainfield, $1.

**The Fourth Ward Appoints Its Delegates.**

The Republicans of the Fourth Ward held their primary last night and made the following appointments:

Assembly Convention Delegates—Wm. T. Newman, Abraham Angleman, Wm. B. Ayres, Gershom Frazee, Robert Mitchell, T. J. Lyness.

County Convention Delegates — Abraham Angleman, C. F. Boughtenhausen, Henry Riker, Chas. Hand, Gershom Frazee, J. B. Miller.

Members of County Executive Committee—Abraham Angleman, T. J. Gillies.

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## SCHOOL AND CHURCH.

—There is a Friends' Mission at Ramallah, in Palestine, ten miles north of Jerusalem.

—There are more than fifty Congregational churches in Southern California. Many of them have over one hundred members.

—The natives of Africa along the Niger used to worship the animal called the iguana; now they eat it. The missionaries have brought about the change.

—According to the recent census of Switzerland, the Republic contained 1,700,000 Protestents, 1,200,000 Catholics, 8,300 Jews, and 10,700 adherents of no religion.

—Dr. William Lomax, of Indiana, has given his entire estate, amounting to over $100,000, to the Indiana Medical College, of Indianapolis, the only condition being the payment of a small annuity to the donor and his wife during their lives, and the reservation of their homes to them.

—Africa has now within her borders 10 American, 12 British and 13 Continental missionary societies. There are more than 700 ordained missionaries and more than 7,000 native preachers. It is estimated that there are, both white and native, about 175,000 communicants and 800,000 adherents.

—Clark University will next year begin a course in the history and principles of education, consisting of lectures and conferences, courses of reading, etc. It is designed for those who wish to qualify themselves to fill chairs of pedagogics in colleges and normal schools, and for superintendents and principals.

—The teachers' guild in London has over four thousand members. It proposes to ask Parliament to pass a statute for the registration of teachers that shall require as a condition of registration, after three years, satisfactory evidence of a knowledge of the history, theory and practice of education, and like evidence of practical efficiency and experience as a teacher.

—One of the most significant signs of the educational times is the disappearance of the elderly college president. Young men are pressing forward, and the older gentlemen are very content to step aside for some more easy-going place. The truth is, the presidency of a college is largely a place for the exercise of business shrewdness. The young men may be less venerable, but they make things rush.—Chicago News.

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Overwork, brain and nerve exhaustion, heart trouble.

People without number are straining their brains and nervous systems in the mad race for subsistence, fortune or fame by overwork, in dissipation or other cause, and exhausting their nervous and physical energies, until sleepless nights, failing powers, complete nervous exhaustion, heart failure, paralysis, insanity or death must be the inevitable end unless help from some source is received.

You, reader, are rushing blindly on to sure destruction. You are warned every day and every hour of your impending doom. How? By those strange sensations, that dull, dizzy and bad feeling head, that restlessness, irritability and nervousness; by those more or less sleepless nights, from which you wake tired and unrefreshed; by the weak, trembling, cold limbs, by the malarial symptoms, the langnor and sense of nervous and physical exhaustion which grows upon you more and more. These are danger signals, and your very life depends upon heeding them.

What is to be done? The answer is plain enough. You are losing your nerve force and power, and running down in strength, energy and vitality. Whatever will restore this lost strength and vigor to the brain and nerves will put you again in sound health and strength. This is precisely what Dr. Greene's Nervura, the great brain and nerve invigorant, will do. As a restorer of nerve force, a builder up of nerve power, vigor and energy, this wonderful remedy has no equal in the world. You can have no idea until you try it of its marvellous toning, strengthening and invigorating effects, its beneficial and healthful action as a brain, nerve and blood restorative. It is purely vegetable and perfectly harmless, and can be obtained at any drug store for $1 per bottle.

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The Whitcomb Riley coding leads you down to an abyss;
This.
Like
Up
Suppose we change the thing and boost 'em
Suppose you are describing how you met a summer girl,
And wooed, and won, and lost her, in Narragansett's whirl;
You thought you had your heiress hooked and landed high and dry,
High.
Sky
Knocked
But she was fooling, and your plans got
Perhaps you're on the street, and make your plans to be a bear;
You buy a lot of wheat "dirt cheap," and then you get a scare;
You let it go for nothing, and before quotations close,
Goes.
She
Up
It takes a sudden spurt, you see, and
And scores of things might be described with like poetic wiles,
The theater hat, the iceman's bill—all Eiffel tower styles;
With novelties and mark down sales, and bargain lots in rhyme.
Climb.
To
Got
If you expect to sell your wares, you've
Then here's to Jimmy Riley, the feller wot kin spell
In the style of old Josh Billings, although not quite so well;
We've learned that if a poet can make his thinker hop,
Top.
On
Keep
And write a ladder-poem, he can
—Frank Roe Batcheldor, in Life.

## THE WEDDING RING.

### Its History Runs Back to the Beginning of Recorded Time.

**In Ancient Days It Was Used as an Emblem of Betrothal—The Important Part It Plays in the Marriage Ceremony of the Present.**

It is an incontrovertable fact that every woman feels a certain interest in the subject of wedding rings. And, indeed, it is natural enough that this should be so. Type and symbol beyond aught else of the most important crisis in a woman's life, the wedding ring must necessarily be fraught with fascination for wife and maid, for old and young alike.

Every one knows that rings were worn in old Bible days, though what part they originally played in the nuptial ceremony is not so clear. But at any rate they form an important portion of the wedding service among the modern Jews, the regulations in force among them on this head being very strict. The ring must in every case be examined and certified by the officiating rabbi of the synagogue, to make sure that it is of the prescribed value, and the simple operation of placing it upon the finger is so binding that this alone, apart from any other portion of the ceremony, is considered to constitute a legal marriage.

In point of fact, however, it is not from the Jews, but from the Romans that the nations of modern Europe derive their wedding ring. Among the ancient masters of the world, rings were commonly used as part of the rite of betrothal. But it is worth while to notice that there was one special difference between the ancient and the modern use of rings in this respect. In their original employment they were really not wedding but betrothal rings; that is, they were given and taken as the public expression of a man's promise to a woman that he would marry her. As a learned writer has told us in regard to the early Italians, "a man who wished to pledge his faith to a woman, placed a ring upon her finger, which is at the present day preserved for the benediction of marriage."

Two points are thus to be remembered—that in the old days there were two distinct ceremonies—the betrothal and the actual wedding—both of which were equally essential to the full solemnization of a marriage; and also that the ring was originally used, not for the second ceremony, but for the first. Such was the custom during the pagan era; and so it remained throughout the early centuries of Christianity. Marriage even then, and for a very considerable period afterwards, was regarded in the light of a civil contract only, and was entered into before a magistrate; while the ring itself was used as the symbol of promise in the preliminary rite of betrothal.

Gradually, however, these two ceremonies became merged into one by the loss on the part of the betrothal of its first formal character. For some time after this, and in consequence of it, there was no small uncertainty in the use of the ring, which was not unfrequently left out of the business altogether. But, after awhile, it reasserted its importance, and once more came into general use. Moreover, it now began for the first time to limit itself habitually to the single hoop of plain gold—a form which has become inseparably connected with all our modern notions of what the wedding ring should be.

It will thus be seen,—to the surprise, doubtless, of not a few readers—that the wedding ring is not a Christian institution at all, but rather one which we have inherited, along with so much else in our ceremonial, directly from classical antiquity. This leads the writer to mention a curious point in connection with its common employment. In pagan Rome the betrothal ring was worn on the third finger (the one next to the little finger) of the left hand, as it is today. This position is said to have been chosen from the belief—unfounded, of course—that there was a vein or nerve running directly from that finger to the heart, a belief that was accepted, not alone by the ignorant masses, but also by the learned men—the doctors and philosophers of the time. But in early Christian days a good deal of confusion seems to have prevailed upon the matter, as a result of which the ring was often placed and worn upon the woman's right hand. In the old Saulsbury Manual is found specific reference to this fact in a very singular passage, which throws some interesting light on the subject of the wedding ceremony in general. From this we learn that the bridegroom was to receive the ring from the priest, who had blessed it (and this blessing, it may be remarked, is still hinted at in the marriage service of the English Episcopal church); and then holding the right hand of the bride in his own left hand, he was to recite the words: "With this ring I thee wed." Then he was to place the ring on the right-hand thumb, saying: "In the name of the Father;" then on the first finger with the words: "and of the Son;" then on the second finger, adding: "and Holy Ghost," and finally, with the words closing: "Amen," on the third finger, where it was to remain. But in course of time uniformity was established in favor of the left hand, and there is no longer room for question concerning this important point. Of course, no one acquainted with the marriage service of the English Episcopal church needs to be told that it is absolutely necessary, according to the rites of that church, that a ring should be employed. But beyond the simple ordinance that a ring there must be, the church makes no specific conditions, so that (curious as it may appear) a ring of any size or weight, material or pattern, will serve the purpose perfectly well. It is naturally enough not often that one has to chronicle any departure from recognized custom in this regard; but such departures do from time to time occur. A story is told of two paupers "who came to church and requested to be married with the church key, as the parochial authorities had not furnished them with a ring." The clerk, it is said, not unnaturally, felt "some delicacy" about this, and finally found another way out of the difficulty. He fetched an old curtain ring from his own house and with this extraordinary article the loving couple were duly united in the bonds of holy matrimony. But, though this particular clerk saw fit to hesitate, the church key has been employed, and that more than once, in place of the ring during the last hundred years. Even the Duke of Hamilton "was married at May Fair with a bed-curtain ring." Nor does this by any means exhaust the list of eccentric makeshifts. To give my one other instance, it is a matter of history that a lady was once married with a ring of leather cut transversely from the finger of the bridegroom's glove.

Thus the plain gold hoop now sanctioned by long usage and surrounded as it is by untold associations, is by no means so essential to the marriage ordinance as most people suppose. Indeed, it is only during more recent years that it has been accepted as the only proper form of wedding-ring; for in former days rings used for marriage were frequently chased, or set with stones, or inscribed on the inside or outside with names, initials, or mottoes. One might give a long list of these mottoes, or posies as they were called, but it would hardly be found interesting or instructive; for they were not as a rule distinguished by great poetic ability or marked originality of thought.

So it appears that the wedding-ring, like all things human, has its history and its romance. Nowadays it may indeed be said that its adventures are well-nigh over. Perhaps so. But, be that as it may, the writer feels safe in prophesying that so long as hearts beat in unison to the same hopes, the same aspirations, the same desires, so long will the wedding-ring keep its hold upon us all, as the enduring symbol of faith and sacrifice and love.—Detroit Free Press.

## THE PROFESSOR AHEAD.

**Scholastic Jokes That Worked on the Boomerang Principle.**

A teacher's standing, says the Lewiston (Me.) Journal, frequently depends more on his ability to deal with human nature than with the intricate problems of the text-books, and this applies to colleges as well as primary schools. A well-known professor of one of our Maine colleges has always been dreaded more by the incoming freshman class than any other man on the faculty. This feeling wears away somewhat during the last part of the course, but there is always an awe-inspired atmosphere as thick as a Down-East fogbank in this man's class-room, be it filled with quaking freshmen, or self-satisfied seniors. Jokes have, however, frequently been tried on him, since college boys are very brave when they think their tracks are covered, but the jokes have usually been found to have a double back-action kick, like an old flint-lock musket.

With the expectation of getting an "adjourn" from his recitation the next day, some scamp one night broke into this professor's class-room and painted every seat in the room with fresh paint. When the class assembled the next day, the professor said very blandly: "You can sit down, gentlemen, or stand up, just as you please. Mr. A——, will you please demonstrate—," etc.

The class stood for the full hour, its members finding relief by standing first on one foot and then on another.

On another occasion when the mercury had dropped below zero another attempt was made to get an "adjourn." The stove and every window was removed from the recitation-room, but the professor was found there at the usual hour seated comfortably in his chair with overcoat, winter cap and woolen gloves on, and without discomfort to himself conducted a recitation of an hour's length, with heaven's breezes wandering uninterruptedly through the room.

**A Legend of Vassar College.**

"The old legend at our college," says a Vassar girl, "is that in former times the words 'Vassar Female College' were done in stone on the front of the building. One night, so runs the tale, there came a great storm, and the F and E were taken off, leaving it 'male.' This the elements knew to be incorrect, so a second storm obligingly took off the M. The 'Vassar Ale College' was, however, too suggestive of the manner in which the founder made his money, so the trustees had 'ale' chipped, and to-day it reads simply 'Vassar College.'"

## RESCUED FROM SLAVERY.

**Congo and Angola Blacks Who Live Far From Their Old Home.**

Scattered along the coast of West Africa in Sierra Leone and Liberia are a number of settlements known as Angola town and Congo town. The ancestors of the people who live in these little hamlets, were born hundreds of miles south of the places where their children are found to-day. They were natives of Angola and the Congo region. Many of them belong to the great Bantee family, and they know very different languages from those of the negro tribes among whom they now live.

These handfuls of Southern African people scattered among the inhabitants of Liberia and Sierra Leone are more fortunate than many thousands of their friends who toiled away their lives as slaves on the plantations of the West Indies and Brazil. For these settlements were made by rescued slaves, who were taken by the cruisers of the civilized nations from the holds of slave vessels. They were bound for the West Indies or Brazil, for very few of the Congo or Angola blacks were brought to this country. Probably ninety-nine in a hundred of the black residents of this country came originally from the west coast, between Senegambia and Cameroons, while Brazil received most of her hundreds of thousands of slaves from Congoland and Angola.

So these more fortunate captives, who were rescued before they had been taken far from their native land, were settled far north of the Congo at points where they could be protected against slavers. There they have lived ever since, and not a few of the children born in their new homes still talk the languages of the southern tribes. Many of them have been Christianized, are tolerably industrious, and their lot has been quite fortunate, considering the terrible fate they so narrowly escaped.

Awhile ago Mr. H. Chatelain visited the Angola settlement at Sierra Leone. He says in the African News that the style of the houses, the methods of the field cultivation, and the features of the people carried him at once back to Angola, where he had long resided. In one house he found an old man, to whom he spoke in Kimbunder, one of the languages of Angola. The old man was surprised and overjoyed, and, opening his shutters, called out to his neighbor to come and see the man who had been in Angola and spoke Kimbunder. They crowded around, and were greatly surprised to see a white man who could talk with them in a language they had not heard from others since they were shipped from Loanda as slaves.

Chatelain found that they had entirely discarded their old belief in charms and fetiches, and have espoused the faith the missionaries taught them. Some of these people wished to return with their white friend to the old home of their fathers, but he could not take them. There are thousands of these people in the West Indies and Brazil who have vivid recollections of Angola and Congoland, but never expect to see their native shores again.

The people of Paynesville, Liberia, are nearly all released slaves of Congo origin. About two years ago many of them were seized with a craze to return to the Congo. The Congo State was glad to encourage this immigration, for the Liberian Congoese are industrous, and have made considerable progress. About fifty of them went back and settled near the mouth of the river. The Congo Government gave them ten acres of land each and rations for a year. They are not pleased, however, with the change they have made, and have written discouraging letters to Liberia that have stopped further immigration. Bishop Taylor reports the Paynesville Congoese as saying, after they had heard from their friends: "We no go to Congo no more. Liberia is the home dat God give us, and we stop here till He calls us."—N. Y. Sun.

**Why He Praised Them.**

"There is considerable to be said in favor of the cigarette, notwithstanding the abuse that it receives," remarked the portly traveling man to the hotel clerk. "Now, there are circumstances under which cigarettes may make a man comfort able and easy."

"Are you an example?"

"I am."

"I never see you smoking them."

"Certainly not; I sell them."—Washington Press.

**The Wrong Man Found.**

Citizeness—Did you go and thrash that editor for printing those things about you?

Citizen—I went to the office, but I couldn't find him.

"Whom did you find there?

"No one, but a great big bull-necked fellow who pretended he was responsible for that article, but I knew from his looks that he couldn't write."—N. Y. Weekly.

**At the Summer Resort.**

Mr. Firstspring (wishing to take a stroll)—Miss Threesummers, are you engaged for the present?

Miss Threesummers—Yes, just for the present; but not so conclusively as to interfere with the future. Any proposal you wish to make will be duly considered.—Chicago Post.

—Deaf and Dumb Beggar—(at unexpectedly receiving a quarter)—"Oh, thankee, thankee." Benevolent Passer—"Eh? What does this mean, sir? You can talk!" Beggar—(in confusion)—"Y-e-s, sir. Ye see, sir, I'm only holdin' this corner for th' poor deaf and dumb man wot belongs here." Benevolent Passer—(quickly)—"Where is he?" Beggar—(in worse confusion)—"He's—gone to th' park t' hear de music."—N. Y. Weekly.

—Herbert's father was fanning him last night, and when he thought the child was asleep he quietly stopped. In minute or two the boy opened his eyes and looked at his father. "Papa," he said, "fannin' is somephin' that makes you feel warmer when you don't get any bf it, ain't it?" The father started the fan again.—Washington Star.

## PERSONAL AND LITERARY.

—Ludovic Halevy announces his retirement from literary work. He is tired and will write no more unless he concludes to finish an uncompleted novel.

—Salmon P. Chase's old law sign has been discovered, covered with dust and cobwebs, on a building formerly occupied by lawyers on Third street, near Main, in Cincinnati.

—Bertha von Hillern is still an ardent pedestrian, though most of her time is now devoted to work in her studio in the Virginia Mountains. She is a devout Catholic, and frequently walks eleven miles to church and back again.

—Princess Helen Cusa, whose husband died in Madrid lately leaving her a fortune of 3,000,000 francs, has determined to devote her whole income to charitable purposes. She has become a nurse in the children's hospital at Jassy.

—Sir Edwin Arnold's new epic, now finished, "The Light of the World," was conceived before he wrote "The Light of Asia," and for all inspiration and correct localization he traveled extensively through the Holy Land. His new epic is in blank verse, relieved with occasional lyrics.

—Mr. Gladstone estimates his library to contain from 22,000 to 25,000 books, arranged by himself into minute divisions and sections. He thinks that about one-forth of the volumes may be theological. He has about twenty editions of Homer, and from thirty to forty translations, whole or in part.

—A complete list of the Sultan's wives shows that he has five first-class wives, valides; twenty-four second-class or morganatic wives; and some two hundred and fifty third-class partners, variously described as "favorites" and "slaves." The care and attendance of the female establishments require the service of 5,000 persons, who are the only people in Turkey who receive their full pay with regularity.

—From Cairo, by way of Germany, is reported the discovery of a Coptic manuscript which contains much new light upon the Council of Ephesus in 431. It consists of a series of letters written from Ephesus by Cyril, Patriarch of Alexandria, to his agent at the court of Theodosius II., and a report by his agent, Victor the Younger, on the result of his negotiations.

—The American Humane Education Society offers two prizes of $250 each for best essays on this question: "In the interests of humanity should vivisection be permitted, and, if so, under what restrictions and limitations?" One prize of $250 is for the best essay advocating vivisection, the other of $250 for the best essay opposing it. Essays must be received before January 1, 1891, by George T. Angell, 19 Milk street, Boston.

—Editor Dana was selected as judg to pass upon the competitive poems submitted by the Indiana amateur journalists, and this is his report: "I have examined thoroughly the eight poems submitted in competition for the title of poet laureate, and it is my duty to say that there is not one of them which merits such an honor. They are all commonplace in thought and mediocre in treatment. I do not find an original idea in them all, and the one quality, which oppears pretty evenly, is facility in phrase-making and line-making." The amateur poets are indignant.

## HUMOROUS.

—Mother—"What did you learn at Sunday-school?" Tommy—"The lesson was all about a man's health." Mother—"What did it say about it?" Tommy—"It said: 'Jacob's well.'"—Lawrence American.

—Lady (to Tramp)—"Poor man; I suppose that in your hard life you meet with a great many stumbling blocks?" Tramp—"Yes, madam, but the chopping blocks are what I most dread."—Boston Herald.

—The Czar—"Vodsky, what is thatski?" Vodsky—"That is one of those Americanovitch slotskimachiniskis." The Czar—"And what does the thingovitch do?" Vodsky—"You drop a diamond in the slotovitch and try your weightski."—N. Y. Sun.

—"Well, of all the ways of makin' a livin'," said Binks, "I think literature's about the easiest." "The easiest?" "Yes. I've watched the fellers that do it. All a man's got to do is to sit down an' slide his pen over the paper."—Washington Post.

—Dinah—"Wat's de matter dere, honey?" Small Daughter (dressing for a party in Blackville)—"Dere's so many holes in my shoes dat my new red an' blue stockings shows right froo." Dinah—"Well, go wifout stockings, an de holes won't show."—Good News.

—Some scientific men have come to the conclusion that the man of the future will be without hair and without teeth. That will be the final development of the species. Fortunately, we who are now on the planet will not live to see that happy time, and we need not give ourselves much concern about it.—London Edition Herald.

—"No," said she, "I—I can only be a sister to you." "Very well," said he, "I must be going! I had expected a different answer, but—well, good-night!" "George," she faltered, as he started out into the night, "George!" "What is it?" he asked crossly. "Aren't you going to kiss your sister good-night?" He did not go.—Lawrence American.

—Upon one occasion Mr. Spurgeon told his students the following story: When I was in Arran I heard of a minister who preached in a certain church, and at the close of the service was strongly urged to promise his presence for a future supply of the pulpit—the collection after his sermon having been unusually large. "Dear me," said the minister, with becoming pride, "what might your ordinary collection amount to?" "Last Sunday it was twopence halfpenny." "What is it to-day, then?" asked the minister, expecting to hear a large sum. "Eightpence halfpenny," was the reply. "Woe is me," moaned the preacher within himself, "for I gave the sixpence myself!"—Pick-Me-Up.


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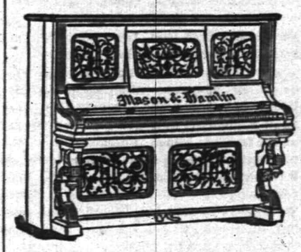

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| 3d do | 9.15 | do | 9.32 | do |
| 4th do | 10.00 | do | 10.37 | do |
| 5th do | 11.00 | do | 11.36 | do |
| 6th do | 11.45 | do | 12.03 P.M. | do |
| 7th do | 1.45 P. M. | do | 2.15 & 2.56 P.M. | do |
| 8th do | 2.45 | do | To the Post Office. | |
| 9th do | 3.30 | do | meet 3.51 P. M. | train. |
| 10th do | 5.00 | do | do 5.39 | do |
| 11th do | 5.45 | do | do 6.07 | do |
| 12th do | 6.45 | do | do 7.08 | do |

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For Lambertville and Phillipsburg only, 1 39 P. M.

For Flemington—7 59 A. M.; 2 54 P. M.

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PLAINFIELD AND NEW YORK.

Leave Plainfield 2 37, 5 24, 5 32, 6 29, 6 39, 7 26 7 30, 7 58, 8, 8 15, 8 31, 8 37, 9 32, 10 05, 11 09, 11 39, A. M., 1, 1 41, 2 07, 2 30, 3 12, 3 51, 5 08, 5 34, 6 04, 6 54, 7 05, 8 31, 9 28, 10 12, 11 28 P. M. Sunday—3 37, 5 24, 8 01, 8 52, 11 02, 11 16 A. M., 12 23, 1 50, 3 30, 5 16, 7 01, 7 10, 8 25, 9 32, 10 03 P. M.

Leave New York from foot of Liberty street, 4 30, 5 45, 7, 7 45, 8 45, 10, 11, A. M., 1, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4, 4 30, 5, 5 15, 5 30, 5 45, 6, 6 15, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 8, 9 30, 9 15, 10, 11 30 P. M., 12 15, night. Sunday—4 30, 7 30, 9, 9 30, A. M., 12 M., 1, 3 15, 4, 5 30, 6, 7, 9 00, 10 00 P. M., 12 15 night.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield 5 38, 6 29, 6 59, 7 30, 8, 8 37, 9 32, 10 05, 11 09, 11 39 A. M., 1, 2 07, 2 30, 3 12, 3 51, 5 08, 5 34, 6 07, 6 54, 7 09, 8 31, 10 12, 11 28 P. M. Sunday—3 37, 5 24, 8 01, 8 52, 11 02, 11 16 A. M., 12 23, 1 50, 3 30, 5 16, 7 01, 7 10, 8 25, 9 32, 10 03 P. M.

Leave Newark 7 10, 7 50, 8 55, 10 10, 11 00 A. M., 1 05, 1 35, 2 40, 3 40, 4 02, 4 37, 5 05, 5 30, 5 52, 6 25, 7 15, 7 35, 8 20, 9 25, 10 10, 11 25 P. M. Sunday—7 25, 8 40, 9 05, 9 50, A. M., 12 06, 1 10, 4 10, 5 40, 6 05, 7 05, 9 25, 10 20 P. M.

Passengers for Newark change cars at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7, 8 07, 9 42, 11, 11 58 A. M., 1 59, 3 25, 5 45, 6 36, 8 20, 8 54, 9 29, 11 07, 11 37 P. M. Sunday—8 20, 9 45, 11 13, 12 43 P. M. Sunday—5 35, 8 13, 9 48, A. M., 2 03, 2 30, 5 14, 6 35, 10 15, 11 14 P. M.

Leave Somerville, 6, 6 30, 7 03, 7 25, 7 55, 7 46 9 05, 9 47, 11 15 A. M., 12 35, 1 15, 1 48, 2 25, 3 3 4 40, 5 12, 5 35, 8 05, 8 50, 11 05, P. M. Sunday—8 25, 10 35 A. M., 12 08, 105, 4 50, 6 40, 8 03, 905, 9 30 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7, 8 07, 9 42, A. M., 1 59, 4 34, 5 20, 6 38, 8 20 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 13 A. M., 2 05, 6 38 P. M.

Leave Easton 6 05, 8 44, 10 A. M., 12 22, 4 00, 6 49 P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 52, A. M., 6 40, 7 [illegible] P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 7, 9 42 A. M., 5 20 P. M.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.
LEAVE PLAINFIELD.

5 45 A. M. for Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

7 A. M. for High Bridge Branch and Easton.

9 07 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 42 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Hazleton, Drifton, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c.

1 59 P. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, &c.

4 34 P. M. for D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

5 20 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Schooley's Mountain, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, &c.

6 20 P. M. for Flemington.

6 38 P. M. for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg.

8 20 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8 13 a. m. Sundays for High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, &c., 5 05 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua and Pettsville. 6 35 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

For Atlantic City, 2 37 a. m. 1 p. m.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c.

Leave Plainfield 2 37, 8, 11 09, a. m., 3 51, 5 31, p. m. Sundays—(except Ocean Grove) 8 52, a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 2 37, 5 38, 8, 10 05, 11 39 a. m., 1, 3 51, 5 31, 7 03 p. m. Sundays—8 52 a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Freehold, 2 37, 8, 10 05 a. m., 1, 3 51, 5 31, p. m.

ROUND BROOK ROUTE.

Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia, 1 37, 5 45, 8 29, 9 48, 11 58 a. m., 1 59, 3 25, 4 08, 5 34, 6 39, 8 20 p. m. Sundays—1 17, 9 48, a. m., 2 30, 4 08, 5 14, 6 55 p. m.

For Baltimore and Washington at 1 37, 9 48, 11 58 a. m., 2 45, 4 08, 5 34 p. m. Sundays—1 17, 9 48 a. m., 2 47, 4 08, 5 14 p. m.

RETURNING—LEAVE PHILADELPHIA.

Ninth and Green streets, 7 30, 8 30, 9 30, 11 08 a. m., 12 45, 1 30, 3 15, 5 15, 6 15, 8 02, 9 45, 12 p. m. Sundays—9 a. m., 12 50, 3 10, 5 15, 6 10, 8, 9 20 p. m.

From 24th and Chestnut—3 10, 8 30, 11 08, a. m. 12 52, 

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## SHOT BY A MADMAN

### Mary Anderson's Crazy Lover Kills a Doctor.

#### A BROOKLYN ASYLUM THE SCENE

Two Shots Fired from a Revolver in Each Hand.

He Then Started to Search for Another Victim and is Arrested in New York.

Several Letters Taken from His Pockets Addressed to Mary Anderson, and one Rambling About God and Love.

NEW YORK, Oct. 10.—Last evening James M. Dougherty, the insane lover of Mary Anderson Navarro, entered the office of the Kings County Insane Asylum and asked to see the Superintendent, Dr. Fleming. The Assistant Superintendent, Dr. George F. Doyd, recognized him as having escaped from the asylum a fortnight ago and sought to engage his attention.

Dougherty had a loaded revolver in each hand and fired them almost simultaneously and Dr. Lloyd fell to the floor and instantly expired, one bullet lodging in his throat and the other entering the head.

Dougherty then left the asylum and started for the Kings County Hospital with the avowed intention of killing Dr. Arnold, one of the surgeons there, but fortunately that gentleman was out.

From the latter place his steps were lost until he was arrested at the New York terminus of the bridge as he was alighting from a train and taken to the Oak Street Station.

Dougherty still had the two revolvers and in his pockets with a number of manuscripts and several letters. One of the letters was addressed to "Mrs. Mary Anderson Navarro," and read:

"MY MARY: I must now bid you good-bye. I wish you all happiness. You deeply wronged me, but I understand the extenuating circumstances and freely forgive you. Its ever thus, I am hurt by those I love. I have no wish to leave you now, Mary, be good, happy and true."

Another letter rambles incoherently about God and love as follows:

"I use the term it to represent our God, instead of he or she as I do not think God's sexual. Make in the future phase of existence this may be granted. If there be mating in it I intend to be awful good to you. Sometimes I was afraid of you. It was a sort of hero worship. You were my heorine and are so yet. I did love you: if I loved, I hate. In concluding, Mary, I advise you to study spiritualism. It is full of frauds. This is human nature. The other life is very near to us. I can hope to meet you there. I wish you would attend to my manuscripts. There is no friend to take interest in my discourses and they would help the world if diffused. I arose so poor and lowly that none takes note of them. These, the children of my brain, my orphans. I would wish to live on, and now farewell. JIMMIE."

Oct. 1, 1890.

Other letters were addressed to his mother, Mrs. Margaret Dougherty, Olean, N. Y.; Mr. Lewis, Spader, N. Y., and Charles O. Pierson, Room 59, War Department, Washington, D. C.

Dougherty was confined in the Kings County Asylum twenty-two months and escaped on September 26. It is learned that last Thursday he bought two revolvers at No. 43 Bowery to kill Dr. Fleming, and he admitted at the station house that he went to Brooklyn to kill, and fully expected to be killed himself.

### CONFESSION OF FAITH.

The Presbyterian Revision Committee as Different of Opinion as the Synods.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Oct. 10.—The Committee on the Revision of the Westminster Confession of Faith, has selected Dr. R. R. Booth, of New York, and Elder M. H. Stratton, of New Jersey, to take the places of the two members who resigned last Wednesday.

Dr. Moore expressed the opinion today that the committee will adjourn next Monday. This is necessary in order that some of the members may attend the session of their Synods. Consideration of the third, fourth, fifth, sixth and seventh chapters occupied the morning. No formal action has been taken and it is not likely that there will be a vote at this meeting of the committee. The members have been permitted to discuss matters freely. The opinions expressed differed as widely as those of the Synods they represent. It is feared this will cause confusion when action is taken, and the president thinks it is advisable to give plenty of time for discussion before attempting to vote.

### Strikers Must Not Intimidate.

LYNN, Mass., Oct. 10.—An injunction has just been issued by Judge Mason of the Superior Court against the members of the Cutters' Union who are managing the present strike, and ordering all further intimidation of workmen at Rumsey Brothers' shoe factory to cease. They are enjoined from preventing any one from approaching the factory for work by intimidation or persuasion or from doing anything tending to injure Rumsey Brothers' business.

### Anthracite Coal Men Meet.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Oct. 10.—At the meeting of the Anthracite Coal Trade held here yesterday for the purpose of discussing the question of further restricting the production, no definite conclusions were reached and they adjourned to meet in New York on the 18th instant.

### Their Cases Again Postponed.

BOSTON, Oct. 10.—The cases of Walter Potter and W. D. Lovell who are charged with fraudulently disposing of seventy $1,000 bonds, the property of Charles Richardson of Philadelphia, President of the Edge Hill Furnace company have again been postponed to the 23d inst.

### EXTRA SESSION TALK.

Will the President Re-convene Congress Next Month?

WASHINGTON, Oct. 10.—There is a good deal of talk here regarding the probability of an extra session of Congress. One report is that President Harrison will call an extra session November 11 to pass the Federal Election law. The same authority says that before he left the city Senator Aldrich had an interview with the President, and during that call President Harrison told the Senator that he wanted the bill passed and before the second session began, and it was understood that the extra session would be called.

A despatch received last night in this city from the Presidential train said that the Washington despatch saying that the President had determined to call a special session of Congress was shown to Private Secretary Halford by a newspaper correspondent. Mr. Halford after reading it said: "That is not true. No decision has been reached."

Of course, the report of an extra session came like a surprise, and by many was looked upon as being hardly probable, yet inquiry on the Senate side of the Capitol showed that it is almost an accepted fact there, and that preparations are being made for the convening of the Senate early after the November election. Several of the Senators' clerks and a large number of the Senate employes are here working with the idea of an extra session, but still there are many who will not believe the report.

### LOOKS BAD FOR LINGO.

Circumstantial Evidence Before the Coroner Strong Against Him.

CAMDEN, N. J., Oct. 10.—The verdict of the coroner's jury in holding Lingo responsible for the murder of Mrs. Miller seems to meet with general approval. There is no doubt now that he will be indicted.

Prosecutor Jenkins says he has enough facts to convict the prisoner. They have been gathered by the detectives who have been working lately under his direct supervision.

The testimony before the coroner was circumstantial, but pointed very strongly to Lingo as the guilty party. The Du Hadway children and Insurance Agent Wilder testified to seeing him in the neighborhood at about the time the murder is supposed to have been committed.

County Physician Izard told of the appearance of the body and said that the underclothing showed fresh blood stains, and that the post mortem disclosed that the woman had been ravished.

### England's Exiled Soldiers in Distress.

LONDON, Oct. 10.—Much sympathy is aroused here by the published statement from Bermuda that the Second Battalion of the Grenadier Guards, who were exiled to that island for insubordination, are being ravaged by disease. Many of the men have families in this city whom they had to leave behind, and to whom they hoped to return in a short time. They were also great favorites with the public, and considerable indignation is expressed against the Government for failing to properly protect the health of one of the finest battalions in the British army.

### Accident to the Newark.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 10.—The new cruiser Newark, which left Cramps ship yard yesterday morning on her initial trial trip, returned to her dock later in the afternoon with a section of her machinery broken. Just before she reached Wilmington an unusual jarring was noticed. The machinery was stopped and an examination disclosed that the rocker shaft bearing on the forward engine was cracked. Those who were on the Newark say that her speed was very great and that she promises to be one of the fastest vessels ever launched.

### Against an O'Reilly Memorial.

BOSTON, Oct. 10.—The following has been received by the Mayor:

*To the Honorable Aldermen and Councilmen of Boston:*

The undersigned citizens of Boston most earnestly and emphatically protest against the appropriation of public funds for, or allowing the erection of any memorial in any public grounds or building of the city, in honor of the late John Boyle O'Reilly, editor of the Boston Pilot, and the implacable enemy of the public schools.

The communication has about 1,000 signers.

### Deaf Mutes Protest.

BOSTON, Oct. 10.—The declaration of Dr. Graham Bell that the offsprings of congenital deaf and dumb parents are almost certain to inherit these defects, and for which reason he urges Congress to pass a law preventing their intermarriage has caused a protest to be issued by several prominent mutes in this city.

### Released from the Charge of Murder.

BALTIMORE, Oct. 10.—Ezekial Jolly, charged with complicity in the Black River murder mystery, has been released, as the charge against him has been dismissed.

## A FIRM REFUSAL

### The Erie's Answer to the Men's Demands.

#### EMPLOYES ADDRESSED DIRECT.

The Road Cannot Afford to Increase Wages, President King Says.

Where the Pay Is Less Than on Other Roads it Will Be Raised, But the New Schedule Submitted Is Declined—The Men Will Hold a Meeting To-Day and Decide on Their Course of Action.

NEW YORK, Oct. 10.—The New York, Lake Erie & Western Railroad, through President King, has made known, by means of a brochure addressed to all its employes, its reply to the demands of its engineers, conductors, firemen and trainmen made some time ago.

These demands numbered 83 and related to a schedule of pay and regulations to govern employes of the road. They came from the "federated body of employes of the system."

The demands are refused.

The reply says: "The company is unable to advance wages generally. It does not expect or desire to pay less wages for similar services than those paid upon competing and adjacent roads, but on the other hand, as it cannot obtain higher rates for transportation, it cannot afford to pay rates higher than those of its competitors.

"And the fact is that the present rates are, almost without exception, higher than the average paid by them. In the few instances where it is not the case the company will readjust its rates.

"So far as the management of the corporate business and the employment and discipline of the company's officials are concerned, those matters are committed by law to the wise discretion of the officers and directors in office when questions regarding the same may arise."

The committee of employes has professed itself confident of getting a favorable answer, and the reply was received with expressions of surprise. Up to yesterday noon the cry of the committee was, "Every demand or none!" When a reporter met some of the committee this morning a reaction had set in. The company hadn't sent the committee in particular an answer, but had sent its answer to all employes. Chairman A. B. Youngson, of the committee, said that a meeting would be held some time to-day and then it would be decided what would be best to do.

Although there was no formal meeting of the committee up to noon, there was a most serious gathering at the hotel and also gatherings of lodges in in Jersey City. It is the usual course in such cases to send for the chiefs of the several brotherhoods interested. They may be looked for by Saturday or Sunday, and will probably call on the officers of the road. The General Grievance Committee of a brotherhood on any system can inaugurate a strike on its own responsibility, but if it wants the support of the other brotherhoods in general it must submit the matter to the grand officers and follow their instructions.

### NOTICE TO BONDHOLDERS.

Uncle Sam Will Redeem 4 1-2s 1891 With Interest to August 31.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 10.—Secretary Windom last evening issued the following circular about the redemption of 4½ per cent. bonds:

Public notice is hereby given that until further notice the bonds of the 4½ per cent. loan of 1891 will be redeemed with interest to August 31, 1891, on presentation at the Treasury Department in the city of Washington, D. C.

Bonds forwarded for redemption should be addressed to the "Secretary of the Treasury, Division of Loans, etc., Washington, D. C.," and the registered bonds should be assigned to "The Secretary of the Treasury for Redemption."

Assignments must be dated and properly acknowledged, as prescribed in the note printed on the back of each bond.

When checks in payment are desired in favor of any one but the payee, the bonds should be assigned to the "Secretary of the Treasury for redemption for account of" (here insert the name of the person or persons to whose order the check should be made payable).

### Mr. Parnell in Ill Health.

LONDON, Oct. 10.—Mr. Parnell's physicians have positively forbidden him from addressing public meetings at present, and the utmost that they will sanction in the way of political activity at present is that he may meet his colleagues privately in conference.

### Progress of New York's Recount.

NEW YORK, Oct. 10.—The police census enumerators have turned in 899 of the election district returns for this city, the figures aggregating 1,576,231. There are still 48 districts to be reported.

### LOOKING FOR PEACE.

Result of the Conference of the Baseball Magnates in New York.

NEW YORK, Oct. 10.—The conference of baseball magnates at the Fifth Avenue Hotel did not come to any definite settlement of the difficulty, but matters looking to a speedy patching up of the war was arranged. There were present delegates from the two leagues and Association, and the meeting lasted until 1 o'clock this morning.

President Byrnes, after the meeting closed, announced the proceedings as follows:

"The three committees had each presented its views of the situation and that a common ground was found from which to start, but that in view of the fact that neither the Players' League nor the American Association was fully or authoritatively represented, it was decided to defer any further consideration of the subject until the committees of those two organizations could confer with their respective bodies. Therefore it was decided to adjourn the conference until Oct. 22, at the Fifth Avenue Hotel. A resolution was adopted, which in the meantime will preserve a sort of armistice in baseball. It is that between Oct. 9 and 26 no negotiations or contracts will be entered into with any player by any of the clubs."

### Baseball Games Yesterday.

American Association.

AT PHILADELPHIA.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Athletic | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 6—4 |
| Rochester | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 3 | x—10 |

Batteries—Stecker and Daley; Grimm and McKeogh.

AT BALTIMORE.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Baltimore | 1 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | x—6 |
| Syracuse | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0—3 |

Batteries—O'Rourke and Tate; Keefe and Pitz.

AT LOUISVILLE.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Toledo | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 3 | 0—7 |
| Louisville | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0—6 |

Batteries—Healey and Welch; Goodall and Bligh.

AT ST. LOUIS.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| St. Louis | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0—5 |
| Columbus | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 2 | x—7 |

Batteries—Neal and Munyan; Knauss and Doyle.

Players' League.

EXHIBITION GAMES.

AT CINCINNATI.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Cincinnati | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0—1 |
| Buffalo | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | x—4 |

Batteries—Mullane and Harrington; Stafford and Mack.

### THE DUPONT HORROR.

Remains of Some of the Victims Gathered Up in Buckets.

WILMINGTON, Del., Oct. 10.—Two more victims of the powder mills explosion will be buried this afternoon—Mrs. Rose Dougherty and Patrick Dougherty.

Seven buckets full of the ghastly remnants of the bodies of the six men missing have been picked up. A part of a face and head supposed to be Dolan's was found.

Four ribs were found twenty feet up in a tree, and other portions on the other side of the Brandywine.

A common funeral will be given to these remains.

It is now stated that a teamster named George Lutton, who with his team of four horses was seen about the powder yard just previous to the explosion, has not been seen since; neither have his horses.

### Found Girls Strangled to Death.

CUMBERLAND, Ont., Oct. 10.—The dead bodies of Mary and Eliza McGonogle, aged 14 and 12 respectively, were found last night by a searching party who had been looking for them since Tuesday evening. The girls had been outraged and strangled to death. Narcisse Larocque, who was seen following the girls on their way home from school Tuesday afternoon, is under arrest on suspicion. The girls lived a mile and a half from the village where they attended school.

### The President Wont Visit Chicago.

CHICAGO, Oct. 10.—George R. Davis, Director-General of the World's Fair, has received a telegram from the President in reply to one asking him to arrange his Western itinerary so as to make a visit to Chicago on the return East, informing him that the limited time of the Western trip and the impossibility of changing the present itinerary without injustice rendered it impossible for the President to visit Chicago on this occasion.

### Souci Held for Extradition.

CONCORD, N. H., Oct. 10.—Vital, alias John Souci, who was arrested in Nashua recently for breaking jail at Beauharnoise, Can., was brought here last evening and arraigned before United States Commissioner Foster on a charge of horse stealing, and committed to jail to await the arrival of extradition papers. Canadian officers say Souci is a desperate man and is wanted for several crimes committed in the Dominion.

### Movements of the Count of Paris.

RICHMOND, Va., Oct. 10.—Count de Paris and suite arrived in the city last evening on the James river steamer Ariel, and quartered at the Exchange Hotel. To-day, accompanied by Col. Archer Anderson and Capt. Phil Haxall, they started to visit Mechanicsville, Seven Pines, Cold Harbor and other old battlefields. This evening the Count has agreed to attend a reception at Col. Anderson's house.

### Rube Burrows' Remains.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Oct. 10.—The dead body of Rube Burrows reached here at 3:30 a. m. and was gazed upon by hundreds of eager sight-seers as it lay in the plain pine box enclosing it. It was subsequently taken to Lamar County and delivered to his father at Sulligent Station. The old man wept at the sight of his boy's remains, and his sister went into hysterics, crying that he was shot down like a dog. The body was clothed in the same dirty suit he had on when captured.


Highest of all in Leavening Power.—U. S. Gov't Report, Aug. 17, 1889.

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE


## WITH THE PRESIDENT

### Another Delightful Day Spent By the Tourists.

#### BIG CROWDS TO ENTERTAIN HIM.

An Entire Day and Evening Spent at Ottumwa, Iowa.

The President Meets His Brother and Sister and Dines With Them—He Visits the Coal Palace, Reviews a Large Procession and Shakes Hands With Many Hundreds of the People.

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Oct. 10.—The President and his party look bright and fresh this morning, and all express themselves extremely delighted with their journey. The reception at Ottumwa, Iowa, was on a magnificent scale and the President has spoke in flattering terms of the apparent prosperity of the city. On the arrival of the Presidential train, Colonel H. G. Ballingall, the president of the coal palace, attached to the Iowa Industrial Exposition, escorted the President to a carriage which was in waiting for him. The President's brother, John S. Harrison, of Kansas City, and his brother-in-law, T. J. Devins, were at the station. They got in the carriage with Colonel Ballingall and the President, and together they were driven to Mr. Devins's house, where the President took breakfast with his sister, his brother and his brother-in-law.

At 10 o'clock the President was escorted to the coal palace by the committee, where he was joined by the other members of his party. Arrangements had been made to give them a private view of the interior of the palace. Then the President returned to the home of his sister for luncheon.

Between 10:30 and 11 o'clock the sun came out, and at noon the President was escorted to the reviewing stand, where he reviewed the parade. When the procession had passed the President was taken again to the coal palace, where elaborate preparations had been made for his reception. The President took a seat on the stage. His appearance was greeted by applause from the crowd, which packed the palace. Hon. P. J. Ballingall called the assemblage to order and introduced Governor Horace Boies. The Governor, in a brief speech of welcome, introduced the President to the audience. The President spoke briefly.

The President went through the coal palace with Governor Boies, followed by the members of the President's party under escort of the local committee. A complete tour of the building was made, the lower floor being examined first and then the galleries. When the President appeared in the gallery, the visitors assembled on the lower floor gave him three cheers. The President expressed his pleasure and surprise at the unique and beautiful exhibit. He was then escorted to the main entrance, where a carriage was in waiting to take him to the home of his sister, Mrs. Devins, where he took luncheon. Prominent citizens of the city took the other members of the Presidential party to their homes and entertained them at luncheon.

Just as the President left the coal palace there was a light shower of rain, but though the skies remained cloudy and threatening, the rain soon ceased and all the arrangements for the parade were pushed forward rapidly. The line of march was through the principal streets of the city. An amphitheatre had been built on the hillside at the Adams School building. Three thousand children were seated there, each with a flag in hand. At a given signal the sea of flags waved homage to the President, while 3,000 childish voices sang a national air. The Presidential party drove through the inclosure near the school children, the rest of the parade keeping on Second street. When the head of the procession reached the public square the President and the other distinguished guests and Governor Boies left their carriages and took places on the reviewing stand, where the President stood and reviewed the parade. An immense crowd surrounded the reviewing stand and the streets through which the procession passed were lined with a dense crowd.

The President was then escorted to the residence of Mr. Fenton, where he dined. After which, with Secretary Tracy, the President gave an informal reception.

The President and the Secretary then went to the coal palace, where a public reception was held.

The President stood on the speaker's platform and shook hands for fifty minutes with the crowd.

They passed before him, men, women and children, at the rate of fifty a minute, and the President had shaken hands with at least 2,500 when at 8:50 p. m. the line was cut off. The President was then escorted back to his car, and twenty minutes later the train pulled out.

### To Test the Weekly Payment Law.

BUFFALO, Oct. 10.—A case is up today before the Rochester General Term to test the weekly payment law, as to whether the salaried employes of the city of Buffalo come under the provisions of the Weekly Payment bill. The test is being made in the case of a clerk in the Mayor's office. A decision of the General Term is sought by the laborers throughout the State, and it will be of much more value than the Special Term decision by Judge Andrews of New York.

### Cigarmakers Threaten to Strike.

NEW YORK, Oct. 10.—Fifteen hundred Cuban and Spanish cigarmakers are notifying their employers that unless an increase of $2 per 1,000 is granted to them before Monday next that they will go on strike.

### VIOLATED THE LOTTERY LAW.

The Weekly Edition of the Atlanta Constitution Seized.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 10.—The postal authorities at Atlanta, Ga., have seized this week's weekly edition of the Atlanta Constitution which contained a prize distribution offer to its subscribers to be settled by a Christmas drawing.

The objectionable feature consisted in the announcement that it would distribute prizes in its Christmas box.

The postal authorities claim that this violates the recently passed anti-lottery law.

When the law was passed the Constitution announced that the newspapers ought to assist the Government in executing its provisions, and promptly stopped the publication of its regular lottery advertisements, not thinking that the law was intended to cover such features as that for which to-day's edition was seized.

### OUR TARIFFS TOO HIGH.

The Italian Chicago World's Fair Exhibit Committee Dissolved.

ROME, Oct. 10.—The Italian Committee on Chicago World's Fair exhibits has been dissolved. The reason given is that few Italian houses care to send displays to America in the face of the high duties imposed by the McKinley tariff.

### "Teggs" Holland Arrested.

DOVER, N. H., Oct. 10.—"Teggs" Holland, who attempted to rob Edward M. Carr on the highway Wednesday night and shot the latter, was arrested in a swamp near the water works pumping station during the morning. No revolver was found on him, and he says he has had none for two days. Holland was taken into Carr's presence and fully identified by the latter, then removed to the jail followed by a large and angry crowd.

### Big Manufactories to Be Built.

BALTIMORE, Md., Oct. 10.—The Manufacturers' Record reports the closing of a contract for the construction of large steel works, including three furnaces, rolling mill, etc., at Tredegar, Calhoun County, Ala., to employ when completed over 3,000 hands; a large tinplate mill to be built at Savernake, Va.; a $200,000 rolling mill at Cardiff, Tenn., and a $1,100,000 company to establish manufacturing enterprises at Roanoke, Va.

### Trotting Record Broken.

TERRE HAUTE, Ind., Oct. 10.—Fully 15,000 people cheered themselves hoarse when the great stallion Nelson flew under the wire and it was known that for a second time he had broken the world's trotting record. He was driven by his owner, C. W. Nelson. Time: First quarter, 33 seconds; half, 1:04½; three-quarters, 1:36½; under the wire in 2:11½; thus lowering the world's record by a quarter of a second.

### Nominated for Assembly.

RONDOUT, N. Y., Oct. 10.—E. B. Walker, of Kingston, was nominated for Assembly by the Republicans of the Second Ulster district.

### NEWS OF THE DAY.

The Amherst eleven beat the "Aggie" team at foot ball at Amherst yesterday, 52 to nothing in 45 minutes.

Light snow fell at intervals yesterday at Sisson, Cal. There has been a heavy fall of snow on Mount Shasta.

La Grippe has struck Burlington, Ia., again. A number of people are down. Two deaths from the disease are reported.

Mrs. Mary T. Birt of New York city was unanimously re-elected President by the Women's Christian Temperance Union at the State Convention in session at Elmira.

The steamship Kansas, at Boston from Liverpool, reports that on October 3, latitude 48.21 North, longitude 46.49 West, she passed an iceberg 300 feet high and 600 feet long.

Isaac Murphy, the great jockey, is seriously ill with pneumonia and inflammation of the bowels at his home in New York, and his friends are greatly alarmed at his condition.

The miners of the Monongahela district will demand an increase of half a cent per bushel this month. If the operators refuse the demand a strike will ensue which will affect over 6,000 miners.

### Weather Indications.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 10.—*For New England:* Fair weather; warmer; variable winds, becoming southerly.

For Eastern New York: Warmer; southerly winds; fair weather; rains in northern portions to-night.

For Eastern Pennsylvania, New Jersey and Delaware: Warmer; fair weather; southerly winds.

For Western New York and Western Pennsylvania: Warmer; southerly winds; fair weather.

### NEW YORK MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Oct. 8.—Money on call to-day 5 and 5½ per cent.

BONDS.

| | Closing Yesterday. | Closing To-day. |
|---|---|---|
| 4½s, 1891 Reg | 104½ | 103½ |
| 4½s, 1891 Coup | 104½ | 103½ |
| 4 s, 1907 Reg | 122 | 122½ |
| 4 s, 1907 Coup | 120 | 119½ |

STOCK MARKET.

| | Closing Yesterday. | Closing To-day. |
|---|---|---|
| Canadian Pacific | — | 79¾ |
| Central Pacific | — | 30 |
| Chicago, Bur. & Quincy | 92½ | 91¾ |
| Delaware & Hudson | 134 | 133½ |
| Del., Lack. & Western | 144 | 142¾ |
| Erie | 23 | 22¾ |
| Erie pref | — | — |
| Lake Shore | 106¾ | 106 |
| Louis. & Nash. | 81½ | 81½ |
| Michigan Central | — | — |
| Missouri Pacific | 68¾ | 67¾ |
| New Jersey Central | 125 | 114 |
| Northwestern | 107 | 106¾ |
| Oregon Navigation | — | — |
| Pacific Mail | 39 | 38¾ |
| Reading | — | 29¾ |
| Rock Island | 78¾ | 78¾ |
| St. Paul | 62½ | 60 |
| Texas Pacific | 5½ | 5½ |

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## BY THE WAY.

—The class in short-hand will be organized at the Y. M. C. A., to-night.

—Forty-two boys enrolled themselves as members of the Boys' Club last night.

—The weekly conference for Christian men will be held at the Y. M. C. A. to-night.

—W. E. Johnson, sexton of the Methodist Episcopal church, has removed from Plainfield avenue to 54 Manning avenue, North Plainfield.

—A performing bear, led by two swarthy Italians, and followed by a crowd of boys and girls, made lively the residence streets today.

—Bids will be received at the office of John Ulrich, 65 North avenue, to-morrow, for the removal of the building on East Second street, formerly occupied by the Crescent League.

—The co-partnership of Hetfield Bros., was dissolved yesterday by mutual consent. Walter L. Hetfield withdraws from the firm and John M. Hetfield will continue the business.

—Tunis J. Carey has furnished bonds for Thomas Peterson's appearance in case the Grand Jury finds an indictment against the young man on Lizzie Courtney's serious charge.

—The second ward has proved itself the Banner Ward again. Its election officers completed their house-to-house registration yesterday afternoon before some of the other ward officers had even commenced. There were 561 names of voters listed.

—The eleventh annual reunion of the Veteran Association of the First Regiment of N. J. Volunteer Cavalry will be held at Trenton, Oct. 16. The presence of old comrades from this city is earnestly desired. Those desiring to attend may obtain information from C. F. Croselmire, Secretary, 115 Chestnut street, Newark.

—It would be difficult to find a quartette equal to the Dudley Buck for taste and training. Its singing is a revelation of the possibility in shading and expression for four well-matched and perfectly handled male voices. It will appear in concert, with Roberts the reader, and Glose the pianist, at Music Hall, next Thursday evening.

—The audiences at the mesmeric entertainments of Prof. Reynolds at Reform Hall this week have been highly appreciative, and the subjects of this master of hypnotism have been exceptionally good. A thoroughly interesting performance, with special features, will be given to-night and to-morrow night, with a matinee Saturday afternoon.

### Two Votes Left in a Ward That Once Elected Him to the Council.

An election was held in the Fourth Ward, the other evening, to fill a vacancy in the County Executive Committee that occurred by the expiration of the term of Mr. Carey, a former policeman. It was the same ward where he was once elected a Councilman by the efforts of J. B. Miller and other leaders whom he subsequently rewarded by persecution.

Mr. Carey was a candidate to succeed himself on the City Executive Committee the other evening, yet he got but *two* votes. These two votes, it is said, were cast by a man by the name of Titsworth who nominated him, and a man by the name of Mitchell, who works at Potter's or Pond's. Even the support of the Art Gallery politicians seems to have fallen away from the man with the foul mouth.

### Found a Victim With a Willing Heart and Ready Purse.

Victor Hedrich, who runs a barber shop on Liberty street, is a generous-hearted man, as is evidenced by his kindness, yesterday, to a stranger who went to him for aid. The man wanted to borrow three dollars to pay his car fare to the bedside of a dying brother, and Mr. Hedrich believed him and lent the money. This morning the man sent a friend, another stranger, on a similar errand, and got two dollars more. Now Mr. Hedrich learns that he has been duped, and has joined the countless thousands who mourn, according to Robert Burns, at man's inhumanity.

### Another Lamp Needed at the Station.

The necessity for a lamp on the platform at the North avenue railroad station where the express wagons back up to receive and deliver their loads grows nightly more apparent. Last night a boy fell off the platform to the stone pavement below, sprained his wrist, and gashed his forehead. Only a few nights ago Mary Dougherty, a Front street servant, walked off the platform, in the darkness, and was stunned so that she had to be taken home in a hack. Immediately afterwards an elderly gentleman fell in the same place and broke his eyeglasses.

### Comrades, Enjoy Themselves.

Major Anderson Post had it first open-house entertainment at its rooms, last evening, and there was a large attendance of Grand Army men from the other Plainfield post with their wives, and also a visiting delegation from the New Brunswick post accompanied by a drum and fife corps.

Mrs. Asa Collier and Miss Anna Bolce sang, Miss Livermore recited, Miss Jessie Utter played and Comrade Titsworth also favored the audience with a song. There was a bountiful spread of refreshments, too.

## MACHINISTS ENTERTAINED.

**A Reception at the Y. M. C. A. Rooms, Where the Best Was That Which Was Contributed.**

The reception given last evening by the Young Men's Christian Association to the machinists of the city, was perhaps more heartily enjoyed than has been any previous social gathering held at the rooms. After spending some time in social intercourse all were invited to the hall, where the following programme was most acceptably rendered:

Zither Solo.....Gustav Schwarz
Hand-Bell Solo.....Prof. F. Milner
Feats on horizontal bar.....Prof. E. W. Logan, and members of the Orange Y. M. C. A.
Tumbleronicon Solo (musical glasses).....Prof. F. Milner
Zither Solo.....Gustav Schwarz
Club swinging.....Prof. Logan, Instructor in Orange Y. M. C. A. Gymnasium
Hand Bell Solo.....Prof. Milner
Tumbling.....Prof. Logan and others
Address.....President Murray
Zither Solo.....Gustav Schwarz

Mr. Murray, in his address of welcome, took occasion to speak of what the Association seeks to do for the social, intellectual and spiritual welfare of young men, and extended a cordial invitation to all to visit the rooms at all times. While the programme as a whole was enthusiastically received, the zither solos of Gustav Schwarz are deserving of special mention.

The Reception Committee served the refreshments prepared by the Ladies' Nine.

## PARTICULAR MENTION.

Mrs. Wm. G. E. See, of East Front street, is spending a few days at Tarrytown, N. Y.

Miss Ida L. Vermeule, of Chatham street, left this morning for a few weeks visit with friends in New York.

Miss Carrie Dewey has been out of town attending the wedding of her niece, Miss Lily Douglas, at Middletown, N. Y.

Walter Selby, one of Omaha's successful real estate agents, is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. L. VanEmburgh, of East Second street.

Miss Jessie Munger, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Raymond Munger, arrived from Europe, yesterday noon, after a very stormy passage.

Irving West, of this city, was an usher at the wedding of Miss Ida M. Gardner of Lansingburgh, N. Y., to Tristram Coffin of Poughkeepsie, yesterday.

Randolph M. Steele and Francis E. Marsh, executors of the estate of Manning Steele, have transferred to Alice E. Abbott, land on Central avenue, 299x150 feet, for $1.

Wm. D. Murray, President of the Y. M. C. A., has been induced to accept the position of Superintendent of the Crescent Avenue Sunday school, in place of Henry B. Newhall, who has resigned after fourteen years' service. Mr. Murray's acceptance will be welcome news to teachers and scholars.

At the county Republican convention held in Elizabeth, yesterday, Dr. J. A. Allis of this city was most highly honored by receiving a vote for Coroner that came within four of nominating him. The unusual compliment to so young a practitioner, evidences Dr. Allis' rapid strides in personal popularity.

At Seminary Hall, Friday evening, the 31st inst., there will be an entertainment under the auspices of the Guild of the Church of the Holy Cross. Miss Murphy, the rector's daughter; Mrs. George C. Evans, of Washington avenue; and Messrs Walter M. McGee and William L. Saunders, will render the farce, "A Billous Attack;" clever Marshall Wilder will tell stories; and there will be vocal and instrumental music.

Mr. and Mrs. Moses H. French, who for fifty-three years have lived at their Washington Valley Mills, removed yesterday, with their daughter, into their Borough property, 38 Craig place. The first year of their marriage Mr. and Mrs. French moved five times, finally into the house where they have lived more than half a century. Mr. French has disposed of his business to his son, N. Whitfield French, of Fourth street.

G. W. VanBoskerck, father of Mrs. Wm. Bloodgood, of Netherwood, with his family of Westfield, moved to this city last week, with the intention of making it their future place of residence. "By the change," says the *Leader*, "Westfield loses one of its oldest and best residents, Grace church one of its stanchest and most active supporters, and society in general one of its most prominent and highly respected members. While sincerely regretting their departure, we can but wish them the utmost satisfaction and contentment in the new home."

### Personal Purity.

The Rev. A. H. Lewis will speak on the subject of Personal Purity at the young men's meeting at the Y. M. C. A., Sunday at 4:15 P. M.

Dr. Lewis has been long impressed with the importance of work along social purity lines, and is well qualified to speak to the men of the City upon this important subject. There will be especially good singing at this meeting. All men will be welcome.

### $4,000 for Music This Winter.

It is estimated that the Plainfield people have subscribed $4,000 for their musical entertainments during the coming season. There is not another seat left in Music Hall for the Choral Society's concerts, although applications are still arriving. The Melopoia's treasury is also full.

## JACKSONIAN SENTIMENTS.

**North Plainfield to take a Firm Stand.**

Ex-Borough Counsel, John H. Jackson, is quoted as saying: "North Plainfield, the richest and most enterprising township of Somerset county, intends to take a firm stand in the Senaterial fight this Fall. It is not going to become an obstructionist, but is going to be independent and intends to let its independepce be felt, not by insisting upon the nomination of any particular person, but by demanding that no party hack or mere self-seeker shall receive the nomination to office, no matter what politician asks it. Its delegation will go the Convention unpledged to any nominee, but pledged to stand firm by this principle, that no one will receive its vote whom it does not consider in every way the most proper candidate for the office. It is thought that in the numerous candidates who will likely be named in the Convention and have followers there that the solid vote of this delegation adverse will prevent the nomination of any one of them, and that thus the neglect heretofore heaped upon North Plainfield may result in to some extent elevating the Senatorial canvass and forcing the Convention to nominate some one whose real merits, according to the Jeffersonian test, entities him to be a candidate for so important an office. At least the attempt will be made and if it results in a failure, it will be a failure in a good cause."

### The Trinity People Have a Pleasant Time.

The fifth anniversary of the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor of the Trinity Reformed church was celebrated last evening by a highly enjoyable sociable. The large cheerful lecture room was decorated with *jardinieres* of cut flowers, furnished by the young ladies, and presented a very attractive appearance. The evening was spent very happily. An excellent five-minute talk was given by E. E. Anthony on Christian Endeavor work. Master J. Bartindale, who possesses a fine boyish voice volunteered a solo, and sang so acceptably that he had to again later in the evening. He was accompanied, on the piano, by Mrs. T. H. Bartindale, his mother. Harvey Dayton read Mary Ann's funny story of the Haythen Chinee. The Secretary of the Society, James Connelly, read his annual report, showing gratifying growth and progress. Miss Maude VanDyke recited "Who'll Buy?" A reading by Miss Fannie Mattison was greatly enjoyed. There was hearty singing by all, during the evening, led by H. J. Martin, and accompanied by Miss Alice Smith as pianist. Lemonade and cake were provided in abundance.

### Thought the Baby Was Killed.

A baby carriage was trampled to pieces by a horse on Peace street, near the railroad bridge, last evening, and those who saw the accident cried out "The baby's killed!" There was no baby in the carriage, however, as the mother, Mrs. David B. Nestor, had taken the child out of the vehicle and had deposited several purchases of dry goods and groceries in it instead. She was trundling it along East Third street when the child by her side stumbled, and to save the little one from a fall she released her hold on the handle of the carriage and made a grab at the youngster's arm. The carriage rolled merrily onward just in time to get in the way of one of Michael Higgins's stages. The horse had his feet tangled up in the perambulator before his driver could bring him to a halt, and in an instant fragments of the smashed wheels and framework were distributed freely about, with remnants of the packages from the stores. Mrs. Nestor scolded young Higgins, the driver, and said she'd have him arrested.

### A Plainfielder Dies of Heart Disease.

Benjamin F. Lowe, seventy-eight years of age, and father of W. E. Lowe, of Plainfield, was found dead on the floor of his room at the Grand Union Hotel, New York city, yesterday morning, and Deputy Coroner Weston decided that he had succumbed to heart disease. Mr. Lowe, who was an insurance agent, retired with a comfortable fortune in 1875. He went to the Grand Union Hotel in July because the house of his son, on Park avenue, where he had been residing, was undergoing repair. He had another son in Colorado, and a daughter in one of the Southern States. Mr. Lowe was born in Boston, Mass. His body was removed to Plainfield yesterday.

### King's Daughters to Give an Afternoon Tea.

The Watchful Circle of the King's Daughters will hold an afternoon tea and cake sale at Miss Scribner's and Miss Newton's school, LaGrande avenue and Washington street, to-morrow afternoon from two till six o'clock. Admission will be free, and everybody who goes will have a nice time.

### The Officers From This City.

City Clerk Coward was one of the secretaries of the Republican convention at Elizabeth, yesterday; F. A. Dunham was appointed to escort Major Hicks to the chair; Geo. W. Moore was one of the committee on rules, and John W. Murray was one of the committee on permanent organization.

Is it not surprising that nearly every household in the country should be acquainted with the merits, virtues, and the healthful properties of Hires' Root Beer? For years it has been the standard drink of those who enjoy a delicious temperance beverage. It tones up the system, helps nature, and is just what all need in hot weather. A 25 cent package makes five gallons. Sold everywhere.

### Falsehoods They Stuff Their Susceptible Countrymen With.

When the series with the Crescents was first arranged the Crescent's managers guaranteed that the West End team should have courteous treatment, and that sufficient police force would be provided to suppress any annoying language or behaviour upon the part of the spectators. Saturday's game simply demonstrated the truth of what the West End members have so often declared, viz.: that the Crescents dont want to control their crowd. But, then, after the O'Rourke episode, the West Ends might have looked for anything.—*Somerville Gazette.*

All the disorderly persons arrested by the police, Saturday, were from Somerville, and if it had not been for the protection of Plainfield friends more would have been put in the jail. There should have been a guarantee that Plainfield would receive courteous treatment from the West End heelers.

The Plainfield *Press* charges that Manager Mack of the West Ends had bought the umpire with a promise of ten dollars, and then proceeds to give the lie to its own charge by admitting that the umpire's decision at the critical stage of the game was against the West Ends. This insinuation against "the boss manager of the boss club" is in perfect consonance with the usual policy of that journal towards the West Ends.

THE PRESS did not charge Manager Mack with anything of the sort. It merely stated that Umpire Golden said, "Mr. Mack promised to pay me ten dollars out of his own pocket." This, Mr. Mack has confessed himself, is true. That's all.

### Nominated for Congress.

PLATTSBURGH, N. Y., Oct. 10.—A. J. B. Ross of Essex was nominated for Congress by the Democrats of the Twenty-first District. He accepted the nomination.

LOWELL, Mass., Oct. 10.—The Prohibitionists of the Eighth District have nominated N. A. Glidden for Congress.

### Fatal Crossing Accident.

BETHLEHEM, Pa., Oct. 10.—A special train conveying Superintendent Othausen ran into a farmer's wagon at Dryland Crossing of the New Jersey Central Railroad last night, killing Frank Sell, aged 23 years, cutting the horses to pieces and demolishing the wagon.

### $30,000 Fire in Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 10.—Fire last night destroyed the chenille manufacturing establishment of Edward Jones on Frankford avenue. Loss about $30,000.

To the Members of Franklin Council No. 41, Jr. O. U. A. M.

All the members are requested to meet in the Lodge Room at 7 o'clock P. M., Sunday, Oct. 12 to attend divine services in the M. E. church.

W. N. MARTIN, R. Sec'y. 10 10 2

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At 10:30 A. M., at No. 32 West 8th Street, corner of Central avenue.

Large assortment of excellent oak, ebonized and walnut parlor, chamber, dining-room and library Furniture; hair and spring mattresses, hall stands, mantel sets, curtains, portieres, Axminster, Wilton and Brussels carpets, china, etc.

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It has the highest recommendations from railroad companies, mill corporations, and the best building owners in every State where it has been introduced.

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To Carters, Carpenters and Builders.

BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED

At the office of the subscriber, on

Saturday, October 11,

For the removal of building partially destroyed by fire, lately occupied by the Crescent League, situated on East 2d street, owned by Mrs. Elizabeth Ulrich.

Conditions made known on application

JOHN ULRICH,

Attorney-at-Law, No. 65 North avenue, opposite the depot. 10 10 2

**Notice of Dissolution of Co-partnership.**

Take notice that the co-partnership heretofore existing by the subscribers under the firm name of Hetfield Bros., has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. John M. Hetfield will continue the business, and will pay all outstanding debts of the said firm, and will receipt for all monies due the said firm.

Dated October 9, 1890.

WALTER L. HETFIELD,
JOHN M. HETFIELD.
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N. H. A.

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Prices 75, 50 and 35c. Best Seats $1 00.
Seats on sale Monday. 10 10 td

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*NEW YORK MAILS.*
*Arrive*—7:30, 8 40, A. M., 12:15, 2:30, 6:30 P. M.
*Close*—7:30 and 9:30 A. M., 1:45, 3:30 and 8 P. M.
*SOMERVILLE AND EASTON MAILS.*
*Arrive*—8:40 A. M., 2:40, 6:30 P. M.
*Close*—7:30 A. M., 4:30 P. M.

Direct mail to Trenton and Philadelphia at 4:30 P. M.

*SUNDAY MAILS.*
Office open from 9:30 to 10:30 A. M.
Mail closes at 6:30 P. M.

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Mrs. DR. EDWARDS,

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Ladies 50c to $1. Gentlemen $1.
9 30 tf

## DEATHS.

LOWE—At the Grand Union Hotel, New York, suddenly, Oct. 9, Benjamin F. Lowe, age 77 years.
Funeral services from the residence of his son, Wm. E. Lowe, 196 Park avenue, Saturday, Oct. 11, at 3 P. M.

## WANTS AND OFFERS.

*Advertisements under this heading, one cent for each word each insertion.*

WANTED by man and wife, very reliable parties, the care of gentleman's place; fifteen years reference from present employer. Address C. F. V., PRESS office. 10 10 2

ENGLISH widow, and American, wishes working housekeeper position; widower's family preferred; kind to children; references; moderate wages. McShee's, 1,205 E. Grand street, Elizabeth, N. J.

HORSE wanted for his keep for the Winter. Apply at PRESS office.

GOOD cook and laundress wanted. Apply 20 Willow avenue. 10 10 2

BARGAIN—Bay mare, suitable for grocer or butcher, $85 00; phaeton in good order, seat four, $40 00; single seat wagon and harness, $20. Inquire 14 E. Front street. 10 10 2

ROOMS, with or without board. 21 West 2d street. 10 9 12

FOR SALE, cheap, a new hand-made single harness, black mountings. 161 East Third street. 10 9 3

CANARY BIRDS—Good singers. For sale at 6 West 2d street. 10 8 6

FURNISHED Room to let on West Front st. Address B., PRESS office. 10 7 tf

WASHING and Ironing wanted, by a respectable woman, at her house. Apply 78 East Third street. 10 2 w

FOR SALE—A second hand piano, in good condition. Inquire 107 Park avenue. 9 22 tf

LADIES doing their own dressmaking or employing plain seamstress, can secure perfect fit and pattern for future use. Taylor system. Miss A. T. Buckley, 27 West 4th street. 9 22 tf

STORAGE for furniture in separate rooms. Apply to C. Frank French, 69 Somerset st. 9 2 tf

WANTED—Jobbing at painting, glazing, kalsomining and roof painting. Address Isaac Kennedy, 85 East Front street. tf

WANTED—Work cleaning Vaults and Cesspools. Satisfaction guaranteed. City Odorless Excavating Works, 206 Broadway. Mrs. David Jones, Proprietor. No connection with JOHN & CO. 6-11-tf

## DEMOCRATIC PRIMARIES.

Pursuant to the call of the Union County Democratic Executive Committee the Democratic electors of the city of Plainfield will meet at the times and places herein specified, to elect delegates to the Democratic County Convention to be held at Library Hall, in the city of Elizabeth, on Monday, October 13th instant.

| | Del. | Dem Hd'qrs, 28 W. Front st. |
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| 1st ward, | 4 | Friday, Oct. 10, 7½ o'clock P. M. |
| 2d ward, | 3 | Oct 10 at 8 o'clock P. M. |
| 3d ward, | 2 | Saturday Oct. 11, at 7½ P. M. |
| 4th ward, | 6 | Oct. 11 at 8 o'clock P. M. |

Per order JAMES R. MARTINE, President Dem Ass'n.
Louis F. Wadsworth, Sec'y. 10 9 2

North Plainfield Democratic Primary.

The Democratic voters of North Plainfield Township will assemble in the basement of the new school house Friday evening, Oct. 10, at 8 o'clock, to elect 5 delegates to attend the County Convention to be held at the Court House, in Somerville, on Monday, Oct. 13, at 10 o'clock.

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THIRD—Prices will be the lowest ever offered—bargains being offered daily below cost. Sale closes September 1.

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## THE COMING OF MR. MILLS.

**A Dunellen Pastor's Fervent Letter on the Work of the Great Evangelist—The Radiant Glow of the Revival Fire Soon to stir Plainfield's People.**

Mr. Mills, the noted revivalist, will conduct a series of revival meetings in Plainfield during the month of November. Since Mr. Mills left his pastorate of the Congregational church, in West Rutland, Vt., he has become widely known as one of the most successful soul-winners in the field of evangelistic labors. He comes to Plainfield through the joint solicitation of the evangelical churches in this city. To use his own language, he comes to Plainfield "as the officer or agent of the churches, who, being outside the local organization, is called by the church, to minister on special occasions, with the design of stimulating the faith of believers and leading the unconverted to repentance."

Of course—comments the Rev. W. C. Stinson, of the Dunellen Presbyterian church, in a letter published in the monthly bulletin issued by the Young People's Societies of Christian Endeavor in Dunellen and New Market—the churches of Plainfield are preparing to receive a gracious outpouring of the Holy Spirit. They are thinking very much over this series of meetings. Blessed results undoubtedly will attend this revival period. Now, the question very naturally arises amongst us in this community, may not we also receive some benefit from Mr. Mills' presence in Plainfield? May we not hope and pray that the revival fire kindled among the churches of our adjacent city will spread to this part of the Master's field. Would that we could secure Mr. Mills to labor amongst us for a few weeks, but such a rare blessing can hardly be expected of one whose splendid powers are so eagerly sought for in the great centers of population. But there is no reason why we of New Market and Dunellen may not profit by his ministrations in Plainfield.

What is the work of Christian Endeavor? Ultimately, the conversion of souls. The immediate aim of our organization is to train young Christians to work for the Lord Jesus. What is that work? The conversion of others. By saving others, we save ourselves. Mr. Mills' coming to Plainfield will be our day of opportunity, our nick of time, for renewed personal life and endeavor. God grant that no soul amongst us will allow this opportunity to pass by unheeded. Let us hope, pray, and work for this end—that our societies and churches in New Market and Dunellen may not only catch the radiant glow of the revival fire in Plainfield, but that sparks may fall amongst us, so that instead of being ecclesiastical ice houses, we may be heat-imparting furnaces, burning with an anthracite glow. One word more. We are looking for the coming of Mr. Mills. Are we looking for the coming of the Lord Jesus? What can we do without the Saviour? Have we sent for Him? Let us see to it that the Lord is in *the fire*.

**Seven Years for Curtiss.**

George W. Curtiss, who pleaded guilty to the theft of $6,000 worth of goods from the New England Company, an importing firm at Broadway and Leonard street, was yesterday sentenced to seven years in State Prison by Judge R. B. Cowing.

Curtiss is a young man. He is the step brother of John F. Plummer, formerly of Netherwood, and was for thirteen years in the employ of John F. Plummer & Co. as a confidential clerk. When that famous firm went under Curtiss obtained a situation with the New England Company at $1,800 per year. He remained with the firm but a short while when his speculations were discovered.

His method of robbing his employers was by sending out goods on memorandum to firms whom he knew did not want them and subsequently disposing of them to other firms at figures below their value.

Curtiss for many years was a resident of the Seminary, West Seventh street. He was a frequenter of the best society of the city, and led the germans at Netherwood Hotel. His bringing up as a clerk was under Wm. S. Darling who is accused of having absconded with a half-million dollars belonging to the late firm of Plummer & Co.

**Good Speeches and Singing at To-Night's Convention.**

Fifty delegates from the Young People's Societies of Christian Endeavor in Elizabeth, and delegates from various other of the societies in Union county, including Rahway, Westfield and Cranford, will attend the convention of the Union County Christian Endeavor Union to be held this evening in Trinity Reformed church, this city. A large and enthusiastic gathering is anticipated. The Rev. W. H. Shermer of Elizabeth, the Rev. Geo. H. Payson, of Rahway, and the Rev. John T. Kerr, the State President of the Society, will be the principal speakers. A fine programme of music has been arranged by the society of the Trinity Reformed church.

**No Doubt of its Benefit to the Borough.**

Mayor Male and Councilmen Roberts, Smith and Johnson, constituting the Street Committee, met the North Plainfield Borough officials yesterday, and went over the proposed route of the extension of Peace street. The Plainfield officials were of the unanimous opinion that property owners of North Plainfield would be much benefited if the street was extended through to Mountain avenue. A report will be made at the next meeting of the Common Council.

## ENFORCING THE DRUG LAW.

**Druggists Selling Impure Articles Would Better Beware.**

A careful inspection of the drugs throughout the State is being made under the direction of the State Inspector George McGuire. This has been going on for two or three years, but where impure drugs were found the guilty parties were only given a warning. The crusade has begun in earnest in Atlantic City. Last week some tincture of nux vomica was analyzed and found to contain only three-quarters of one per cent. of dry matter, whereas, according to the standard laid down in the United States pharmacopœa, two per cent. is required. The druggist in Atlantic City from whom it was bought was arrested and tried last week, and being found guilty, was fined $50. This is only the beginning of what is to come, for there are three cases of the same kind already ready for trial, and more will follow. The trial last week is the first one under the present drug law.

**Five Votes Enough for Every Action Except Final Adoption.**

In the hurry of the majority to pass along towards final adoption the ordinances to macadamize Cemetery avenue, and Plainfield avenue, a vote of 5 to 4 was considered sufficient. The two ordinances have since be advertised, one as ordered to a third reading and the other as adopted. But the charter says "no ordinance shall at any time be enacted or passed, altered or repealed, except by a concurrence of at least *six* members of said common council."

Consequently a member of the council expressed his belief to a PRESS reporter this morning, that all action of Monday evening in relation to the passage of these ordinances, was void. He is wrong. The vote was 5 to 4 on the motions to pass to, and to adopt on, the third readings. When it came to the final passage or enactment, Councilman Moffett changed his vote to the affirmative, as reported exclusively in THE PRESS, and the vote was 6 to 3.

**All the Gate Money Goes to the Players.**

To-morrow's game of the Crescents will be against the same team of Ridgewoods that defeated the Plainfield team before by a score of 8 to 3. The Crescents have since won by a score of 4 to 3, but without Livingston against them. To-morrow Livingston will pitch. The entire receipts at the gate will be given to the Crescent players. The teams will be:

Ridgewoods—Ryman, right field; Heiser, left field; Gatens, second base; Evers, short stop; Fritz, catcher; Landman, third base; Leinbach, first base; Livingston, pitcher; Gillis, centre field.

Crescents—Hatfield, right field; Martin, short stop; Luftbery, second base; McIndoe, left field; Lever, centre field; Gregg, pitcher; Jones, catcher; Lee, third base, and a new man on first.

**Mr. Schepflin Gets the Medal.**

The Dunellen Bowling Green Club held their annual contest for the Stevens gold medal, yesterday, on New Jersey's only bowling green, C. Schepflin's lawn. After some very exciting playing, the medal was won by C. Schepflin, who having won it three times in succession, now holds it as his individual property.

The following is the score:

First Tie—C. Schepflin, 21, Mayor Haynes, 13.
Second Tie—Jas. Smith, 21; F. P. Haffner, 20.
Third Tie—Wm. Elliott, 21; Geo. Haynes, 14.
Fourth Tie—Jas. Smith, 18; Wm. Elliott, 21.
Final Tie—C. Schepflin, 21; Wm. Elliott, 18.

**A Shorter Seashore Route for Plainfield.**

The officers of the Raritan River Railroad have assured the Board of Trade of New Brunswick, in answer to a request to extend the line to Bound Brook, that they have favorably considered the matter, and will soon take action in the premises. If the proposed plan is carried out, the road will connect with the Pennsylvania Railroad at New Brunswick, the Central at South Amboy, and the Lehigh Valley road at Bound Brook; and Plainfield will have a shorter route to the seashore.

**A Benefit to the People as Well as the Borough.**

If the Council of North Plainfield, this evening, give the contract for lighting the streets of the borough to the Edison electric company, the people also will be benefited. Competition will in time bring lower rates to the private consumer. Then, too, the coming in of another company may result in a system with underground wires. The Borough Councilmen have an opportunity to make a name for themselves.

**One Joke That Noah Didn't Tell the Kangaroo.**

When Miss Wood, teacher at the Irving public school, asked her class, the other day, who it was that built the ark and ran the menagerie connected with it, one well-versed little tot was quick to answer "Noah!"

"Pleathe, ma'am,"—lisped an eager baby voice—"that'h yite, but 'tithn't all yite. 'Toth why? 'Toth hith other name wath Barnum."

"That Miss Jones is a nice-looking girl, isn't she?"

"Yes, and she'd be the belle of the town, if it wasn't for one thing."

"What's that?"

"She has catarrh so bad it is unpleasant to be near her. She has tried a dozen things and nothing helps her. I am sorry, for I like her, but that doesn't make it any less disagreeable for one to be around her."

Now if she had used Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy, there would have been nothing of the kind said, for it will cure catarrh every time.

## WRITERS AND WRITINGS.

TOLSTOI has nine children.

MRS. DE MAITRO, the sister of Robert Louis Stevenson, is a contributor to the London magazines and one of the wits of the Literary Ladies' Dinner Club.

ABOUT twenty years ago the Japanese author, Kioyte Bakin, completed a novel upon which he had been at work for thirty-eight years. It comprises 106 volumes, and is said to illustrate all classes of Japanese society and life.

THE desk at which Oliver Wendell Holmes writes his poems is far from being the ideal escritoire of a poet. It is a very prosaic roll-top desk of polished black walnut, kept with all the neatness and precision of the professional book-keeper.

IT is an interesting rather than a surprising fact that Mother Goose was a real person, and not a myth. She lived in Boston, where she married Isaac Goose in 1693, he being a widower with ten children. She soon supplied six more. After they were all able to swim by themselves, she acted as nurse to her grandchildren and furnished T. Fleet, Printer, Pudding Lane, with those popular rhymes which he printed and sold under the title of Mother Goose Melodies for Children.

IN view of the great and ever-increasing volume of literature poured out upon the reading public year by year, the Critic Lounger says that "the man who wants to make a fortune beside which the earnings of the Bell Telephone Co. will sink into insignificance, has only to invent a type-*reading* machine—and sell it cheap; something that will enable us to read a page in the moment now given to a line, a chapter where we now can compass but a page, and a whole book in the time now devoted to a chapter. Fame, too, as well as boundless wealth, would be his meed."

A "BLOOD-AND-THUNDER" story writer says in the Epoch: "I am running three stories in serial form at present. In the last chapters that were published I left my first hero suspended over the brow of a precipice, with the villain just cutting the rope; my second hero had just been dropped into the Atlantic and a monster shark is within ten yards of him, and my third hero was falling from a balloon. Now before next Saturday comes round I have to rescue all three of these fellows from their respective predicaments and leave them again in still more terrible straits. And yet this doesn't count as art. Why, the work is hard enough to bankrupt any dozen ordinary imaginations."

"IN a novel by my friend Payn," says William Black, "I came upon a striking passage, in which the heroine was described as being buffeted about by a terrible gale, insomuch that her raven-black hair streamed out to windward. With the light heart of an amateur reviewer, I wrote to Mr. Payn and drew his attention to the fact that, as a general rule, any thing blown by a gale would stream out, not to windward, but to leeward. But the answer came sharp and prompt. The description was perfectly correct; the heroine (said the author of her being) had been taking a great deal of iron tonic, her hair had become electrically charged, and had floated out toward the North, irrespective of the wind currents of the storm. So I object no more."

## TIDINGS FROM T'OTHER SIDE.

NINE water companies supply London with water.

THE Paris Figaro pays yearly a dividend of over £100,000.

THERE are over one hundred miles of streets paved with wood in London.

THE monument that Great Britain has just unvailed over her dead at Waterloo is a mass of masonry thirty feet long, fifteen wide and thirty high.

IT is said that there is room for just one hundred more great men in Westminster Abbey. And it is interesting to speculate what England will do with her dead worthies when the old Abbey is full.

THE increase of about 1,000,000 people in thirteen years in Spain is attributed in a great measure to the success that has attended the changes in the hygienic condition of the large cities and towns.

HOW MANY fountains did Sir Richard Wallace erect in Paris? "I find," says a correspondent, "that there are no fewer than ninety-one, and that the Eleventh arrondissement alone possesses eleven. The Fifteenth and Seventeenth have ten, the Second and Ninth only one. As to the other arrondissements the number varies between two and five."

THE municipal statistics for the Paris exhibition year have just been published, and present many points of interest. The General Omnibus company transported 217,335,755 passengers, the Northern Tramway company 2,631,600, the Southern 29,101,000, and the boats on the Seine 32,885,000 persons. Over 48,000,000 travelers arrived in Paris at the different railway stations, and 49,000,000 left it. The St. Lazare station alone shows a total of over 15,000,000.

ALL the street railroad tracks in Liverpool, England, are owned and kept in order by the city. The companies which use them pay ten per cent. of the cost annually for the privilege. No private company is ever permitted to tear up the street pavements for any purpose. When it is necessary, for the purpose of repairing water mains, introducing gas, or water pipes, etc., the work is always performed by the city, and the cost charged to the person for whom the work is done.

IN Bath, as in many other towns, some of the leasehold property is held on the life of the Prince of Wales. The favor in which his Royal Highness is regarded in this respect has, rather late in the day, aroused the apprehensions of the insurance companies. Not only are they refusing to take any more insurance on the life of the Prince, but, fearing a run on their resources to meet the claims of leaseholders who have insured against loss, they are creating a reserve fund against the death of the Prince, and also of the Queen, whose life has likewise been identified with many leases.

## HAP, MISHAP AND HAPPENINGS.

DOLLS that can turn somersaults are in the market, with their heels in the air.

THE latest fad of New York society women is a rivalry in securing the handsomest metallic bedsteads.

BLUE is the Chinese mourning color. When you see a Chinaman wearing a blue coat or with blue braid plaited in his queue you may take it for granted that some relative or friend is dead.

THE Maine Indians find considerable difficulty in procuring birches of sufficient size to furnish material for building their bark canoes, and are substituting canvas, which costs less and will bear rougher handling.

IT is reported that three nails of the true cross have been found in a very singular place, namely, in the ruins of the theater at Zurich, which was burned down. They were in a little ivory casket, of admirable workmanship, together with a manuscript of parchment, and were bricked up within a little cavity of the sub-structure. It is presumed that these relics were hidden by monks during the Reformation.

HENRY MCCABE, of Paw Paw, Mich., has a hen which regularly lays colored hand-painted Easter eggs, of assorted sizes. But she accomplished the feat of her life Tuesday, when she sprang a twin soft-shelled egg that resembled the Siamese twins, as the two eggs were united by a ligament of the same material as the shell. McCabe will put this egg, or these eggs, into an incubator, hoping to get Siamese twin chickens.

A POMONA man came up recently from Redondo. He changed his seat very often, opened the windows, squirmed about uneasily, and finally kicked because he supposed there was a corpse in the baggage car. Arrived at Los Angeles, he reached into his coat pocket for his handkerchief and found five or six fish, which he had carefully placed there three days before to be used for bait. They were of the variety known as melt, and they were "true to name."

A RICH man in St. Petersburg died, leaving orders that his sealed will should be opened twelve months from his death. When opened it contained another sealed packet, with instructions that it must not be opened for one year. The will had seven seals, the last of which has only just been broken, although the testator died six years ago. The money went to his nieces and nephews, a fourth to be invested till 1910, and then handed to the nephew who was blessed with the most numerous family.

POSTMASTER NOFSINGER, of Kansas City, says that he has any number like this to answer, and that he does not regard this one as any thing unusual at all:

September the 10 1890

Mr. Post Master Kansas Sitty Mo

Dear Sir I would like to Establish a gold fish traid in your Sitty and not being acquainted I wod be Ever so thankful to you if you wod send me the names of aney persons that deals in them or ane one that is likely to handle them Such as flouriest or fanse Druggest. yours

A SINGULAR phenomenon was observed at the farm of J. A. Chase in Sebec, Me. The sun was gradually going down in the west, and as it approached the horizon what appeared to be a small cloud was seen nearly under it. This soon burst into thousands of globular forms, which were brought apparently by the air current in the direction of Mr. Chase's farm, and were distinctly seen by himself and the other members of his family. As they fell upon the earth or touched other substances they disappeared in a light smoke. While floating in the air they exhibited all the brilliant hues of the prism or rainbow. The children caught them in their hands, but there was no residuum.

## A QUEER LOT.

A BLACKBERRY bush at Grand Lodge, Mich., is preparing for a second crop this season.

A KANSAS bantam which was hatched March 17 has laid twelve eggs and hatched from them twelve chicks.

A SIX-YEAR-OLD boy, while fishing in a Wisconsin stream, was pulled out of a boat and nearly drowned by an immense fish.

IN the city directory of Dubuque are found the names of Longbody, Longnecker, Longbacker, Longman, Longheel, Longspray, Longhead and Longfoot.

A STRANGE freak of nature in connection with the recent tornado appears in South Lawrence, Mass. In the district torn by the storm lilac and pear trees have begun to blossom.

THERE is an inmate of the Georgia State Lunatic Asylum who imagines in his insanity that he is a grain of corn. He will not go into the yard, fearing the chickens will eat him.

INTO a peach tree on his place at Napa, Cal., Rev. Richard Wylie has grafted different varieties of stone fruit until now he gathers from it almonds, plums and three kinds of peaches.

A HUGE catfish was found alive imbedded in a hollow log in a mill dam at Martindale. It swam in a small hole when a little fish and was unable to find its way out and grew in the log.

MRS. PENSCHOWER, of Cloverdale, Cal., has raised a sunflower this year that breaks all records. The stalk is six inches indiameter at the ground, it stands twelve feet high, and the flower measures nine feet around the outer edge.

NEAR Red River P. O., Washtenaw County, Mich., is a spring some forty feet back from the river, which has the peculiar quality of petrifying every thing over which the water flows. Beautiful specimens of petrified moss, acorns, sticks, etc., can be picked up all about the place.

As a Belfast lady was combing her hair in a room in the second story, a little bird flew in at the open window and, alighting on a wash-bowl which contained water, proceeded to take a bath. When it had completed its ablutions in bird fashion, it shook off the superfluous moisture and flew out of the window, paying no attention to the occupant of the room.


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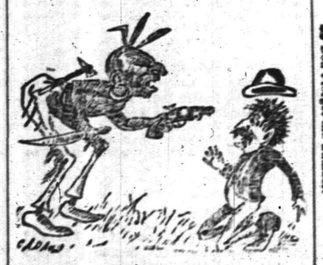


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## THE FLOOR-WALKER.

### His Lot Is Not as Easy as Is Generally Supposed.

**Duties of the Man Who Meets You at the Entrance to Every Dry-Goods Store—A Calling That Requires a Cool and Diplomatic Head.**

"A man needs to be something of a judge of human character, something a little above the average, to thoroughly fulfill the duties of a floor-walker," said one of those tireless beings who stand in the front of all large stores and answer innumerable questions all day to a Chicago News reporter.

"Yes, I feel safe in saying that a man has to possess more than ordinary intelligence to be a competent floor-walker. Every man can't do it. It takes years of the hardest kind of work to acquire that insight into the business that will make a man almost unerring in his judgments of men, goods and prices. And such a knowledge must the floor-walker have if he aims to satisfactorily perform his work. He must have at his tongue's end the exact location of every department of the store, no matter how vast the emporium may be. He must be able at a glance to determine the correct value of goods sold, and, without hesitation, be able to settle disputes. Such are the incidents which make up the day in the life of the average floor-walker.

"A floor-walker's position," continued he, "seems to the unobservant to be a nice one indeed. The crowds notice the well-dressed men standing around giving directions here and there, and apparently enjoying rather an easy time compared to the clerks. That is as far as the observance of the crowd goes, and, as is usually the case with opinions formed by the public, is incorrect. They don't see the daily hardships and trials we are compelled to endure, the actual work we do, and the responsibility that rests upon us. Overlooking the hard things, they see us as we occasionally stand on a dull day having nothing to do, and foolishly imagine that that is a fair example of the way we work.

"The average floor-walker is an ordinary sort of person. Commencing life probably as a cash-boy, he has, by assiduous application to work, raised himself to something better. But he has spent years in the business, and knows nothing else. Commencing work at eight a. m. and finishing at six p. m., he finds the day long enough. He has many things to look after, and, if he attends to his duties, is thoroughly tired out when night comes. Let me show you what a head floor-walker has to do. He has charge of the cash-boys—no light work, that. He hires and discharges them, and is supposed to attend to them properly. Besides this he must stand at the head of the aisle or floor where he is placed and direct customers to any department they may ask for. This necessitates the floor-walker being thoroughly acquainted with the entire location of the house.

"Then he must, in a sort of way, be the head of the department in which he is placed. It is true the clerks are not under him, but he is, nevertheless, supposed to keep an eye upon them. If a customer is not being waited upon he is to see that she is attended to as soon as possible. Very often a disagreeable person will insist on getting into a row with the clerk over the sale of some article. The floor-walker is supposed to be diplomatic enough to settle the affair up without letting it go any further. Suppose the row is about the price of some article. The floor-walker must be discreet enough to make a satisfactory arrangement without hurting the interests of the house or losing the customer. It is the floor-walker who is appealed to in all such cases, and he must be able at all times, no matter what may be the trouble, to afford a solution of the problem. And then, sometimes a clerk will become impudent to a customer, and it is then the duty of the floor-walker to report the clerk to the manager. If he fails in this and the customer makes the complaint the floor-walker is held responsible. So it goes, one thing and another, to keep the floor-walker's wits active.

"One of the greatest tests that marks the successful floor-walker is his thorough knowledge of business. That is, in every sense of the term. Beyond fulfilling the duties assigned him he should be a practical business man, and act just as though it was his own store and he was doing all he could to promote the growth and welfare of the concern. He must be thoroughly acquainted with the prices of any thing in his department, and able to tell at a glance whether or not the clerk is dealing fairly with the customer and the house. Now, for instance, this cash-boy brings me this pair of gloves that has just been sold; I will sign the check, and then the money, gloves and check will be sent to the wrapping counter. It was my business to know positively before I signed that check that the proper amount had been charged for that pair of gloves.

"This is a business that requires a cool head, a mind adapted to business, and nothing else. If the floor-walker attends to his business he picks up a list of acquaintances that are invaluable to him. He should be able to have his particular customers, and be able to recognize them when he sees them. These are the points which constitute a good floor-walker."

#### A Rat Sacrifices a Leg.

A rat got caught by the leg in a store and squealed loudly for mercy, says a Maine exchange. The proprietor of the store watched the rat, which continued to squeal. Finally another rat crept cautiously out and walked up to his unfortunate companion and evidently took the situation in, for they seemed to talk with each other and arrived at the conclusion that the captured rat's chances were desperate, for the second one began to gnaw the unfortunate rat's leg off, allowing it to escape, which it did, limping away on three legs, the other leg remaining in the trap. It almost seemed as if they had deliberated over the case and had reached the only possible means of escape.

## HE WAS DISAPPOINTED.

**How Commodore B. Unexpectedly Met His Nemesis at Nice.**

It was in the harbor at Nice in the autumn of 1874, and the Lancaster (ten guns) had just dropped her anchor after a long cruise down the coast and back. Her captain, according to the New York Times, was Commodore ——, one of the old school and the ablest sailor that ever went to sea, so the others said. He was a chevalier "whose gaitered legs had trod the primrose paths of dalliance" quite as handsomely as they had trod the quarter deck for half a century.

The Commodore was excessively fond of the ladies. He was possessed of, or by, a wife, but there were things of a disagreeable sort between them, so rumor said, and they did not commune sweetly by any manner of means. The Commodore was a brave man, but he lived in mortal dread of Mrs. ——, who had a bad habit of following her liege lord about from place to place, to appear suddenly just at the wrong time, when the Commodore was bent on other and more absorbing pursuits.

"Quartermaster," said the Commodore, warming to the prospect of the wine and women of Nice, when once the anchor was down, "keep a sharp eye on the wharf, and if you see any ladies, notify me promptly." "Aye, aye, sir," responded the Quartermaster, who, knowing his vulnerable spot, never lost sight of the wharf thenceforth.

The Commodore had scarcely reached his cabin, chuckling at the thought that Mrs. —— was five thousand miles away and that he was heart whole and fancy free, when down the hatch rushed the Quartermaster, touching his cap, with: "There's a lady on the wharf, sir."

"Very good," replied the Commodore in a breath, running nimbly up the ladder, glass in hand, to fix his eye on a figure in white, standing at the end of the wharf. A moment passed, and another. Then the glass dropped into the Commodore's open palm. He turned, and there was a smothered look on his face, a wierd glitter in his eye. "What d'ye mean," he roared, striding fiercely toward the Quartermaster, who trembled with astonishment and fright: "What d'ye mean by tellin' me there's a lady on the wharf. That's my wife, you lying scoundrel, you ——."

And the unhappy Commodore buried himself in his cabin.

## PRETTY GIRL CASHIERS.

**Their Presence at Restaurants Purely a Matter of Business.**

If I was about to open a restaurant I would on no account hire male cashiers, but, for purely business reasons, would engage the prettiest girls I could find, said an old business man to a New York Star reporter. The majority of restaurant patrons are unmarried men, and personal observation constrains me to believe that almost all of them prefer to take their meals in an establishment where cashiers belonging to the opposite sex are employed. There is a certain big restaurant down-town which has several entrances, necessitating the keeping of quite a large staff of cashiers, who are nearly all females.

I have frequently noticed that the greatest number of customers enter and leave at the door where the most attractive young maiden is on duty. Two of the entrances to the restaurant are on one street, and about 7 o'clock p. m. this young damsel who is stationed at one of them goes off watch and her place is taken by a good-looking young fellow, with quite a fascinating mustach. Now if it was the ladies' entrance it would probably make no difference; few ladies, however, enter at that door, and hence, the moment he takes charge the number of people entering and leaving there greatly declines.

At the same time the number of those going in and out at the other entrance increases enormously, for presiding at the cash and cigar counter there is an extremely pretty, graceful young maiden with a very nice lisp. She not only takes in more checks than the mustaches at the other entrance, but does a better cigar trade. Many men who never care for smoking will purchase a cigar of her for the opportunity of exchanging a few words of conversation. They, of course, have to make a few inquiries concerning the brand and flavor, and that's how the opportunity comes in.

#### The Search for Pretty Wives.

Girls to be successful to-day must have something more than pretty features. The men who are worth marrying are looking for something else than pretty faces, coy manners or fetching gowns. They are recognizing full well that woman are progressing at a pace which will quicken, rather than slacken. They realize that the woman of to-morrow will be brighter in mind than her predecessor of to-day. Hence they are looking for wives who will be the equal of their neighbors. Beauty is being considered an adjunct to common sense. "I want a wife who knows something, who is worth having for what she knows; not one of these social butterflies," said one of the greatest "catches" of the New York season at the winter's close. And he expressed the sentiments of thousands of the young men of to-day. The scent for pretty wives is over, and the looking for bright young women has begun. And the girl who to-day trains her mind to knowlege will be the woman of to-morrow.—Ladies' Home Journal.

#### The Fly Too Big a Fool.

Put a fly on the window and up he goes toward the top; he can't be made to walk downward. A St. Louis inventor hit upon an idea. Why not use that habit against them? Forthwith he made a window screen divided in half. The upper half lapped over the lower, with an inch of space between. As soon as the fly would light on the screen he would proceed to travel upward, and would thus walk straight out of doors. On reaching the top of the lower half he would be outside. Not being able to walk down he had no way to return to the room. By this means a room can be quickly cleared of , which always seek the light.

## ART OF PIANO-MAKING.

### Nearly Six Years Necessary for Perfect Construction.

**Work Requiring a Large Expenditure of Time and Labor—The Actions of the Keys and Levers of Vital Importance—The Sounding Board.**

Few people are aware of the amount of time and labor required to produce a piano. From the time the first log is sawed in the forest until the finishing touches and final overhauling are given to the completed piano from four to six years must pass. That is, every piano turned out from the factory or store today was begun four or five years ago, and ever since that time has been going through the various stages of preparation and construction. One of the large manufacturers when asked by a Brooklyn Eagle reporter as to the process of construction cheerfully gave the desired information, at the same time leading the way through the manufactory.

"This is in reality the second factory," said he, "for all the material comes here in a partially completed state. In the first place, an experienced lumberman is employed by every manufacturer to select the logs and see that the grains of the different woods are straight and true. After these have been sawed the lumber is piled under weather proof sheds, where it remains from three to five years, according to thickness, until it has become thoroughly air dried.

"When the case has been cut out in the Massachusetts factory it is shipped here and comes first into the varnishing department, where it remains from three to four months in order that the pores of the wood may be thoroughly filled. That is really the secret of the fine polish on a finished piano. While this work is progressing in the varnishing room, other and important work is being done on the interior of the piano. The sounding board, which is also seasoned and tested in the first factory, is again thoroughly tested here. Every grain of wood and every joint is thoroughly investigated before it is put into the case. Here the skill of the piano maker begins and only the most careful and competent workmen are intrusted with the responsibility of this department. Numerous mechanical and scientific arrangements are necessary to obtain satisfactory results with the sounding boards.

"Then the actions, keys and levers are attended to in another room. These portions of the piano are of the most vital importance, as it is upon the exact adjustment of the many levers and center points that the power and delicacy of the touch depends. Unless great care and attention is bestowed upon the details in this department the piano must prove a failure. The next stage reached is where the hammers, keys and actions are placed in their proper positions in the frame, when the piano first gives forth sound as a musical instrument. The principal object sought here is a powerful blow of the hammer upon the strings, to be produced by a light touch of the performer. The workmen in this department must have skill and experience, for the delicate and costly materials and mechanisms they handle and place in proper working positions make this branch one of great trust.

"In still another department the carvers are at work, chiseling out legs and other ornamental portions of the piano. These, too, have to go through a course of sprouts in the varnish room. After the keys, levers, hammers, sounding board and case have been properly put together, the piano goes to the fly finishing department, where all those parts which have been finished separately are placed in their respective positions. That is, the top, lockboard, legs, pedals and music rack are here adjusted.

"Now that the piano has been put together, it remains in the fly finishing department from three to five weeks and receives a preparatory course of tuning before going into the hands of the action and tone regulators. These first tunings are of great importance, and on them much of the future excellence of the piano depends.

"Then the instrument goes to the tone regulating department, probably the most important branch of all. Failure here is fatal, and must result disastrously as far as the production of a true musical instrument is concerned.

"Of course you think this is the finishing point, but it isn't. Before it goes to the ware-rooms the piano goes into the hands of workmen of the very highest grade, who minutely examine every portion of the instrument. Every string and hammer, every center lever and spring, every screw and pin must undergo a rigid inspection, and not until all these have been ascertained to be adjusted properly and the instrument is found to be in a perfect condition is it passed over to receive its final polish and be placed in the ware-room."

#### Reducing the Quantity of Cloth.

The gratifying intelligence that less cloth will be required for gowns during the coming season than heretofore calls attention again to the powers and possibilities of the fashionable modiste in the way of using cloth. In the old days, when lightness in costume was not demanded of dressmakers by their customers, it was not uncommon for them to crowd the material into gowns for the simple purpose of increasing the cost and their own profits. A dress was ripped up on one occasion to be altered by a former assistant of the fashionable dressmaker who had made it. The cloth was folded in and out in perplexing fashion in a way that seemed to do no good. The material was drap d'ete, a costly and very heavy goods. "I remember," said the seamstress quietly, "madame made me put in all the cloth she had in this dress because she did not want any remnants remaining."

#### Saturated with Nicotine.

The body of a Russian who died in McKeesport, Pa., a few days ago from cigarette smoking, was found to be as yellow as a sunflower because of the nicotine with which it was saturated.

## WRITTEN EXCUSES.

**Funny Items from the Scrap-Book of a School-Teacher.**

I once taught a country school in the backwoods, writes J. L. Harbour in Wide Awake, and as was the custom then, I required a written excuse when pupil was absent for one or more days. Some of these excuses I have kept and they afford me a deal of amusement after all the years that have come and gone since then.

Here is an excuse brought one day by a tall, red-haired boy of seventeen:

"Dere Cir—Pleze to eggcuse Henry for absents yisterday. We made sourkrout and he had to tromp it down. Also he had to Help bucher 2 pigs.

"Respeckful yuers, His pap."

"Did your father write this excuse himself?" I asked.

"No, sir," replied Henry, "I writ it for him 'cause he can't spell very good."

I am glad to add that Henry's spelling improved while I had him in charge. Another boy brought me this excuse:

"Kind Teacher: Ab could not come yesterday on account of tearing his pants very bad just before starting, so it took me most all day to mend them up."

A boy of about ten years who had been absent two weeks brought me the following:

"John Henry had a soar tow, also a soar throte and a soar finger. Plecse egscuse."

A girl of about fourteen whose mother affected a degree of culture and great mental superiority over her neighbors, brought me the following note:

"Dear Sir: I trust you will pardon Alcione's wholly unavoidable absence yesterday. Circumstances are not always controllable by our finite minds, as you are no doubt aware. We are all subject to immutable laws and are constantly doing what we would not—alas! Therefore Alcione's unavoidable failure to attend yesterday's session. I trust I may not soon have to indite a similar unexpected circumstance. Believe me to be

"Yours truly and respectfully,
ANASTASIA C. H—."

Simpler and more directly to the point was the excuse brought me by a tow-headed little girl of about eight years, whose mother wrote:

"Phebe could not be there or she would of went. I thought she et too much sossage for breakfast. She shan't do it agen. Pleese excuse her."

A boy of sixteen who came very irregularly always brought this excuse from his father:

"Excoose Bill."

That was all there was of it, but as I knew it came from his father I always "excoozed Bill" accordingly.

## A DIGNIFIED PORTER.

**Wonderful Cheek of One of Duke Pullman's Colored Noblemen.**

A gentleman who was traveling on a sleeping-car, and who was to alight at about three in the morning, says the Boston Courier, gave the porter explicit directions to wake him at the proper time, and went to sleep. About midnight the porter came and aroused him.

"Excuse me, sah," the porter said, "but I forgut whare you's goin' to get off."

The passenger, not much pleased at this interruption, repeated his directions, and then again addressed himself to sleep. He slept until a few minutes of the arrival of the train at the point where he was to stop, when he fortunately awoke. Looking at his watch he discovered that he had barely time to get dressed, and he scrambled into his clothes with a celerity which saved him from missing his station, all the time saying to himself things concerning the porter which were by no means complimentary to that individual.

As the train drew into the station, where is made a stop of only a moment, the gentleman hurried out of the car, and as he did so he passed the porter sound asleep on a seat in the smoking-room. With a poke of his valise the passenger awakened him.

"I say," he demanded, "why didn't you call me as I told you to? I came very near sleeping over."

The porter drew himself up with sleepy dignity, suppressing a yawn, and rubbing his eyes open.

"On dis car," he returned, with the air of one who has been grossly insulted, "dar ain't none of the passengers 'lowed to wake up the porter, an' you'll have to wait till dis individual wakes up of himself before you can get any such question answered."

With perfect coolness he laid himself down again, and the passenger hurried out of the car without waiting to continue the conversation.

## THE GERMAN IDEA.

**One of the Funny Incidents of Edwin Booth's Continental Tour.**

Edwin Booth, when last in this city, says the Philadelphia Inquirer, told a good story connected with his professional visit to Germany. In Berlin he was billed to present "Hamlet," and during the performance, in the first interview with the players, he was utterly astounded to see the First Actor come on the stage made up as a very old man, with a long flowing white beard, which reached to his waist, making him look like the traditional Hebrew patriarch. Being unable to speak German and the performer having no knowledge whatever of English, Mr. Booth could not ascertain the reason of this extraordinary make-up. He was unable, however, to master his curiosity in regard to it, so after the representation he procured an interpreter and proceeded to interview the performer on the subject.

"Why on earth," asked Mr. Booth, "did you make up so old for the First Actor? In America he is always played as a young man, and I can not understand why he should be represented otherwise."

"Oh," replied the German, "Shakespeare himself is my authority, for does he not make Hamlet address the First Actor as old friend?"

Mr. Booth smiled and proceeded to explain that in English a man might be called an old friend and yet be young, but the German utterly failed to get it through his head. Mr. Booth afterward ascertained that not only in Berlin, but throughout Germany, where Shakespeare's plays are done more frequently than in either England or the United States, the First Actor had invariably been made up as very aged because Hamlet styled him old friend.

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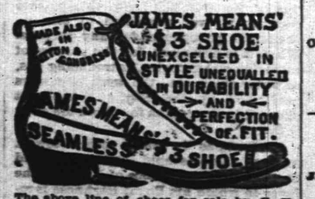

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| 2d trip | 8.15 A. M. | to meet | 8.33 A. M. | train. |
| 3d do | 9.15 | do | 9.32 | do |
| 4th do | 10.00 | do | 10.17 | do |
| 5th do | 11 00 | do | 11.34 | do |
| 6th do | 11.45 | do | 12.08 P.M. | do |
| 7th do | 1.45 P. M. | do | 2.15 & 2.35 P.M. | do |
| 8th do | 2.45 | do | To the Post Office. | |
| 9th do | 3.30 | do | meet 3 51 P. M. train. | |
| 10th do | 5.00 | do | do 5.39 | do |
| 11th do | 5.45 | do | do 6.07 | do |
| 12th do | 6.45 | do | do 7.03 | do |

Stage will also leave Plainfield ave. and 9th st., and Rockview and Mercer aves., North Plainfield, according to the above time table, and make same connections.

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For Philadelphia—1 00, 6 57, 7 59, 9 05, 9 35, 11 01 A.M.; 12 55, 1 39, 2 54, 5 15, 6 37, 7 49, 9 39 P. M. Sundays at 1 00, 6 59, 9 05, 9 35, 10 41 A. M.; 6 40 7 47 and 9 39 P. M.

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**Central Railroad of New Jersey.**

Station in New York foot of Liberty Street. Time Table in effect, June 22, 1890.

PLAINFIELD AND NEW YORK.

Leave Plainfield 3 27, 5 24, 5 38, 6 29, 6 59, 7 26 7 30, 7 58, 8, 8 15, 8 31, 8 37, 9 32, 10 05, 11 09, 12 39 A. M., 1, 1 41, 2 07, 2 30, 3 12, 3 51, 5 06, 5 31, 6 07, 6 54, 7 05, 8 51, 9 28, 10 12, 11 28 P. M. Sunday—2 37, 5 24, 8 01, 8 52, 11 05, 11 16 A. M., 12 33, 1 30, 3 30, 5 16, 7 01, 7 10, 8 23, 8 32, 10 02 P. M.

Leave New York from foot of Liberty street, 4 30, 5 45, 7, 7 45, 8 45, 10, 11, A. M., 1, 1 30, 3 00, 3 30, 3 45, 4, 4 30, 5, 5 45, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 8, 8 30, 9 15, 10, 11 30 P. M., 12 15, night. Monday—4 30, 7, 8 30, 9, 9 30, A. M., 12 M., 1, 1 15, 4, 5 30, 6, 7, 9 00, 10 00 P. M., 12 15 night.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield 5 38, 6 29, 6 59, 7 30, 8, 8 37, 9 32, 10 05, 11 09, 11 39, A. M., 1, 2 07, 2 30, 3 12, 3 51, 5 06, 5 31, 6 07, 6 54, 7 05, 8 51, 10 12, 11 28 P. M. Sunday—8 01, 8 52, 11 07, 11 16, A. M., 12 33, 1 30, 3 30, 5 16, 7 01, 7 10, 8 23, 8 32, 10 02 P. M.

Leave Newark 7 10, 7 50, 8 55, 10 10, 11 05 A. M., 1 05, 1 35, 3 05, 3 40, 4 02, 4 37, 5 05, 5 30, 6 05, 7 15, 7 35, 8 20, 9 35, 10 10, 11 25 P. M. Sunday—7 20, 8 40, 9 05, 9 50, A. M., 12 05, 1 10, 4 10, 5 40, 7 05, 9 25, 10 20 P. M.

Passengers for Newark change cars at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7, 8 07, 9 42, 11, 11 58 A. M., 1 59, 2 32, 3 45, 4 34, 5 20, 5 34, 6 20, 6 38, 7 03, 7 12, 8 56, 9 43, 11 13, 12 43 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 13, 9 45, A. M., 2 03, 2 30, 5 14, 6 35, 10 15, 11 14 P. M.

Leave Somerville, 6, 6 30, 7 03, 7 25, 7 35, 7 48 9 05, 9 47, 11 15 A. M., 12 35, 1 15, 1 48, 2 05, 3 12 4 40, 5 12, 5 35, 8 05, 8 30, 11 05, P. M. Sunday—8 25, 10 35 A. M., 12 08, 305, 4 50, 5 40, 8 03, 8 05, 9 30 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7, 8 07, 9 42, A. M., 1 59, 4 34, 5 20, 6 38, 9 20 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 13 A. M., 2 03, 6 35 P. M.

Leave Easton 6 05, 8 44, 10 A. M., 12 02, 4 09, 6 49 P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 32, A. M., 6 40, 7 30 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 7, 9 42 A. M., 5 20 P. M.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

LEAVE PLAINFIELD.

5 45 A. M. for Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

7 A. M. for High Bridge Branch and Easton.

8 07 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 42 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Catasauqua, Manticoke, Drifton, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c.

1 59 P. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, &c.

4 34 P. M. for D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

5 20 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Schuylkill Mountain, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, &c.

6 30 P. M. for Flemington.

6 38 P. M. for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg.

8 20 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 9, 12 a. m. Sundays for High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, &c., 2 05 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua and Pottsville. 6 35 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

For Atlantic City, 9 37 a. m. 1 p. m.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c.

Leave Plainfield 3 37, 8, 11 09, a. m., 3 51, 5 31, p. m. Sundays—(except Ocean Grove) 8 52, a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 38, 8, 10 05, 11 09 a. m., 1, 3 51, 5 31, 7 03 p. m. Sunday—8 52 a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8, 10 05 a. m., 1, 3 51, 5 31, p. m.

BOUND BROOK ROUTE.

Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia, 1 17, 5 45, 8 20, 9 48, 11 59*, a. m., 2 09*, 4 08, 5 34*, 6 39*, 8 20 p. m. Sundays—1 17, 9 48, a. m., 2 30*, 4 08, 5 14*, 6 55 p. m.

For Baltimore and Washington at 1 17, 9 48, 11 59*, a. m., 2 09, 4 08, 5 34* p. m. Sundays—1 17, 9 48 a. m., 2 47, 4 08, 5 14* p. m.

RETURNING—LEAVE PHILADELPHIA.

Ninth and Green streets, 7 30*, 8 30*, 9 30, 11 05 a. m., 12 45, 1 30, 3 15, 5 15, 6 15, 6 02, 8 45, 12 p. m Sundays—9 a. m., 12 50, 3 10, 5 15, 6 10, 8, 12 p. m.

From 24th and Chestnut—8 10, 8 30*, 11 06 a. m. 12 52, 2 20, 5 18, 8 05, p. m. S

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## THE ERIE TROUBLE

### A Rumor That a General Strike Will Be Ordered.

**TO BE TIED-UP THIS EVENING.**

**None of the Labor Leaders, However, Will Confirm the Report.**

**They Say That Such a Move is Not Improbable, and That They Are Not Going to Submit Quietly to the Road's Actions—The Company's Officials Do Not Expect Any Serious Trouble.**

JERSEY CITY, N. J., Oct. 11.—A rumor was current here this morning that the grievance committee of the Erie Railroad men had decided to order a strike on its entire system from New York to Chicago, and that the order would be given at 6 o'clock this evening.

Not one of the leaders in the management of the affairs of the men could be found who would concur in the report, but several said that such a move was not improbable.

"We are not going to drop this matter without entering some decided protest, you may be assured," said one of the prime movers this morning.

"The Erie people, I fear, had the Central strike in view when they made the decision denying our demands, and thought such a move in 'style.' Our demands are just, and we are in a position to force the road to yield if we so decide. The Erie is in no position to fight us, and I am sorry for them if they think they can follow the example set by Vice-President Webb of the Central."

Among the men to day the sentiment appeared to be decidedly in favor of a strike. The local leaders, it is given out, have telegraphed for the head officers of the federation to come on at once, with a view of getting their sanction and support should a fight be determined upon. Some of these officers are expected to-day, when it is believed an effort will be made to get the road to recall their refusal to all the demands and look more closely into the main grievances. Arbitration will likely be suggested.

Should the road remain obstinate serious trouble is likely to follow.

Labor leaders on the outside are watching the affair with much interest, and some predict that should the Erie men strike the Knights of Labor who were refused support by the federation s in their recent trouble on the Central would be only too anxious to jump into the places made vacant by the strikers. At the best, if a strike is ordered, a nasty fight can be looked for.

The officials of the road declare that there will be no trouble. They say that all the fuss is being made by a few agitators and that the men on the whole are satisfied with their treatment. The wages, they declare, are as high as on any other line, the hours as short, and the discipline not at all unreasonable. Should a strike be ordered, however, they say the places of the men will be filled in a few days without any serious inconvenience to the operation of the road. An order to tie-up would call out about 15,000 men.

**Rates to Remain as They Are.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 11.—The Trunk Lines Association held a meeting yesterday in response to a call for the purpose of advancing rates on all east bound freight. The call was issued by Sir Joseph Hickson of the Grand Trunk, John King, president of the Erie, and Charles F. Meyer, president of the Baltimore & Ohio. All of the presidents of the Trunk lines, with the exception of the Reading and New Jersey Central were present. President George B. Roberts of the Pennsylvania presided. After discussion it was decided to allow the question of increased rates to remain as at present, and to invite the Western roads to confer at some future meeting.

**Will Not Double the Stock.**

CHICAGO, Oct. 11.—An official denial has been given by the Pullman Co., to the reported intention to double the capital stock. The officers say the report was intended to influence the stock market. Nothing but routine business is to be transacted at the annual meeting of the stockholders next week.

**Three Firemen Injured.**

PITTSBURG, Pa., Oct. 11.—The building No. 967 Liberty street, occupied by D. J. Rex, box manufactory; Dean & Neibaum, flour merchants, and several other firms, was damaged by fire and water during the morning to the extent of about $15,000. Chief Evans and two firemen were injured at the fire.

**A Recount for Brooklyn.**

BROOKLYN, N. Y., Oct. 11.—Police Commissioner Feyden of this city will order a recount of the population, as he believes that the Federal enumerators have missed several thousands of people. The Health department estimates the population at 880,000, and the census showed it to be 804,000.

**The Oldest Veteran Dead.**

MOUNT PLEASANT, Ia., Oct. 11.—Capt. Peter Foster, the oldest member of the Grand Army of the Republic in the United States, is dead. He was 96 years old and fought in the war of 1812, the Mexican war and the Civil war.

**McGonegal Engages Extra Counsel.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 11.—Dr. Henry G. McGonegal, who was convicted a week ago of manslaughter in causing the death of Annie Goodwin, the cigarette girl, by malpractice, was granted a stay of sentence pending a motion for a new trial on Wednesday next. He has engaged an additional lawyer, Charles W. Brooks. McGonegal was remanded to prison.

## THE CZAR CAUGHT IN A TRAP.

**Report That He Was Injured By an Explosion of Dynamite While Hunting.**

WARSAW, Oct. 11.—A rumor has been current here for several days that appears to be well founded. It is to the effect that the Czar was badly wounded in the foot by the explosion of a dynamite shell while hunting in the forests of Skierniwice, some forty-two miles from here. The Emperor evidently stepped into a trap.

The account says that Gen. Von Werder, an aide-de-camp of the German Emperor, who accompanied the Czar, was also wounded by the same explosion.

After the above story had obtained general credence, the official organ here came out on October 9 with the following statement: "On October 4 the Adjutant-General of the German Emperor was wounded above the knee by a cartridge fired by Dr. Hirsch. Pros. Kosiuski, when called to Spala, where the General was lying, pronounced the wound as not dangerous. The Emperor was not present when the accident happened."

In spite of the denial it is believed that the Czar was present, and that the original version is correct.

## WILL EVA TESTIFY?

**Ray Hamilton's Widow Cited to Appear Before the Surrogate.**

TRENTON, N. J., Oct. 11.—Deputy Sheriff Albert Vanderfelt has served a notice on Mrs. Eva Hamilton, widow of Robert Ray Hamilton, requiring her to appear on November 19 in the Surrogate's Court in the matter of the filing of the will of Robert Ray Hamilton.

The official notice was addressed: "Evangeline L. Steele, otherwise known as Evangeline L. Mann, and also Evangeline L. Hamilton." There is much speculation as to whether Mrs. Hamilton, who is a State convict, serving a term for assaulting Nurse Donnelly, can appear in the Surrogate's Court.

**Farmers Threatened.**

MONTREAL, Oct. 11.—Mgr. Laflecher, bishop of Three Rivers, has issued an order by which farmers are to pay $7.50 per 1,000 bundles of hay to their cure. They are to be refused the sacrament if they neglect to donate. The bishop says that not enough grain, from which they derive their tithes, is raised to enable the cures to live. This is a new departure, and has caused a great sensation among the farmers in the province. It means a large revenue for the church. The same order will be issued by all the bishops. Formerly the habitants were exempt from tithes on hay and paid only on grain. The effect was to induce farmers to give their attention to hay growing, and so evade the tax.

**Railroad Magnates Not in Harmony.**

BOSTON, Mass., Oct. 11.—The Board of Presidents of New England railroads, organized at Commissioner Funk's office some time ago, has been dissolved owing to a lack of harmony between the two standing committees known as the New England Passenger committee and the New England Freight committee, composed of the General Passenger and General Freight agents. The organization included the Boston & Albany, New York & New England, Boston & Maine, Fitchburg and Central Vermont roads.

**The Union Veterans' Legion.**

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 11.—A despatch from Ft. Wayne, Ind., says that the last day's session of the National Encampment of the Union Veteran Legion was taken up mostly in amending the rules and by-laws of the organization. The time for election of officers in all subordinate camps was changed from December to August. Reading, Pa., was the place selected for holding the next encampment, and the time was set for October 8 and 9, 1891.

**The Appropriation Not Allowed.**

BOSTON, Oct. 11.—The loan order for $670,000, which passed the Board of Aldermen Monday, has been defeated in the Common Council, though the bill is urgent. Several members attacked the school appropriation of $348,000. Although assurances of fealty to the public school were expressed the accusation was made that there has been unfair discrimination in the appropriations and the measure was defeated.

**The Vesuvius's Turning Trials.**

NEWPORT, R. I., Oct. 11.—The dynamite cruiser Vesuvius had her low speed turning trials yesterday. They were held outside instead of in the harbor, as has heretofore been the practice with Government vessels. The maneuvers consisted of turns of 360, 180 and 90, to both starboard and port. The results are not completed, but are believed to be satisfactory. Turning trials at full speed will be had to-day if the sea is smooth enough, and the cruiser will then leave for New York.

**New York Cigarmakers Win Their Strike.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 11.—The strike among the Cuban cigarmakers is about over, and on Monday the strikers will all be at work, their demands for an increase of $2 a thousand having been complied with by the greater number of the manufacturers


Highest of all in Leavening Power.—U. S. Gov't Report, Aug. 17, 1889.

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## SEEING THE SIGHTS

### The President and Party Now in Missouri.

**LAST NIGHT IN KANSAS CITY.**

**The Return Home to Be Begun from St. Louis This Evening.**

**A Big Reception at Topeka, Kas.—Met at the Station By Governor Humphrey—Another Big Parade Reviewed—Visits the Fair Grounds—A Night Spent With His Brother in Kansas City.**

TOPEKA, Kan., Oct. 11.—An enormous crowd filled the streets of Topeka in the morning, anticipating the arrival of the President. On either side of Kansas avenue the veterans were drawn up in line, each division marked by a banner telling the State from which the ex-soldiers gathered under it had served. Beyond the line of veterans the school children were assembled with flags in their hands. The windows of all the buildings on the line of march were filled with spectators, and many of them were beautifully decorated. The President arrived at 10:40. Senator Ingalls and distinguished citizens of this city had boarded the train at North Topeka and taken charge of the President. The crowd at the station formed a hollow square, held in place by a company of the State guard.

The President left his car under the escort of Governor Humphrey and took his seat with the Governor in an open carriage drawn by four sorrel horses. The company of militia formed before and behind the President's carriage, and preceded by Marshall's band of fifty-three pieces the procession started up Fifth street, the other members of the President's party and the local committee following in carriages driven two abreast. In the carriage with Secretary Tracy were Senator Ingalls, Mayor Cofran and Chief Justice Horton. Six companies of regular cavalry from Fort Riley, under General Forsyth, drawn up on either side of Fifth street, fell in line behind the carriages and formed guard of the procession. The President's passage through the streets of Topeka was enthusiastically received. He was cheered continually along the line. Second only to the ovation given to the President was the reception accorded Senator Ingalls. He was cheered by the veterans from the beginning to the end of the march to the State House.

Arriving at the State House the carriages of the President's party were drawn up in line along Tenth street to review the parade. The President stood up hat in hand and bowed to the passing procession. They came by States in alphabetical order, California leading and Colorado coming next. When the Illinois contingent came abreast of the President's carriage the first demonstration occurred. Rev. Allen Buckner, "The Fighter Parson," rode up and down the line crying: "Illinois, the home of Lincoln, the home of Grant—three cheers for the President of the United States." They were given with enthusiasm. The members of the First brigade, the President's old brigade, came as a separate division and cheered as they went by. The Iowa delegation halted and cheered. When the Indiana division arrived at the place of review, Major George Noble stopped in front of the President's carriage and a dozen times led the veterans in a ringing recognition of the Chief Executive. The banner of the Indiana delegation was brought around behind the President's carriage and held there during the rest of the parade.

"Hello, Ben, how are you, Ben?" cried a grizzled veteran, and the President smiled as he returned the salutation.

The New York delegation cheered Secretary Tracy with enthusiasm. There were fully 30,000 veterans in line, and following them were 6,000 school children bearing flags and banners. The review began at 11 o'clock, and it was 12:20 when the last of the children passed in review. The President's carriage was then driven to the Copeland House, where luncheon was served.

Just before lunch, ex-Representative William Warner, of Kansas City, introduced the President to the individual members of the Kansas City Business Men's Association, who had come to Topeka to meet and to act as his escort to their city.

After luncheon the President and party were escorted to the Fair Grounds, and while there the President made a short address. The party were then driven to the train, and at 4 o'clock the start was made for Kansas City, which was reached at 5:45, several minutes late.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Oct. 11.—An enormous crowd awaited the President's coming, and it was with great difficulty that two companies of the Third Regiment, under Col. Wood, kept the struggling crowd within reasonable bounds, so that the President could get to his carriage.

Arriving at the new Coate's House, the members of the Presidential party retired to their rooms for a few minutes, and were then escorted to the private dining room, where a course dinner was served.

The President sat at the head and Secretary Tracy at the foot of the table.

The President excused himself after the second course. In leaving, he said that he was sorry to cause even this temporary interruption, but all would understand his desire to pass a few hours under his brother's roof. He very much appreciated, he said, the hospitality of the business men of Kansas City.

The return home will be begun from St. Louis to-night.

## JUDGE MILLER PARALYZED.

**Stricken Down in the Street While on His Way Home.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 11.—The Hon. Samuel F. Miller, senior Associate Justice of the United States Supreme Court, was stricken with paralysis about 2:30 yesterday afternoon, while walking on the street.

Justice Miller was returning from the Capitol, and had just alighted from a street car at Thomas Circle, when he first experienced a numbness in his left side. He was within 100 yards of his residence, and realizing his trouble, endeavored to reach it by quickening his pace. His left leg refused to perform its functions, and became more and more useless. This numbness finally extended to the entire left side.

The justice, a man of determination, with a mighty effort, attempted to drag himself along. He perhaps would have succeeded; but at this point he had to cross a street car track paved with cobblestone. Upon these he stumbled, reeled, and almost fell. He recovered himself, however, and seemingly aware of approaching unconsciousness, again put forth another effort to reach his doorway, now only 20 yards distant. Unconsciousness overcame him, however, at this moment, and upon the rough cobblestone of the carriage-way leading to his residence, the justice fell, his whole left side paralyzed. He fell flat upon his face, which was badly cut by the rough stones.

All this time his body servant had stood in the doorway, not noticing that Justice Miller was approaching, and not until the Justice fell was he aware of his presence. He immediately hurried to his assistance, and with the help of others lifted Justice Miller up the terraced steps leading to his residence. When picked up he was totally unconscious. After being conveyed to his room he partially regained consciousness, and later on after the physicians who had been summoned had administered medicines, he wholly recovered consciousness. His left side, however, still remained numb, and his left limbs were useless. His articulation, while it could be understood, was thick and heavy.

At a late hour the chances are greatly against Justice Miller's recovery. His mind, which had been clear during the afternoon, became somewhat clouded toward night and his general condition such as to alarm his family and friends. Shortly before 11 o'clock a sedative was administered and he dropped into a deep slumber, but his breathing was labored.

**To Raise a Famine Fund.**

HARTFORD, Conn., Oct. 11.—A mass meeting was held in this city last night to raise funds in aid of the famine stricken people in Ireland. The call for the meeting was issued by Mayor Dwight at the request of a committee from several charitable institutions. The Mayor presided, and speeches were made by Senator Joseph R. Hawley, the Hon. E. S. Cleveland, Editor E. A. Burrow of the Times, Cornelius O'Neil, General Thomas McManus, John W. Coogan, Hon. Sylvester Barbour and Dr. Morrissey. A telegram from Arthur Dudley Vinton, secretary of the American committee for the relief of famine in Ireland, was read by Mayor Wright expressing sympathy with the purpose of the meeting. The hall was not filled. Each person received an envelope on entering, and these were collected after the speaking was concluded and found to contain a total of $525.

**Reception to Minister Phelps.**

JERSEY CITY, N. J., Oct. 11.—After an informal dinner at the residence of Judge Jonathan Dixon, of the New Jersey Supreme Court, at Jersey avenue, this city, Minister Phelps was tendered a reception at the Union League Club. Among those present were General E. Burd Grubb, United States Minister to Spain; ex-Congressman John Kean and George A. Halsey, of Newark, and Thomas A. Dudley, of Camden. Speeches were made by President Ridgeway, of the club, General Grubb and ex-Judge John A. Blair. Minister Phelps responded to the speech of welcome.

**Insurance Companies Needn't Pay.**

BOSTON, Oct. 11.—In the Superior Court the jury has returned a verdict for the defendants in each of the seventeen cases brought against that number of insurance companies by Moses and Alfred Jacobs, to recover $32,000 upon policies placed upon the stock of goods in the store of the latter burned in December, 1886, at Lewiston. The defence was that plaintiffs made a fraudulent statement as to the quantity of goods on hand at the time, and that they set fire to the building to get the insurance.

**Both Conventions Endorsed It.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 11.—The County Democracy county convention last evening endorsed the ticket for municipal officers presented by the People's Municipal League. The ticket was also endorsed by the Republican county convention.

**Engineers Demands Granted.**

CHICAGO, Oct. 11.—The demands of the locomotive engineers of the Chicago & Northwestern Railroad for an increase of pay and abolition of the "classification system" were granted by President Hughitt.

## BALFOUR AGGRIEVED

### At the Flight of Dillon and O'Brien from Ireland.

**A SEVERE BLOW TO HIS PLANS.**

**The Government is Mortified Over Their Escape.**

**The $10,000 Bail Which the Men Were Under Will be Paid by the League—Mr. Gladstone on Our Tariff—A Deplorable Error in His Estimation—Blown Out of Existence.**

LONDON, Oct. 11.—The flight of Messrs. Dillon and O'Brien is the great sensation of the hour. All concur in the belief that they are on their way to the United States, but by what route no one seems to know. Some say they have gone to France and will embark from there while others believe they are already on the ocean. None of the outgoing transatlantic steamships from English ports has booked the men for passage.

When the conspiracy cases against them were called at Tipperary yesterday, and it became known that they had left, the court was thrown in great excitement and declared the bail forfeited, and warrants for their apprehension issued.

The Star indulges in some severe sarcasm aimed at Chief Secretary Balfour, whom it twits with not being able to shadow prisoners effectively. The $10,000 bail which the absentees have forfeited will be paid by the League. The Conservatives declare that this money comes from America, and is being applied to another purpose than the one to which its contributors designed. It is now believed that the illness of Mr. O'Mahoney, one of the accused, was feigned, in order to secure an adjournment of the case and give time for the ripening of the plot for the escape of Messrs. Dillon and O'Brien.

Secretary Balfour is deeply aggrieved over the affair, and has ordered an investigation in order to fix the blame for the escape upon some of his "shadowers."

It is taken for granted that there is a traitor in the camp, for it seems impossible for the fugitives to have gotten away without collusion on the part of some detective. The system of espionage was too thorough to admit of any other explanation. So closely were the spies instructed to follow the accused that the constables detailed to keep an eye upon Mr. O'Brien were known to have watched the window of the bedroom occupied by himself and wife, refusing to go away when requested by Mr. O'Brien. To have escaped such vigilance may indeed be regarded as miraculous, except on the theory that that from one motive or another the escape was connived at.

The flight of the two principal objects of the Government's prosecution is regarded by the leading Nationalists as a severe blow to Mr. Balfour's plans, which undoubtedly aimed at keeping them away from America at all hazards until after Parliament convened. Mr. Harrington is quoted as saying that Messrs. Dillon and O'Brien will be worth a great deal more in America to the Irish cause now, as fugitives from British injustice, than they would have been as simple commissioners in behalf of the Irish people.

The escape has created great admiration and enthusiasm in the ranks of the Nationalists both in England and Ireland, while the Government is confused by the readiness with which officers, cautioned to be especially on the alert, have been hoodwinked.

The Government has caused all outgoing steamers at the various ports of the Kingdom to be searched by detectives, but no trace of Dillon and O'Brien has been found, and the authorities are convinced that the fugitives are already on the ocean. It is thought possible that they are aboard a yacht, waiting to join a steamer outside of Queenstown.

**Mr. Gladstone and the Tariff.**

LONDON, Oct. 11.—Mr. Gladstone sent to a Nottingham correspondent from Hawarden yesterday a postal card giving his opinion of the new United States Tariff law. He says: "The Tariff act is, as you will suppose, in my eyes a deplorable error, attended with severe and cruel consequences to innocent persons. I shall certainly desire to find an opportunity of offering remarks upon it in Midlothian."

**Suffrage Agitation in Belgium.**

LONDON, Oct. 11.—The Workingman's Universal suffrage agitation in Belgium is assuming such an acute phase that the military have been ordered held in readiness for any outbreak. The latest proposition is to hold a Workingman's Congress at the same time as the setting of Parliament, on the ground that the suffrage laws exclude workingmen from representation in the latter body.

**A Victory for Striking Cartmen.**

LIVERPOOL, Oct. 11.—A settlement of the strike of the cartmen in this city has been practically settled at a conference between the men and the employers and to the advantage of the men. The result of the conference was received with loud cheers by the men, who were holding a meeting at the time the settlement was reached.

**He Had Himself Tarred and Feathered.**

BROOKLYN, N. Y., Oct. 11.—Young Pryor, the man who was found early yesterday morning on Cumberland street covered with a coat of tar and feathers, which he claimed had been administered by two men who sprang from a coach and knocked him down, chloroformed him and then applied the White Cap coating, has confessed that he engaged two men to do the work so that he could become a museum freak. The men have been arrested.

## GATHERING THE REMAINS.

**The Bodies of the Victims of the Dupont Explosion Picked Up in Small Pieces.**

WILMINGTON, Del., Oct. 11.—The coroner's jury in the Dupont Powder Mills disaster went to the works yesterday afternoon and viewed the remains of the bodies of six men—John Harrigan, Michael Hurleha, John Hurleha, Martin Dolan, James Dolan and John Newell. The remains of their bodies will about fill a bushel basket. There is an arm, a hand and a part of a face. The other pieces are small blackened pieces of flesh. The remains were in an icebox in a storehouse. Members of the families of the six men have identified as many as six separate pieces, and they will be buried to-morrow at St. Joseph's Church.

After viewing the remains the jury adjourned to meet on Monday evening to hear evidence. The funerals of Patrick and Mrs. Rose Dougherty took place this morning. Interment was made in St. Joseph's Cemetery. Four members of the Dupont firm attended.

**Baseball Games Yesterday.**

**American Association.**

AT LOUISVILLE.

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| Louisville | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 1 | 0 | x | —7 |
| Toledo | 4 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —6 |

Batteries—Ehret and Weckbecker; Sprague and Sage.

AT PHILADELPHIA.

The Athletic and Syracuse game postponed on account of grounds not being open.

AT ST. LOUIS.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| St. Louis | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | —6 |
| Columbus | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 2 | —8 |

Batteries—Hart and Munyan; Chamberlain and O'Connor.

AT BALTIMORE.

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| Baltimore | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | x | —2 |
| Rochester | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —1 |

Batteries—McMahon and Robinson; Miller and McKeogh.

**Players' League.**

EXHIBITION GAMES.

AT CINCINNATI.

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| Cincinnati | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | —10 |
| Buffalo | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | —4 |

Batteries—Rhines and Harrington; Twitchell and Mack.

**Tammany Nominates Grant.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 11.—The Tammany Hall County Convention met last night and nominated a full city ticket, as follows: For Mayor, Hugh J. Grant; for Comptroller, Theodore W. Myers, the present incumbent and nominee of the fusionists (a County Democrat); for President of the Board of Aldermen, J. V. H. Arnold; for Sheriff, Police Justice John J. Gorman; for District Attorney, Delancey Nicoll, of Sharp trial fame; for County Clerk, Judge Leonard A. Giegerich; for Coroner, M. J. B. Messemer; for Superior Court Judges, John J. Freedman (the candidate of the fusion ticket) and David McAdam; for Judges of the City Court, James M. Fitzsimmons and Joseph A. Newberger, a County Democrat.

**Secretary Blaine Going to Ohio.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 11.—The demand for Secretary Blaine in Ohio, and especially in Major McKinley's district, has been more than the Secretary could withstand. He will leave for Ohio next week, and will be accompanied by Representative Dalzell of Pennsylvania. It was stated this morning on reliable authority that he will talk for the benefit of Mr. McKinley, and perhaps one or two other Republicans.

**Ministers Expelled for Forgery.**

LANCASTER, Pa., Oct. 11.—The Rev. H. C. Mower was expelled from the United Brethren Conference at Mountville and the Church for immorality and fraudulent transactions, and the Rev. P. H. Garrett was expelled for conduct unbecoming a Christian minister. Mower committed a number of forgeries and fled from this county. Garrett was also implicated in the forgeries.

**Afraid of an Epidemic.**

LONDON, Oct. 11.—The publication of statistics by the health authorities, showing that there have been 849 cases of scarlet fever and 350 of diphtheria in London during the past fortnight, has caused a decided sensation. Considerable alarm is felt lest the diseases become epidemic, and unusual precautions are being enforced.

**The Nettie Clarke Jury Disagree.**

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Oct. 11.—The jury in the Nettie Clarke forgery case returned a verdict disagreeing; ten for acquittal and two for conviction.

**Weather Indications.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 11.—For Eastern New York, Massachusetts and Connecticut: Rains; winds shifting to westerly; stationary temperature.

For Eastern Pennsylvania, New Jersey and Delaware: Rains; westerly winds; cooler to-morrow.

For Western New York and Western Pennsylvania: Showers; northwesterly winds; slightly cooler.

**NEW YORK MARKETS.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 10.—Money on call to-day 6 and 4½ per cent.

BONDS.

| | Closing Yesterday. | Closing To-day. |
|---|---|---|
| 4½s, 1891 Reg | 103¼ | 104 |
| 4½s, 1891 Coup | 103½ | 104 |
| 4 s, 1907 Reg | 120½ | 120¾ |
| 4 s, 1907 Coup | 119½ | 119¾ |

STOCK MARKET.

| | Closing Yesterday. | Closing To-day. |
|---|---|---|
| Canadian Pacific | 79½ | — |
| Central Pacific | 40 | — |
| Chicago, Bur. & Q | 91¾ | 92 |
| Delaware & Hudson | 153¾ | — |
| Del., Lack. & Western | 143¾ | 144½ |
| Erie | 22¾ | 22¾ |
| Erie pref | — | — |
| Lake Shore | 106 | 106¾ |
| Louis. & Nash | 81½ | 81 |
| Michigan Central | — | — |
| Missouri Pacific | 67¾ | 68¼ |
| New Jersey Central | 114 | 115 |
| Northwestern | 106¾ | 107 |
| Oregon Navigation | — | — |
| Pacific Mail | 38¾ | 39¾ |
| Reading | 20¾ | — |
| Rock Island | 76¾ | 77 |
| St. Paul | 69 | 69¼ |
| Union Pacific | 51¼ | 52½ |

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## PRESIDENT MARTIN, OF PLAINFIELD.

**Reports Addresses and Election, at the Conference of the Union County Christian Endeavor Union.**

The Rev. Mr. Schenck's church on East Second street, was well filled, last evening, by delegates and friends of the Christian Endeavor Societies of Union county, who had met in annual conference. The President of the County Union, the Rev. J. D. Lowden, of Elizabeth, presided, and the meeting was opened with prayer by the Rev. Mr. Goodrich and scripture reading by the Rev. Mr. Buckle.

Secretary H. E. Gayle, of this city, read the report of the last annual meeting as published at the time in THE PRESS. This was followed by three-minute reports from presidents of societies throughout the county. W. B. Hamilton, of Elizabeth, read a well written paper on "The Missionary Committee, Its Opportunities;" the Rev. George H. Payson, of Rahway, spoke impressively and earnestly for "The New Pledge;" the Rev. W. H. Shermer delivered a grand and inspiring arument on the "Manliness of Christianity;" and the Rev. John T. Kerr, President of the New Jersey Union, told of "The Society in the State."

An Enrollment Committee was appointed consisting of, W. T. James, Elizabeth; Joseph Moon, Plainfield; Wm. Freeman, Rahway; H. Foster, Dnnellen. A nominating Committee was also appointed, consisting of, E. E. Anthony, Plainfield; John Williams, Rahway; T. E. Cannuff, Elizabeth; E. M. Cave, Dunellen: and the following officers were elected:

President—H. J. Martin, Trinity Reformed church, Plainfield.

First Vice President—A. C. Ridley, First Baptist church, Elizabeth.

Second Vice President—Albert Wilson, First Baptist church, Rahway.

Third Vice President—M. B. Foster, Cranford Presbyterian church.

Secretary—Carter Vanderveer, Third Presbyterian church, Elizabeth.

Treasurer—Miss Florence Petrie, First Presbyterian church, Plainfield.

The conference was an entire success, and filled with interest and enthusiasm. The exercises closed with a benediction by the Rev. Frank Gardner, of Elizabeth. A feature of the evening was the choir singing by Miss Bessie Blair, Miss Fannie Mattison, H. J. Martin and B. T. Barnes, led by organist A. L. Titsworth. During the meeting a hearty vote of thanks was tendered the Trinity Society for the Christian reception the conference had received. President Martin accepted the office flatteringly tendered him in a happy speech. There was not a person present that doubted he would make an efficient officer and be a strength and credit to the Union.

Refreshments were subsequently served in the lecture room of the church to the visiting delegates and members by a committee of young ladies of the Trinity Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor.

## PARTICULAR MENTION.

W. J. Knight, of the General Theological Seminary, will conduct the services at the Church of the Heavenly Rest, to-morrow.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Wright Stover—*nee* Miss Lillian Marvin Simons—will be at home, on Tuesdays, the 21st and 28th insts, at 40 East Ninth street.

The Rev. George N. Karner, formerly of this city, whose wife is the daughter of Abram L. Cadmus, will preach in the Rev. Dr. Ketcham's church to-morrow morning.

J. J. Gardner, father of Mrs. S. A. Mac Donald, of this city, died at his late home, Sayville, L. I., and will be buried from there to-morrow afternoon. Interment will be made in this city, Monday, at 2:30 P. M.

Owing to the illness of the Rev. Cornelius Schenck, pastor of Trinity Reformed church, the Rev. Dr. Lewis, of the Seventh Day Baptist church, will supply the pulpit at both the morning and evening service.

**Trying to Save a Locked-Jaw Patient's Life.**

Dr. C. M. Field performed a very delicate and difficult operation, this morning, in hope of saving the life of Patrick Kelley who has been dying all night of lock-jaw. Kelley fell out of a tree on Central avenue, Thursday of last week, as told exclusively in THE PRESS of the next day. His arm was so badly shattered that lock-jaw eventually set in. Dr. Field opened the man's shoulder and carefully feeling his way with his knife through the net work of ligatures, cords and arteries, cut just the particular one he was after.

—A regular meeting of the Plainfield Bicycle Club will be held next Monday evening.

—The annual offering for the Board of Education, will be taken in the Crescent Avenue church, to-morrow morning.

**Fine Art Store.**

On exhibition and at private sale, a large collection of imported steel engravings, etchings, pastel and oil paintings, etc., etc., by the first masters. Also a fine collection of bronze statuary. This is the finest collection of fine arts ever offered at 29 East Front street. In fact, there is nothing finer imported, and they will be offered at greatly reduced prices. Pictures framed in all the newest styles to order. A cordial invitation to lovers of art to examine for themselves.

## TERMS OF THE DEAL.

**$15,000 in Cash and $15,000 in Stock Promised by the Water Supply Co., for the Driven Wells, the Walls of the Pumping Station and the Contract of the Water Works Co.**

Today for the first time, the people are permitted a look behind the scenes where the contract to furnish them with water is being juggled and traded. Through the enterprise of THE PRESS the whole community is permitted to read the terms of the bargain and sale whereby the Water Supply company hopes to secure for itself the possessions of the Water Works company.

You have been told in contradiction of articles on the subject already published in these columns, that the contract was so unfavorable to the contractors that capitalists would not invest money in carrying it out, and it has also been intimated that the work already done would all have to be done over again.

Yet you will see by the following agreement that the instigator of just such tales is one of those who are willing to give $30,000 for the worthless plant and the discouraging contract. More than that, one of the members of the Water Supply company tells a PRESS reporter that if they get the contract they will carry out its every provision. An unbiased engineer in the person of Mr. Bush, of Jersey City, has in the interests of the Water Supply Co., gone over the work already done, and reports the wells satisfactory and sufficient.

All this proves that Contractor Moore was doing his work well, and that the contract was not a suicidal one to assume. But others wanted it, and caring nothing for the people's convenience nor the city's interests, organized a campaign of rule or ruin—with ruin somewhat in the lead just now.

Contractor Moore was coaxed to break his faith with the people and his friends, and then threatened. All sources for securing capital were stopped by Supreme Court proceedings that cast a shadow on the legality of the contract. Even his private affairs were brought into public print. But he seems to be filled with sand, and the following terms that were undoubtedly dictated by him, prove that he was courageous enough to win against all the forces brought to bear against him.

This agreement, made this thirteenth day of September eighteen hundred and ninety betwen Charles K. Moore of Fanwood, New Jersey, and the Water Works Company of Plainfield, party of the first part, and the Plainfield Water Supply Company of the second part:

Witnesseth, That the said party of the first part hereby agrees to convey or cause to be conveyed to the said party of the second part, the strip of land twenty-five feet wide by one thousand feet long lying along the Northerly side of the Central Railroad of New Jersey, a short distance East of the Netherwood station, on which twenty driven wells have recently been sunk, and also the lot of land one hundred feet wide extending from said strip to North avenue, on which a stone pumping station is now in course of erection, by a good and sufficient deed of conveyance, and to assign, transfer and convey all the personal property on the said land heretofore purchased by said Moore or by said Water Works Company for use in the construction of said pumping house or station, and all doors, windows, window frames, stone, bricks or other material intended for said pumping house or station heretofore purchased or contracted for wherever the same may be.

And it is hereby further agreed that the said party of the first part shall assign, transfer and deliver to the said party of the second part, all surveys, estimates, drawings, plans and other papers made by the said Moore or the said Water Works Company or under his or their authority in projecting, or for the purpose of constructing water works in or near the City of Plainfield, New Jersey; also all lists of the names and residences of persons and corporations who have agreed to take or purchase water from the said party of the first part; also a certain contract or agreement made by and between the said Water Works Company and the inhabitants of the City of Plainfield, dated December twenty-seventh last; for the construction of water works; such assignment of said contract to be made to such person or party as the said party of the second part may nominate, in case the said party of the second part shall desire such assignment to be made. Said Charles K. Moore to join in said assignment in case he has any interest in said contract. Said assignment to be made subject to the consent of the authorities of the City of Plainfield if necessary.

And the said Charles K. Moore hereby agrees to assign a certain contract for the construction of water works in and near the City of Plainfield, made by and between him and the said Water Works Company on or about the thirteenth day of February last, to such person or party as the said party of the second part may nominate in case said party of the second part shall desire such assignment to be made.

And the said party of the first part agrees to apply to the authorities of the City of Plainfield for the rescision of the said contract made December twenty-seventh last and for the surrender of the bond given to secure its performance; and will urge and recommend the making of a contract between the said City and the said party of the second part for supplying the said City with water.

In consideration of the above the said party of the second part hereby agrees to pay to the said party of the first part the sum of thirty thousand dollars as follows, twenty-five hundred dollars when the deed for the said lands above mentioned shall be delivered, said deed to be made out to the said party of the second part, or to such person as Frank Bergen shall nominate; said deed to be delivered at the time of the execution of this agreement; the sum of twelve thousand, five hundred dollars in cash, on the execution of this agreement, of which the sum of eleven thousand dollars the said party of the first part hereby directs to be paid to the National State Bank of Elizabeth in satisfaction of the following promissory notes now held by said bank, namely, a note of five thousand dollars dated July nineteenth last made by Charles K. Moore to George Kyte; a note of three thousand five hundred dollars made by Charles K. Moore to the order of James Moore now held by the said bank and which will mature on September fifteenth instant; and a demand note of twenty-five hundred dollars dated this day, made by Charles K. Moore to the order of John Kean, Jr., the balance of the said sum of twelve thousand and five hundred dollars to wit: the sum of fifteen hundred dollars to be paid in cash. The balance of said sum of thirty thousand dollars to wit the sum of fifteen thousand dollars to be paid in full paid up capital stock of the said party of the second part, to be issued and delivered to the said Charles K. Moore at the office of Frank Bergen in the City of Elizabeth, New Jersey in manner following: To the amount of fifty-nine hundred dollars upon delivery to the said Bergen of a receipt in full from the Hydraulic Tube Well Construction Company for sinking, constructing and connecting the said wells, and for the appurtenances thereto; to the amount of five thousand dollars upon the execution of this agreement, and the balance, to wit, to the amount of four thousand and one hundred dollars upon delivery to the said Bergen of receipts and affidavits showing that no claims exist for which a lien may be placed upon the said pumping house or station or upon said wells, or on the other property hereby agreed to be conveyed.

It is hereby further agreed that the said party of the first part, either as a corporation or otherwise, hereby reserves the right to collect from the city of Plainfield the sum of six thousand dollars heretofore paid to the said city by the said Charles K. Moore, said right to be reserved and protected, in any assignment that may be made, of either of the said contracts of December twenty-seventh or of February thirteenth last, unless the authorities shall insist upon the relinquishment of such claim as a condition of the recision of the contract of December twenty-seventh, and the making of a new contract with the said party of the second part.

In witness whereof the said Charles K. Moore has hereto set his hand and seal; the said The Water Works Company of Plainfield has caused its corporate seal to be hereto affixed, these presents to be signed by its President and attested by its Secretary, and the said The Plainfield Water Supply Company has caused its corporate seal to be hereto affixed, these presents to be signed by its President and attested by its Secretary the day and year first above written.

(Signed)
CHAS K. MOORE. (Seal)
Witness as to signature of
Chas. K. Moore, John F. Brown.
The Water Works Company of Plainfield.
(Seal) JAMES MOORE, President.
Attest: SAMUEL KNOX, Sec'y.
The Plainfield Water Supply Company,
(Seal) by FRANK BERGEN, President.
Attest: E. R. POPE, Sec'y.

**Democrats Choose Convention Delegates.**

The Democratic primaries held last night resulted in the following appointments:

FIRST WARD—Chairman—George Carpenter. Secretary—John J. Kenney. County Convention Delegates—John J. Kenney, E. P. Thorn, Louis F. Wadsworth, John McIntyre. Assembly Convention Delegates—Walter L. Hetfield, John Rafferty, S. E. Flower, Chas. B. Van Winkle. Member of County Committee—Walter L. Hetfield.

SECOND WARD—Chairman—James E. Martine. Secretary—John Mortimer. County Convention Delegates—Leonard Spangenberg, Lewis H. Brown, R. M. Stover. Assembly Convention Delegates—W. K. McClure, Peter Jonas, Geo. Weatman. Member of County Committee—R. M. Stover.

NORTH PLAINFIELD—Chairman—Dr. Mattison. Secretary—Chas. Lyman. County Convention Delegates—John Becker, J. T. Case, Wm. N. Pangborn, Elisha Corieli, Lewis R. Blackford.

The Union County Democratic Convention will be held at Library Hall, Elizabeth, at 3 P. M. Monday.

**A Talk on an Avoided Subject.**

The Rev. A. H. Lewis, D. D., will speak on "Social Purity" on Sunday at 4:15 P. M., at Association Hall, 8 and 10 East Front street. As this is a subject of vital importance it is hoped that a large number of men will avail themselves of the privilege of listening to a subject that affects their best interests.

—The next regular meeting of Plainfield Council, Royal Arcanum, will be held on Monday evening.

Is it not surprising that nearly every household in the country should be acquainted with the merits, virtues, and the healthful properties of Hires' Root Beer? For years it has been the standard drink of those who enjoy a delicious temperance beverage. It tones up the system, helps nature, and is just what all need in hot weather. A 25 cent package makes five gallons. Sold everywhere.

—Mrs. Frederick Knowland advertises her Seventh street house to rent, furnished or unfurnished. She will spend the Winter at the old homestead, Logan's Ferry.

—Don't carry home your purchases. The originators of low prices in Plainfield, will deliver tea, coffee and groceries to any and all parts of the city to-night till nine o'clock. United Tea and Coffee Growers' Association, 29 West Front street.

**Autumnal.**

Now the frost is on the "punkin" and a blight is on the vine,
And a sort of imp condition tackles nature thro' an' thro',
It's rot and rust all over in the vegetation line—
But all is lovely with the stock at 3 Park avenue.

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## DEATHS.

GARDNER—J. J. Gardner, (father of Mrs. S. A. MacDonald.) Funeral at his late residence, Sayville, L. I., Sunday, 2:30 P. M. Interment at Plainfield, N. J., Monday, 2:30 P. M.

WOODSON—At the Cancer Hospital, New York, Oct. 9, Emma Woodson. Friends invited to attend the funeral services at Mrs. Pennington's 157 West 3d street, Monday morning, Oct. 13, at 10 o'clock.

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## ELECTRIC LIGHTS FOR THE BOROUGH.

**North Plainfield Willing to Pay $400 Extra Each Year for the Sake of the Better Service Promised by Competition.**

The Plainfield Electric Light Company is to have a rival, and both city and borough anticipate a speedy improvement in public and private lighting service. The bringing of a new company into the borough will require an extra cash outlay on the part of the Borough Council, but it is expected that because of consequent competition benefits will accrue of sufficient importance to outweigh all objections against the seeming extravagance, as the following report, submitted by the Committee on Fire, Water and Lamps to the Borough Council at last night's meeting, would tend to show:

*To the Mayor and Council of the Borough of North Plainfield:*

Your Committee on Fire, Water and Lamps, to which was referred the matter of electric lighting for the streets of the Borough, beg leave to report as follows:

Two formal propositions have been made to light the streets of the borough, and a third proposition of an informal character has also been received.

The first proposition in point of time is that made by the Edison General Electric Company of New York. This company offer to erect an electric lighting plant in the township of North Plainfield, to be operated by water power, and to enter into a contract with and furnish a satisfactory bond to the Borough of North Plainfield for one year or a term of years, to furnish, erect and maintain in first class manner, and light all and every night 200 twenty-five candle power lamps (their first offer was of twenty candle power lamps, but they will now agree to furnish twenty-five candle power lamps), for the sum of $3,600 per annum or at the rate of $18 per lamp.

This company also offer to bind themselves to sell the said plant to the Borough at a reasonable price and within reasonable time, if the Borough so desires.

The second proposition in point of time comes from the Plainfield Electric Light Company, which offers as follows: To enter into a contract with and furnish a satisfactory bond to the Borough of North Plainfield for one year or a term of years, to furnish, erect and maintain in a first class manner and light all and every night the following lamps:

Two hundred twenty-five candle power lamps for the sum of $3,200 per annum, or at the rate of $16 per lamp, and if it is desired to have the lamps furnished of less than twenty-five candle power, then a lower price will be made.

The third proposition in point of time is from the Fort Wayne Electric Light Company, but it is informal and presents no definite figures, the representation of this company claiming that no honest offer can be made at a rate as low as sixteen dollars per lamp.

In regard to the third proposition your committee would recommend that it be left without consideration for the reason that it is of so indefinite and informal a character as to preclude action upon it.

As to the second proposition—that of the Plainfield Company—your committee would state that while it appears upon its face to offer the cheapest system of lighting now under consideration, yet there are several features in connection with this offer which do not recommend it to your committee.

In the first place, this company once had a street lighting plant within the borough, and its conduct in relation to the same was not such as to win the confidence of our citizens.

In the second place, its present offer is made only after it has learned that a proposition had been made by another company, and after the terms of that offer had been published; and the prices now offered by the Plainfield Company, are so far below the market price as to indicate that the offer is made for the real purpose of preventing the establishment of a competitor, instead of furnishing the Borough with a satisfactory light. This idea receives additional force from the fact that your Committee and the Council have always been open to the public, and that the Plainfield Company was at liberty to present an offer at any time in the past, had it so desired, any statement it may make to the contrary notwithstanding.

The offer of the Edison Company is at a price $400 per year higher than that of the Plainfield Company, but in considering that question your Committee take into consideration the following facts:

The Edison Company's offer, if accepted, will result in the erection and maintenance within the township of an electric station and plant which will cost a large sum of money and will produce a considerable revenue to the township in the way of taxes, which, your Committee think, will reduce the $400 difference nearly, if not quite, one-half.

The Edison Company would be entirely subject to our own control, while the Plainfield Company is subject to the power of the City of Plainfield to such an extent that adverse action of the city may seriously affect its usefulness in the Borough.

It would be impracticable for the Borough to acquire the ownership of the Plainfield company in any event, while it might readily become the owner of the proposed Edison company, if such a result were deemed wise.

Monopoly is always undesirable to all except the monopolist, and it will hardly be desired that with competing companies located in the City and in the Borough respectively, the public welfare, as well in relation to private lighting as to street lighting, will receive much more consideration than would be the case if one company had a monopoly of both places; in other words, that we will receive more for our money.

Your committee would further report that it has heard expressions of opinion upon this subject from a large number of borough citizens and taxpayers, and that the public feeling in the borough is largely in favor of a competing company with its plant located within our own township.

It may be well to add that either company will agree to have its light in operation by January 1, 1891. So far as the question of the advisability of adopting a system of electric street lighting is concerned, your committee is already of the opinion that the naptha light should go. Either of the propositions above considered provide for a much better light, both in quality and quantity, and the time has come when the present number of lamps must be increased to keep pace with the growth of our borough.

Therefore, as a result of careful investigation and consideration of the questions submitted, your committee would recommend:

First—That one or the other of the two propositions above considered, be accepted.

Second—In view of all the circumstances, and with the belief that the financial and physical welfare of our citizens and taxpayers will by such a course be the best served, your committee recommend that the proposition of the Edison Electric Co. be accepted.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

C. P. SEBRING,
N. B. SMALLEY,

of the Committee on Fire, Water & Lamps.

Councilman Emmons, the third member of the Committee, did not sign the report, and stated his reasons for withholding his autograph.

I think, he said, that the price ought to have something to do with this question. The fact that the Plainfield company offers to give for less money the same service that the Edison company promise, causes me to differ from the others of the committee. Furthermore, I am not impressed with water power for electric lighting; and understand that the water power is insufficient. I also think that the representative of the Ft. Wayne Company has been misrepresented. Instead of his questioning the honesty of the Plainfield Company he said that he didn't see where there was any money in such a low bid. The Plainfield company is ready to go ahead and have the streets all lighted January 1, when our present contract expires. I don't think the Edison Company can be ready by that time, and I understand, from what experts tell me, that it is impossible for the proposed system of the Edison company to give indoor lighting.

Councilman Sebring said that the Superintendent of the Edison Company had already answered the charge against inside lighting and had pronounced it utterly false. As regards the Ft. Wayne quotation, both Councilmen Sebring and Smalley said that the words in the report were just what the Ft. Wayne man had said. As there seemed to be objection to putting such charges on record, however, the quotation was stricken out, on motion of Councilman Hegeman.

Mr. Smalley presented a resolution, which was seconded, that the proposition of the Edison General Electric Company be accepted and that the Committee on Fire, Water and Lamps, with the assistance of the Borough Counsel, be authorized to prepare a contract with the Company and submit it to the Mayor and Council at an adjourned meeting, Monday, October 13. Mr. Emmons moved to amend by striking out the name of the Edison Company and inserting the name of the Plainfield Company. A long discussion followed, in which all but Mr. Emmons held the view that the Plainfield Company was willing to sacrifice money for the sake of keeping out competition, and that the introduction of a rival company, even at an originally higher figure, would be cheaper and better in the end.

The proposed amendment was lost by the following vote:

In favor—Councilman Emmons—1.

Against—Councilmen Buckle, Hegeman, Sebring, Needham, Smalley—5.

The original resolution was then carried by the same vote of 5 to 1, Councilman Smalley voting no.

The contract that will be submitted Monday night will be thoroughly discussed, and perfected in every detail—even to the matter of using sightly poles—before final adoption.

One other important matter that took place before adjournment was the adoption of a motion to have a contract drawn up for the Council's consideration between the Borough and Jas. S. Lunger and J. P. Emmons for the erection of a lock-up. The bids of Messrs Lunger and Emmons were the lowest submitted—Lunger's $319 for the carpentry work, and Emmons $585 for the masonry work.

### They May be Corpses in the Morning.

Two young sportsmen looking for game trespassed on Daniel Randolph's land, near the Campbell club house, today and were ordered by Mr. Randolph to vanish. Instead of going peaceably away, however, they struck him over the head with the butt end of a gun, and felled him senseless to the earth. When the old man recovered consciousness he was covered with blood, and horrified his wife and daughters by staggering into the house in that condition. In spite of the women's protests, Mr. Randolph this afternoon took his gun and set out in search of the trespassers, determined to shoot them on sight.

## SUNDAY SERVICES.

**Brief notices will be inserted under this head free of expense, but must be delivered at this office not later than eleven o'clock on Saturday morning to insure publication.**

Services will be held to-morrow, as usual, in the Trinity Reformed church at 10:30 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. The Rev. A. H. Lewis, D. D., of this city, will occupy the pulpit.

The masses in St. Mary's church to-morrow will be at 8:30, 9:45 and 10:45 A. M. Vespers will be held at 8 o'clock in the evening. Sunday school at three o'clock P. M.

Congregational church, West Seventh street, the Rev. C. L. Goodrich, pastor. Morning service at 10:30. Sunday school at 2:45 P. M. Y. P. S. C. E. prayer meeting at 4 P. M.

German Lutheran services will be held to-morrow at 10:30 in the forenoon at the W. C. T. U. rooms, No. 73 West Front street. Sermon by the Rev. P. Jubelt, of Greenport, N. Y.

Services in the Park Avenue Baptist church, to-morrow. Preaching by the pastor, the Rev. Asa Reed Dilts, at 10:30 A. M. and 7:45 P. M. Morning theme: "Saved by Hope." Evening theme: "The Hindered Life."

Two services will be held to-morrow in the German Reformed church on Craig place, North Plainfield, one at 10:30 A. M. the other at 8 o'clock P. M. Sunday school at 2:30 P. M. Weekly service Friday evening at 8 o'clock.

Warren Mission Sunday school to-morrow at 2:30 P. M. Praise service at 7:30 led by M. M. Dunham; and regular service at 8 o'clock at which the Rev. Mr. Fernal will preside. Young People's meeting Tuesday evening at eight o'clock. All are invited.

At the First Unitarian church, Second place, to-morrow. The Rev. Hobart Clark, pastor, will preach in the morning, and the Rev. William J. Leonard in the evening. The services will begin at 10:30 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sunday school at 11:45 A. M.

Services in the First Presbyterian church to-morrow at 10:30 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. The Rev. George N. Karner, of Albany, formerly of Plainfield, will preach in the morning, and the pastor, the Rev. K. P. Ketcham, in the evening. All welcome.

Methodist Episcopal church, the Rev. Chas. B. Mitchell, pastor, will preach at 10:30 A. M., and 7:30 P. M. Sunday school at 2:30 P. M. Epworth League at 6:45 P. M. Subject of morning sermon—"A Correct Life at a Correct Time." Subject of evening sermon—"Danger Signals."

Reform Hall will be open to-morrow for meeting purposes, and the cordial welcome of all attenders, at the usual hours of 9:15 A. M., 4 and 7:30 P. M. In the evening addresses will be delivered by the Rev. Mr. Dwight, of North Plainfield, and Mrs. C. S. Whitney, of New New York.

Grace church to-morrow, nineteenth Sunday after Trinity. Early celebration at 7:30 A. M. Morning prayer and sermon at 10:30. Evening service and sermon at 7:45. Sunday school at 3 P. M. Arrangements are being made to celebrate the rector's twentieth anniversary on Sunday, Nov. 2, and during the week following.

At the Church of the Heavenly Rest, to-morrow, morning service and sermon at eleven o'clock. W. J. Knight, of the Union Theological Seminary, will preach. Sunday school at 3 o'clock P. M.

The meetings of the Woman's Temperance Aid Society will be held as usual to-morrow at 9:15 A. M. and 4 P. M., at Reform Hall. All friends are invited to come and hear the evangelist, Mrs. Whitney, of New York. The Mother's meeting is held every Thursday at 3 o'clock, at the Hall.

The Church of the Holy Cross, the Rev. T. Logan Murphy, rector. Early celebration of the Holy Communion, to-morrow, at 8 A. M. Sunday school at 9:45 A. M. Morning prayer and sermon at 11 A. M. Even Song at 4 P. M. Saturday next being the festival of St. Luke the Evangelist, divine service and Holy Communion at 10 A. M.

The First Church of Christ will meet at Vanderbeek's Hall, Park avenue, to-morrow morning and evening. The Lord willing J. B. Cleaver will preach. Morning theme: Ninth chapter of Revelations. Evening theme: Third chapter of Titus. Sunday school at 2:30. Prayer meeting every Wednesday and Friday at 7:30, to which all are welcomed.

The 4 o'clock meeting on Sunday of the W. C. T. U., will be in charge of the Rev. Mr. Honeyman. The 9 o'clock on Sunday and the Saturday evening at 7:30 will be held as usual. The coming week, please take notice that the usual *Tuesday* prayer meeting has been changed to *Thursday*, and the hour is 3:30 instead of 3 o'clock, as heretofore. All are welcome.

—"Cut" prices will again prevail at Edsall's to-night.

—To-morrow being the day appointed by the State Councilor of the Jr. O. U. A. M., as a day of thanksgiving, Franklin Council will go to the M. E. church in a body and listen to a sermon by the Rev. Chas. B. Mitchell, at 7:30 in the evening.

—To-night will be the last opportunity the Plainfield people will have this season of witnessing the laughable and interesting exhibitions conducted by Prof. Reynolds, the mesmerist and hypnotist, at Reform Hall. The entertainment is thoroughly enjoyable, and the house ought to be crowded.

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The office of the late Dr. Titsworth, at 106 East Front street, will be occupied by Dr. H. S. Jones, recently of Elizabeth, N. J.
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## LONDON'S NOTABLES.

### Well-Known Englishmen Seen in Hyde Park.

**Sir George Chetwynd, Lord Curzon, Lord Dudley, Sir John Astley and Many Others Who Are Known All Over the World.**

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[Special London Letter.]

The vast size of London is in no way more plainly shown than by the number of men who rise to the surface of its social sea for a period, and after a short summer of notoriety disappear and

SIR GEORGE CHETWYND.

leave not a ripple behind them. London is the capital of a mighty nation, and its social world is the social world of Great Britain and its colonies. No other city can claim this, not even Paris, although the latter comes nearer to it than any other.

A seat in Hyde Park in the Row costs but a penny, and yet the show provided for that small sum exceeds any thing the most generous caterer to public amusement can show. All the world's a stage, we hear, and all the men are players. On this mimic and microscopic

VISCOUNT CURZON.

stage, not twenty feet wide and half a mile long, can be seen a multitude whose histories would, if written, fill more books than have yet been written, and outrival the strongest works of fiction that have yet been presented.

Here comes Sir George Chetwynd. Well-dressed, good-looking and debonair. His history shows that he knows the seamy side as well as the sunny side of life. His face recalls the fracas between Lord Lonsdale (he of the Violet Cameron opera troupe fame), and Sir George, over the disputed question of a photograph of the Jersey Lily which

R. LLOYD PRICE.

the Baronet had in his possession and declined to give up.

Behind him walks a man of a very different stamp—Lord Curzon. The future heir to a wealthy earldom, he has taken to politics, and leads a quiet and cleanly life. A quiet, well-mannered man, he takes walks abroad with comfort, sees his friends, watches his wife

S. B. BANCROFT.

driving a four-in-hand as only Lady Curzon can drive one, and goes home to his luncheon with comfort and contentment. He floats on a calm and peaceful sea,

SIR JOHN ASTLEY.

financial world, where his ready wit and tact have given him a chance to show that a man can play two parts and be a successful speculator as well as a successful actor. I suppose no man is better known in London, and his face is as familiar as that of the Prince of Wales. He is tall and has a quick, nervous way of walking.

An aroma of tobacco, a gray beard and red tie are the chief characteristics of

DUKE OF ROXBURGHE.

that jovial-looking gentleman leaning against the rails over there. One American owes a great deal to him, that is Weston, the walker, for the jovial man with the gray beard is Sir John Astley, better known as "the Mate." He has lived a life of sport. Horse-racing was his hobby for years, but his fallen fortunes do not allow him to pursue them.

Another bud who in New York was known as Mr. Glynn and was a great favorite. Now he is Lord Woiverton and a great swell, while behind him walks the Duke of Roxburghe, a man of parts and "bearded like the pard," as Shakespeare says. A respectable man, though he is a Duke, and a kindly man withal, much liked and looked up to. He breeds his cattle, looks after his affairs as a man with a high position and

EARL OF YARBORGH.

a moderate income should do, and will die of a ripe old age without an enemy.

The stroke of a clock—no, two strokes. Two o'clock. The crowd grows thinner every moment; luncheon? Yes, and in a few moments the sparrows and the ticket-collectors are left to sole possession. Draw down the curtain; the show is over for the day and the puppets are taking a rest. THE PERIPATETIC.

### She Deserved It.

In a Jewelry Store.—"I love you," said the bronze figure of Venus to a Jurgensen above her. "Because you have such an open face." And the watch ran down and kissed her.—Jewelers' Circular.

## FOR THE BABY.

### Some Valuable Suggestions Concerning Warm, Sensible and Comfortable Clothing.

Ill-fitting and uncomfortable clothing is responsible for much of the ill nature displayed by men and women, and has made many a baby cross and fretful, that suitably clothed would have been happy and contented.

The material of a baby's clothes should be soft and fine. When the cost must be carefully counted, it is wise to discard all trimming and put the money thus saved on the quality and quantity of material. Plenty of garments are necessary, for a healthy, playful child and dirt seem to have a mutual attraction for each other.

Pretty percales, soft cambrics and flannels, in these days of low prices, can be bought very reasonably. Neatly made, and when the time can be allowed, finished by hand, they are dainty enough to satisfy any one.

When laundried, no starch ought to be put in any of baby's clothes. Indeed, soft, graceful folds are now so much admired that stiff starched dresses and skirts are things of the past for any one.

A wrapper of white cambric, like Fig. 1, is a most useful garment for a baby. It is cut in two pieces only. The seam is in the middle of back. A hem an inch wide should be allowed for around the bottom and up each side of the front. A narrow frill of soft lace is put around the neck and the bottom of the sleeves. A row of feather-stitching ornaments each side of the front. It is worked just inside the hem with crochet cord, No. 12. The wrapper is buttoned with small, white, pearl buttons.

Percale with a white ground, over which there is a small figure of blue or

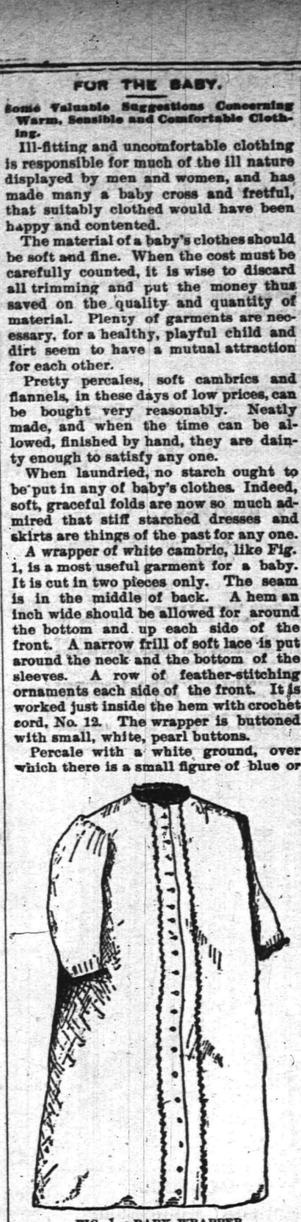

FIG. 1.—BABY WRAPPER.

pink, will make a pretty wrapper, simply finished with a hem. Such a garment will be found very convenient to put on baby in the morning until ready for its bath.

In winter, when additional warmth is desirable, a blue or pink flannel wrapper will prove to be a thing not only of beauty but comfort also. When flannel is used, the edge should be finished with a binding of narrow ribbon of the same color as the material.

FIG. 2. DIAGRAM FOR CUTTING.

The diagram (Fig. 2) shows exactly how the wrapper is cut. The front edges are straight and the back seam is bias. It is best to first cut a paper pattern the exact size wanted, then there is sure to be no waste of material. Unless the goods are very wide, twice the length of the wrapper will be required. The sleeves can be cut out of the pieces that come off of the sides and should be loose enough to slip on easily.

A pretty sack (Fig. 3) can be cut by this same pattern, by making it shorter and rounding the corners. Flannel or cashmere are suitable materials.

Cream white flannel makes a very dainty sack. It can be finished with a narrow roll hem and an edge crocheted of cream white two-threaded Saxony-yarn. Cashmere in any pale shade looks well in these little sacks, and another

FIG. 3. BABY SACK.

pretty finish is a small scallop buttonhole stitched with silk of the same shade as the cashmere.

An apron for a child two or three years old can be cut by this same pattern. Fold the print or gingham in the center of the width and place the straight edge of the pattern on the fold. This will make the apron bias at the back. Larger or smaller gores will have to be put on at the lower part of the back, according to the material used.

The apron is hemmed around the bottom, and the neck finished with a narrow ruffle. Buttons and buttonholes close it at the back. The bias edges on which the buttons are sewed and in which the buttonholes are worked are faced with a straight strip of the material. This prevents them pulling out of place when laundried. Such aprons are easily made and serve to protect the dress.—Margaret Ryder, in Country Gentleman.

### Remedy for Roaches.

Take three pounds of oatmeal, or meal of Indian corn, and mix it with a pound of white lead; moisten with treacle so as to form a good paste, and put a portion down at night in the infested building. Repeat for a few nights alternately, and in the morning remove the paste and the corpses to a convenient place.


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PUBLIC SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

## CITY OF PLAINFIELD.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a warrant issued by William R. Codington, esq. City Judge of the City of Plainfield, in the County of Union, to make the unpaid taxes assessed on lands tenements, hereditaments and real estate, in the said city of Plainfield in the year eighteen hundred and eighty-eight, the subscriber, the officer nominated and appointed by the Common Council for that purpose, will on Wednesday, the 26th day of November next, at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon at his office, 153 Park avenue, in the City of Plainfield, sell the lands, tenements, hereditaments and real estate hereunder described, at public vendue, for the shortest time for which any person or persons will agree to take the same and pay such taxes, together with interest thereon, and costs, fees, charges and expenses.

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| Allen Samuel C h b and 40 acres 333 to 347 E Front street | 76 30 |
| Anthony Henrietta h and 5 lots 235 – 243 W Seventh street | 98 10 |
| Boice est of C h and 1 71 and 73 E Front st | 132 60 |
| " " lot 85 to 89 Dunellen avenue | 4 36 |
| Borden Mrs lot 209 South avenue | 2 18 |
| Brewster J L lots Broadway | 10 90 |
| Bond Selena E lot 15 Jackson avenue | 2 18 |
| " " lot 12 Netherwood avenue | 2 18 |
| " " lot 19 " | 2 18 |
| Bliven Edward M lot 69 Prospect avenue | 3 27 |
| Bogart B F h and 1 353 W Sixth street | 26 16 |
| Brannan James h and 1 17 Rose street | 6 54 |
| Bastedenbeck Henry lot 4 Prescott place | 2 18 |
| Banzenache J W " lot 18 " | 2 18 |
| Bundy Henry h and 1 Elizabeth street | 8 72 |
| Cole est of Elias h b and 60 acres 260 to 304 E Front street | 218 00 |
| Cole Jacob and est of Sarah h b and 18 acres 312 to 330 E Front street | 76 30 |
| Campbell Mrs John O h and 1 55 E 5th st | 19 05 |
| Cole est of Elias h 1 and b and 1¾ acres South avenue | 32 70 |
| Cowan Margaret lot 53 Kensington avenue | 5 45 |
| Cuff Lewis H h and 1 east of Belvidere ave | 2 18 |
| Casey Patrick h and 1 21 to 25 W 3d street | 39 24 |
| Collins John E lot 89 W 4th street | 4 36 |
| Collins Peter h and 1 61 W 4th street | 13 08 |
| Conway Mary h and 1 92 W 4th street | 6 54 |
| Clark John & John Cahoes lot 6 Lee place | 2 18 |
| Craig William 2 h and 18 acres 216 to 240 Dunellen avenue | 95 92 |
| Chase Winfield h and 1 469 W Front street | 4 36 |
| Cole est of Elias lots 58 to 68 Jefferson ave | 6 54 |
| Day Richard H lot Woodland avenue | 1 09 |
| Darling William S h and 1 256 South ave | 39 24 |
| " " lot 300 feet rear of Brown's Ravine road | 3 27 |
| Darling Emma h and 1 22 – 34 Rahway road | 98 10 |
| " " lots 177–193 Woodland ave | 6 54 |
| " " lots north side Prospect ave | 4 91 |
| " " lots south side Prospect ave | 9 27 |
| Dadey est of Patrick or Mary h and 1 80 W 3d street | 19 62 |
| Dunn Solomon F h l and shop 66 Park ave | 37 06 |
| Dunham Joseph T h and 1 30 Arlington ave | 26 16 |
| Darling Wm S 2 lots 23 and 25 Clinton ave | 4 36 |
| Frazee James E lot 230 E 2d street | 2 18 |
| Fish Ferdinand lot 15 Richmond st (rentable) | 5 45 |
| Flynn Bernhard h and 1 152 Terrell road | 8 72 |
| Fisk Alexander P h and 1 124 to 132 Woodland avenue | 109 00 |
| Fritz Adam h and 1 Exchange alley | 10 90 |
| Fisher est of Abram h and 1 83 W 3d street | 10 90 |
| Flannigan P J lot 467 South 2d street | 1 00 |
| Flynn Ann 2 h and lot 54 and 56 W 3d street | 10 90 |
| Field Mr lot 50 ft front W 6th street 250 | 1 00 |
| Force James H lot 5 feet front 4¼ E 2d st | 1 64 |
| Huff Adelia J 37 W 7th st | 21 80 |
| Hart Carrie lot 27 Jackson avenue | 2 18 |
| Hart Carrie 2 lots 42 and 44 Netherwood ave | 4 36 |
| Hart Levi E 2 lots 30 to 34 " | 6 54 |
| Henderson Rachel C farm land 5¼ acres Randolph road | 11 45 |
| Harding John h and 2 1 159–161 South 2d st | 13 08 |
| Housman George W h and lot 19 W 3d st | 26 16 |
| Harris J T 8 lots 230 to 244 W 7th street | 9 81 |
| Harris J T 12 lots 213 to 233 W 7th street | 16 35 |
| Huff est of Rachel h and 4 64 Park avenue | 21 80 |
| Henderson Rachel C lots 36 and 38 Rose st | 2 44 |
| " " 2 1 205–207 Arlington ave | 4 36 |
| Jones est of Lewis h and 1 242 E Front st | 26 16 |
| Jones Emma A 3 lots 194–198 La Grande ave | 6 54 |
| " " lots 7 to 11 Kensington ave | 6 54 |
| " " h and 1 13 Kensington ave with lot to Webster place | 32 70 |
| Jones Emma A 15 1 to 186 LaGrande avenue | 32 70 |
| " " 1 lot La Grande avenue on left W of Berckman street | 4 36 |
| Jones Emma A 1 lot La Grande avenue on left E of Berckman street | 4 36 |
| Jones Emma A 8 2 to 22 Carleton avenue | 17 44 |
| " " 5 lots 1 to 15 " | 10 90 |
| " " 5 lots 88 to 102 Richmond st | 10 90 |
| " " 2 lots 87 and 91 " | 4 36 |
| " " 4 lots 9 to 15 Putnam street | 13 08 |
| " " 3 lots 23 to 27 " | 32 70 |
| Jimerson Aaron L h and 7 acres 189 to 207 Leland avenue | 32 70 |
| Jaco t Mr 4 1 25 ft each W 5th st 357 to 359 | 1 09 |
| Kellar Susie E h and 1 97 E Front street | 27 25 |
| Ketcham Chas E h and 1 24 Kensington ave | 43 60 |
| Kane John h and 1 88 W 3d street | 4 36 |
| Kilpatrick, Matthew h and 1 79 w 6th st | 9 81 |
| Lefler, Harriet h and 1 355 La Grande ave bal | 5 10 |
| Leonard, Wm J h and 1 103 and 105 w Front st | 47 96 |
| Leonard, Wm J ½ interest in farm 138 to 17 0 Plainfield ave | 35 97 |
| Lee, Thomas h and 2 1 95 and 97 e 2d st bal | 8 26 |
| Lane, Mary M 6 1 Pemberton, Field, Elizabeth and Central aves | 13 08 |
| Lewis, Israel s and 1 10 Park ave | 27 25 |
| Mulford, Eliza h and 1 44 e 6th st | 32 70 |
| Mabin, Alanson h and 2 1 13 and 15 e 6th st | 54 50 |
| Martine, James E h and 1 3 e 9th st | 21 80 |
| Martine, Anna M h and 1 6 e 9th st | 43 60 |
| Martine, estate of D h b and f land 116 a 146 to 160 Broadway | 381 50 |
| Miller, Caroline A h and 1 181 Park ave | 76 30 |
| Martin, Mrs David 1 2 George st | 1 09 |
| Miller, Wm H h and 1 34 w 2d st | 49 05 |
| Motley, Patrick h and 1 79 w 2d st | 4 36 |
| McNamara, Patrick h and 1 129 s 2d st | 6 54 |
| McDonough, Peter h and 1 153 w 3d st | 15 25 |
| Manning, Wm H h and 1 79 w 4th st | 8 72 |
| Marsh, Lucy A h and 1 35 w 5th st | 23 98 |
| Moe, Experience h and 1 25 and 27 w 5th street | 39 24 |
| McLaughlin, 9 lots 25 ft ea 321 to 329 W 5th street | 3 18 |
| Meyer Segmund T. Lot 200 ft front W 6th street 340 to 348 | 4 36 |
| McCarthy Chas. 2 h & 1 21 and 23 Plainfield ave | 19 62 |
| Marsh Randolph, h & 1 44 Plainfield ave | 19 62 |
| Murphy, Elizabeth and Mary h and 2 1 5 and 7 Stebbins place | 21 80 |
| Madden, William h and 1 471 w Front one-half owner | 4 36 |
| Noel, C J 2 1 1 and 3 Prescott place | 6 54 |
| O'Neil, Jas and Richard triangle 1 172 s 2d st | 15 25 |
| O'Neil, Jas and Richard h and 1 174 s 2d st | 17 44 |
| O'Neil, Jas and Richard h and 1 176 s 2d st | 17 44 |
| O'Neil, Jas one-half s and 1 178 s 2d st | 13 08 |
| O'Neil, Richard one-half s and 1 178 s 2d st | 13 08 |
| O'Keefe, John h and 1 51 w 5th st | 13 08 |
| O'Riley Bros., 13 1 189 to 209 w 7th st | 23 98 |
| Ohl, Caroline J 6 1 and 33 s Pemberton ave, etc | 45 78 |
| Pike, estate of Josephine W ½ interest h and 1 122 to 126 E Front st | 58 14 |
| Pike, Virginia ½ interest h and 1 122 to 126 E Front st | 29 07 |
| Perrine, James R h and 1 5 La Grande ave | 76 30 |
| Pringle, Mr 1 Hillside ave n Randolph road | 2 18 |
| Pound, Daniel S h and 1 378 to 380 W Front street | 5 26 |
| Reed, David or Hattie Colburn 2 1 215 to 217 e 2d st | 8 72 |
| Reed, O B 1 219 e 2d st | 4 36 |
| Richardson, Maggie h and 1 53 E 6th st | 32 70 |
| Randolph, Nathan B 26 s r 1 h etc., 321 to 345 Park ave | 29 24 |
| Roll, Chancellor h and 1 9 and 11 Peace street | 32 70 |
| Rogers, Marietta h and 1 59 Madison av bal | 28 70 |
| Suydam, Martha 2 s 21 and 23 e front st bal | 62 87 |
| Schorb, Elizabeth 3 story b h e Front st bal | 102 77 |
| Smalley, Morgan R 1 Hillside ave | 3 82 |
| Smalley, Morgan R 5¼ s f 1 Randolph road | 11 45 |
| Smalley, Samuel T a f 1 Randolph road | 15 26 |
| Smalley, Mary B h and 1 342 to 274 Woodland ave | 15 26 |
| Spencer, Mr 1 300 ft by 175 Ravine road | 21 80 |
| Smith, Henry W 4 Raymond ave | 5 45 |
| Sauerman, Mary A l e f Belvidere ave | 1 09 |
| Smith, Ferdinand O h a d 1 196 w Front street | 26 16 |
| Sutphen, estate of John C h and 1 25 and 27 w 2d st | 43 60 |
| Scott, Nell 1 15 Essex str et | 2 18 |
| Scribner, Mr 1 321 to 323 e 2d st | 6 54 |
| Smalley, Morgan R 1 16 Rose st | 1 81 |
| Smalley, Samuel 1 30 to 34 Rose st | 3 05 |
| Smalley, Samuel 1 120 Arlington ave | 2 18 |
| Smalley, Samuel 1 213 Arlington ave | 2 18 |
| Salzman, Mrs Elise h & 1 129 Central a | 117 72 |
| Smith, James F h and 1 14 Elmwood pl | 19 24 |
| Steward, David F h and 1 7 John st | 8 72 |
| Thompson, est of Daniel— 3 1 216 to 220 e Front st | 17 44 |
| 8 1 38 to 52 Jackson ave | 17 44 |
| 6 1 54 to 64 Jackson ave | 13 08 |
| 3 1 66 to 70 Jackson ave | 6 54 |
| 1 247 to 249 North ave | 5 45 |
| 1 2 to 12 New Front st | 13 08 |
| Terry, Geo W 2 1 67 to 69 Netherwood av | 6 54 |
| Tingley, Mrs G A h and 33 w 4th st | 43 60 |
| Tingley Mrs G A 1 137 Madison ave | 6 54 |
| Taylor, H 1 348 w 5th st, 38 ft front | 55 |
| Ulrich, est of Henry h and 1 64 to 66 w 6th st | 21 80 |
| Unknown Owners— 4 1 305 to 311 e Front st | 10 90 |
| 2 1 184 to 186 e 2nd st | 10 90 |
| 3 1 249, 251 and 253 e 2nd st | 6 54 |
| 1 55 Midway ave | 2 18 |
| 3 1 32 to 38 Webster place | 6 54 |
| 1 39 to 47 Highland ave | 13 08 |
| 1 7 Johnston ave | 2 18 |
| 1 13 Johnston ave | 2 18 |
| 4 1 18, 20, 22, 24 Johnston ave | 8 72 |
| 1 7 Jackson ave | 2 18 |
| 1 28 " | 2 18 |
| 1 8 " | 2 18 |
| 1 18 " | 2 18 |
| 1 3 George st | 55 |
| 2 1 17 to 19 George st | 101 |
| Land on North ave, on right from Hill ave to Johnston | 26 16 |
| 1 27 to 29 Rose st | 2 18 |
| 1 35 to 37 Rose st | 2 18 |
| 1 197 Arlington ave | 2 18 |
| 1 201 Arlington ave | 2 18 |
| Vail, Catharine S h and 1 73 e 2d st | 32 70 |
| Vansinderin, Clara h and 1 38 e 4th st | 21 80 |
| Vermeule, Sarah A h and 1 6 and 7 Peace st | 21 80 |
| Vail, Hulda M— 1 21 Elm place | 1 09 |
| h and 1 74 to 78 Dunellen ave | 17 44 |
| 1 80 to 84 Dunellen ave | 4 36 |
| Van Winkle, Jeremiah h and 1 3 Central ave | 15 26 |
| Wiles, Franklin h, b and 12 a 349 to 375 e Front st to Terrell road | 76 30 |
| Weber, Anna Gh and s e 69 s 3d st | 26 16 |
| Woodruff, James M l e of Belvidere av | 2 18 |
| Whitehead, est of Frazee 2 h (1 is rear) and 1 120 w Front st | 32 70 |
| Wyckoff, est of Jane h and 1 61 w 3d st | 3 82 |
| Wells, Wm H 1 430 ft front 355 to 369 w 6th st | 9 27 |
| Wierenga, John h and 2 a Randolph rd | 6 54 |
| Watson, James E 1 100 ft from 228 Central ave | 4 36 |
| Young, est of Emma H h and 1 Elm pl | 26 16 |
| O'Rourke, John 1 7 Essex st | 2 18 |

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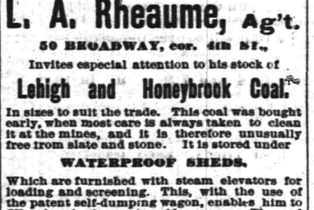


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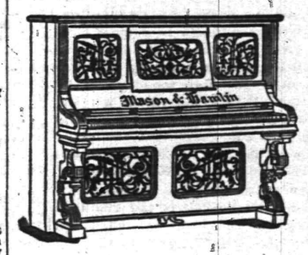


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| 2d trip | 8.15 A. M. | to meet | 8.33 A. M. | train. |
| 3d do | 9.15 | do | 9.33 | do |
| 4th do | 10.00 | do | 10.37 | do |
| 5th do | 11 00 | do | 11.34 | do |
| 6th do | 11.45 | do | 12.08 P.M. | do |
| 7th do | 1.45 P. M | do | 2.15 & 2.36 P.M. | do |
| 8th do | 3.45 | do | To the Post Office. | |
| 9th do | 3.30 | do | meet 3 51 P. M. | train. |
| 10th do | 5.00 | do | do 5.39 | do, |
| 11th do | 5.45 | do | do 6.07 | do |
| 12th do | 6.45 | do | do 7.03 | do |

Stage will also leave Plainfield ave. and 7th st., and Rockview and Mercer aves., North Plainfield, according to the above time table, and make same connections.

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For Lambertville, Phillipsburg and Belvidere via Trenton—7 59 A. M.; 2 54 and 5 15 P. M.

For Lambertville and Phillipsburg only, 1 39 P.M.

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## Central Railroad of New Jersey.

**Station in New York foot of Liberty Street. Time Table in effect, June 22, 1890.**

### PLAINFIELD AND NEW YORK.

Leave Plainfield 3 27, 5 24, 5 38, 6 29, 6 59, 7 26 7 30, 7 58, 8, 8 15, 8 31, 8 57, 9 32, 10 05, 11 09, 11 39, A. M., 1, 1 41, 2 07, 2 30, 3 12, 3 51, 5 08, 5 31, 6 07, 6 54, 7 03, 8 31, 9 28, 10 12, 11 28 P. M. Sunday—3 37, 5 24, 8 01, 8 52, 11 02, 11 16 A. M., 12 33, 1 53, 3 30, 5 16, 7 01, 7 10, 8 23, 8 32, 10 02 P. M.

Leave New York from foot of Liberty street, 4 30, 5 45, 7, 7 45, 8 45, 10, 11, A. M., 1, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4 4 30, 5, 5 15, 5 30, 5 45, 6, 6 15, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 8, 8 30, 9 15, 10, 11 30 P. M., 12 15, night. Sunday—4 30, 7 8 30, 9, 9 30, A. M., 12 M., 1, 1 15, 4, 5 30, 6, 7, 9 00, 10 00 P. M., 12 15 night.

### PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield 5 38, 6 29, 6 59, 7 30, 8, 8 37, 9 32, 10 05, 11 09, 11 39, A. M., 1, 2 07, 2 30, 3 12, 3 51, 5 08, 5 31, 6 07, 6 54, 7 03, 8 31, 10 12, 11 28 P. M. Sunday—8 02, 9 32, 11 09, 11 16, A. M., 12 33, 1 30, 3 30, 5 16, 7 01, 7 10, 8 23, 8 32, 10 02 P. M.

Leave Newark 7 10, 7 50, 8 55, 10 10, 11 05 A. M., 1 05, 1 35, 2 40, 3 40, 4 02, 4 37, 5 05, 5 30, 6 55, 6 23, 7 15, 7 35, 8 30, 9 35, 10 10, 11 25 P. M. Sunday—7 20, 8 40, 9 05, 9 50, A. M., 12 05, 1 10, 4 10, 5 40, 6 05, 7 05, 9 25, 10 20 P. M.

Passengers for Newark change cars at Elizabeth.

### PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7, 8 07, 

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65 PARK AVENUE.
Latest Fashions in Dresses; also Imported Cloaks, Dress Goods and Trimmings.
SOLE AGENTS FOR THE PERRIN FRERES & CIES' LADIES' GLOVES, DRESS KIDS, UNDRESSED KIDS AND LACING STUD GLOVES.
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8 25 tf

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Having purchased our supply of California Fruits before advance in prices took place, we have decided to sell at old price, thereby giving our customers the benefit of what we saved.
Prompt attention and quick delivery of goods to any and all parts of town; on Saturdays till 9 P. M. Wagon deliveries weekly to Scotch Plains, Fanwood, Westfield, Cranford, Dunellen, New Market, South Plainfield, Metuchen, etc. Mail orders promptly attended to.
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We are booming our Kid Glove Dep't, and will sell a fine five button kid for 65c., and will sell a guaranteed 5 hook kid, black and colored, for $1, and will sell an 8 button length, Suede kid, colored, for $1 25, and will sell an 8 button length, Suede kid, black, for $1 48.
* * * * *
We bought very early in the season, five cases of Blankets, and will sell them at special low prices for the next ten days. Don't miss it.
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Don't forget that we keep most every thing in the way of Crockery, Tinware, and Housekeeping Goods, and sell them at right prices. We deliver everywhere free of charge.
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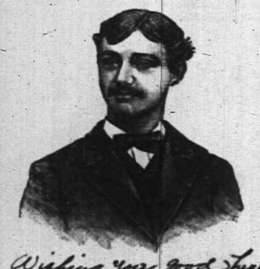


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## ROASTED TO DEATH

### Four Persons Lose Their Lives in a Burning Hotel.

### A KEROSENE LAMP EXPLODES.

The Guests Awakened by the Noise of the Fire Engines.

**Several Men Saved by Using the Fire Escapes—A Mother Jumps to the Pavement With Her Babe—The Woman Lived but a Short Time and the Child Escaped Uninjured.**

CHICAGO, Oct. 13.—Three men lost their lives and a woman was fatally injured at a small fire which occurred shortly before 2 o'clock in the morning in J. R. Putnam's European Hotel, at Nos. 163 and 165 East Adams street.

The dead are: Edward Payton, colored, 26 years of age, porter of the hotel; unknown man, apparently about 35 years of age; unknown man, 26 years of age, of slight stature.

Injured: Mrs. Minnine Robinson, jumped from the fourth story to the sidewalk; legs broken and side crushed. Her injuries are fatal.

The fire was caused by the explosion of a kerosene lamp in the hall of the fourth floor. The burning oil set fire to the stairway and soon a sheet of flame burst from the rear windows. An alarm was immediately turned in and a second one followed five minutes later. The guests of the house were awakened by the noise of the fire engines and rushed from their rooms to find the hallway filled with dense smoke.

The scantily attired inmates groped about to find a way of escape. Several were cool-headed enough to resort to the fire escape that runs down in front of the building. These were mostly men, and they got out safely. In the hallway, struggling and blinded by the smoke, were several women. Mrs. Robinson, with her child, was among them. She became crazed with fright, and rushing to the window, leaped to the pavement with her child in her arms. Her body was frightfully mangled, and she was just alive when the patrol wagon took her to the hospital.

During her fearful flight through the air she held on to the the baby, and wonderful to relate, the little one was entirely uninjured. When the mother fell her body acted as a cushion to break the fall for the child.

At 2 o'clock the fire was under control and the firemen began to search the house. In a room on the fourth floor Edward Peyton, the colored porter of the hotel, was found burned to a crisp. The search was continued and the firemen soon found in another room on the same floor, the charred bodies of two unknown men, who had been caught in the trap and burned to death. The bodies were taken to Klaner's morgue. The total loss on building and contents will not exceed $3,000.

A later dispatch says that Mrs. Minnie Robinson died at the county hospital from the injuries she received in jumping from the window in her room. The two unknown men who were burned to death were identified to-day as Thomas B. Dowler, of New Orleans, and H. Kirk Salms, of Calumet, Mich. Dowler was a professional gymnast, and was formerly a teacher of athletics in New Orleans. Of Salms little is known, but he was supposed to be a traveling salesman.

### GILL ARRIVES.

**The Irish Nationalist Tells About the Disappearance of Dillon and O'Brien.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 13.—Among the passengers on the steamer Alaska was Mr. T. P. Gill, M. P., who comes to make advance preparations for the American tour of Messrs. Dillon and O'Brien.

Concerning the disappearance from Ireland of Dillon and O'Brien, Mr. Gill said that the charges against them having been brought, and their trial delayed solely for the purpose of preventing their coming to America, they resolved to come whether or no. Accordingly they left in a yacht belonging to a prominent member of Parliament, and made their way to Havre, whence they will sail in a French steamer for New York, arriving here probably next Sunday.

As to the reported famine in Ireland, Mr. Gill said the outlook for the potato crop was bad and it would probably be a failure, but at present there was no great suffering among the people.

**Six Men Injured.**

CHICAGO, Oct. 13.—Six men were injured, two of them quite seriously, at the works of the Illinois Steel Company. A number of men were raising a huge iron truss when the guy-pole snapped in two and the truss fell to the ground with a crash. Most of the men saved themselves by jumping, but six were struck by the heavy piece. One of the injured may die, as it is feared he has suffered fatal injuries. The following is a list of the injured: Frank Smith, shoulder blade and several ribs broken, he may die; Mike Nowark, severe scalp wound; John Cross, Patrick Navils, Michael Toole and John Dieter, slight scalp wounds bruises.

**The Tuberculosis Scare.**

MANCHESTER, N. H., Oct. 13.—The tuberculosis excitement in this city and vicinity has developed into a scare. The post mortem examination of the cattle killed Saturday afternoon does not back up the diagnosis. Three cows were slaughtered at Charles Rowell's, River Road, under the supervision of Expert Smith, of Rochester. In the first one killed the doctor claimed that he found small tubercles in the lungs, but the development of the disease was only beginning to develop. In the other two animals no tubercles were found.

### TRAGIC SUICIDE.

**A Wealthy Young Clubman Blows Off the Top of His Head.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 13.—Walter A. Kernochan, a wealthy young club man, committed suicide in his room in the Delta Chi Club, at 5 a. m., by blowing off the top of his head with a revolver.

Kernochan returned to the club, where he resided, about midnight, having spent the evening in making social calls. Shortly afterward he retired to his room. At 5 o'clock the policeman patrolling the beat in front of the club house heard a pistol shot and at once sought admittance to the club. Several of Kernochan's clubmates who, like himself, occupied apartments in the building, also heard the shot and all rushed to Kernochan's room. The dead body of the young man, still clad in the full dress suit he wore when he came into the club at midnight, was found lying across the bed.

Kernochan was 27 years of age, and three years ago inherited a large fortune from his father, John A. Kernochan, a well known capitalist of Pittsfield, Mass. Of late young Kernochan has been a hypochondriac. He imagined himself afflicted with numerous physical ailments and employed several doctors to treat him.

The suicide was a member of the Calumet Club and the New York Jockey Club. He left no letter to give a clue to the cause of the deed. Some of his friends say he has lately been troubled with insomnia, which may have affected his mind.

### THEY REACH CHICAGO.

**The Members of the Iron and Steel Institute Welcomed This Morning.**

CHICAGO, Oct. 13.—An elaborate programme was arranged for the entertainment of the members of the Iron and Steel Institute and the Verein Deutscher Ingenieure who arrived at the Union depot at 9 this morning. They were met at the station by deputations of the general reception committee and the transportation committee, who escorted them to the various hotels where quarters had been bespoken. At 10:30 o'clock Mayor Cregier formally welcomed the visitors, the ceremony taking place in parlor "W" of the Palmer House.

After the reception the visitors were driven through Michigan avenue, Grand and Drexel Boulevards, Jackson and Washington Parks to the Washington Park Clubhouse, where luncheon was served. On their return to the city an exhibition of the police patrol and fire departments was given on the Lake front. To close the day the guests will be tendered a reception at the Auditorium Hotel this evening.

To-morrow will be devoted to sight-seeing and the ladies of the party will be entertained by the ladies of Chicago.

**Petitioning for a Reprieve.**

TORONTO, Oct. 13.—A London dispatch says some of Birchall's friends in England are endeavoring to get parties here to get up a petition for a reprieve. Up to the present time the Judge's report of the trial has not reached the Department of Justice at Ottawa, nor have any requests in favor of a reprieve been received. The step for a reprieve or commutation of sentence may be taken at any time up to the date of execution, provided sufficient time is allowed for its consideration.

**Shot His Sweetheart and Himself.**

BURLINGTON, Iowa, Oct. 13.—August Schultz, a prominent young farmer of Franklin township, went to the home of his sweetheart, Lucy Boegeman, yesterday, and asked her to marry him. She refused, and he shot her in the breast and instantly blew his own brains out. Hopes are entertained for the young lady's recovery. The young man for some time had been madly in love, and his affection was not reciprocated.

**Wholesale Jail Delivery.**

COLUMBUS, O., Oct. 13.—Shortly before noon eight prisoners, mostly bums and common drunks, confined in the city prison, escaped from the south cell tier by prying a part of the bars of the cage. The men were taking their exercise in the corridor, when, by climbing to the top of the cage, they made their exit to the floor below and rushed out to liberty. None of them were recaptured.

**A Judge Instantly Killed.**

CLEVELAND, O., Oct. 13.—Judge J. L. Dewitt, of the Common Pleas Court for Sandusky and adjoining counties, was run over by a train near Sandusky and instantly killed. Judge Dewitt was hunting and stepped from the track to avoid a train and was struck by a train on the other track. He was a man of fine abilities and was universally beloved.

**Washington Races.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 13.—The fall meeting of the Washington Jockey Club will begin here on October 21 and promises to be the most successful since the organization of the new club. The races will continue eight days. Two days additional will be scheduled if conditions are favorable.

## WASHINGTON TOPICS

### Brief Session of the Supreme Court this Morning.

### ANOTHER VACANCY TO RECORD.

The Familiar Face of Its Oldest Member, Justice Miller, Missing.

**A Number of Important Cases to be Pressed for Hearing—The Electrocution Law to be Brought Up Again—Ex-Commissioner Tanner Denies that He Wrote a Letter About Mr. Raum.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 13.—The October term of the United States Supreme Court began this morning. The familiar face of its oldest member, Justice Miller, was missing. In the last four years or more there has never been a full bench save for a very brief period last spring. Justice Woods' long illness kept him away for many months. Then came Chief Justice Waite's death, followed by the long illness and final demise of Justice Matthews, so that it was not until the last vacancy caused by Justice Matthews' death had been filled by the appointment of Justice Brewer that the justices, after a long interval sat without one vacancy.

The session this morning was brief. The most important of the cases which come over from last term are those between Colorado mining corporations involving a construction of some very important mining questions.

This term of the court it is expected will be a busy one. A number of interesting cases will be present for hearing. Notice has already been given that an effort will be made to impeach the constitutionality of the New York electrocution law on the ground that "it is a cruel and unusual punishment.' The Japanese Jugigo is the man in whose behalf this point will be raised.

Another case which will attract attention will be an appeal brought here to secure the release of one of the Chicago Anarchists now in prison under a heavy sentence.

The liquor laws of various States, however, will furnish the largest number of cases of general interest. The Court will early be given an opportunity to reaffirm the doctrines laid down in the "original package" decision.

### JUSTICE MILLER.

**Brief Sketch of the Great Jurist and Constitutional Lawyer.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 13.—Mrs. Harrison, Chief Justice Fuller, Attorney-General Miller and other Cabinet officers and the justices and officers of the Supreme Court have been among the day's callers at the Miller home.

One of Justice Miller's associates on the Bench, in speaking of his colleague, said that the laborious work of the Circuit Court the past summer had told upon him. Only about two weeks ago, on his return from the West, he remarked to several of the justices that the work of his circuit was too hard for him, and he had determined never again to undertake it. He was tired out on his return, and felt that he never again would do the work and do himself justice.

Justice Miller was born at Richmond, Ky., April 5, 1816, and was consequently in the 75th year of his age. He was educated at the University of Transylvania, from which he graduated with honors.

He studied medicine and practiced as a physician for several years, when, becoming tired of medicine, he abandoned medicine to study law.

He attained a prominent place as a lawyer in a very short time. He left Kentucky in 1850 and settled in Iowa, where he became a Republican leader. He steadfastly refused to accept any office although repeatedly asked to do so, and continued to practice law till 1862, when he was appointed an Associate Justice of the Supreme Court by President Lincoln.

He has been the senior Justice for many years, Justice Field, appointed also by President Lincoln in 1863, standing next to him in seniority.

Presidents Grant and Cleveland both contemplated promoting Justice Miller to be Chief Justice of the United States but were influenced not to do so for party reasons.

Since he first took his seat on the Supreme bench Justice Miller was regarded as a strong man. His reputation as an authority on constitutional law was almost as great as was that of Chief Justice Marshall.

**Three Murder Cases.**

ALBANY, N. Y., Oct. 13.—Three murder cases will occupy the attention of the Court of Oyer and Terminer which opened here to-day, viz: John O'Connor, charged with the murder of John Walker, of Cohoes; John O'Brien, who killed William Metts at Karners, and William Taylor, charged with murder ing his wife at West Troy. It is probable that the case of O'Connor will be called first.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—U. S. Gov't Report, Aug. 17, 1889.
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### "JACK THE KISSER."

**Country Girls Relentlessly Persecuted by A Mysterious man.**

NEWBURG, N. Y., Oct. 13.—Excitement has been occasioned recently at and near Highland Falls over the antics of a "Jack the Kisser." The man is described as being rather tall, with a dark mustache and side whiskers, and as wearing a pair of light trousers, Prince Albert coat and a white slouch hat. He first appeared early the other evening when he stopped the young and pretty daughter of a West Point officer on the back road as she was walking from the Falls to her home at the officers' quarters at the post.

Seizing the young woman about the waist, the man attempted to kiss her and made other improper demonstrations. She was equal to the occasion, however, and beat her assailant off with her umbrella, which was broken in the struggle.

The villan finally made his escape in a wagon. The same evening he stopped two other ladies on the same road, but they ran and escaped. It is said that on another occasion as a lady was returning home from Highland Falls from a call on a friend she was followed for some distance by this man, but he did not get near enough to insult her.

Another effort resulted more successfully to the crank. This incident is stated to have occurred near Fort Putnam at West Point. There two terrified young women when cornered one evening allowed the stranger to hug and kiss them.

### FIVE DROWNED.

**While Trying to Effect a Landing Their Craft Capsizes.**

KINKORA, N. J., Oct. 13.—Five persons were drowned in the river near the sluice and Knickerbocker ice houses at this place yesterday by the capsizing of a boat. The names of the drowned are: Solomon Fletcher, aged 32; John Fletcher, aged 22; Angelo Fletcher, aged 24, brothers; Cheafus Merry, aged 43, and Alonzo Cannon, aged 22. All five lived here and were employed at Murrell Dobbins' brick yard.

The men were bringing 23 large pilings, each about 14 feet long from Silver Lake Ice house, in an open boat with a single sail. In attempting to make land between the ice houses and the sluice the bowsprit of the boat struck one of the logs of the former. The shock of this and the swift current of the waters of the sluice caused the boat to careen and the heavy pilings to shift to one side, overturning the craft. The men sank at once and the attempts made to save their lives by onlookers were unavailing. The bodies of Angelo Fletcher and Cheafus Merry were recovered.

**Silent Cells in Sing Sing.**

SING SING, Oct. 13.—The increase in the number of condemned murderers to die by electricity has necessitated the fitting up of four more "silent cells" in Sing Sing Prison. They are being constructed under the direction of Yardmaster Hilbert. There are at present only four cells for the five condemned murderers. Those awaiting execution are Charles McElvaine, to be executed the week beginning November 14 next; Wood, Slocum, Jugigo and Trezza, whose dates of sentence are not yet fixed.

**New Jersey's Racing Season.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 13.—After the close of the legitimate racing season in New York State the sport will be transferred to the State of New Jersey on October 17, when the fall meetings of the New Jersey Jockey Club and the Linden Park Blood-Horse Association will begin. The first part of the former club's meeting begins on that day and will be continued to Friday, October 24. Then the Linden Park Blood-Horse Association will hold a meeting to last to Monday, November 3.

**Religious Bequests.**

RUTLAND, Vt., Oct. 13.—In the will of the late Frederick Billings, of Woodstock, bequests are made as follows: To the American Board of Missions, $15,000; to the American Home Missionary Society, the Vermont Domestic Missionary Society and the American Missionary Association, $10,000 each; to the Congregational Church in Woodstock, $15,000.

**Intense Heat in Cincinnati.**

CINCINNATI, O., Oct. 13.—Yesterday was an extraordinary day here. It seemed as if a hot cloud hovered above the city. The heat was oppressive, and the thermometer registered 90 degrees in the shade. Two prostrations from heat were reported during the day. This high temperature is all the more remarkable from the fact that it has been so cold for the past fortnight that fires were indispensable.

**Found a Man Hanging to a Tree.**

HOBOKEN, N. J., Oct. 13.—An unknown man was found hanging to a tree by some men who were shooting in Meek's Woods. They reported the suicide to the police. The man was about 60 years old, and had gray hair, whiskers and mustache. He was dressed in a black suit of clothes, and wore two linen shirts. The body is unidentified yet.

**Looks Like Murder.**

DANBURY, Conn., Oct. 13.—The dead body of William Walter, a hatter, was found at noon lying in the water of Beaver Brook, three miles east of here. He was last seen on Friday. Bruises on the body raise the suspicion that he was murdered. Walton's father is an Episcopalian minister at Grand Rapids, Mich.

**Van Heest Will Fight the Winner.**

BUFFALO, N. Y., Oct. 13.—John Van Heest, who recently fought a draw with Tommy Warren at Bradford, Pa., says he is willing to fight the winner of the Warren-Beecher fight at New Orleans at one of the clubs there for a fair purse. He will weigh 118 or 120 pounds.

## A MAD GRAND DUKE

### The Czar's Uncle in a Hopeless Condition.

### BRITISH DETECTIVES BAFFLED

Scouring Queenstown Harbor in Boats to Capture Dillon and O'Brien.

**The Wife of a Member of Parliament Found in a Pool of Blood—The Tipperary Trial Cannot Proceed—The Prince of Wales Annoyed—The Appointment of Cardinals Postponed.**

ST. PETERSBURG, Oct. 13.—It has transpired that at the close of the military manœuvers in Volhynia the Grand Duke Nicholas, chief in command of the army, suddenly became insane. His mental derangement is the result of disease from which he has long been a sufferer, and the effects of which were aggravated by the strain incident to the manœuvres. The physicians pronounce his case a hopeless one.

**O'BRIEN AND DILLON.**

**Government Detectives Do Not Think They Have Left Ireland.**

QUEENSTOWN, Oct. 13.—Government detectives have been patrolling the harbor all day in boats, and searching all the tugs and tenders with passengers for the steamers Umbria and Wisconsin aboard. Mail trains arriving from Cork are also searched.

It is evident that the authorities do not think Messrs. O'Brien and Dillon have yet succeeded in leaving the country, and hope to intercept them. The steamships themselves have also been thoroughly searched. Mr. W. J. Lane, M. P., for East Cork, and Mr. John Deasy, M. P., for West Mayo, boarded the Umbria here. Their movements aroused much curiosity.

### FOUND IN A POOL OF BLOOD.

**A Member of Parliament's Wife Tries to Kill Herself.**

LONDON, Oct. 13.—The wife of Mr. Arthur O'Connor, M. P. for East Donegal, was found late last night lying in a pool of blood in an unfrequented part of one of London's suburbs.

It was evident that she had jumped or fallen from an overhead railway station near the spot. She was severely injured, and has remained unconscious ever since found.

The lady was not long ago under treatment for mental aberration, but was thought to have been restored to her normal condition.

It is supposed that in a sudden fit of insanity she wandered away from home, and either attempted suicide or accidentally fell from the station.

**Kaiser William's Views.**

BERLIN, Oct. 13.—The interview with the Emperor, reported in a Parisian newspaper, is not credited in Berlin. The Emperor is well-known to be ardently desirous of regaining the German provinces now held by Russia, and whose inhabitants are as much attached to Germany as those of Alsace-Lorraine are opposed to her rule. Though the interview published by "Gil Blas" is supposed to be an invention, it doubtless represents nearly enough the Emperor's views. Since his visit to Russia he has expressed more than once a deep interest in his fellow countrymen of the Russian Baltic provinces, and he is said to have made a remark, during his visit to Austria, implying that the union of Germany was imperfect, while these provinces remained under Russian dominion.

**Stanley's Return to London.**

LONDON, Nov. 13.—The date of departure of Stanley and wife for America has not yet been definitely settled. In Brussels Stanley was the hero of the hour, and the Ministers of State and other notabilities of the city vied with each other in calling on him and doing him honor at his hotel as soon as it was known he had arrived. At Ostend, where he went on the invitation of the King, he was received with special honors by the municipality, and at once proceeded to the royal chalet, where he had an interview with King Leopld, their talk lasting over two hours, and in the evening Mr. Stanley dined at the royal table.

**Socialist Congress.**

LONDON, Oct. 13.—The great Socialist Congress at Halle convened to-day. The sessions are held in the Hofgaeger restaurant, which is elaborately decorated within and without, and floats a huge red flag from the housetop. The delegates have met with an enthusiastic reception, and the outcome of their deliberations is awaited with intense interest. The police do not seem to be taking any unusual notice of the meeting, and the local military garrison has been ordered to remain confined in the barracks.

**The Prince of Wales Annoyed.**

LONDON, Oct. 13.—The Prince of Wales is said to be much hurt by the suggestion that he abstained from visiting the National Musical Festival of Wales on the ground that he apprehended an exhibition of disloyalty, and has refused, it is reported, to have any communication with Lord Pearlyn, who gave currency to the statement, and who was formerly a close personal friend of the Prince.

**Will Buy a Home for Mrs. Fremont.**

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 13.—A committee has been formed to raise from the women of California a fund of $6,000 for the purchase of a suitable home for Mrs. Jessie Benton Fremont and her daughter. About $1,000 has already been subscribed.

**Mrs. Hendricks' Present.**

BROOKLYN, N. Y., Oct. 13.—The Thos. A. Hendricks Club of this city received a portrait, in oil, of the late Vice-President, the gift of his widow.

### WILL PLAY NINE GAMES.

**Brooklyn and Louisville Arrange the Schedule for the Championship Series.**

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Oct. 13.—President Byrne and Mr. Parsons met here last night and made an agreement to govern the coming world's championship games. It was agreed to play a friendly series of games not to exceed nine in number. It was also understood that the club winning a majority of such games shall be entitled to be called the world's champions of 1891. The umpires agreed upon to officiate are John McQuaid, selected by the Louisville club, and Wesley Curley, selected by the Brooklyn club.

The following is the schedule of games: In Louisville, Thursday, Oct. 16; Friday, Oct. 17; Saturday, Oct. 18; Monday, Oct. 20; Tuesday, Oct. 21, to be left as an open date. In Brooklyn Thursday, Oct. 23; Friday, Oct. 24; Saturday, Oct. 25, and Monday, Oct. 26. If the ninth game is necessary to decide the series the place and date will be determined hereafter.

**Baseball Games Yesterday.**

**American Association.**

AT COLUMBUS.

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| Columbus | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | —6 |
| Toledo | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —0 |

Batteries—Gastright and O'Connor; Smith and Sage.

AT LOUISVILLE.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Louisville | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —3 |
| St. Louis | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 1 | x | —7 |

Batteries—Daily and Weckbecker; Neal and Munyan.

AT PHILADELPHIA.

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| Athletic | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —2 |
| Syracuse | 1 | 6 | 3 | 2 | 0 | —12 |

Game called at the end of the fifth inning on account of rain.

Batteries—Sterling and Tate; Marr and Pitz.

**Standing of the Clubs.**

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

| | Won | Lost | P ct | | Won | Lost | P ct |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Louisville | 87 | 44 | .577 | Rochester | 60 | 61 | .497 |
| St. Louis | 77 | 57 | .575 | Athletic | 55 | 77 | .417 |
| Columbus | 78 | 56 | .567 | Syracuse | 54 | 73 | .425 |
| Toledo | 68 | 61 | .528 | Baltim're | 39 | 90 | .326 |

**Schedule of To-Day's Games.**

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

Rochester vs. Baltimore, at Baltimore.
Syracuse vs. Athletics, at Philadelphia.
Columbus vs. Toledo, at Columbus.
Louisville vs. St. Louis, at Louisville.

**Rube Burrows Made a Will.**

GREENVILLE, Ala., Oct. 13.—A great deal has been said and written concerning the last will and testament of Rube Burrows, which was said to have been written in Brewton some weeks ago. J. E. Greene, an attorney at Brewton, Ala., states that he had written Burrows' will and that it would be made public in due time. The will leaves all of his property, which is in three States, Alabama, Louisiana and Mississippi, to his son and daughter. The estimate put upon the property is $20,000.

**A Married Man in Trouble.**

ERIE, Pa., Oct. 13.—John Bradenburg, a well-to-do mechanic, a few months ago won the affections of Miss Ida Schwatzler, and their wedding day was fixed. When the hour approached he did not appear. After months of weary waiting the missing bridegroom was found with his wife and seven children in the vicinity of Lancaster. The condition of his would-be bride led to his prosecution, and he was yesterday arrested on a charge of adultery.

**An Embezzling Postmaster.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 13.—John D. Nichols, ex-assistant postmaster at Berrian Springs, Mich., pleaded guilty to embezzling postal money orders and will receive sentence this week. He is the son of one of the most prominent men in that town. His father has made up the loss and strong influence is being brought to bear to have his sentence made easy.

### NEWS OF THE DAY.

The German Empress is expected to again become a mother in February.

The cholera epidemic continues at Barcelona. A special hospital has been erected there for the sufferers.

The steamer John E. Tygert was burned to the water's edge while lying at her dock in Baltimore.

In a quarrel over the hire of a team at Kennett Square, Pa., John Wilson, colored, killed Timothy Shay with a pitchfork.

Charles H. Merritt, president of the David Maydole Hammer Co., died at his home in Norwich, N. Y., yesterday, aged 76 years.

The Empress of Austria has planned another tour along the Mediterranean coast, returning to Vienna about Christmas time.

The Comte de Paris and suite attended mass in Richmond, visited the Capital and other places, and were warmly received everywhere.

Hon. Joseph F. Daly, of New York, Associate Judge of the Court of Common Pleas, was chosen Chief Judge of that court in place of Judge Larremore resigned. Judge Daly is a brother of Augustine Daly of Daly's Theater.

Maurice J. Carney, of Lynn, Mass., was adjudged guilty of intimidating workmen and fined $50 and costs. The cases of assaulting non-union workmen were continued for a week. Goenstein, who was struck in the abdomen by a stone, is slightly improved, but physicians say the injury may prove fatal.

Ex-Judge Gunning S. Bedford, of New York city, who has long been an active worker in the ranks of the County Democracy has boldly declared his affiliation with Tammany. His example, it is rumored, will be followed by several prominent members of the Counties, their antipathy to that organization being on account of the People's Municipal League nominations, which they term the hybrid ticket.

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## BY THE WAY.

—Trinity Commandery, No. 17, Knights Templar, will convene this evening at their asylum and confer the Order of the Temple. Sir Knights will appear in full dress uniform.

—The latest addition to the expert machinists in the Potter Works, is J. McGuire, of Toronto, who will make his permanent home here. He is an experienced vise hand.

—The Borough Common Council will meet this week Friday evening for the purpose of considering the proposed street lighting contract with the Edison General Electric Company.

—To avoid baldness and produce a luxuriant growth of hair Randolph recommends his Quinine and Glycerine Hair Tonic, the merits of which are set forth in the advertising columns of THE PRESS.

—Fred. Long, of the Borough, will be tried before Magistrate Hardy, to-night, on complaint of Marshal Rutledge. Long is accused of resisting arrest for drunkenness and trying to throw Rutledge into the brook.

—The Pierson Hardware Co., desiring to place their business on a cash basis, are now offering their goods at a reduction of 10 per cent. Parties in need of stoves and house-furnishing goods, would do well to give them a call.

### Closing the Season With a Fine Exhibition.

The chilly weather of Saturday kept a large number of base-ball lovers away from the players' benefit. The visitors were the Ridgewoods, but they were not in it. Livingston was knocked ont of the box by the Crescents, and the Plainfield team played a brilliant game in the field.

Lee and Martin made one-hand catches of hot liners. McIndoe hammered one way over the fence, and Jones got a three-bagger. The game should have closed at the end of the seventh inning, 6 to 1 in favor of the Crescents; but another inning was played in the dark, and two runs were made by the visitors through the inability of the infield to see the ball. The score:

CRESCENT LEAGUE.

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| Martin, ss | 5 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 7 | 1 |
| Lufbery, 2b | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 1 |
| McIndoe, 1b | 4 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 12 | 0 | 1 |
| Hatfield, rf | 2 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| McDonald, lf | 4 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Jones, c | 4 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 1 |
| Lever, cf | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 2 | 0 |
| Lee, 3b | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 3 |
| Hammill, p | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
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RIDGEWOODS.

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| Ryman, cf | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Heiser, lf, 3b | 4 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Gatens, 2b | 4 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 4 | 0 |
| Evers, ss | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Fritz c | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 5 | 4 | 1 |
| Landman, 3b, p | 3 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 2 |
| Haley, rf | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Leinbach, 1b | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 1 | 2 |
| Livingston, p, lf | 3 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 |
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SCORE BY INNINGS.

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| Crescents | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0—5 |
| Ridgewoods | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0—3 |

Earned run—Crescents, 2. First base on errors—Crescents, 4; Ridgewoods, 5. First base on balls—Crescents, 2; Ridgewoods, 1. Two base hits—Landman, (2), Livingston, Gatens. Three base hit—Jones. Home run—McIndoe. Passed ball—Fritz. Wild pitch—Hammill. Flies caught—By Crescents, 11; by Ridgewoods, 8. Time of game—1:50. Umpire—Mr. Berriman.

## PARTICULAR MENTION.

Friends of Harry G. Adams will be pleased to know that he is in the city for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Mallinson and amily, are home from a pleasant visit at Mamaroneck.

A. W. Haviland and family, of Rockview avenue, are at home again after a Summer spent at St. Andrew's, New Brunswick.

Henry George wants to find the Plainfield man who wrote and asked him to discuss free trade, on the last Friday of this month, in this city. Mr. George consented, but has forgotten who it was extended him the invitation.

Louis Bleecker Mumford, the oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Mumford of Arlington avenue, died at 10:20 o'clock this morning. He was twenty-two years of age yesterday. The cause of death was consumption. He was able to be out with his father on Saturday last.

### A Remarkably Fine Programme.

The Dudley Buck quartette, which is to appear at Music Hall, Thursday evening, is composed of the following soloists: H. E. Distelhurst, first tenor, soloist All Souls' Unitarian church, New York; Chas. Stuart Phillips, second tenor, soloist Central Congregational church, Brooklyn; Everitt S. Swaim, first bass, soloist Ross Street Presbyterian church, Brooklyn; Frederic Reddall, second bass, soloist Lafayette Avenue Presbyterian church Brooklyn. The New York *Sun* said of it the other day: "The Dudley Buck Quartet shared the popular favor, and when they gave 'Robin Adair' with variations one gentleman in the dress-circle attracted general attention by the enthusiasm of his praise."

But besides this great entertainment in itself, Charles Roberts, the reader, and Adolph Glose, the pianist, will also have a part in next Thursday evening's programme.

## OBITUARY.

### William E. Jones.

The death of Wm. E. Jones, Director of the Somerset County Board of Freeholders, occurred at his home on Somerset street, North Plainfield, at 9:35 o'clock this morning. He had been ill several weeks, from cancerous affection of the liver; and his death, though an event which brings sadness to the entire community, was not unexpected.

Wm. E. Jones was born in Herefordshire, England, December 10, 1825. At the age of twelve he was brought to America by his parents, his father having met with financial reverses through the Crimean War, and being desirous of starting anew in a new country. After spending two or three years in New York the family removed to Somerville, and, later, to Mt. Bethel, where William found a wife in Amanda Kirkpatrick, a daughter of an old Somerset family. In 1866 William received a legacy from an uncle and removed to Plainfield. Two years later he was elected a member of the Board of Freeholders, on the Republican ticket, and has been a member of the Board almost continuously ever since, having been a candidate at every election, and having been defeated but twice [by Martin W. Schenck and Chas. Shepard], in twenty-four years. He was Director of the Board during several terms, and held that office when he died. Early in life he was a Whig, but soon identified himself with the Republican party, and was one of its stanchest adherents. He was a member of Noah Dove Encampment, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, and of the Exempt Firemen's Association. In the old Fire Board days he was its President two years. His wife died five years ago. He leaves a son, Frank, of the firm of Powlinson & Jones, and a daughter, Sarah D., who is the wife of Mr. Powlison. The funeral services will take place Thursday afternoon; from his late residence, at 2 o'clock, and from the First Baptist church at 2:30. The Rev. Dr. Yerkes will preach.

### Nicholas Gisser.

Nicholas Gisser, wholesale and retail butcher, well known throughout Plainfield and the surrounding country, died at his home on South avenue, Netherwood, Sunday. He had long been a sufferer from asthma. He was sixty-two years of age. The funeral services will take place from his late residence, to-morrow at 2 P. M.

## THE GREAT EVANGELIST.

### Plainfield Pastors Planning with Laymen for the Coming Revival.

The General and Executive Committees, with the Committees on Finance, Advertising, Music, Devotional Services, and Ushers, having charge of the arrangements for the coming of Evangelist Mills, all met together in the Young Men's Christian Association rooms Saturday evening. The work of the various committees was discussed, and suggestions were made as to the best methods to be employed. A letter of counsel from Mr. Mills was read. The several committees will begin their work at once. It was unanimously decided to hold union prayer meetings the Tuesday, Thursday and Friday nights of the week preceeding Mr. Mills's first meeting. The one to be held Friday night will be at the Seventh-Day Baptist church, as Friday is the regular prayer meeting date at that church. The place for holding the other two is left with the Devotional Committee. The revival services will begin in the First Baptist church Monday evening, November 3, and will close probably in the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church. No specific period for Mr. Mills to remain has been set. In a letter of instruction the great Evangelist says:

"Permit me to say that while you cannot over-estimate the desirability of careful preparation, the church and pastor will receive the greatest benefit who are best prepared *spiritually* for the work, and ready to make the greatest sacrifices for its success.

"Be sure your own hearts are right in the sight of God. In the closet, the home, the prayer meeting, the Sunday school and the pulpit, let there be heart-searching and complete consecration. Pray for me. Ask God to give me humility, that 'he that soweth and he that reapeth may rejoice together.' God's 'Set Time to Favor Zion is Come,' when His people care more for their own and their neighbors' spiritual interests than for money, formality, pride, prejudice or convenience.

"I pray God that I may come to you in the fullness of the blessing of the Gospel of Christ. Now I beseech you, brethren, for the Lord Jesus Christ's sake, and for the love of the Spirit, that ye strive together in your prayers to God for me, * * * that I may come unto you with joy, by the will of God, and may with you be refreshed.' In weakness and in fear and in much trembling, and yet with confidence in God and great expectations, I remain,

"Yours in the Master's service,

"B. FAY MILLS."

—One hundred and thirty-eight were present at the men's meeting addressed by the Rev. Dr. Lewis, at the Y. M. C. A. rooms, yesterday.

—350 choice building lots will be sold at noon of Tuursday, in Westfield. Location and other information will be found in the advertisement elsewhere.

—Mr. Wachenhusen, canvassing for Dr. Talmage's "From Manger to Throne," has made many friends during his two years' residence in Plainfield. Everywhere the book and the canvasser are cordially received.

## BY THE PRESS SPECIAL SERVICE.

### NOT A VOTE AGAINST THEM.

**Marsh for Senator, and Hicks for Sheriff, the Unanimous Choice of the Union County Convention.**

ELIZABETH, N. J., Oct. 13.—At the Union County Democratic Convention here today the Hon. Fred C. Marsh of Elizabeth, was nominated for State Senator, and Wm. H. Hicks for Sheriff. Both nominations were made by acclamation, and were the unanimous choice of the Convention.

### THE MAN REED HOPES TO BEAT.

**The Democrats Think W. J. Keys Can Unlock the Senatorial Situation.**

SOMERVILLE, N. J., October 13.—At the Somerset County Democratic Convention here today the morning was spent in organization and in settling the claims of two contesting delegations from Branchburg.

Lewis R. Blackford, of North Plainfield, was elected permanent chairman. His opponent was John T. VanCleef, of Bridgewater. A. C. Thomae, of Franklin Township, was made secretary.

The noon recess was spent in considering the Senatorial situation. Among those prominently mentioned were County Clerk Andrew Lane of Hillsborough, James J. Bergen of Bridgewater, W. J. Keys of Hillsborough, H. M. T. Beekman of Branchburg, and George E. Pace of Franklin. There was a decided tendency to nominate Lane, a Neshanic miller, against the protests of some of the most active Democrats in the county.

On re-assembling this afternoon W. J. Keys of Hillsborough was nominated on the first ballot for Senator.

The ballot was 47 for Keys, and 18 for Lane. Bergen, Beekman and Pace withdrew from the race.

**Will Try to Fly the Fanwood Kyte.**

WESTFIELD, N. J., October 13.—Geo. Kyte, Freeholder from Fanwood, was nominated for Assembly at the Third District Republican Convention here today.

RAHWAY, N. J., Oct. 13.—Stephen B. Muller, of Summit, was today made the Republican nominee for Assembly in the Second District of Union county.

**Democratic Delegates from Plainfield.**

The Democrats of the Third and Fourth Wards held their primaries Saturday night to elect delegates to the County and Assembly conventions, the first to be held at Elizabeth today, and the latter at Rahway to-morrow. The following is the result of the primaries:

THIRD WARD—Chairman, Auguste Saltzman. Secretary, Theodore S. Miller. County convention delegates—A. Saltzman, Joseph Shepherd. Assembly convention delegates—Theo. S. Miller, Stewart Milligan. Member of County Executive Committee—Auguste Saltzman.

FOURTH WARD—Chairman, Vincent L. Frazee. Secretary, Elmore D. Moffett. County convention delegates—Elmore D. Moffett, W. L. Force, Edw. C. Searing, Peter Flynn, Jr., Daniel McCarthy, Frank Fine. Assembly convention delegates—Timothy McCarthy, Geo. R. Rockafellar, Daniel Hogan, Jr., Nief Apgar, Joseph T. Sullivan, Ira G. Hurlbut. Member of County Executive Committee—Vincent L. Frazee.

**A Woman Pleads for Reform.**

One of the most interesting meetings ever held in Reform Hall was that of last evening. The first speaker introduced was Mrs. C. S. Whitney, of New York, whose life is devoted to religious work, and whose remarks caused profound attention. With pleasing manner and fluent and appropriate language she pleaded for individual devotion to the will of God in all things, doing whatever and going wherever He commands for the reclamation of mortals from sin to salvation, and thereby discharging a debt we owe to God and humanity. She also presented as living truths the evils of liquor drinking and the blessings of total abstinence.

The Rev. Mr. Dwight followed, making feeling allusion to the excellent remarks of Mrs. Whitney, and adding thereto several touching incidents coming under his personal experience, as a Western pastor, of the sad havoc wrought by the demon of strong drink. Close attention was given to his speech from commencement to close.

The President announced that Mrs. Whitney would be glad to meet visitors Monday afternoon, at 3 o'clock, in the basement parlors of Reform Hall, and that a meeting under her leadership would be held in the main auditorium Tuesday evening of this week, at 7:30 o'clock, to which all were cordially invited.

He also gave notice that next Sunday evening the speakers would be Samuel A. Haines, of Netherwood, and his subject: "Facts: What Shall We Do with Them?"

President Harper presided, the Rev. Mr. Dwight read the Bible lesson and offered a fervent prayer, and the music was rendered in choice style by a full choir lead by Mr. Vanderbeek, with Miss Doremus as accompanist. With the benediction pronounced by Mr. Dwight, the meeting closed.

**His Fall was Fatal.**

In spite of the operation described in these columns of Saturday, Patrick Kelley died that evening at 8:30 o'clock. He was just in the prime of life and leave a wife and seven children. THE PRESS has already told of the accident that cost him his life.

He was employed by George H. Burgess of Central avenue. Thursday, the 2d inst, he was trimming the trees about the grounds. A heavy limb he was sawing broke before he expected it to, and in its fall it knocked the ladder on which he was stading, from under him. Kelley fell twenty-five feet to the ground and sustained a compound fracture of the elbow joint. The bones were shattered into fragments. Drs. Boone and Hedges attended him.

Locked-jaw subsequently set in, and on Saturday morning Dr. Field performed an operation, but without result. The funeral will be held at the unfortunate man's late home on Central avenue, tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock, and at St. Mary's church at 9:30 with high mass.

### A YELLOW LUNCHEON.

**Sir Ambrose and Mrs. Shea Entertained by Mrs. Gilbert.**

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Gilbert, at their home on Eighth street and Central avenue, recently gave a luncheon to Sir Ambrose (Governor of the Bahamas), and Lady Shea. Covers were laid for sixteen, including Mrs. Herring, Mrs. Ludlum, Mrs. Munn, Mrs. Clinton Randolph, Mrs. Hugh Hastings, Mrs. Rowland Cox, Mrs. Charles Wadsworth, Miss Randolph, Mrs. Randolph, Mrs. James Grindlay of Utica, Miss Neilson of Montreal, and Mrs. Wm. B. Wadsworth.

Most of the guests had been entertained at the Government House, Nassau, and the luncheon was delightfully informal. Marcsi served, and yellow was the prevailing color—tea rose buds tied with yellow ribbon, large bowls of nasturtium upon the table, with marigolds for decoration around the dining room.

There were frozen oranges, with leaf and blossom attached; and, prettiest of all, several tea rose buds, real leaves, real stems, and real outer petals, with the inside of the bud taken out, and frozen creams, the exact color, filled in, made a course "fit to set before the Queen," and so real that every one exclaimed at the perfection of art thus offered them.

A steady downpour of rain prevented a driving party which was to have preceded the luncheon, much to the disappointment of hostess and guests of honor, especially as Sir Ambrose and his party sailed the following day for their Southern home.

**All Will be Very Welcome.**

The Congregational Chautauqua Circle will hold its first meeting of the season in the church parlors, to-morrow evening, at 8 o'clock. All who are interested, whether members of the circle or even of the congregation, will be very welcome.

C. L. GOODRICH.

IT WILL PAY YOU!

If you are not already trading at OUR HOUSE, to examine the quality of our goods and the prices.

YOU WILL FIND!

That we sell the BEST QUALITY at THE "CHEAP" PRICES.

*ANOTHER THING, TOO!*

Our goods are fresh and new, and the styles can be depended upon as correct.

EDSALL'S,

20 W. FRONT ST.

Dudley Buck Quartette!

Assisted by

ADOLF GLOSE, Pianist,

CHARLES ROBERTS, Reader.

Music Hall.

Thursday Evening, October 16.

Tickets for sale at Randolph's and Miller's drug stores.

Usual Music Hall prices. 10-13 4

Absolute and Peremptory Sale of

350 CHIOCE BUILDING LOTS

On Jerusalem Road, Fanwood avenue, John street, Smith street and Evarts, Cleveland and Harrison avenues, at WESTFIELD, N. J., on

Thursday, October 16, 1890.

Sale to commence at 12 o'clock noon. John M. C. March, Auctioneer.

These lots are situated in the best residence part of Westfield, on graded, leveled streets, convenient to depot, and on the line of the proposed new road from Newark to Somerville.

Will be sold without reserve in parcels to suit purchasers.

Ample conveyance at Westfield depot to take buyers to the ground.

Don't let this chance escape you.

Buyers of this valuable property will double their money within a year

Commutation only 10 cents.

Maps, R. R. tickets and particulars on application to *JNO. M. C. MARSH* and *P. C. PEARSALL*, at Westfield, N. J.

*HERBERT VANDYKE*, Benedict Building, 171 Broadway, N. Y. 10 13 & 15

MUSIC HALL.

N. H. A.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 15,

The Famous Extravaganza of America,

Rice's Beautiful Evangeline!

Under the immediate supervision of Mr. E. E. RICE. Mr. CHAS. J. RICH, proprietor and manager, with its wealth of captivating attractions.

40 Artistes in the great company. More bewitching, more charming, more entrancing than ever. Gorgeous and dazzling costumes; new and elaborate scenery; sumptuous in productions; music to charm the ear; costumes to dazzle the eye; comedians to make merry; marches that enchant; scenery that bewilders in the Grand March of the Amazons! The armor dresses are pronounced the most dazzling and beautiful ever seen on the American stage.

Prices 75, 50 and 35c. Best Seats $1 00.

Seats on sale Monday. 10 10 td

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GESANG & TURN VEREIN

For the benefit of the

GERMAN ENGLISH SCHOOL,

To be held at their Hall, Somerset street,

OCTOBER 13 to OCT. 18, Inclusive.

ADMISSION, - - Ten Cents.

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CITY EXPRESS.

Freight and Baggage delivered to any part of the city. Satisfaction guaranteed. Charges reasonable. Orders may be left at W. F. Adams', 10 Park avenue.

W. S. AYERS. JAS. E. TOTTEN.

(Late with Adams Ex. Co.) 10 13 w

Valuable Building Lots for Sale,

On Grove street and Craig place, North Plainfield. This plot is one of the most desirable in the Borough, and is offered for sale at a reasonable price and on easy terms. Will be sold in quantities to suit. Apply to Owner, at 25 Craig place. 8-14-tf

Arrival and Departure of Mails.

*NEW YORK MAILS.*

*Arrive*—7:30, 8 40, A. M., 12:15, 2:30, 5:30 P. M.

*Close*—7:30 and 9:30 A. M., 1:45, 5:30 and 8 P. M.

*SOMERVILLE AND EASTON MAILS.*

*Arrive*—8:40 A. M., 2:40, 6:30 P. M.

*Close*—7:30 A. M., 4:30 P. M.

Direct mail to Trenton and Philadelphia at 4:30 P. M.

*SUNDAY MAILS.*

Office open from 8:30 to 10:30 A. M.

Mail closes at 6:30 P. M.

E. B. POPE, P. M.

CLAIRVOYANT

Mrs. DR. EDWARDS,

Having fully recovered, will remain for a Few Weeks Longer, before she leaves for the South. She can be seen from 9 to 9 o'clock, as usual, at the *CITY HOTEL, ROOM* 4. Call at once, as this is your last opportunity.

Mrs. DR. EDWARDS, the greatest and the most celebrated CLAIRVOYANT in the World, and is known in this country from Maine to Mexico. She was born with the wonderful gift of second sight, and with a veil. She is the seventh daughter of the seventh daughter. She reveals every mystery; tells you if the one you love is true or false. She removes every grief, settles lovers' troubles, and causes speedy love marriages. She gives reliable information to gentlemen in all business transactions, and informs them how to make profitable investments and acquire speedy riches. She tells lucky lottery numbers. She has an Osiris Egyptian Talisman, which is noted all the world over, as a specific charm for the unlucky. All who are in trouble or sick, should call without delay.

Ladies 50c to $1. Gentlemen $1. 9 30 tf

## DEATHS.

GISSER—In this city, Oct. 12, 1890, Nicholas Gisser, aged 62 years.

Funeral Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, from his late residence, 339 South avenue. Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend.

KELLEY—In this city, Oct. 11, 1890, Patrick Kelley.

Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend the funeral from his late residence, Central avenue, Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock, and 9:30 o'clock from St. Mary's church, where High Mass will be said for the repose of his soul.

MUMFORD—In this city, October 13, of consumption, Louis Bleecker Mumford, eldest son of Benjamin A. and Maria P. Mumford, in the 22d year of his age.

Notice of funeral hereafter.

## WANTS AND OFFERS.

*Advertisements under this heading, one cent for each word each insertion.*

A FRESH Cow for sale. Inquire at 22 North avenue.

SITUATION wanted as coachman and gardener, by unmarried man. Can furnish good references. Apply P. H., South Plainfield, N. J.

WANTED, at 108 Park avenue, a colored woman as cook and laundress. Apply PRESS office.

TRUCK farm for sale; eleven acres, with good house and barn, 2 miles from Plainfield. Apply to W. C. Butler, 1 E. Front street. 10 13 tf

FOR RENT—As a Hall or Club Room, or for business purposes, a handsomely finished room, about 16 feet by 54, up one short flight of stairs, No. 4 North avenue.

TO LET—Furnished or unfurnished house, No. 19 East Seventh street. 10 11 tf

BEAUTIFUL palms, ferns and ferneries, at Denton's Hillside Avenue Nursery. 10 11 2

ROOMS, with or without board. 21 West 2d street. 10 9 12

FOR SALE—A second hand piano, in good condition. Inquire 107 Park avenue. 9 22 tf

LADIES doing their own dressmaking or employing plain seamstress, can secure perfect fit and pattern for future use. Taylor system. Miss A. T. Buckley, 27 West 4th street. 9 22 tf

STORAGE for furniture in separate rooms. Apply to C. Frank French, 69 Somerset st. 9 2 tf

WANTED—Jobbing at painting, glazing, kalsomining and roof painting. Address Isaac Kennedy, 55 East Front street. tf

WANTED—Work cleaning Vaults and Cesspools. Satisfaction guaranteed. City Odorless Excavating Works, 206 Broadway. Mrs. David Jones, Proprietor. No connection with JONES & CO. 6-12-tf

OUR MOTTO:—LOWEST PRICES CONSISTENT WITH GOOD QUALITY AND HONEST QUANTITY

The choicest Creamery Butter that can be produced

Apollinaris Water; pints, $1.50, quarts, $2 dozen; Belfast Ginger Ale, $1.40 dozen.

Excelsior Sugar Cured Hams are the best—15c.

The finest Java and Mocha coffee in town, and the prices are right. Won't be undersold for same quality of goods. P. M. DEMAREST, 25 PARK AVENUE. 2-9-1

### Notice of Dissolution of Co-partnership.

Take notice that the co-partnership heretofore existing by the subscribers under the firm name of Hetfield Bros., has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. John M. Hetfield will continue the business, and will pay all outstanding debts of the said firm, and will receipt for all monies due the said firm.

Dated October 9, 1890.

WALTER L. HETFIELD,
JOHN M. HETFIELD.
10 10 6 osw

### Notice of Attachment.

*UNION COUNTY CIRCUIT COURT.*

The Hockanum Company, Plff.
vs
John F. Plummer, Albert T. Plummer and William S. Darling, Defts. } On Contract. On Attachment.

Notice is hereby given that a writ of attachment at the suit of The Hockanum Company against the rights and credits, moneys and effects, goods and chattels, lands and tenements of John F. Plummer, Albert T. Plummer and William S. Darling, non-resident debtors, for the sum of Four hundred and fifty thousand dollars, issued out of the Union County Circuit Court on the twelfth day of May, A. D., 1890. Returnable and returned into Court duly executed by the Sheriff of the County of Union, on the second day of June, A. D., 1890.

Dated July 2nd, 1890.

JOHN L. CROWELL, Clerk.

Bacot & Record, Atty's for Plff, No. 1 Montgomery Street, Jersey City. 10 1 10 osw

### Notice of Attachment.

*UNION COUNTY CIRCUIT COURT.*

The New England Company, Plff.
vs
John F. Plummer, Albert T. Plummer and William S. Darling, Defts. } On Contract. Attachment.

Notice is hereby given that a writ of attachment at the suit of the New England Company, against the rights and credits, moneys and effects, goods and chattels, lands and tenements of John F. Plummer, Albert T. Plummer and William S. Darling, non-resident debtors, for the sum of Three hundred thousand six hundred and twenty-eight 22-100 dollars, issued out of the Union County Circuit Court, on the twentieth day of June, A. D., 1890. Returnable and returned into Court, duly executed by the Sheriff of the County of Union on the first day of July, A. D., 1890.

Dated July 2nd, 1890.

JOHN L. CROWELL, Clerk.

Bacot & Record, Att'ys for Plff, No. 1 Montgomery street, Jersey City. 10 1 10 osw

### Notice of Attachment.

*UNION COUNTY CIRCUIT COURT.*

John C. Payne, Plff.
vs
John F. Plummer, Albert T. Plummer and William S. Darling, Defts. } On Contract. On Attachment.

Notice is hereby given that a writ of attachment at the suit of John C. Payne, against the rights and credits, moneys and effects, goods and chattels, lands and tenements of John F. Plummer, Albert T. Plummer and William S. Darling, non-resident debtors, for the sum of Twenty thousand dollars, issued out of the Union County Circuit Court on the third day of July, A. D., 1890. Returnable and returned into Court duly executed by the Sheriff of the County of Union, on the fourteenth day of July, A. D., 1890.

Dated July 17th, 1890.

JOHN L. CROWELL, Clerk.

Bacot & Record, Att'ys of Plff, 1 Montgomery Street, Jersey City. 10 1 10 osw

### CORPORATION NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the following ordinance has been introduced before the Common Council, read the second time, and ordered engrossed, preparatory to its third reading, and that it is the intention of the Council to adopt the same.

J. B. COWARD, City Clerk.

Plainfield, N. J., October 6, 1890.

### AN ORDINANCE

To macadamize Cemetery avenue, running from Park avenue to Woodland avenue.

The Inhabitants of the City of Plainfield by their Common Council do enact as follows:

Section 1. That said avenue from the southerly side of Park avenue to the northerly side of Woodland avenue for the width of sixteen feet, that is to say for the distance of eight feet, on either side of the centre line of said avenue be permanently improved with broken stone for the depth of six inches, of good quality and proper sizes, the same to be properly laid, compacted and rolled, so that when completed the surface shall be smooth and even and shall conform to the grade of said avenue as now established thereon, to be done under the direction of the street commissioner and to be paid for out of the money raised by tax for the improvement of streets as provided by the act of the Legislature, entitled "an act to authorize cities to make improvements in the road beds of the streets at the general expense."

Fees $3.50.

### AN ORDINANCE

To macadamize Plainfield avenue from the south easterly side of West Seventh street to the southerly boundary of the city.

Whereas the owners of property fronting on Plainfield avenue between the south easterly side of West Seventh street, and the southerly boundary line of the city have subscribed for the macadamizing and otherwise improving of Plainfield avenue as a boulevard between said streets, have agreed to day or caused to be paid for the work and macadamizing and otherwise improving of said avenue and the cost and expenses incurred for the same, the sum of two thousand dollars, therefore

The inhabitants of the City of Plainfield by their Common Council do enact as follows.

SECTION 1. That Plainfield avenue from south easterly side of West Seventh street to the southerly boundary of the city for the width of sixteen feet, that is to say for the distance of eight feet on either side of the centre line of said street, be macadamized for a uniform depth of six inches with crushed stone of good quality and proper sizes the same to be properly laid, compacted, and rolled so that when complete the surface shall be smooth and even and shall conform to the grade of said street throughout, as said grade has already been established for said street by ordinance, said macadamizing to be done under the supervision of the Street Commissioner, who shall have power to do all necessary grading of said road bed wherever required to bring the same to conform with said grade as already established.

SECTION 2. In order to protect said street and the macadamizing thereof from surface water the gutters of said street on both sides thereof from said south easterly side of West Seventh street to the city line as aforesaid, shall be protected by tailings or larger pieces of crushed stone, and wherever necessary in the judgment of the Street Commissioner, proper culverts of flag stone shall be constructed for the proper carrying off of said surface water, said work to be done under the supervision of the Street Commissioner.

SECTION 3 That the owners of property fronting on said Plainfield avenue shall pay or cause to be paid into the City Treasury the aforesaid sum of two thousand dollars on the completion of said work, said owners having agreed so to do and after applying such sum toward the cost of said work and macadamizing as hereinbefore directed, the remainder of such cost shall be at the general expenses of the city and be paid as provided by chapter 221 of the laws of New Jersey for the year 1884.

SECTION 4. All ordinances or parts of ordinances conflicting herewith be and the same are hereby repealed.

Adopted by the Common Council October 6, 1890.

Approved by the Mayor October 7, 1890.

JOB MAIR, Mayor.

Attest: JOSEPH B. COWARD, City Clerk.

Fees, $6.30.

J. BARTON KLINE. JAS. W. DAVIS.

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Yards—Corner of Front St. & Grant Ave

BRANCH OFFICE—North Ave., opposite Station.

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A REMARK IN PASSING:

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Is Always Getting in New Goods!"

SEBRING'S,

LARGE STOCK OF

CHILDREN'S CLOTHING

27 PARK AVENUE. 12-6-y

Opening of Fall and Winter Millinery,

Wednesday, October 1.

We will have on exhibition a large assortment of

Artistically Trimmed Hats, designed by a First Class New York Milliner,

Whose services we have secured for the season. Also, a well-selected line of Untrimmed Hats and Bonnets, Feathers, Tips, Birds, &c.

New line of Jackets, Reefers, Capes, Plush Cloaks and Jackets.

New line of *FALL DRESS GOODS.*

*CARPETS, OIL CLOTH, MATS and MATTING.* LARGE STOCK and LOW PRICES.

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NEW GOODS!

JARDINIERE'S, CRACKER JARS,

FANCY POTTERY, ARTISTIC LAMPS,

FINE GLASSWARE, DECORATED CHINA

GAVETT'S, 15 E. FRONT ST. 10-26-tf

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Large Assortment!

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FIRST—Our stock is very large, carefully selected, and all this season's goods.

SECOND—The first customers will have a larger stock to select from, and will get the choicest bargains.

THIRD—Prices will be the lowest ever offered—bargains being offered daily, below cost. Sale closes September 1.

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## STATEMENT OF THE PLAINFIELD CO.

**Manager Moore Claims Certain Borough Councilmen are Prejudiced, and That His Bid Has Been Treated Dishonestly.**

TO THE EDITOR OF THE PRESS:—We have read the published report of two of the members of the Committee on Fire, Water and Lamps for the Borough of North Plainfield, and feel that the statements made concerning this Company are prejudiced and misleading.

The statement is made that our bid is far below the market price. It is very evident from this that the gentlemen have not made any very diligent inquiry, or otherwise they would have ascertained the fact that we had already established a local market rate for incandescent street lighting, as may be clearly evidenced by our contracts with the City of Plainfield, extending over a period of three years, during which time the following rates have been in effect:

For the City of Plainfield proper, $14.60 for each lamp, per annum, and for the suburbs, including Netherwood and Evona, $17.50 each, per annum, or what is an average of not over $16 for each 25-candle power lamp per annum.

This Company voluntarily established the foregoing rates and is satisfied with them, notwithstanding the adverse opinions of interested individuals or companies.

The Committee could easily have ascertained the local market rates for incandescent street lighting, at any time, by applying to this Company or to the Clerk of the City of Plainfield.

It is unfair to assume that this Company would have made rates to the Borough in excess of what has already been established in the City of Plainfield, particularly as the general conditions are as favorable in the one place as the other, as to points of distance from the electric light station, existing pole lines, etc.

The so-called desire for competition on the part of the Committee, is certainly not indicated by the course they have pursued.

When competition is really desired in the construction of public improvements, it is usual to advertise properly for bids in the form of sealed proposals.

We do not understand that this course has been pursued, but, on the contrary, negotiations have been carried on with one particular company for some time and with comparative secrecy.

Before any bids were published, we endeavored to get a hearing with the Committee and submit our bid, but our efforts were not encouraged, and we were led to infer that the Committee had already gone so far as to be obligated to another company.

After that, we felt at liberty to present our proposal to the Mayor of the Borough. Our price was based entirely upon our rates for the City of Plainfield and in nowise influenced by any published bid as inferred by the report. Copies of our proposal were also furnished to each member of the Common Council. It is quite evident that the competing company has had access to our proposal before the proper time, and have been given an opportunity to change their bid so far as to substitute 25-candle power lamps.

Notwithstanding the fact that our lighting station is located in the City of Plainfield, we could furnish ample security to insure a continuous and satisfactory service to the Borough of North Plainfield. We fail to see how the term monopoly applies to the Plainfield Electric Light Co., since it must now be admitted that we are already furnishing incandescent street lighting at rates that defy competition.

PLAINFIELD ELECTRIC LT. CO.
By W. H. MOORE, Manager.

**Miss Carter Will Address Them.**

The Autumn meeting of the Upper Division of the Woman's Auxiliary to the Board of Missions, representing this diocese of the Protestant Episcopal church, will take place in Holy Cross church, this city, next Wednesday. Delegates are expected from all parts of the State, and Miss Sybil Carter, whose missionary labors have led her to almost every portion of the globe, will address the meeting.

**His Youth Saved Him from Heavy Punishment.**

Thomas Peterson, the colored young man who was arrested on a serious charge made by Lizzie Courtney, was given a hearing before Justice Nash Saturday. As it was shown that the offense was committed when Peterson was under the age when the law holds him responsible, the case was dismissed; but he was warned that he might have been sent to prison for five years and heavily fined had not this legal loophole appeared.

—John Dorrigan was fined $10 by Judge Codington, this morning, for abusing a neighbor with his tongue.

Spare our loved ones. Hear the pleading
That goes up from aching hearts.
But grim death, our plea unheeding,
Pierces with his fatal darts
Those who with us fain would tarry,
Those we long so much to keep,
And ere long their forms we carry
To the grave so dark and deep.

*Pleading* with death avails nothing. We must *do something* to ward off the dart he aims at those we love. We must protect them from him. When the hacking cough, the hectic flush, or a pain in the side or chest gives indication of a consumptive tendency, *act promptly*. Go to your druggist and get a bottle of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. This remedy allays the inflammation of the delicate lung-tissues. It heals the irritated parts. It strengthens the blood, and tones up the debilitated system, and in this way death can be forced to relinquish his hold upon our friends. It is *guaranteed* to cure, if taken in time and given a fair trial, or money paid for it will be refunded.

**Dunellen Doings.**

C. Schepflin has gone South for three weeks.

Frank Covey and Miss Hannah Johnson, both of Dunellen, were married at the home of the bride, Saturday evening, by the Rev. Mr. Seran, pastor of the Methodist church. The fife and drum corps serenaded the wedding party.

Chas. Carpenter is again employed by the Central Railroad, as operator in the main office

Jackson avenue has been macadamized, and the sidewalks have been improved.

All three of Mr. Welsh's new houses are now occupied.

Mr. Hand expects to build a house on his lot adjoining Mr. Merrell's.

The anniversary of the Missionary Society of the First Presbyterian church will be celebrated next Sunday evening.

The fourth anniversary of the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor will be held at the Presbyterian church Thursday evening. After the exercises refreshments will be served.

J. H. Dryden and family have moved to New York for the Winter.

Mr. Bush has recovered from his illness and is now at his old place in Dealaman Brothers' store. He has worked in the same store for more than twenty-five years.

Mr. and Mrs. Churchill have been visiting friends in Brooklyn during the past week.

Miss Fannie Smith and Miss Minnie Swackhamer are teaching in the new school building.

ARGUS.

**Marriage of the Great-Granddaughter of Plainfield's Postmaster of Old.**

The chief society event of last week in Middletown, N. Y., was the marriage of Miss Lillian C. Douglas, daughter of Chas. A. Douglas, cashier of the First National Bank of Middletown, and great-granddaughter of the late Postmaster Dewey, of this city, to George M. Millspaugh, of the hardware firm of William Millspaugh & Son. The ceremony was performed at the home of the bride, which was elegantly decorated for the occasion with flowers and autumn foliage. The officiating clergyman was the Rev. A. F. Pierce, pastor of the First Congregational church.

The maids of honor were Miss Adaline Puffer and Miss Josephine Bruce, of Medford, Mass. The best man was W. K. Stansbury, of Detroit. The bride's costume was of white faille Francaise, trimmed with point-lace and ostrich feathers, and with diamond ornaments. There was a large attendance of distinguished society people, among whom was the bride's aunt, Miss Carrie Dewey, of this city. The wedding gifts were numerous and handsome. The collation was served by Maresi, of New York. The wedding journey will include Niagara Falls and points of interest in the West.

**Rice's Beautiful Evangeline.**

"Evangeline," with its two score of Acadian maidens, its merry but miserable ruffians, its demure heroine, its dashing hero, its Dutch captain, its Irish policeman, its lone fisherman, its cunning notary, its coquettish chaperon; in fact, "Evangeline," with all its glorious halo of stage triumph, magnificent scenery, superb costumes, and dazzling brilliant effects, will be seen at the Music Hall, Wednesday evening.

Richard Harlow will play Catherine, and none other than Joe W. Harris will fill the role of the lone fisherman. Bernard J. Reilly, the favorite comedian, will play LeBlanc, while two exceptionally talented and beautiful young ladies, Miss Lillian Walters and Miss Geraldine McCann, are in the parts of Gabriel and Evangeline, and will make themselves favorites with our public. As singers, as well as actresses, both ladies have already achieved a wide success, and a great deal is expected of them. The chorus is especially fine, the majority of them having been secured this Summer from the leading comic opera companies under a two years' contract.

**Nothing Has So Stirred the People in Years.**

The talk of the town since Saturday, has been the Water Works company, that has a contract from the city, and the Water Supply company, that has a charter from the legislature.

Meanwhile all work is stopped, and it is even betting that Plainfield won't have water in five years. Public indignation is yet but rumbling, still it grows hourly in the deeps and will burst forth with a mighty noise in time.

**Doesn't Think Charley Reed is a Winner.**

*(From the New York Herald.)*

The Republicans can win in Somerset county, New Jersey, with either Charles Place or Louis Schenck, but a son-in-law of Alvah Clark, the former Democratic Congressman, appears to have the "pull" on the Republican nomination. His name is Reed, and his hopes are that the Democrats may nominate Andrew J. Lane, a farmer, who will not get his party's support and who does not deserve it.

—The best quality at cheap prices is Edsall's motto. His new advertisement today will be read with interest.

**The Same After All.**

The Summer Girl has gone her way;
The bathing suit is laid away
To shine again another day.
And now the Winter Girl has come.
So changed is she that we are dumb;
And yet she keeps on chewing gum.

## GOSSIP'S GIDDY TONGUE.

ROSE ELIZABETH CLEVELAND has gone abroad for an extended visit.

JOHN SWINTON has returned to New York from his European trip, and will soon make a tour of the West.

A WELL-KNOWN Countess in England recently paid a board bill for herself and twenty-three cats, over forty goats, two dogs and a monkey.

HARVEY WATTERSON, the hale old father of the Kentucky editor, is a privileged member of the Courier-Journal staff. He has a well-knit frame, a ruddy face and earnest gray eyes. Every thing in his appearance indicates that he is good for many years of life yet.

IT is not generally known that Cyrus W. Field is a successful poulterer and if the worst comes to the worst could sell enough eggs to make both ends meet. At his country estate at Ardsley, on the Hudson, he has 2,000 chickens and 600 ducks. His flocks yield over 3,000 dozen eggs yearly.

MISS ALICE LONGFELLOW, daughter of the poet, is said to be the best amateur photographer in America. Her favorite field of operations is along the Massachusetts coast, and her snap shots there taken in the stormiest weather are attracting the attention of publishers, and her illustrated storms will be a feature of a new book of sea songs.

THE approaching marriage of the beautiful daughter of the Baron de Mohrenheim to the young Vicompte de Seze is made unusually interesting by the connection of both families with the revolution of 1796. It was the grandfather of M. de Seze who defended Louis XVI. before the national convention, and it was the great-aunt of Mlle. Mohrenheim's mother, Mme. de Korff, who lent her carriage to the King and Queen when they endeavored to escape to Varennes.

JUSTICE BRADLEY, of the United States Supreme Court, does not remember his first fee as a lawyer. "I did," he says, "a lot of small jobs before I got big ones. I taught while I was in college, and while I was studying law at Newark, N. J., I edited for a short time a newspaper there. I was sent by it to Trenton as its correspondent, and there by reporting the Legislature I acquired a good acquaintance with men all over the State, which helped me in my practice. I practised at the bar thirty years, and I was admitted in 1840."

THE Shah became a father at the age of sixteen years, and all his children are well advanced in life. He has eight daughters, all married. His eldest daughter is called the Glory of the Kings, the second the Light of the Empire, No. 3 is the Pride of the Empire and No. 4 is the Purity of the Empire. All these daughters have married rich husbands, and the Shah has promptly seized the possessions of his sons-in-law, with one exception. This son-in-law is chief priest of the Teheran, and he holds his father-in-law in check through religious influences.

A PRETTY surprise was prepared for the Archduchess Valerie, on the eve of her wedding, by her parents, the Emperor and Empress of Austria. In the evening, the party went out upon a balcony at the Imperial villa at Ischl, and presently, in the still night, rose sweetly the notes of a tender love-song, the words and music of which had been composed by the young bride. Her eyes overflowed with grateful tears as she looked from her father to her mother. The Emperor afterward went below and gave each singer a handsome diamond scarf-pin, thanking them at the same time for their rendering of the song.

## NEW NOVELTIES IN JEWELRY.

A SCARF-PIN, formed by a gold rope artistically coiled around a silver sounding plummet, is an appropriate gift to a yachtsman.

A GERMAN watch-maker in the Black Forest has constructed a clock which he warrants to run without winding until the year 9999.

THREE diamond owls, diminishing in size and cleverly represented as sleeping on a gold bough, make a lace-pin of attractive appearance.

A GOLD mosquito with emerald eyes and having its proboscis thrust through a fine white pearl, is a scarf-pin quite suggestive to the summer boarder.

A NOVELTY in gentlemen's charms is a square block of crystal, which evidently represents a chunk of ice, suspended between the sharp points of a diminutive ice-tongs.

A CURIOUS clasp for a bracelet is a plaque in which there is a representation of a city, with a diamond as the setting sun in the distance and a castle on a slope in the foreground.

A STACK of four silver dollars containing a watch movement produces much astonishment whenever shown. The face of the time-piece, which is only two-thirds of an inch in diameter, is set in the center of the uppermost coin.

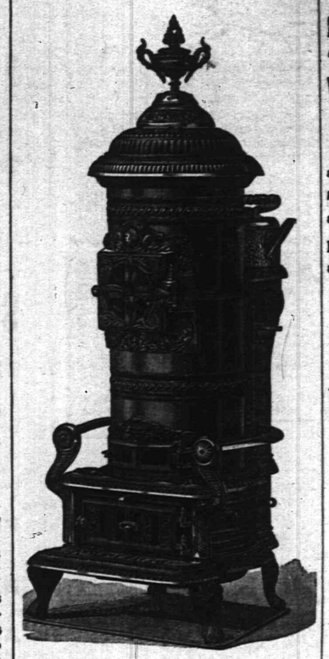
ANOTHER novelty is a little sword used as a lace-pin. The scabbard is attached by a small gold chain, and after the sword is inserted in the material for which it is intended the end of the scabbard is partially drawn over the point to retain the ornament in its place.

ARTISTIC workmanship and originality of design are shown in a silver jewel-box with the cover etched to represent a pearl-diver about to make a plunge after the gem. The sides of the case contain marine pictures in keeping with the ornamentation of the cover.

DIAMOND epaulettes are comparatively new. These take the form of bows and buckles, and sometimes have the effect of Psyche wings. Parures of diamonds are all fashioned so that they can be broken up and used as separate pieces. In their original shape they form festoons that are clasped on the breast and shoulders by diamond flowers.

SOME of the Paris jewelers lately manifest a curious taste for frogs as a subject of design. They are usually made of bright green enamel with pink toes. They are worn as cravat pins and pendants for short watch chains, and are also used for ornamenting the corners of purses and cigarette cases. They are also made up as brooches in connection with diamond bullrushes.


Hires' Root Beer is here again, and we think it time to call the attention of our readers to that well-known brand. It is made from the genuine roots, barks and berries. Not like a great many others that are doctored imitations of it. One 25 cent package makes five gallons. No trouble to make. Directions simple, and, if followed, the most sparkling, cooling and refreshing drink in the World yet produced. It is time to lay in a stock, and we recommend an order from your wholesale house at once.



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Telephone, 126.
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1890.
TAXES.
Notice is hereby given to the Taxpayers of the City of Plainfield, that the Taxes assessed in said city for the year 1890, are now due and payable, and that if the said Taxes be not paid by the 20th day of December next, the names of the defaulters, with their respective taxes, will be returned to the City Judge for prosecution.
The Commissioners of Appeal in cases of taxation, will meet in the Council chamber on the *Fourth TUESDAY in November next*, (the 25th), and sit from 2 o'clock P. M. until 5 o'clock P. M., or longer if found necessary, to dispose of all cases submitted to them for consideration.
JOHN JOHNSON,
Collector of Taxes.
Dated Plainfield, N. J. Oct. 1, 1890. 9 30 oaw td

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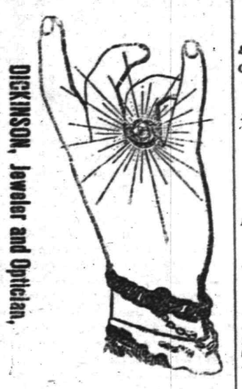

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## THIS "TALE OF WOE."

### Hub Smith, the Popular Song Writer, Is a Jolly Bachelor.

**The Rapid Rise of a Washington Department Clerk—His Erratic Methods of Work—The Origin of "Listen to My Tale of Woe."**

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[Special Correspondence.]

Hubbard T. Smith is not yet very widely known perhaps, but everybody knows his music—knows it and whistles it. His "Listen to My Tale of Woe" has probably been sung and whistled and tooted and played more than any other song that has been written since the earlier Sullivan operas. Indeed, it is an open question whether it has not been played in more lands than even Sullivan's most popular airs, for it is arranged for bands all over Germany, Scandinavia, and other parts of Europe, and in Australia it has had a long and very popular run. One of Mr. Smith's friends, recently returned from Japan, says it is played by everybody in Tokio who can play any instrument, and is whistled by everybody who wears a puckering-string in his lips. But this is only one of Mr. Smith's popular songs. Up to date he has produced two hundred and thirty-five pieces of music, most of which have been published, many of which have been sung with telling effect on the comic stage. Among these are such as "Hush-a-Bye," the lullaby which Francis Wilson has so successfully interpolated in the "Gondoliers;" "The Song That Breaks My Heart," sung in "The City Directory," and a dozen other popular farce comedies; "The Little Pie," which always makes such a hit in "Bluebeard, Jr.;" "Swinging in the Grapevine Swing," which is one of the attractions of Donnelly & Girard's "Natural Gas," and a long string of this sort.

Mr. Smith is a department clerk in this city, a man of not more than thirty years, nervous, active, full of fun and not ambitious beyond his powers, unless some of his attempts on the stage be taken as an evidence that he would like to be a great comedian, which he is not. But he is as full of jingle some music as a watermelon is of sap. Set him at a piano, and if the mood be on him he will improvise catchy airs by the hour, many of them as strikingly original as that of the "Tale of Woe," of which nobody has thought of saying such things as everybody says of Sullivan's music—that it is only recast from old and forgotten airs found in ancient music books taken from the British Museum.

"I can not remember when I could not play the piano," said Mr. Smith, the other day, "though with the exception of two

HUBBARD SMITH.

or three lessons taken when I was ten years old I never received any musical instruction; and to this day I know absolutely nothing of the theory of music. I had a quick ear, and even when a small boy could catch and play without any pains pieces of music that teachers give to advanced pupils. I also from my earliest recollection had the knack of improvising, and if I chanced on a theme that pleased me I would play it over and over until it became fixed in my memory, give it a name and add it to my repertory. I do the same to this day, with the difference that now I write out and publish the improvisations."

This, together with his general jollity, accounts for the fact that Mr. Smith, ever since he came to Washington, has been in demand in society, for he could always entertain with something new. His repertory was boundless, since if on taking his seat at the piano he did not happen to think of one of his set pieces he would sail out on some uncharted sea with as much confidence as the conventional pianist strikes into one of his worn and wearing stock-pieces which society generally enjoys mainly because they furnish good cover for confidential chat.

Going back to the beginning of his success as a song-writer, Mr. Smith says: "I was playing over a number of my stock pieces one evening for a friend, when I struck one that pleased him, and he asked me to have it written out for him. Accordingly I secured the services of a musical friend, and we found so much pleasure in the task that we wrote out perhaps half a dozen. I had them published more for the fun of writing: 'With compliments of the composer' across the title page, than any thing else; and for this fun I paid half the cost of publication, receiving in return nothing but one hundred copies of the printed music. To my surprise and delight they became quite popular, and I was encouraged to further efforts. In the publication of the second lot I fared better. I received one hundred copies of each piece and did not have to pay any of the cost. That gave me the fever bad, and I went into writing songs, polkas, waltzes and all sorts of things at a terrific rate, and received a stated sum for each manuscript. That was in the summer of 1884. Among the first of those for which I received compensation was: 'Listen to My Tale of Woe.' It did not have immediate success. Indeed, it had very little success until Francis Wilson and Marie Jansen took it up."

These were the circumstances under which the song was written. Away back in Eugene Field's early days of newspaper work he wrote (I believe for a St. Louis or a St. Joe paper) a bit of verse entitled "The Little Green Peach." It went the rounds of the papers and dropped out of sight, preserved only in a scrap book here and there (one of which, by the way, was Slason Thompson's scrap book, and that is how the verses came to be preserved in the collection which Mr. Thompson many years later published under the title of "The Humbler Poets"). After many years the verses were started on the round of the press again, this time with no credit mark upon them. Mr. Smith found them in this form and put them into a scrap book which he kept for the same reason that most people keep diaries, and that is no reason at all. One day in 1884 he was looking over this scrap book when, in reading the lines of "The Little Green Peach," he was struck by a tune that seemed to fit them and stepping to the piano he played the tune. Then he played it again and again, and the more he played it the more he liked it. Finally in a sort of ecstacy of enthusiasm he hopped upon his bicycle and rushed away to the house of a friend.

"I've got it," said he to the friend, who thought he was crazy. "I've got a tune now, and a good one. Listen to this," and he sat down at the piano, but could not think of a note of it. He felt worse than humiliated; he felt that he had lost fame and fortune, and so, in a sense, he had. He "struggled and guggled," but nothing would put the tune into his head. Finally he gave it up as lost and sat down with his friend to drink a bottle of beer which had been brought in by a servant. The subject of conversation was changed and Mr. Smith had well nigh forgotten his loss when suddenly he slammed his glass down, jumped up like a tennis ball, rushed to the piano and played the tune. For almost an hour he played it over and over and over, until his friend, who was at first delighted with the air, told him that if he played it again he would turn in the police alarm. The music was published precisely as it was played the first time. As soon as it became popular a number of persons came forward to claim the authorship of the words, but Mr. Smith detected the falsity of their claims, for none of them referred to the fact that the words had been slightly changed to suit the music and the catchline "Listen to My Tale of Woe," wholly added by Mr. Smith. Eugene Field, however, in response to a request from Marie Jansen, gave her a handsomely engrossed copy of the original verses with a humorous dedication by "the author," and Mr. Smith in the next edition placed Mr. Field's name by permission on the title page.

After his success in song-writing, Mr. Smith ventured upon an opera. Mr. Albert Riddle wrote the libretto and the piece, under the title of "The Debutant," was presented at Ford's Theater (Harris Bijou) in this city. Mestayn made an offer for the opera, but some financial misunderstanding caused a split all round and Riddle withdrew the libretto, while Smith took the music. The score has since been sold to Ellis & Co., and Mr. Bayly, the managing partner of that firm, says it has in it more catchy music than any light opera he has ever heard. He is, I understand, having a new libretto written for it.

I asked Mr. Smith what he regards as his best production.

"Francis Wilson," he answered, "says 'Hush-a-Bye' is the best from a musical standpoint, but my own favorite is a plaintive little ballad entitled: 'My Mother's Songs.' It is also the favorite of the musical members of the Columbia Club. This song has never been published or sung on the professional stage.

In his music-writing Mr. Smith is as erratic as genius usually is. Sometimes a month, or even two months, will elapse without any attempt on his part to write a note. He says that at such times his mind shuts up and there is no music in him. He does not go near a piano and never thinks of music. Then all at once the fever lays hold on him and he goes at composition as if there were only a few moments left between them and nowhere. During these "spells" he rattles off manuscripts at a tremendous rate. In one day not long ago he composed ten pieces, wrote them out and sent them to the publisher. One of them was "Swinging in the Grapevine Swing," which has become popular.

"I can not force myself to compose," he says; "I have tried it time and time again, and the results have always been very unsatisfactory. I have a little rose-jar on the mantel at home, and when I chance across a bit of poetry which I think will go well to music I clip it out and put it in the jar. Then when the fever comes on I read my collection over and get to work. Sometimes when at a loss for words I write them myself, although I never dare dignify them with the name of poetry. Some of these, however, have been surprisingly successful, and I am quite willing to plead guilty to the authorship of them—for example: "The Song That Breaks My Heart" and "Hush-a-Bye."

Mr. Smith has also written two operettas, "The Lottery Ticket" and "A New Year's Reception," several burlesques, not especially noteworthy, a melodrama and a farce comedy. The latter, entitled "Paradise Flats," was successfully presented in Washington a few weeks ago under the auspices of the Columbia Club. This farce comedy, which the author regards as his best dramatic production, is based upon the somewhat novel experiences of Mr. Smith's manner of living, especially on a dinner given at Paradise Flats, as his bachelor home is called, in honor of Miss Bate, the charming daughter of Senator Bate, of Tennessee. Senator Bate and his amiable wife figure in the play as Uncle Larry and Aunt Jane respectively, Miss Bate as Susie and Miss Marshal and Miss Clare, of this city, as Fannie and Clara respectively, while the author's two chums, Charles M. Staley and Robert W. Jennings, are the originals of Charlie and Rob. The character of China is the housekeeper of the bachelor quarters, and though the play she is a very comic person, she is not over-pictured.

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STANDARD CATCH-ALL.

port the frame at the top, and over a thick cord at each end, about ten inches long. Cord is used at the ends instead of cross-pieces of wood, so that the "catch-all" can be folded together when moved. Bows of satin ribbon with fringed ends ornament the upper ends of the standard sticks, which are finished with small gilded wooden balls.

Smaller bags can be sown inside of the large one when it is to be used as a work-receptacle or for a baby-basket. The bag can be of light or heavy material, according to the uses to which it is to be put; and any goods except plush or velvet may be used.

Any table may be utilized for this purpose, or a frame made of the required size. The design, as illustrated, is one of the most elegant, as may be seen upon reference to the illustrations in our series of beautiful home interiors which accompany the articles now being published in this magazine, where similar furnishings to this and the pretty standard "catch-all" may be recognized.

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DRAPED TOILET TABLE.

white silk gimp fringe, and is about six inches deep, including the fringe, and must be gathered and sewed to the edge of the table in a reversed manner.

The drapery at the back is composed of two breadths of white India silk or silkoline, each two yards long, hanging without looping from their support, and drawn out to the width of the table at the bottom, and tacked at either side to keep them in place. The inside curtain draperies are of pale pink India silk or silkoline, edged with the gimp fringe, and hung from the frame which supports the back drapery, and looped at the sides.

The outer drapery may be hung upon a frame supported from the back of the table, or from a coat-hanger hung against the wall. Over the cross-pieces at the top, or the coat-hanger, which-ever is used, let the drapery hang forward in an easy looping, and bring it down and forward at the sides, in curtain effect. This drapery is a single breadth of figured silk or silkoline about five yards long, according to the height of the table.

The glass on the table is in a standard silver frame with candelabra attached—a very elegant toilet-convenience. The amateur furnisher can supply its place with a mirror hung against the wall at the back, or a similar mirror may be procured. The cross-pieces at the top, from which are draped pink and white ribbons, can be simply ornamented wooden handles. In the original they were enameled white, with gilt heads. —Demorest's Monthly.

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| Kellar Susie E h and 1 97 E Front street | 27 25 |
| Ketcham Chas E h and 1 24 Kensington ave | 43 60 |
| Kane John h and 1 80 W 3d street | 4 36 |
| Kilpatrick, Matthew h and 1 79 w 6th st | 9 81 |
| Lefler, Harriet h and 1 255 La Grande ave bal | 5 10 |
| Leonard, Wm J h and 1 103 and 105 w Front st | 47 96 |
| Leonard, Wm J ½ interest in farm 138 to 170 Plainfield ave | 35 97 |
| Lee, Thomas h and 2 1 95 and 97 s 2d st bal | 8 26 |
| Lane, Mary M 8 1 Pemberton, Field, Elizabeth and Central aves | 13 08 |
| Lewis, Israel s and 1 10 Park ave | 27 25 |
| Mulford, Eliza h and 1 44 e 4th st | 32 70 |
| Mabin, Alanson h and 2 1 13 and 15 e 6th st | 54 50 |
| Martin, James E h and 1 2 e 9th st | 21 80 |
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| Pound, Daniel S h and 1 378 to 380 w Front street | 5 26 |
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| Reed, G S 1 215 e 2d st | 4 36 |
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| Roll, Chancellor h and 1 9 and 11 Peace street | 32 70 |
| Rogers, Marietta h and 1 59 Madison av bal | 28 70 |
| Suydam, Martha 2 s 21 and 23 e front st bal | 62 97 |
| Schorb, Elizabeth 3 story b h e Front st bal | 102 77 |
| Smalley, Morgan R 1 Hillside ave | 3 82 |
| Smalley, Morgan R ½ s f l Randolph road | 11 45 |
| Smalley, Samuel T a f l Randolph road | 15 26 |
| Smalley, Wm H 4 a f l Randolph road | 15 26 |
| Smalley, Mary B h and 1 262 to 274 Woodland ave | 21 80 |
| Spencer, Mr 1 500 ft by 275 Ravine road | 5 45 |
| Smith, Henry W 1 Raymond ave | 1 09 |
| Sauerman, Mary A 1 e of Belvidere ave | 1 64 |
| Smith, Ferdinand O h and 1 196 w Front street | 26 16 |
| Sutphen, estate of John C h and 1 25 and 27 w 2d st | 43 60 |
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| Smalley, Samuel 1 230 Arlington ave | 2 18 |
| Salzman, Mrs Elise h & 1 129 Central a | 117 72 |
| Smith, James F h and 1 14 Elmwood pl | 19 34 |
| Steward, David F h and 1 7 John st | 8 72 |
| Thompson, est of Daniel— | |
| 3 1 216 to 220 e Front st | 17 44 |
| 8 1 38 to 52 Jackson ave | 17 44 |
| 6 1 54 to 64 Jackson ave | 13 08 |
| 3 1 66 to 70 Jackson ave | 6 54 |
| 1 247 to 249 North ave | 5 45 |
| 1 2 to 12 New Front st | 13 08 |
| Terry, Geo W 2 1 67 to 69 Netherwood av | 6 54 |
| Tingley, Mrs G A h and 1 85 w 4th st | 43 60 |
| Taylor, H 1 348 w 5th st, 38 ft front | 6 54 |
| Ulrich, est of Henry h and 1 64 to 66 w 6th st | 55 |
| Unknown Owners— | |
| 4 1 305 to 311 e Front st | 21 80 |
| 2 1 184 to 186 e 2nd st | 10 90 |
| 3 1 249, 251 and 253 e 2nd st | 10 90 |
| 1 55 Midway ave | 6 54 |
| 3 1 32 to 36 Webster place | 2 18 |
| 1 39 to 47 Highland ave | 6 54 |
| 1 7 Johnston ave | 13 08 |
| 13 Johnston ave | 2 18 |
| 4 1 18, 20, 22, 24 Johnston ave | 8 72 |
| 1 7 Jackson ave | 2 18 |
| 1 23 " " | 2 18 |
| 1 8 " " | 2 18 |
| 1 18 " " | 2 18 |
| 1 3 George st | 55 |
| 2 1 17 to 19 George st | 101 |
| Land on North ave, on right from Hill ave to Johnston | 26 16 |
| 1 27 to 29 Rose st | 2 18 |
| 1 35 to 37 Rose st | 2 18 |
| 1 197 Arlington ave | 2 18 |
| 1 201 Arlington ave | 2 18 |
| Vail, Catharine S h and 1 73 e 2d st | 32 70 |
| Vansinderin, Clara h and 1 38 e 4th st | 21 80 |
| Vermeule, Sarah A h and 1 5 and 7 Pease st | 21 80 |
| Vail, Hulda M— | |
| 1 21 Elm place | 1 09 |
| h and 1 74 to 78 Dunellen ave | 17 44 |
| 1 80 to 84 Dunellen ave | 4 36 |
| Van Winkle, Jeremiah h and 1 3 Central ave | 15 26 |
| Wiley, Franklin h, b and 12 a 349 to 375 e Front st to Terrell road | 76 30 |
| Weber, Adam C h and s 60 e 3d st | 26 16 |
| Woodruff, James M 1 e of Belvidere av | 2 18 |
| Whitehead, est of France 2 h (1 in rear) and 1 120 w Front st | 32 70 |
| Wyckkoff, est of Jane h and 1 61 w 3d st | 3 82 |
| Wells, Wm H 1 430 ft front 355 to 369 w 6th st | 9 27 |
| Wierenga, John h and 2 s Randolph rd | 6 54 |
| Watson, James E 1 100 ft front 226 Central ave | 4 36 |
| Young, est of Emma H h and 1 Elm pl | 26 16 |
| O'Bourke, John 1 7 Essex st | 2 18 |

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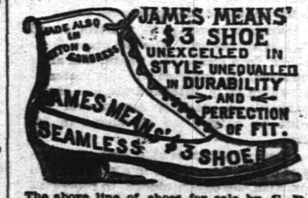


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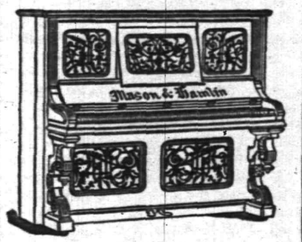


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| 3d do | 9.15 | | do | 9.32 | do |
| 4th do | 10.00 | | do | 10.37 | do |
| 5th do | 11.00 | | do | 11.34 | do |
| 6th do | 11.45 | | do | 12.03 P.M. | do |
| 7th do | 1.45 P. M. | | do | 2.15 & 2.39 | P.M. do |
| 8th do | 2.45 | do | To the Post Office. | | |
| 9th do | 2.30 | do | meet | 3 51 P. M. | train. |
| 10th do | 3.00 | do | do | 3.39 | do; |
| 11th do | 5.45 | do | do | 6.07 | do |
| 12th do | 6.45 | do | do | 7.02 | do |

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At V. and W.
Our Dress Goods stock surpasses all previous years. We have bought every thing that is new and desirable in Plain Plaids and Striped, and our prices are, as usual, very moderate.
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Better values were never offered in Ladies' and Children's Jackets and New Markets, than we are offering this season.
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Underwear for Ladies, Gentlemen and Children will soon have the call. Remember we keep everything in that line, and we guarantee Quality and Price.
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We are booming our Kid Glove Dep't, and will sell a fine five button kid for 65c., and will sell a guaranteed 5 hook kid, black and colored, for $1, and will sell an 8 button length. Suede kid, colored, for $1 25, and will sell an 8 button length, Suede kid, black, for $1 48.
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We bought very early in the season, five cases of Blankets, and will sell them at special low prices for the next ten days. Don't miss it.
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Don't forget that we keep most every thing in the way of Crockery, Tinware, and Housekeeping Goods, and sell them at right prices. We deliver everywhere free of charge.
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## OPPOSING A MAYOR

### A Catholic Priest's Circular Creates a Sensation.

*ONE OF HIS FLOCK DENOUNCED.*

He Advises His Parishioners to Cast Their Ballots Against a Catholic.

A Big Row Over the Cotton Centenary Celebration at Pawtucket—Mayor Carroll Opposed for Taking Part in the Religious Exercises—A Notice Issued by a Priest Makes a Stir.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Oct. 14.—Rev. Father Halligan, pastor of St. Mary's Catholic Church of Pawtucket, will use his influence against the re-election of Hugh Carroll, one of his parishoners, as Mayor. Rev. Father Halligan issued a sort of a pronunciamento forbidding all Catholics to take part in the exercises of Sunday School day during cotton centenary week, on the ground that communicants in the Catholic Church could not rightfully participate with Protestants in religious exercises.

Mayor Carroll on this occasion, however, considered his civil duty as paramount to the request of his spiritual adviser and carried out the part assigned him on the programme. He delivered an address on Sunday School day and participated with Protestants in the exercises.

A note signed by Father Halligan has been issued as follows:

"Well, the cotton centennial has come and gone. The week for free rum, turkey and 'fixins' for men and ice water for children is now a matter of history. If Samuel Slater has not been deified the aureola of sanctity has certainly been woven around his brow. The poverty of the Irish has been dressed in a garment of cold type. After a surfeit of hunting, music, speeches and grumblings, we pause and say, 'What next?' Why, election!"

The circular then advises honest Democratic voters to go to the primary meetings and send delegates to the City Convention who will cast their ballots for a man who has the courage of his convictions.

Father Halligan's attack upon the Mayor has caused a great sensation. It is anticipated that there will be a great falling off in the vote for Mayor Carroll over last year's figures should he be renominated.

### NEIGHBORS AT WAR.

Burning Down Farm Buildings and Shooting at Each Other.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Oct. 14.—A family feud is raging at Evans Falls, a small settlement near the foot of North Mountain, that has many of the Kentucky characteristics.

James Moss and his son were arrested some time ago for assaulting R. H. Evans. A bridle path ran across the Moss farm and Moss notified Evans not to use it, but he persisted in doing so and was shot at and then beaten.

Since then the two families have been at war. Evans caused the arrest of Moss and his sons, and the same night some one fired a load of shot at him through a window in his house, slightly wounding him.

A day or two later the barns of Moss were burned down. Then Evans' house was set on fire, but the flames were extinguished.

One of Moss' sons while at work in the woods was shot at, the bullet knocking his hat off. Three nights ago Evans' house was again fired and totally destroyed, with all its contents.

Since then Evans has been hanging around the Moss house with a Winchester rifle, vowing to shoot the first member of the family who appeared. It is a sparsely settled district, but all the people in the neighborhood are taking sides with one or the other family and further trouble is anticipated.

Sargent and the Erie Trouble.

NEW YORK, Oct. 14.—Grand Master Sargent of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen, president of the Supreme Council of the Federation of Railway Employes, when asked if it were true that a meeting of the Supreme Council had been called to consider the existing difficulty on the Erie road, replied: "It is not. Of course I cannot say what may happen, but there has been no request made to me yet to call a meeting of the council. We will go about investigating it under our rules. It is not an easy matter to engage the Federation in a strike."

The King of Horse Thieves Sentenced.

LAWRENCE, Mass., Oct. 14.—In the Superior Court William McKenna of Lawrence and Haverhill, known as the king of horse thieves, was sentenced under the habitual criminal law to twenty-five years in State prison.

Her Twin Babies Burned to Death.

BROOKLYN, Oct. 14.—Ann Aldrict, of 112 Sullivan street, went to the grocer's in the morning, leaving her month-old twin babies in a crib near the kitchen stove. She returned in ten minutes and found the babies burned to death.

Fell Five Steps and Died.

JERSEY CITY, N. J., Oct. 14.—William McCarthy, aged 61, of No. 94 Chestnut avenue, started to go upstairs, but he missed his footing when half way up and fell down five steps. His skull was fractured and he died soon afterward.

Death of Prof. Austin Phelps.

BAR HARBOR, Me., Oct. 14.—Prof. Austin Phelps of Andover, father of Elizabeth Stewart Phelps, died after a long illness at his Bar Harbor cottage.

### HER HEART HIS TARGET.

Jealous Charles Bennett Vainly Tries to Murder His Sweetheart.

BURLINGTON, N. J., Oct. 14.—Charles Bennett while in a jealous rage tried to kill his sweetheart, Elsie Holden, a young and pretty woman. He would probably have succeeded had not a friend thrust aside the hand containing the revolver, and the ball went wide of its mark.

About four years ago Miss Holden left England with the intention of making her home with relatives in this country. Charles Bennett was a passenger on the same steamer and was also seeking a home in America. He met Miss Holden, and at once became infatuated with the handsome face and stately figure. Before reaching New York he secured an introduction to her, and learning she was going to Burlington determined to accompany her.

They arrived in this city, and Bennett obtained board at the home of Miss Holden's relatives. Everything ran smoothly for awhile. Their love was mutual, but Miss Holden soon had other admirers.

Bennett noticed this, and several times threatened the life of his sweetheart if she did not desist in her flirtations, but she did not heed him. He went to her this morning and again threatened, and this time tried to kill her. He was taken to the Mount Holly jail.

### EX-MAYOR BEATTY ARRESTED.

The Well-Known Organ Manufacturer Indicted by Federal Authorities.

TRENTON, N. J., Oct. 14.—Daniel F. Beatty, formerly Mayor of Washington, Warren County, was indicted by the Federal Grand Jury, in session here, for the fraudulent use of the mails.

Mr. Beatty is a manufacturer of organs, and is charged with sending circulars throughout the country offering organs at ridiculously low prices, and after the receipt of the money refusing to fill the order till a further sum would be forwarded, claiming that he had run out of the cheaper instruments. He will probably be tried in a few days.

Arrested for Bigamy.

KINGSTON, N. Y., Oct. 14.—Harry W. Crawford was arrested here charged with bigamy, on complaint of a woman from Newark, N. J., who claims to be his wife. Her former name, she says, was Laura A. Lane. Crawford came to Port Ewen, Ulster County, two years ago, and being of good address, rapidly gained the confidence of the people of that place. He found employment as travelling salesman for Staples & Co., of Rondout. Last August Crawford was married to Leona Dubois, a highly respected young lady. His wife number one has just appeared upon the scene.

Caught a Hartford Paper.

HARTFORD, Conn., Oct. 14.—The first newspaper in this section caught by the anti-lottery advertising law is the Hartford Evening Post. Postmaster Kinney has ordered that the entire mail of the paper be stopped because its Saturday edition contained a half column advertisement of the Louisiana State Lottery. The publishers were notified of this action, and were advised that the paper would be excluded from the mails hereafter unless the advertisement was omitted.

The Famous Snow-Alley Case Again.

BOSTON, Oct. 14.—Chester Snow has reopened the famous Snow-Alley case by bringing further suit against Hon. John B. Alley for $100,000 on account of seventy-five bonds of the Postal Telegraph Company. There have been six trials in this case, but Colonel Ingersoll succeeded each time in getting a new trial except the last time, when a settlement was made which it was supposed would end the litigation.

O'Connor Coming Home.

TORONTO, Oct. 14.—A dispatch from Queenstown says that O'Connor, the Canadian oarsman, sailed from that port on the steamship Umbria for New York. O'Connor says that after resting a few days at Toronto, where he proceeds from New York, he will go to San Francisco to train for the purpose of reducing his weight. In training he will use two New York boats, which he will take with him.

Republicans Nominate a Straight Ticket.

NEW YORK, Oct. 14.—The committee of the Business Men's Republican organization appointed to nominate a ticket met at the Fifth Avenue Hotel last night. The committee unanimously recommended a straight ticket. They selected candidates for nomination and will call on them to-day. Until they have been seen their names will not be made public.

Voting Under the New Ballot Law.

NEWARK, N. J., Oct. 14.—The charter election under the new Ballot law is going on to-day, and is likely to have an important bearing on the November contest.

## WASHINGTON TOPICS

### The President Returns from His Western Trip.

TRAVELED OVER 3,000 MILES.

He Made Thirteen Speeches Yesterday and Looked Wearied.

He Calls at the Residence of the Late Justice Miller—Particulars of the Great Jurist's Death—The Supreme Court Meets and Adjourns Immediately—Mourning for General Belknap.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 14.—The President and party arrived here this forenoon. One of the President's first acts was to call at the residence of the late Justice Miller and tender his sympathy to the bereaved family.

After leaving the Miller residence the President denied himself to all callers, and it was stated would take a day or two to rest after his long and arduous journey.

The President looked somewhat wearied and remarked concerning the remarkable October weather. He made thirteen speeches yesterday, and upon reaching this city had travelled over 3,000 miles. With one exception the President has slept on his car every night since leaving Washington.

### JUSTICE MILLER DEAD.

He Passed Away Peacefully, Surrounded by His Family.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 14.—The venerable Samuel F. Miller, Justice of the United States Supreme Court, died at 10:52 last night. His family were around his bedside and a most affecting scene occurred when Dr. Cook announced that the great jurist was no more.

He was unconscious to the last and the end was a happy release to the mournful circle by whom death had been momentarily expected since the first attack on Friday night. The body will be taken to Iowa for interment and the arrangements for the funeral will be announced this afternoon.

A few minutes before Mr. Miller died the phlegm in his throat gradually accumulated and his frame quivered. It was evident that the end was fast approaching, and the members of his household who were not in the sick room were hastily summoned to his bedside. Besides Mrs. Miller and her son Irvine, there were present Dr. Cook, J. W. Woolworth, an old friend of Justice Miller, who had just arrived from Omaha; the family servants and Chief Clerk McKenney, of the Supreme Court.

Soon after death the face of the Justice, which had become somewhat drawn during the last day of his illness, changed to a perfectly natural condition, and he looked as if in a quiet sleep.

To-day the Supreme Court met as usual at 12 o'clock, and after the announcement of the death of Associate Justice Miller by Chief Justice Fuller the court adjourned. The Justices will consult with Mrs. Miller as to the time of the burial and the funeral arrangements.

### GEN. BELKNAP'S DEATH.

The War Department Pays the Usual Marks of Respect.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 14.—The discovery of the dead body of ex-Secretary of War Belknap in his room in the morning is still the talk of the city. The deceased has been in ill-health for some weeks past. It is understood that paralysis was the immediate cause of his death.

The news of the sudden death was received at the War Department with genuine sorrow. General Belknap was a very popular official when he was at the head of the War Department.

The usual marks of respect were paid to his memory by the War Department. The Department will be closed on the day of his funeral. It will also be draped in mourning for thirty days.

A strange thing in regard to General Belknap's death was the fact that he sold most of his valuable Washington real estate on Friday. It had been put up at auction a number of times, but never sold.

Gen. Belknap was a man of culture and superior social charms. He was fond of society and was often seen at the play or the opera and always escorting a party of ladies.

Mrs. Belknap, who was summoned from New York, arrived last night. The body, it is understood, will be buried at Keokuk, Ia., the General's former home. He leaves only a small estate. There are two children, an unmarried daughter and a son who resides in Chicago.

To Freeze Out Chinese Laundrymen.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Oct. 14.—The laundrymen of the United States and Canada are in session in this city. President Doremus' report shows that there are 6,000 laundries in the United States, employing 93,000 men. There are 250,000 Chinamen in the business. A plan is to be formed by which the laundrymen hope to freeze the Chinese out.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—U. S. Gov't Report, Aug. 17, 1889.
Royal Baking Powder
ABSOLUTELY PURE

### RUN DOWN BY A SCHOONER.

The Crew Barely Had Time to Escape from Their Vessel.

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., Oct. 14.—Capt. J. A. Hart and crew of five men, of the schooner Josie Whitehead, arrived in port last night. The Whitehead now lies sunk in Vineyard Sound, about one mile off Nashamena, and her crew had a narrow escape from drowning.

The Whitehead hails from St. George, Me., and was bound from Port Johnson to Salem with 400 tons of coal. Capt. Hart was running into Vineyard Sound all right, and everything was going well, when at 8 p. m. a two masted schooner loomed up before them and ran square into them. Without waiting to see what damage had been done, the stranger kept on her course.

Captain Hart went into the forecastle and found that he stood in water to his knees, and seeing he could not save his vessel he ordered the men into the boats as quickly as possible. The boat was cut away from the Whitehead. The men had gone but a short distance when the schooner sank.

The crew saved nothing except the clothes they wore, one managing to reach the island Nashamena and, after hunting about, found the house of Capt. Peter Davis, who brought them to this city and the captain communicated with the owner. The vessel is valued at $6,000.

### PLAYED THE LAST GAMES.

The American Association Winds Up the Season—Position of the Clubs.

AT COLUMBUS.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Columbus | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | — | 6 |
| Toledo | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | — | 0 |

Game called at the end of the sixth inning on account of darkness.
Batteries—Chamberlain and O'Connor; Healy and Welch.

AT BALTIMORE.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Baltimore | 1 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | — | 4 |
| Rochester | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | — | 0 |

Game called at the end of the fifth inning on account of darkness.
Batteries—McMahon and Robinson; Miller and McKeogh.

AT LOUISVILLE.

The Louisville and St. Louis game was postponed on account of wet grounds.

Players' League.

EXHIBITION GAMES.

AT PROVIDENCE.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| New York | 0 | 0 | 4 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0—6 |
| Boston | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0—5 |

Batteries—Crane and Vaughn; Radbourn and Murphy.

Standing of the Clubs.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

| | Won | Lost | P. C. | | Won | Lost | P. C. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Louisville | 87 | 44 | .664 | Rochester | 69 | 62 | .492 |
| St. Louis | 77 | 57 | .575 | Athletic | 55 | 77 | .417 |
| Columbus | 79 | 56 | .585 | Syracuse | 54 | 72 | .429 |
| Toledo | 68 | 62 | .523 | Baltimore | 40 | 90 | .308 |

Arrested on a Serious Charge.

NEW YORK, Oct. 14.—The arrest of Dr. Walter M. Flemming, the famous expert on insanity, on two indictments charging him with larceny and extortion, was a surprise to the medical profession His arrest is the sequel to the apprehension of General Milton S. Littlefield in Boston on Thursday last. Both are charged with being in collusion for the purpose of extorting money from Mrs. Josephine Stephanie, a wealthy Cuban widow, whose son is awaiting trial for the murder of ex-Judge Clinton G. Reynolds, some months ago. Littlefield secured money from Mrs. Stephanie on the pretext that he could get her son released on a plea of insanity. The doctor was released on $7,000 bail, furnished by his wife.

Hon. Ben Wood's Seventieth Birthday.

NEW YORK, Oct. 14.—Mrs. Benjamin Wood, wife of Hon. Benjamin Wood, editor of the New York News, gave a dinner last night at the Fifth Avenue Hotel in commemoration of her husband's 70th birthday. Notwithstanding his advanced years the veteran journalist is as active as a man of 50, is in excellent health, a hard worker and takes the same interest in public affairs that he did 40 years ago. Among the guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Grover Cleveland, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Grace, Mr. and Mrs. Wm L. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Cockerill, Mr. and Mrs. John R. Fellows, Mayor Grant and Hon. Smith Ely.

Fears of Foul Play.

DANBURY, Conn., Oct. 14.—Edgar D. Wolferstan of New York, who was to have met his partner here on business, is missing. Wolferstan wrote his partner to meet him here last Tuesday. The partner came but failed to find Wolferstan, and from the peculiar circumstances surrounding his disappearance, there are strong fears of foul play. The police are investigating.

Investigating the Fisheries.

GLOUCESTER, Mass., Oct. 14.—Hon. Robert Bond of the Executive Council of New Foundland is here in company with the British Minister, Sir Julian Pauncefote. Mr. Bond is sent here by his Government in connection with the fisheries. He will hold a conference to-day with prominent men on matters connected with the fisheries.

The Engagement Really Broken.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Oct. 14.—Alfred Wilkinson, for the first time, acknowledged to a reporter the truth of the report that his engagement to Miss Winnie Davis, the "Daughter of the Confederacy," has been broken. He said that action had been taken by Miss Davis on account of her ill health.

Dr. Eli Fox Dead.

UTICA, N. Y., Oct. 14.—Dr. Eli Fox, president of the Mohawk National Bank, died at his home in Mohawk, Herkimer County, at 2:30 a. m., of Bright's disease, aged 57 years. Deceased was a prominent Mason and also president of Utica Commandery No. 8, Knights Templar.

Mr. Scott's Letter of Acceptance.

NEW YORK, Oct. 14.—Mr. Francis M. Scott, the fusion candidate for Mayor against Mayor Grant, has written a long letter of acceptance.

## HUNTING FUGITIVES

### England May Try to Arrest Dillon and O'Brien.

A SCHEME TO CAPTURE THEM

A Man-of-War to be Dispatched from Halifax to Intercept Their Vessel.

Another Disaster at Prague—The Portugal Blockade Broken—Six Persons Killed at a Fire in London—Spaniards Have a Battle With Natives—British Soldiers Revolt.

LONDON, Oct. 14.—It is officially stated that if the Government ascertain that Messrs. Dillon and O'Brien are aboard a vessel flying the British flag they will order a man-of-war to be dispatched from Halifax to intercept the vessel and arrest the fugitives.

In that case the prisoners will at once be brought back to Ireland.

The general belief is, however, that they took a French steamer from Havre.

The Chronicle's Paris dispatch says: "A private dispatch from Havre states that Messrs. Dillon and O'Brien have landed on the Brittany coast and are journeying to Paris."

DUBLIN, Oct. 14.—At a meeting of the Labor Federation at Kildysart, Mr. Joseph R. Cox, member of Parliament for East Clare, stated that Messrs. Dillon and O'Brien were on their way to America as fast as a powerful steamer could carry them.

Mr. Jeremiah Jordan, who represents West Clare in Parliament, speaking at the same meeting, described Tipperary as the Waterloo or Plevna of the Irish land question.

### PORTUGAL'S BLOCKADE.

Reports of the Sinking of a Gunboat by an English Vessel.

LISBON, Oct. 14.—Reports as to the situation of affairs at the mouth of the Zambesi River are conflicting. One report asserts that one of the British sternwheel gunboats attempted to effect the passage of the river, to prevent which a cordon of Portuguese gunboats had to take up a position across the mouth of the river.

The Portuguese vessels, it is said, had instructions to offer a passive resistance to the passage of the British gunboats. The sternwheeler is said to have run down and sunk one of the Portuguese warships.

LONDON, Oct. 14.—The officials of the Admiralty and Foreign Offices discredit the report of the sinking of the Portuguese gunboat at the mouth of the Zambesi.

### DISASTER AT PRAGUE.

Twenty-Three Laborers Drowned at the Ruins of the Karlst Bridge.

PRAGUE, Oct. 14.—The city was visited by another calamity during the morning when the wall of the Karlst Bridge, which was partly destroyed during the last great flood, collapsed and 40 laborers were thrown into the river.

Twenty-three of them were drowned and, though the rest were rescued, many of them were badly hurt, and Captain Rauch, the superintendent of the works, lost both his legs.

Spaniards Shell a Village.

MADRID, Oct. 14.—An official dispatch from Manila states that the vessels of the Spanish expedition shelled the rebellious village of Mutalans, after which a column of troops landed and stormed the native positions. The attacking party lost seven killed and 19 wounded. The natives suffered great losses.

English Soldiers Rebel.

LONDON, Oct. 14.—The Guernsey detachment of the East Surrey Regiment, which has been ordered to the Indies, refused to leave their barracks. They were disarmed and threatened with severe punishment. They finally embarked, but retained their disrespectful behavior throughout.

Six Londoners Burned to Death.

LONDON, Oct. 14.—The four-story building on Middle street, occupied by Rowley & Brock, was destroyed by fire. Six persons lost their lives by being burned to death and thirteen were severely injured. Five of the women employes were killed in trying to escape by jumping to the street.

America's Silver Wreath Lost.

BERLIN, Oct. 14.—It is reported in this city that the silver wreath purchased with funds subscribed in the United States, and which was consigned to Mr. Charles Gibson, who was to deposit it in the tomb of the late Emperor Frederick of Germany, has been mysteriously lost in transit.

No Longer Fit to Reign.

THE HAGUE, Oct. 14.—At a consultation held between the royal physicians and two members of the Cabinet it was decided that the condition of the King was such as to unfit him for longer reigning over the Kingdom.

Collapse of Portugal's New Cabinet.

LONDON, Oct. 14.—A dispatch from Lisbon says that the new cabinet has collapsed, and that Senhor Sousa will not attempt to form another one.

25,000 People Were Present.

LONDON, Oct. 14.—The funeral services for the late Mrs. General Booth were held in the Olympia. Twenty-five thousand persons were present.

Murderer Stillman on Trial.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 14.—The trial of John L. Stillman, the inventor, who killed J. D. Fiske, the well known capitalist, July 26, is now on.

### MRS. MILLER IN PRISON.

Her Case May Become One of International Importance.

NEW YORK, Oct. 14.—The arrest of Mrs. Miller and Mrs. Field, the wives of the absconding American bankers of London—who did business under the name of Field & Co.—promises to become one of international importance, in which Congress and probably the President may be called upon to act.

The women have been under arrest for two days and during the morning were taken before Judge Barrett on writs of habeas corpus, and were discharged. The two ladies with their counsel then left the court room, but as soon as they reached the corridor Mrs. Miller was gently touched on the shoulder by United States Marshal Bernhardt and informed that she was again under arrest, this time at the instance of the British Consul, and that she must go before Commissioner Shields.

When she appeared before the Commissioner she was informed that she was accused of having stolen money to the amount of £7,000 in her possession, and was told not to say anything but to let her counsel talk.

Mr. Howe, her counsel, then made a strong appeal in her behalf. He wanted to know what could be more arbitrary and outrageous than the arrest of an American citizen on a cablegram stating that on "information and belief" the prisoner was guilty. He asked for the discharge of his client.

Mr. Fox, of Marbury & Fox, who represented the British counsel, asked that the prisoner be held for two weeks, or until the proper extradition papers and warrants arrived. The Commissioner supported Mr. Fox, and regretted the fact that he could not let the prisoner out on bail, neither would Mr. Fox allow her to depart in the custody of Mr. Howe.

Prize Fighter Larue Acquitted.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Oct. 14.—Frank Larue, who has been on trial charged with the murder of Harry McBride, who died in a prize fight at the Golden Gate Club, was acquitted.

### NEWS OF THE DAY.

The first heavy frost of the season is reported from Bellows Falls, Vt.

J. E. Thorold Rogers, M. A., Professor of Political Economy at Oxford University, England, is dead.

Orders have just been issued at Berlin for increased severity in the inspection of meat arriving from the United States.

James M. Head, engineer of a West Jersey Railroad train, is on trial at Bridgeton, N. J., for manslaughter in causing the death of Allen Limekin at Vineland.

The Slate and Metal Roofers' Union of Boston, Mass., have decided to demand an advance from $3 to $3.25 per day and eight hours Saturday on and after October 22.

The handsome cottage occupied by Mr. George I. Seney, the New York banker, at Bernardsville, N. J., was burned to the ground. The loss will reach $40,000. The fire was caused by a defective flue.

District Attorney Col. John R. Fellows of New York city was nominated for Congress by Tammany Hall for the 6th district, to succeed "Iceman" Turner This completes the list of nominees in that city.

Mr. Gladstone, it is reported, has sent a special message to the Americans through Dr. Parker, who recently interviewed the Grand Old Man at Hawarden. The nature of the communication is not known.

Application has been made to Governor Davis of Rhode Island for the necessary papers to secure the arrest of Charles F. Bates, the son of a Newport cottager who is believed to be in Albany, N. Y., and who is wanted on a charge of having a horse covered with alcohol and set on fire to cure it of balkiness.

Thomas P. Murphy, of North Conway, N. H., who thirty-two years ago was organist in the house of the Earl of Gainsborough, and who clandestinely married and came to this country with Lady Blanche, the Earl's eldest daughter, died yesterday in the county hospital. Lady Blanche died eight years ago. Her remains were taken to England.

Weather Indications.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 14.—For New England: Fair weather, followed by rain; winds increasing to warmer, southerly.

For Eastern New York: Warmer weather; increasing southerly winds; cloudy weather and rain.

For Eastern Pennsylvania and New Jersey: Cloudy weather and rain; warmer; increasing southerly winds.

For Western New York: Increasing southerly winds with threatening weather and rain; warmer.

For Western Pennsylvania: Southwesterly winds, shifting to cooler westerly to-morrow; threatening weather and rain.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Oct. 13.—Money on call to-day 4 and 5 per cent.

BONDS.

| | Closing Saturday. | Closing To-day. |
|---|---|---|
| 4½s, 1891 Reg | 104 | 104 |
| 4½s, 1891 Coup | 104 | 104 |
| 4 s, 1907 Reg | 123¾ | 124¼ |
| 4 s, 1907 Coup | 125¾ | 125¾ |

STOCK MARKET.

| | Closing Saturday. | Closing To-day. |
|---|---|---|
| Canadian Pacific | — | — |
| Central Pacific | — | 30¾ |
| Chicago, Bur. & Q | 92 | 91¾ |
| Delaware & Hudson | — | 134¾ |
| Del., Lack. & Western | 144½ | 145 |
| Erie | 23¾ | 23¾ |
| Erie pref | — | — |
| Lake Shore | 100¾ | 100¾ |
| Louis. & Nash | 81 | 80¾ |
| Michigan Central | — | 91¾ |
| Missouri Pacific | 68¾ | 68¾ |
| New Jersey Central | 115 | 115 |
| Northwestern | 107 | 107¾ |
| Oregon Navigation | — | — |
| Pacific Mail | 30¾ | 30 |
| Reading | — | 30¾ |
| Rock Island | 77 | 76¾ |
| St. Paul | 86 | 85¾ |

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## BY THE WAY.

—The non-secret endowment order will meet to-morrow evening at the K. of P. rooms, Hand's building. The public are invited.

—There is a "big drive" in tooth brushes at the Moy pharmacy, corner of Park avenue and Fourth street, and a special sale of Vennard's perfumes.

—John M. C. Marsh, John J. Willis, William Edgar and Addison Clark, were the delegates from Westfield to the Democratic Convention at Elizabeth, yesterday.

—Geo. L. VanEmburg, of the Committee on Boys' Work of the Young Men's Christian Association, will conduct the meeting of the Young Men's Auxiliary this evening.

—The Rev. Wm. R. Richards will talk to young men at the Young Men's Christian Association rooms Thursday evening on "The Experiences of College Life." Admission will be free.

—The bids for the removal of the Crescent League's old club house, ranged in one case as high as $300. But W. Scott Terry offered to tear down the walls, remove the debris, and clear everything up for nothing. He has fourteen days to do it in.

—Bonnets such as Plainfield has never seen before, will be shown at the opening of Mme. Getti's millinery department, at 65 Park avenue. There is now no longer need of the bother and expense of a trip to New York. Mme. Getti is a direct importer of all the latest styles of French chapeaux.

—Thirty-six men and youths were present at the Young Men's Christian Association Friday evening at the organization of this season's class in short-hand. New members will be admitted if they apply before the next session. The class of last Spring will meet regularly for practice and instruction in type writing.

—The Young Men's Christian Association Membership Fee, $2, entitles to the following privileges of the Association: instruction in mechanical drawing; shorthand; type writing; bookkeeping; penmanship; members' receptions and use of circulating library. The first quarterly members' reception will be after the pattern of a genuine camp-fire and will be held in the Association Hall, Thursday evening, Oct. 23.

—J. Edwin Hall, manager of Hand's Amphion Hall, is booking some good companies. The regular season will open Oct. 27, with a first-class attraction. The Hall can be engaged for balls, concerts, festivals, public entertainments, etc., well lighted and heated. Mr. Hall has had fifteen years experience both as actor and manager. He will coach home talent free of charge, when the entertainment is given in the Hall.

## PARTICULAR MENTION.

Dr. W. C. Boone, of this city, was nominated for coroner at the Union County Democratic Convention at Elizabeth, yesterday.

The Democrats in convention at Somerville, yesterday, elected Wm. N. Pangborn and Abram King, of North Plainfield, members of the Somerset County Executive Committee.

The Westfield correspondent of the Elizabeth *Journal* says "Welcome, Judge!" and states that Judge John Ulrich, of Plainfield, has leased a house on Clark avenue, and will take possession of it the last of this week.

Miss Mary Howe, the $900-soprano, who will sing in this city in January at the first concert of the Melopoia, had a narrow escape from death, Saturday, while carriage riding in Worcester. Miss Howe, who was one of the soloists of the Worcester Festival, will make New York her future home.

Geo. Hosmer, the champion oarsman of New England, who is the feature of the "Dark Secret" Company, was a guest of his old friend, J. B. Miller, during his stay here last week. Mr. Hosmer has issued a challenge to row any oarsman in the World, weighing 145 pounds, for any part of $2,500.

A friend of the contracting parties remarks an interesting coincidence in connection with the wedding of Dr. Charles B. Thiers of Plainfield to Miss Florence Pelletreau of Brooklyn, in the fact that the bride's father is named Charles, her brother has the same name, and each of the three sisters of the household has married a Charles.

The New Brunswick *Home News*, delving into local ancient history, has unearthed some interesting stories connected with old New Brunswick houses, and in speaking of a remodeled building which now serves as a flourishing dry goods store says that in the old Dutch residence days it was the aristocratic home of the Ackerman family, of which Warren Ackerman, the Scotch Plains lime king, "who has acquired great wealth, and who is noted for his charitable contributions," is a descendent.

Hires' Root Beer is here again, and we think it time to call the attention of our readers to that well-known brand. It is made from the genuine roots, barks and berries. Not like a great many others that are doctored imitations of it. One 25 cent package makes five gallons. No trouble to make. Directions simple, and, if followed, the most sparkling, cooling and refreshing drink in the World yet produced. It is time to lay in a stock, and we recommend an order from your wholesale house at once.

## ALVAH CLARK'S PREDICAMENT.

**His Republican Partner, Charles A. Reed, Nominated for State Senator.**

[SPECIAL TO THE PRESS.]

SOMERVILLE, Oct. 14.—The Republican County Convention met in Armory Hall at 11 A. M., and was called to order by G. S. Cook, chairman of the last convention, and Alex. G. Anderson, of Bridgewater township was elected temporary chairman, and H. N. Spencer, of North Plainfield township temporary secretary. The different committees were named by the chairman, and the Convention took a recess until 2 o'clock.

The Democratic gathering of yesterday was three times as large and about ten thousand times more excitable. Chas. A. Reed's chances for the nomination of Senator are very bright. The Democrats of Somerville claim a walk over no matter who is nominated, and they have every reason to, with the strong ticket nominated by them yesterday.

LATER.

SOMERVILLE, Oct. 14.—Chas. A. Reed, of North Plainfield, was nominated on the first ballot as the candidate of the Republican party of Somerset, for State Senator. John G. Schomp, of Montgomery township, who was defeated for Sheriff in 1887, was nominated for the Assembly, and Peter I. VanNuis, of Hillsborough, for County Clerk.

**Kyte's Antagonist.**

[SPECIAL TO THE PRESS.]

RAHWAY, Oct., 14—At the Democratic Convention for the Third Assembly District of Union County, held here today, A. B. Cook, of Rahway, was nominated by acclamation for Assembly.

**Somerset County Nominations.**

Mathew Vanderveer, of Somerville, for County Clerk, and Jas. J. Bergen, of Bridgewater, for Assembly, were the Somerset county nominations made too late yesterday for publication in THE PRESS of last evening.

**A Success at the Start.**

Last evening Central Hall presented an attractive sight. 108 boys were seated around the different tables, playing games and reading books, and the low hum of voices, and the bright faces, made it evident that they enjoyed their surroundings. The club is now in the hands of John C. Collins, the originator and organizer of Boys' Clubs in the United States and Canada. His name has appeared so often in the papers, of late, that all now know who he is. He was present last night, with the Superintendent, W. H. Miner, who he has brought from New Haven. Mr. Miner will live in Plainfield and will identify himself with the interests of our city. The Executive Board have agreed to accept Mr. Collins's plan of work for boys, and the club room will be open every week night, free, from 7 to 9 o'clock. The many friends of our club who have expressed themselves as willing to assist the Superintendent, by playing games with the boys, reading, singing, etc., are needed now. The Committee would like a staff of workers who will take an evening each week, so that there may be a regular system of assistance. Two things are needed at once for the Club—a piano and a stove. If there is anyone who would loan or pay the rent of a piano, the Committee would feel pleased and relieved. If a stove could be sent us, either as a gift or at a reduction in price, our hall would be all ready for Winter use. We urge all our citizens to come and see us at work.

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**Henry Hess in Hard Luck.**

As told exclusively in THE PRESS of last Tuesday, Henry Hess, of North Plainfield, was acquitted before the Somerset county court of the charge made by his wife that he tried to poison her daughter. This would go to prove Hess' charge that his wife was trying to ruin him because she couldn't get her name substituted for his in the will of the late Mme. Bernard, the Harmony street astrologeress.

The charge against Hess was so serious and came from such a source, that Justice Hardy held him and the court tried him. All of which cost him money and loss of employment. Now that he is acquitted, Mrs. Hess has come back with her three children which, with Hess' two, make a large family for a man out of work to support. The German edition of the New York *Morning Journal*, September 25, published a mess of lies about Hess which he thinks has heaped more disgrace upon him. Altogether he is a man in hard luck.

**Mr. Titsworth's Life Saved.**

Conductor Bowlby, of the drill crew of Engine 30, saved the life of Edward B. Titsworth, this morning. As the 7:58 train for New York was running past the station to back up for the coaches on the siding, Mr. Titsworth, who is an aged man, stepped from behind some coal cars right in front of the rushing locomotive. Bowlby seized him just in time to drag him from the jaws of death. Those who saw it lost their breath.

**Patrick Boyle's Hand Mashed.**

There were three accidents at the Potter Press Works, yesterday, but only one was serious. Patrick Boyle was so unfortunate as to have a rack hanger fall on his left hand and mash it. It was dressed at Muhlenberg Hospital.

An accident seldom happens at Potter's, and when it does the benefit association formed among the employes, contributes to the victim's support while he is laid off.

## STILL PLAYING THAT GAME.

**The "Sporting Life," of Philadelphia, Publishes the Following Account of a Recent Event in Plainfield.**

The fierce base ball rivalry between the two New Jersey towns, Plainfield and Somerville, so fully described in our last issue, ended on Saturday last in a row during the final game of the series at Plainfield. In this game the West Ends, of Somerville, had among their players Kennedy, of the New York State League, and Gore and Hatfield, of the New Yorks, while the Crescents, of Plainfield, put Doran, the New Havens' lefthanded pitcher, who has been engaged for the Brooklyns for next season, in the box; Hofford, of the New Havens, behind the the bat, and Lally, of the New Havens, on first base.

The crowd ridiculed Umpire Golden and nettled him so that he rendered several bad decisions, at which they derided him still more. His last decision, however, in the ninth inning, nearly cost him a broken head, if not his life. The West Ends had been held down to one run, and when it came Somerville's turn to finish the ninth the Crescents were five runs ahead and confident of winning. Doran, however, had been warned that if he won the game for the Crescents he would suffer for it, and when he faced the West End batsmen for the last time he went all to pieces, and the West Ends made five runs and tied the score. Bergen, of the West Ends, tried to make the winning run, but was declared out at the home plate.

Two thirds of the 2,000 spectators instantly surged through the ropes and crowded the grounds. Several rowdies drew short clubs and sought to use them on Umpire Golden's head. Members of the Plainfield Crescent League, New York business men with their friends, however, thronged to Golden's assistance and shouted that they would protect the umpire at all hazards, and would send every unruly person to jail. One man drew a revolver and tried to aim it at Golden, but the weapon was wrested from his grasp and a fight for its possession resulted. The police shook their clubs in the faces of the mob and ordered the row to cease, but for a time the bluecoats were hustled about as freely as ordinary citizens. Women rushed from the grand stand and pleaded with their husbands not to fight, and their presence had a somewhat quieting effect.

Fresh rows, however, arose over the disposition of private bets, and the police had hard work quelling the incipient riot that was breeding. It was rapidly growing dark and at length the grounds were cleared. An unruly crowd outside the gates hunted high and low for the umpire but he had disappeared after calling the game a tie because the crowd would not clear the grounds and let the playing proceed. Excitement is still at fever heat. The Somerville people hired a band to parade the streets, but were threatened and assailed with stones by some of the rowdy element. The public places last night were filled with crowds disputing over the affair. Several of the Somerville contingent are under arrest in the city jail.

**Plainfield's First Delinquent Tax Prisoner.**

Those who are of the opinion that the law for imprisoning citizens who refuse to pay their taxes is not in operation may learn a lesson from the case of Edward Birmingham, of Sixth street, who has just been experiencing the hardships resulting from obstinacy. Birmingham owed the City of Plainfield for several years' poll tax and interest, and after repeatedly declining to settle with Delinquent Collector Nash he was warned that he must pay or go to jail. This seemed to be received by him as an idle threat, and as a result he was arrested at his place of employment, the Potter Press Works, and taken to Elizabeth. Justice Nash, Judge Codington and Constable Moffett all offered him every advantage, but he refused, even with the doors of his cell in the County Jail in sight, to accept any terms whatever, declining both the offer of a loan and the opportunity to pay the debt by weekly installments of fifty cents. After spending two or three days in confinement, however, he recognized the fact that the law providing for the imprisonment of delinquent taxpayers was a sober reality, and upon reflection he decided to pay what was owing. On receipt of the proper amount, the authorities released the prisoner.

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## DEATHS.

JONES—In North Plainfield, Oct. 13, William E. Jones, age 65 years.

Funeral services from his late residence, 208 Somerset street, Thursday, Oct. 16, at 2 P. M., and from the First Baptist church at 2:30 P. M.

MUMFORD—In this city, October 13, of consumption, Louis Bleecker Mumford, eldest son of Benjamin A. and Maria P. Mumford, in the 23d year of his age.

Funeral services from the residence of his parents, 179 Arlington avenue, Thursday, Oct. 16, at 2 P. M. Interment private. 2t

## WANTS AND OFFERS.

*Advertisements under this heading, one cent for each word each insertion.*

FOR SALE—A pair of educated Ponies, perfectly gentle, and free from all vices; good drivers; any lady can handle them; are afraid of nothing, except the whip. Jet black, heavy manes and tails; very stylish, only six and seven years old; both good saddle ponies; one has been driven single. Price $400. Good reasons given for selling. Address Henry H. Wobbe, corner John and Morris streets, New Brunswick, N. J. 10 14 3

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**A. D. VAN SCIVER, 47 NORTH AVE.,**

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### One of the "Plainfielders" Administers the "Editor" a Stinging Rebuke.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE PRESS:—In another Plainfield paper of Sept. 30, appeared an article on a girls' society which, it says, has been formed in Bethlehem, Pa., to reject all attentions from the students of Lehigh University. The "Editor" says that it is a good idea, and that the flirting students try to monopolize the good graces of the girls and cut out the unfortunate "townie." That "Editor" probably had been reading an Easton paper and gathered together some rumors concerning the Anti-Students' Club; he must then express his opinion without knowing the facts. The Society consists of about ten ladies of marriagable age, who have gone from house to house trying to get younger persons to join them, but in the few weeks existence of this club, its rank s have not increased. If the girls want to flirt, they will, and if they do not want to they will not, but they do not believe in joining a club which would deprive them of a great deal of pleasure.

The "townie"(like that smart "Editor") of Bethlehem, is not much of a society man. They are for the most part, hard working men, and as to flirting, are worse than the students. On account of its factories and iron works, Bethlehem is not one of the most moral towns, but the students do not go about the streets flirting, as the paper with a vulgar mind would lead one to believe; and of those who do, very few are left after their first year.

The life of Lehigh students is not the ideal college life of Yale, Harvard, and the English universities; if they want to stay, they must work to do it. Only a few hours of the week can be spent in recreation. In Bethlehem, the students play a prominent part in society and are often admitted to the most exclusive homes. Society would be a minus quantity without them, and instead of forming a club to get rid of them, the girls invite them to their homes and thus many a Lehigh student is saved from the numerous beer gardens, which are in every German town, where they would certainly go if they had no place better where they could spend an evening, and where many do go and suffer for it afterwards.

As a finishing touch for the article, the "Editor" says that there are a number of Plainfielders at Lehigh. If that was of so great importance that the public must know it, he might have put it somewhere except in a paragraph where he underrates the students in general. He, probably, will not take the same meaning from the passage as the people who "support" his paper will. Hoping this might change the opinion of the public somewhat as regards the flirting students of Lehigh,

I remain yours truly,
ONE OF THE "PLAINFIELDERS."

### What Possible President Depew Thinks of Grover Cleveland.

At a recent dinner given in New York City to Gen. Roger A. Pryor in honor o his appointment to the judicial bench, Mr. Chauncey M. Depew paid the following tribute to Grover Cleveland:

"If I were asked to name the most forceful character in American life, the man who best represents the energy, the unswerving determination and the courage of the true American, the man who knows duty, and it alone, when public service commands it, the man who wars in war and is for peace in peace, I would name Gen. W. T. Sherman; but if I am to name the typical American, the man who loves and believes in his country beyond anything else, the man who, determining once in what direction his duty leads, cannot be swerved from the path—the man who is doggedly persistent in what he believes to be right—the man who thinks not of self, but of his country and its needs, I would name Grover Cleveland. What he has accomplished is the very highest tribute to the possibilities of American citizenship. A country lawyer in the city of Buffalo, he shed lustre upon the high profession which he had chosen. As the mayor of his native city he presented as his record a clean and economical administration. Coming into the highest position in the land without previous experience and with scarcely a precedent to guide him in the conditions which surround him, he won the affection of his party and commanded the respect and admiration of his opponents. I find myself in one of the proudest positions of my life in being permitted to present to you Grover Cleveland as the typical American."

The great force of this eulogy lies in the fact that it was uttered by one of the leading Republicans of the nation who knew that his words would be reported and might be used to the advantage of a political opponent.

### No Pastors Meet in Plainfield.

The Classis of Newark of the Reformed church is holding its Fall session at the Trinity Reformed church in this city today. The attendance is large for such a stormy day. The Rev. Dr. Bishop, of Orange, was chosen Moderator, and opened the session with prayer. The Rev. H. Vehslage was elected Secretary. Routine business is the order of the day.

### The Value of Pure Wine in Sickness.

The chief difficulty with reliable wines has been their scarcity and richness in body, but this has been removed by the introduction of a pure native wine, produced by Mr. A. Speer of New Jersey. He has submitted his wine to the test of many celebrated physicians and chemists, and all concur in its purity, rich medical properties and superiority to all Port Wines. Most of them prescribe it in cases of debility, affections of the kidneys and chronic complaints, requiring a tonic, sudorific or diuretic treatment.—*Examiner.*

### Notes of New York Theatres.

The theatre party of Plainfield people who failed to get seats for the Lyceum Theatre, Saturday afternoon, may console themselves with the fact that "The Master of Woodbarrow" will remain for several weeks to come, and an application to Mr. Bunce, the treasurer, a few days in advance, will always meet with a prompt and satisfactory response. Extra matinees are now given on Wednesday afternoons, yet the audiences that flock to hear Mr. Sothern and his company, are larger than ever.

Those spending a day in New York shopping or sight seeing, should all spare an hour or two for the American Institute fair, which is this year as good as ever. All departments are now in running order throughout. The special exhibition of fruit, to begin to-morrow, will be an agreeable feature, and the entries reported to the secretary are satisfactory, especially from New York and New Jersey fruit growers.

Agnes Huntington, in "Paul Jones," at the Broadway Theatre, has won the good will of the theatregoers. There can be no question as to her success. The theatre is crowded at each performance, and the opera now goes with a swing that is very near perfection. The engagement, which is for but five weeks, is sure to be one of the most profitable the Broadway Theatre has yet known.

One of the lions in "Nero," which is to be the Winter attraction at Niblo's in New York, rides a bicycle, and another settles all disputes between the management and the members of the company.

A ballet of 69 led by the famous DeGellert, a cast proper of 50, a singing chorus of 100, a mob of 300, a Roman pageant of 400, displaying all the ancient handicrafts, preceded by a band of Roman instrumentalists and followed by a procession of caged wild beasts, will give an idea of the magnitude of the new spectacular drama, "Nero," which Messrs Locke and Davis are projecting and will produce at Niblo's on the 20th of this month. The Steamship France which sailed for this port on the 29th ult., has on board six lions which are to be introduced cageless in the arena scene.

"Blue Jeans," a new sensational comedy by Joseph Arthur, was given its initial presentation at the Fourteenth Street Theatre on Monday evening of last week.

"Kate" is the name of the new play of Annie Pixley's which is said to rival "M'liss" in attractiveness.

There are over three thousand engaged actors in New York at the present time. Why?

New York has twenty-eight theatres, the gross seating capacity of which is over 50,000 people. There are hundreds of concert, music and lecture halls all over the city, two-thirds of which are used every night. It is safe to estimate the total capacity of the various placesof amusement in the metropolis at 150,000. Over $75,000 are spent every night in the big city for theatrical and musical entertainment. The new Madison Square Garden is the largest place of amusement; next comes the Academy, where the "Old Homestead" is a permanent attraction; then the Metropolitan Opera House, and Niblo's, where the great spectacular production of "Nero" is to occur next Monday evening.

Subsidized newspaper men and the "400" may rave over Carmencita and Otero, but little Glover at the Bijou dances them way out of sight. The play, too, is funnier than anything in New York today as it was last year as well. See the "City Directory" and you'll weigh a dozen pounds more and live a dozen years longer.

### Firemen to Parade To-Morrow.

The members of Plainfield Engine Company, No. 2, with the Board of Engineers and the Fire Committee of the Common Council, will meet in full uniform, at No. 2's engine house to-morrow morning, and, if the weather is favorable, will make a short parade through the streets to the Park House before boarding the stages for South Amboy. At that place they will be the guests of Lincoln Hose Company, and will participate in the parade of the Amboy Firemen. They will be regaled at a clam-bake during the day. Their engine, in a state of high polish, and bright decoration, will be drawn to Amboy by four horses.

### Plainfield Wheelmen to Join in the Frolic.

A delegation from the Plainfield Bicycle Club will visit the county seat Friday evening as the guests of the Elizabeth Wheelmen, and will participate in the bicycle lantern parade of that organization. The Wheelmen have issued invitations to thirty-three clubs, and as they are famous entertainers they will doubtless have a large response. At the close of the parade a reception will be given in the handsome new club house.

Spare our loved ones. Near the pleading
That goes up from aching hearts.
But grim death, our pleas unheeding,
Pierces with his fatal darts
Those who with us fain would tarry,
Those we long so much to keep,
And ere long their forms we carry
To the grave so dark and deep.

*Pleading* with death avails nothing. We must *do something* to ward off the dart he aims at those we love. We must protect them from him. When the hacking cough, the hectic flush, or a pain in the side or chest gives indication of a consumptive tendency, *act promptly.* Go to your druggist and get a bottle of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. This remedy allays the inflammation of the delicate lung-tissues. It heals the irritated parts. It strengthens the blood, and tones up the debilitated system, and in this way death can be forced to relinquish his hold upon our friends. It is *guaranteed* to cure, if taken in time and given a fair trial, or money paid for it will be refunded.

### Three of Plainfield's Fastest Horses Try Their Speed.

The best and fastest races of the season took place at the Gentlemen's Driving Park, Saturday. The events were as follows:

The first race was between the Woodbrook Farm "Colonel" and Mr. Fosher's "Amboy." "Amboy" won the first heat and "Colonel" the second. Time—2.48½ and 2.48¼. The final heat was postponed till next Saturday.

The second race was between the Woodbrook Farm "Peter" and M. Quinn's "Kitty Pilot." "Kitty Pilot" won the first heat and "Peter" the second. Time—2.55½ and 2.57½. The final heat was postponed.

The third race was between John Hayes' "Andy" and Peter Osborn's "Blanche Warwick." "Andy" won both heats, in 2.44 and 2.44½.

The fourth race was between Compton C. Vail's "Frank S.," Mr. Fosher's "Frank F.," and O. T. Waring's "Copeland," three of the fastest horses in Plainfield. "Frank S.," won each of two heats in 2.32½ with "Frank F" second and "Copeland" last. If "Copeland" had been in good condition the result would have been different.

The fifth race was between M. Quinn's "Shamrock," driven by Rob't Fairbain, J., and C. Brower's "Aala." "Shamrock" won in 2.47½.

### The First of a Series of Talks.

The Rev. William R. Richards will entertain the young men of the city at the Y. M. C. A. rooms, Thursday evening of this week. The relation of incidents and experiences pertaining to College Life will no doubt be fully appreciated by young men. This will be the first of a series of Popular Talks to be given under the auspices of the Association during the season. Admission will be free.

### High School Boys Score a Victory.

The High school base-ball team defeated the "White Caps" Friday in a well-played game by the score of 7 to 2. The "White Caps" are a regular organized team, while the High school team have not played in over two years. Only a few of the old team are now playing; including Sutphen, Spicer, Laing and Lowrie. The following was the batting order: High school—Spicer, ss. s.; Sutphen, 2b.; Carver, c.; Laing, 3b.; A. Freeman, 1b.; Morgan, c.f.; Angleman, l.f.; Lowrie, p.; Serrell, r.f. "White Caps"—Vail, 2b.; A. Egan, c.; Pierson, 1b.; Richards, s.s.; Smith, p; T. Freeman, 2b.; Davis, l.f.; Swalm, c.f.; Campbell, r.f.

### SIMPLE SENSIBLE REMEDIES.

THE pure juice of the pineapple is said to be a cure for diphtheria.

DRIED mullen leaves smoked in a clay pipe that has not been used for tobacco are excellent for a cough, as is also sage used in the same way, but mullen is good for all troubles of throat and lungs.

A GOOD gargle for sore throat is the following: One wineglassful vinegar, two tablespoonfuls honey, half tumblerful water. Pour the water on to the honey and stir it up; add the vinegar and use cold.

GOOSE oil rubbed on the throat and chest is an old-time remedy for croup, but after its use the child must be well covered away from draughts, as it is very opening to the pores and the least cold often proves fatal.

A SIMPLE corn plaster which usually gives much relief is obtained by boiling a potato in its skin, then taking a piece of this skin and laying it over the corn, the inner side against it. It should be kept on for twelve hours. This usually eases the pain even of an obstinate corn.

AN excellent remedy for whooping-cough is to pour boiling water on flax seed, steep it some time, strain, and to every pint of tea add enough granulated sugar or honey to make a thick sirup; after boiling them together a few minutes put in the juice of two lemons. It is said a few spoonfuls taken often will soon relieve the cough.

TO GARGLE a sore throat, take of paregoric one teaspoonful, of glycerine two teaspoonfuls, of lime water one tablespoonful. To relieve "tickling" in the throat take the same prescription, without the lime water, but merely sip the mixture, so as to make it hold out a long time. A gargle of hot boiled milk is also good. So is one of clear, hot tea, without either milk or sugar.

A FLANNEL bag filled with hops and saturated with hot vinegar laid over the bowels if one is suffering from dysentery, or over the chest if one has pneumonia, relieves pain. Fill the bag with hops, lay it on a plate with vinegar in it and set it on the stove, cover with another plate. When hot the hops will absorb the vinegar and the bag is ready for use.

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## TO A SAD LITTLE GIRL.

You say you are ugly, and you are afraid
That nobody loves you, sad little maid;
For people whisper, with lip a-curl,
As you pass by: "What an ugly girl!"
Ah, well, my dear, if you mope and fret,
Your ugly face will be uglier yet.
Let me tell you the secret without delay
Of growing beautiful day by day.
'Tis a secret old as the world is old,
But worth in itself a mine of gold:
Beauty of soul is beauty of face,
For inward sweetness makes outward grace.

There is the secret, simple and true;
Now prove what its wisdom can do for you.
Fill up your heart with thoughts most sweet,
Bidding all others at once retreat,
And these sweet thoughts will grow like seeds,
And bloom into beautiful words and deeds,
And soon, very soon, they will leave their trace
Of loveliness on your ugly face;
The line will be softer on cheek and brow,
Bright smiles will shine where tears are now;
Your eyes will sparkle, and some blest power
Will make you lovelier every hour.
Just try it, my dear; begin to-day
To do kind things in the kindest way—
To kindly think and to kindly speak,
To be sweet-tempered, gentle and meek,
Then never again shall you need be afraid
That nobody loves you, sad little maid.
Opinions will change, with a pleasant whirl,
And all will think: "What a charming girl!"
—Emma C. Dowd, in Harper's Young People.

## WHAT WAGGLE DID.

**A Naughty Little Dog Spoils a Promised Feast.**

"Mamma, may I go over to gran'ma's?"

"Yes, dear."

It would be hard to tell how many times a day Patty asked this and her mamma answered it. If any little girl who reads about her lives right across the street from her grandma's, perhaps she can give a guess about it.

Patty had only lately come to live so near, and you may be sure she thought it very delightful.

"What kind of a day is this?" asked Patty one morning when she awakened.

"A very nice day, I think," said her mamma.

"I mean, do you think it's bake-day? I mean gran'ma's bake-day?"

"Yes," said mamma. "This is Saturday, and grandma always bakes on Saturday."

"May I go over?"

"Yes."

The other little girl who lives near grandma can tell you exactly why Patty wanted to go. She knows all about the doughnuts and ginger-snaps and custards and pies. Grandma and Hilda, the Swede girl who could not speak a word of English, were making pies when Patty toddled into the kitchen.

"O gran'ma!" she said. "What a beautiful pie! I never saw a plaid pie before."

"Didn't you?" said gran'ma. "Bring a patty-pan here, Hilda."

Hilda knew what the patty-pans were, for at least one of them was always used on gran'ma's bake-day. Patty thought they were named so because the little pie or ginger-bread or custard was always for her. But other little girls know well enough that patty-pans are for little Kittys or Pollys or Prues or a hundred others, especially the ones who live near gran'ma.

Hilda smiled as gran'ma made the patty-pan plaid pie. The big one was filled with apple-butter and had strips of crust criss-crossed all over it. The patty-pan pie was such a very little one that there could be only two pieces crossed on it.

"That's a little bit of plaid," said Patty, laughing till the dimples were all over her face.

"Yes, only a sample," said grandma, "but it will taste good."

"Yes," said Patty. "One streak for mamma, one streak for auntie, one streak for Elsie and one for me."

"Dear me," said grandma, "how came I to forget that you always divide every thing you have? Eat the patty-pie yourself, little one, and we'll make a saucer-pie for you to take home."

The patty-pan pie was almost cooked by the time the plaid was put on the saucer-pie. Patty waited for it to cool a little and then ate it, thinking it was as good as it looked, and that there was nothing in the world which quite came up to a plaid pie.

When the saucer-pie was done, she could hardly wait for it to cool she was in such a hurry to take it home. Hilda set it in the kitchen window, but Patty, after watching it for a little while, and finding that it cooled very slowly, took hold of it with a towel and carried it out on the back porch.

Then she went out to see the little ducks and chickens. When she came back she saw gran'ma's little dog, Waggie, standing close to the plaid saucer-pie.

Was he smelling it? Patty gave a little cry and ran towards him.

"O Wag, you naughty doggie!"

Waggie was a very pretty white dog with a little pink nose, and Patty was usually quite willing that he should help himself to a share of what she had. But as is often the way with dogs he had chosen the part he liked best. He had left the apple-butter and very carefully picked out the strips of crust.

With a woe-begone face Patty took the pie back to the kitchen. Gran'ma had gone up stairs, and only Hilda was there.

"He's eaten up all the plaid," said Patty.

Hilda did not understand. She thought Patty had eaten the crust and was sorry.

"Yah, yah," said Hilda, smiling a great deal and nodding her head very hard.

She smoothed the apple-butter with a spoon, took a little pie-crust which had been left, cut it into streaks and in a few moments the plaid was all on again. Into the oven it went, and came out as beautiful as before.

Patty let it stay on the window-sill this time, and before long it was ready to take home to mamma and the others. How good it looked! Patty felt as if she could eat it all; but she never thought of such a thing as not dividing it.

"I've brought you a plaid pie. Gran'ma made it," she said to mamma and auntie and her sister Elsie. "And it's good."

"Yes, I know it's good if gran'ma made it," said Elsie. She went for some little plates and a knife, and mamma began cutting it in four pieces.

"If I hadn't hurried you wouldn't have had it," said Patty. "I caught Wag just in time. He ate all the plaid off."

"Off what?" asked mamma.

"Off the pie."

"This pie?" asked auntie.

"Yes, and Hilda put some more streaks on. Hilda's a good girl."

"Patty," said mamma, "run back to gran'ma's and ask her to lend me three eggs."

Patty had to look for the eggs in the barn, and it took her some time. When she came back there was no pie to be seen.

"Is it all gone?" she asked, in a little dismay.

"All gone, dear," said mamma, "but here are some peaches for you. You like them just as well, don't you?"

"Yes." But she could not help wondering why they did not leave any pie for her.

And to this day the darling little Patty does not know that the pie was thrown away because Waggie had tried it, and mamma did not like to make her feel badly by letting her know.—Youth's Companion.

## KEPT HIS PROMISE.

**Obeyed His Mother by the Aid of Two Big Birds.**

"Johnny, it is time to go for the cows," called mamma from the kitchen window. Johnny was busy mending the wheel of his wagon, and did not look up.

"Johnny!" called mamma a second time. "It is getting late, and it will be dark before you get home."

"Yes," answered Johnny, as he reluctantly laid down the hammer and started for the house.

"Now, Johnny, I do not want you to cross the creek. If the cows are in the woods pasture, you must go around the road. Do you hear?"

"Yes," answered Johnny, thinking all the time of the wagon he had left behind.

It was, indeed, getting late, and he ran quickly down the long lane, at the end of which was a pair of bars, very heavy bars, that did not move easily. Behind these the cows should have been standing. On this particular evening, however, either from forgetfulness, obstinacy, or some other reason best known to themselves, the cows were not there. Now, Johnny was not a very brave boy, and hunting cows in the deep woods, under dismal hemlocks and along dark ravines was not a very inviting prospect. Then, too, the thought that a wildcat had been killed within a mile from there kept itself uppermost in his mind, and he imagined he could see the eyes of its mate glaring upon him from behind every stump and tree.

It was growing darker, and no cows were to be seen. He pressed on up a dark ravine, where he knew they often went. "Co boss, co boss!" he called, again and again.

Presently the stillness was broken by a strange noise. It sounded awful. Johnny felt something go thump, thump, against his breast, but it soon stopped and he went on. Again the dismal sound, and again the thump, thump.

"I can't go any farther on that road," he said; "besides, I just expect the cows are in the woods pasture. There's the log now. I'll just run across and see. O, I promised not to cross the log. Surely, mamma wouldn't expect me to go right among wild animals and all kinds of dreadful things. I'd better drown."

He had reached the water's edge, and was just ready to step upon the log, but a little voice kept saying: "You promised not to cross the creek, you promised not to cross the creek."

"Well, I won't," he said, resolutely stepping back into the road.

Again the dismal noise, and again the thump, thump. He stood still and looked and listened. Right there above his head sat two old owls. Close side by side they sat, as harmless as kittens, with their great eyes looking right at him. He was greatly relieved at this discovery, and with a light heart stepped briskly along. Lying in repose a few yards beyond were the cows.

So it turned out that the big-eyed, long-eared birds had heard his call, and actually helped him in his search.

Johnny is now an old man, and he says he has noticed all through his life that if you will bravely face all dangers and troubles, they will generally turn out to be big owls.—Golden Rule.

**Being Courteous.**

I treat him as well as he treats me," said Hal.

His mother had just reproached him because he did not attempt to amuse or entertain a boy friend who had gone home.

"I often go in there, and he doesn't notice me," said Hal again.

"Do you enjoy that?"

"Oh, I don't mind! I don't stay long."

"I should call myself a very selfish person if friends came to see me and I should pay no attention to them."

"Well, that's different; you're grown up."

"Then, you really think politeness and courtesy are not needed among boys?"

Hal, thus pressed, said he didn't mean that; but his father, who had listened, now spoke:

"A boy or a man who measures his treatment of others by their treatment of him has no character of his own. He will never be kind, or generous, or Christian. If he is ever to be a gentleman he will be so in spite of the boorishness of others. If he is to be noble, no other boy's meanness will change his nature." And very earnestly the father added: "Remember this, my boy: you lower your own self every time you are guilty of an unworthy action because some one else is. Be true to your best self, and no boy can drag you down."—Phrenological Journal.

—It is always a mere wholesome exercise to discover our duties than to assert our rights.—N. Y. Observer.

## HOUSEHOLD BREVITIES.

—Soiled clothes should not be allowed to remain in the bedrooms. They taint the air and make it impure.

—Common washing soda and boiling water should be used to rinse all the waste-pipes at least once every week or ten days.

—Nothing is more beautiful than a well-kept lawn—not even a flower-bed or shade trees. First of all get the grass to grow in abundance, then thicken the growth with the lawn mower, then add other things if wanted.

—Tomato Omelet.—Three eggs, one cup flour (scant), one tablespoon fine herbs, salt and cayenne pepper, one tablespoon sugar, juice of two large tomatoes, and one cup warm milk. Bake under roasting meat, or alone in a buttered pan.—N. Y. Observer.

—Delicate Biscuit.—One quart of sweet milk, two teaspoonfuls of baking-powder, half a cupful of best butter, one teaspoonful of sugar, and flour to make a soft dough. Roll out half an inch thick, and cut out tiny biscuits with a small baking-powder can. Bake in a very hot oven.—Boston Budget.

—Stuffed Tomatoes.—Get them as large and firm as possible. Cut a round place in the top, scrape out all the soft part. Mix with bread crumbs, onions, parsley, butter, pepper and salt. Chop onions and parsley fine. Fill tomatoes with this mixture, put in well buttered tin and bake in moderately hot oven.—Housekeeper.

—Ice Cream Without Eggs.—Take equal parts of cream and milk and sweeten it very sweet. Flavor with any extract desired. Pour it in the freezer, with plenty of rock salt and ice around it, and let it stand fifteen minutes before stirring. After stirring it for fifteen minutes it will be a nice cream.—Banner and Herald.

—He (on the promenade)—"I am fearfully thirsty, but I know from experience that soda water does not quench thirst." "She—"No, it does not. We can get pure, cold spring water at a place around the corner." He—"You know the neighborhood, then?" She—"Yes. They always give a glass of water with every plate of ice-cream."—Good News.

—Rice Dumplings.—Moisten cold rice with a little milk, mash smooth and dredge flour over it, slightly. Pare and scoop out the core from tart apples, or quarter them. Wring out of boiling water the dumpling cloths, dredge with flour. Cover the apples with the rice, pressing firmly into shape. Wrap in the cloths and steam for one-half hour. Serve with cream or sauce.—Boston Globe.

—Crab-Apple Marmalade.—Wash Siberian crab-apples, put in water to cover and boil till tender; press through a colander; add three-quarters of a pound of sugar to a pound of the sifted crab-apples; boil carefully. Marmalades and jams require almost constant stirring as the least bit of burning spoils the flavor. Take some out in a saucer and let it cool. If no moisture gathers about it and it glistens, it is sufficiently cooked. Put up in cups or small jars; When cold and ready to put away, cover with pieces of tissue or writing paper cut to fit, and pressed closely upon the marmalade. Cover again with strong paper, brushed over on the inside with the white of an egg and turned down on the outside of the cup.—Farm, Field and Stockman.

## STYLES FOR AUTUMN.

**Ladies' Toilets Will Be More Becoming Than Ever Before.**

Cashmeres and soft woolens woven in diagonal effects are the first choice for autumn, and brocaded designs are prominent in all classes of goods. Bordered goods have not lost their prestige, large sized polka-dots being a favorite design for the brocading which forms the border, the same pattern, in smaller size, being "powdered" over the remainder of the fabric.

Early importations of autumn millinery display the same picturesque effects that lent such a charm to the summer hats. There are the same deep front brims, short or turned-up backs and low crowns, and aggressive butterfly-bows of satin or velvet ribbon are poised as lightly on crown or brim as their prototypes in lace rested amid flowers during the past season, but the flowers are replaced by a profusion of ostrich feathers and tips. On many the trimming is massed on and about the crown as on the "crownless" hats, and others have the greater portion at the back and extending around one side to the edge of the front brim; but regarding the majority, the arrangement of the trimming renders it difficult to decide whether the crown is rounded or flat or omitted altogether. Toques with narrow reversed brims at the sides and turned up high and close at the back, also various turban shapes appear; and all these are reproduced in velvet, felt, and the straws that will be used for the early autumn. In the latter, black braids have the preference, with garniture in brilliant tints.

The favorite black note is contributed to other materials by jet ornaments in striking designs, and by black birds and wings which are very effectively combined with ostrich feathers. All-black hats of velvet, ostrich feathers, and jet, have their somberness relieved by the addition of brilliant-colored birds. Black straw toques are trimmed with bright-colored plaid ribbon, and fancy ribbons in satin and brocade are used by themselves or in combination with other garnitures.

The new color-cards indicate continued popularity for brilliant tints. A rich deep garnet with a purplish tint is the darkest shade of red, marking the dividing line between it and purple, and the shades pass through various tints of cardinal to the brilliant poppy-red; and there are lava tints that promise to be very fashionable.—Demorest's Magazine.

**Saved.**

Thief—Your money or your life!

Victim—Well, look here; you may shoot if you like, but I'm cleaned out. I have just brought my family from the seaside, and I——

Thief—All right, old man; I know what that means. Pass on.—The Judge.

## CURIOUS INVENTIONS.

**Queer Contrivances Discovered in the United States Patent Office.**

Slot machines have had a great run in the last three years. The number of patents granted for them run up into the hundreds. One patent, which has not been put on the market yet, I believe, is for a "universal provider." Drop a nickel in the slot and turn the indicator to the proper point and you can get a freezing drink, or drink to warm your blood; postage stamps or ginger snaps; cigarettes or cigars.

Some of the farm patents which have been taken out are curiously useless. One inventor patented, a great many years ago, a pair of stilts to be used by a horse plowing a side hill. Another man proposed to take out a patent for "tying a weight of specific gravity to a cow's tail to keep her from switching it when you are milking." The examiner wrote to the applicant that his suggestion was old, and referred him to "Don Quixote," and the device of Sancho Panza, to keep his mule from braying by tying a weight to its tail. An odd patent granted many years ago was for a shoe to be worn by horses in the field. The shoe was in fact a corn-planter, and when the horse walked across the field with it, he (theoretically) punched holes in the ground and deposited seed in them. One inventor has patented a device to keep the moth-miller out of bee-hives. He noticed that the miller got into the hives at the time the chickens went to roost, and, utilizing this coincidence, he proposed to construct an automatic device by which the roosting of the chickens would close the hives. In his application the inventor says: "But I expect that after a time the miller may get sense enough to keep watch of the chickens and come in a few minutes earlier." A "chicken hopple" is among the agricultural patents. It is guaranteed to walk the chicken out of the garden as soon as he begins to scratch. Another invention, which combines the uses of agriculture and war, is a "cannon-plow," the iron beam of which is in effect a cannon from which the peaceful agriculturist can pour desolation into the ranks of a party invading his field. The inventor of this device is, I believe, the man who devised the "pocket-book pistol"—in appearance a pocket-book, but in practice a single-barreled pistol. A "hen-surpriser" is among the rural devices. It is a patent nest, designed to drop the egg through into a safe retreat, so that the hen looking around and thinking that perhaps she has failed in her duty to the community, will lay another.

One of the warlike devices which has never been brought into active service is a pair of springs to fit to the hind hoofs of a mule. On the back of the mule a mountain howitzer is to be mounted, and from that position it is to be fired, the recoil being taken up by the springs which will thus prevent the breaking of the mule's legs.

An effort has been made to patent the Lord's Prayer—the applicant claiming a new device in that the rapid repetition of the prayer will cure stammering. This patent has not been granted.

An inventor has taken out a patent for sinking a boiler into the earth to such a depth that natural heat will develop steam in it. Another proposes to put springs under a house to prevent damage in case of earthquake—a suggestion that might have been very valuable, if Charleston could have anticipated her celebrated disaster in time to get mounted.

An application, which is still hung up in the Patent Office, is for a patent on a device "to enable a dog to turn a short corner." The specification calls for the attachment of a palm-leaf fan to the dog's tail, to enable him to change his course more readily.—Once a Week.

## REMINDERS OF HOOD.

**Death of a Lady Who Knew the Poet Well in Her Youth.**

Word comes of the death of Miss Isabella Hood, of Dundee, a distant relative of the illustrious Thomas Hood. When materials bearing upon that poet's early connection with the city were being collected Miss Hood was able to throw most important light upon the subject. She remembered his residence when a mere lad with his aunt in Nethergate, his visits to Patrick Gardiner in Overgate, as well as his journey to his friends in Errol. She also recollected distinctly Hood's being brought by his aunt to her father's house in Murraygate, and described him as being a vivacious boy, full of liveliness and fun. The visit was repeated, and Tom had many a scamper over the meadows and wards on the maltster's pony. Miss Hood also spoke of the poet's second visit to Dundee, accompanied by his son (the late Tom Hood, editor of Fun,) in the autumn of 1843. When Mrs. Keay, the poet's maternal aunt, died at Tayport, she gave to Miss Hood a number of interesting holograph letters of the poet, with a recommendation that they should be preserved. These letters and other mementoes of Hood were presented to the museum of the city several years ago by Miss Hood, to give the general public an opportunity of inspecting them. She was also in possession of an interesting memento of the Camperdown family. About the end of the last century, it is stated, the poet's uncle was engaged as a tutor in the family of the future hero of Camperdown, who then resided at Lundie House. Captain Duncan was so pleased with the manner in which the tutor had discharged his duties that he presented to him sets of his own silver garter and shoe buckles, and the family gave him a Bible and pencil case. At the death of the tutor these gifts came into the possession of Mrs. Keay, her sister. When Hood visited Mrs. Keay at Tayport in 1841 she gave the pencil case as a gift to his son. The Bible and three of the buckles were sent to the poet's family in London, and the fourth buckle was given, along with the letters, to Miss Hood.—Chicago Evening Post.

—Summer Girl—"I should so like to go out sailing. You take people out, I believe." Fisherman—"Yes, mum. That there's my cat-boat at th' dock." Summer Girl—"O, dear me, that's too awful big. I'd be afraid to go in that. Haven't you any kitten boats?"—N. Y. Weekly.

—The Missionary Review says: "No mission in the world, perhaps, can show a more notable record than that of the Canadian Presbyterian church in China. At the end of sixteen years' work, and with a small staff of laborers, it reports 3,650 baptised members, two native pastors, sixty-four elders, sixty deacons, and thirty-seven native preachers. It maintains two mission houses, fifty chapels, a girls' school, and a training college. The credit of these results is due, under God, to Dr. Mackay, one of those remarkable men who are born missionaries."

—A successful Baptist pastor found it necessary, because of failing health, to go into secular business. "In taking the position of a layman he would beg all correspondents to do him the favor of omitting the title of reverend in his address." The Christian Inquirer says of this request: "There is a straightforward manliness about this thing that we like. While we do not think all men who go out of the active duties of ministerial life should abandon the ministry entirely, we feel sure that some are so employed that a ministerial attachment to their names is simply ludicrous."

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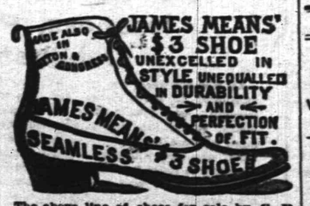


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Leave New York from foot of Liberty street, 4 30, 5 45, 7, 7 45, 9 45, 10, 11, A. M., 1, 2 30, 2 30, 3 30, 4 45, 4, 4 30, 5, 5 15, 5 30, 6 45, 6, 7 15, 7, 7 30, 8, 8 30, 9 15, 10, 11 30 P. M., 12 15, night. Sunday—4 30, 7, 8 30, 9, 9 30, A. M., 12 M., 1, 1 15, 4, 5 30, 6, 7, 9 00, 10 00 P. M., 12 15 night.

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Leave Newark 7 10, 7 50, 8 56, 10 16, 11 05 A. M., 1 05, 1 56, 2 40, 3 40, 4 37, 5 05, 5 50, 7 05, 8 16, 9 36, 7 15, 7 35, 8 20, 9 35, 11 25 P. M. Sunday—7 20, 9 40, 9 05, 9 50, A. M., 12 05, 1 10, 4 10, 5 40, 6 36, 7 05, 9 25, 10 20 P. M.

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#### SEVERAL MEN BLOWN TO DEATH

A Large Number of Others Severely Injured and Several Will Die.

**A Special Train of Physicians Leave Leadville for the Scene of the Accident—Impossible to Get a List of the Killed and Injured—What Caused the Explosion.**

LEADVILLE, Col., Oct. 15.—A terrible explosion was reported at the Ivanhoe-Busk tunnel on the Midland road, 86 miles west of of here at 11 a. m.

One of the workmen entering the tunnel with a box of giant powder removed one of the sticks and accidentally knocked it against the wall. It exploded, killing him instantly and frightfully mangled his body.

The force of the explosion caused the entire box of powder to explode with terrific force, killing six men who were working near and badly injuring a large number of others, six of whom will die.

It is impossible at present to get a list of killed and injured. A special train with physicians left here for the scene of the accident.

### SHOT DEAD IN A DUEL.

**The Grieved Husband Had the Surest Aim and Killed His Opponent.**

LEXINGTON, N. C., Oct. 15.—A remarkable duel, in which one of the combatants was shot dead, was fought near here. The principals were Oscar Barringer, who was killed, and John McRary.

For a long time McRary has been suspicious of an undue intimacy between Barringer and his wife. Several days ago McRary found Barringer and his wife seated together on a sofa in his home. The irate husband ordered Barringer out of his house and threatened to shoot him if he ever again held communication with his wife.

Barringer later wrote a note to Mrs. McRary, which was intercepted by her husband, and a challenge was immediately issued, which was accepted by Barringer. They retired to a selected place to settle the affair. After both men had emptied all the chambers in their revolvers, Barringer fell dead with three bullets in his body. McRary has fled. His wife wept bitterly over Barringer's dead body.

**The Engineers' Convention To-Day.**

PITTSBURG, Pa., Oct. 15.—Every train arriving in Pittsburg to day brought delegates to the twenty-seventh International convention of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers which opened here this afternoon. Four hundred and twenty-seven delegates will be present, and over 300 engineers have notified the committee of arrangements that they will attend the convention in an unofficial capacity which will make altogether over 700 engineers who will be gathered in Pittsburg at one time. Chauncey M. Depew will address the convention to-morrow.

**Secret Ballot Decision.**

HARTFORD, Conn., Oct. 15.—In the Supreme Court Chief Justice Andrews filed a dissenting opinion on the secret ballot case recently decided. A majority of the court declared void the ballots headed Citizens' Ticket, which were issued by the chairman of the Republican Town Committee. Chief Justice Andrews holds, Judge Torrance concurring, that as there was no intention to deceive the ballots should have been counted.

**Foraker Says It Will Be Blaine.**

SPRINGFIELD, O., Oct. 15.—Governor Foraker has created something of a sensation by declaring in the course of a speech that James G. Blaine will be the next Republican nominee for President, unless, as in 1888, he peremptorily declines to allow his name to be presented. This, it is contended, means Foraker as a candidate for the second place on the ticket and a fight against Messrs. McKinley and Sherman.

**Pendergast Convicted.**

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., Oct. 15.—The trial of Arthur Pendergast for murder was finished late last night. After seven hours' deliberation the jury brought in a verdict of guilty of murder in the second degree. The prisoner will be sentenced to-day. Pendergast shot and killed his father-in-law, Washington Olivet, on July 4 on Dover Mountain, this county. He pleaded that he did the shooting in self-defence.

**Admiral Porter's Return.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 15.—Admiral D. D. Porter, accompanied by Mrs. Porter and his son, Richard Porter, arrived here to-day from Newport. On account of the Admiral's feeble health, Dr. Wales, of Washington, his family physician, made the trip with him.

**Gen. Belknap's Funeral.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 15.—The arrangements for the funeral of Gen. Belknap are not completed. It has been decided, however, that the funeral will take place from St. John's Church, in this city, and that the general will be buried at Arlington.

**She Had Met Napoleon.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 15.—Mrs. Agatha Rabaza died here yesterday, aged 104. She was born at Port Mahon on the island of Monaco. While still in Spain she met Napoleon Bonaparte and conversed with the Empress Josephine.

### RUNG THE CHURCH BELLS.

**The Electric Light Company Again Defeated by the Schuylerville Catholics.**

SARATOGA, N. Y., Oct. 15.—The trouble between Father Heffernan, of the Catholic church at Schuylerville, this county, and the Electric Light Company has broken out again.

The difficulty began about three months ago, when the company attempted to erect a pole in front of the church. Father Heffernan rang the church bell and summoned his parishioners, who responded and drove the electric light men away. The matter was appealed to the courts, and the company was granted an injunction restraining the church people from interfering or removing the pole. This decision was carried from court to court, always resulting in favor of the company, and is at present pending before the general term of the Supreme Court.

Encouraged by this state of affairs, the company sent a squad of men to again erect the pole during the morning. The church bell was rung and the people rushed to the rescue and drove the men away after an exciting but bloodless scrimmage. If the company insists in its determination to put up the pole before the courts have finally passed on the matter, a riot is not improbable, as the people of the town are about equally divided in sympathy, and the Catholics are determined to prevent the erection of the pole.

### OVER THE FIELD AGAIN.

**The Count of Paris and His Party Visit Antietam and Gettysburg.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 15.—The Count of Paris did not visit the White House as predicted. He left the city early accompanied by a number of distinguished veterans of the war; among them, Generals Slocum, Howard, Sickles, Newton, Hayes, Butterfield, Doubleday, Wright, Pleasanton and Gregg. They visited Harper's Ferry, Bolivar Heights, the Shenandoah Valley, Antietam; Pen Mar, to review the line of Lee's retreat, and Gettysburg.

To-day was devoted to a thorough inspection of the entire battlefield of Gettysburg. This evening a reception will be tendered to the Comte, at which the freedom of Gettysburg will be extended to him.

From Gettysburg the iron works of interior Pennsylvania will be inspected, and as the count has expressed a great desire to see the greatest inventor of his time, the party will visit Edison at Menlo Park at his invitation.

**Flogged by Two Girls.**

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Oct. 15.—Annie Bias and Sophia Basse, two shop girls armed with horsewhips administered a severe flogging to Louis Aninas. The man works in the same store with the girls and it is said circulated stories defamatory to their character. Early in the morning they waylaid him. The attack was so sudden and the punishment so effective that he turned and ran, the two girls following him for several blocks, slashing him repeatedly with their whips. He finally escaped down an alley.

**Conferring About the Fisheries.**

GLOUCESTER, Mass., Oct. 15.—Hon. Robert Bond, Colonial Secretary for Newfoundland, held an audience at the Board of Trade room with President Smith and other prominent men connected with the fisheries. The object was to submit a proposition for admitting the products of Newfoundland fisheries free in return for which American fishermen would have free access to bait and other outfits in Newfoundland ports.

**The Revisionists Will Meet in Washington**

PITTSBURG, Oct. 15.—Last night the revision committee of the Presbyterian Church adjourned to meet at Washington in February. The revision of the chapter of foreordination has been finished and though it is not ready for public inspection Chairman Roberts has vouchsafed the information that there were some very radical changes made. The tenth chapter, referring to the final disposition of infants and idiots, is under consideration.

**The Population of New York City.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 15.—Some time ago Mayor Grant asked the police to make a recount of the population of this city, believing that the figures given by the census enumerators were incorrect. The police have just finished their count, which makes the population 1,710,715. The census figures were 1,013,501, which is over 197,000 short of the police count.

**Senator Edmunds Will Not Resign.**

MONTPELIER, Vt., Oct. 15.—The report of Senator Edmunds' contemplated resignation is pronounced absurd by that gentleman. He says he never heard of the rumor until last night. He has nothing to do with the present Legislature, as the question of his election does not come up until 1893.

**Workmen Ill With Typhoid Fever.**

BOSTON, Oct. 14.—Twenty employes of the B. F. Sturtevant Blower Works in Jamaica Plain are reported ill with typhoid fever, and one has died.

## WASHINGTON TOPICS

### Names Mentioned for the Supreme Court Vacancy.

#### GREAT INTEREST MANIFESTED.

It is Not Believed the Appointment Will be Made Before Congress Meets.

**Arrangements Made for the Dead Jurist's Funeral—The Remains to be Taken to Iowa To-Morrow—Admiral Porter Very Feeble—Cabinet Meeting—Gen. Belknap to be Buried in Arlington Cemetery.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 15.—The death of Justice Miller leaves an important vacancy on the United States Supreme Court Bench to be filled. The remark is common that the place is not likely to be filled, because there is not in public view just so broad, strong and well equipped a man as the dead Associate Justice was.

At present, of the nine places on the bench six are filled, or were until yesterday, filled by Western men and three by Eastern men. The President being a Western man and identified with Western interests may be regarded as likely to appoint to the vacant seat on the Supreme Bench either some one now eminent as a lawyer, a jurist from the region whence Judge Miller hailed or some circuit or district judge from the Central West or the great Northwest, although it is not impossible for him to cast his eye toward other quarters and find what he desires.

Probably the appointment will not be made before Congress meets, when action on the nomination can follow at once. Still, a great deal of interest is already manifested here on the subject, and the names of several men of prominence are mentioned in connection with the succession, the most prominent of which are Attorney-General Miller, Judge Gresham, Senator Wilson, of Iowa; Senator Spooner, of Wisconsin, and Secretary Noble.

### JUSTICE MILLER'S FUNERAL.

**The Service Will Take Place in the Supreme Court Room To-Morrow.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 15.—The arrangements for the funeral of Justice Miller have been completed. The funeral services will take place in the Supreme Court room at the Capitol between two and three o'clock to-morrow afternoon. Rev. Dr. Shippen of this city will conduct the services and the Rev. Dr. Bartlette will deliver the address.

The remains will be taken from the court room to the Pennsylvania depot, thence to Keokuk, Iowa.

The Justices of the Supreme Court will act as pallbearers and will accompany the remains to Keokuk. The train will leave here at 7:40 p. m. to-morrow and will reach Keokuk Saturday morning about 10 o'clock.

**Meeting of the Cabinet.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 15.—A Cabinet meeting was called by the President at 12 o'clock and all the members of the Cabinet were present except Secretary Proctor and Postmaster-General Wanamaker. It is understood that the subject of an extra session of Congress was discussed. Private Secretary Halford when asked about the matter said he had no information to impart.

**British Sealers Were Scarce.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 15.—A dispatch from Port Townsend, Wash., says the revenue cutter Corwin arrived here yesterday. She reports that during the three months' cruise with the revenue cutter Rush in Behring Sea she saw only five British sealers, and three of these were ordered beyond the league limit.

**Duty on Canadian Logs Abolished.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 15.—It is reported that the Dominion Government, yielding to the continued pressure of Canadian lumbermen, has decided to abolish the export duty on logs going to the United States. The announcement will probably be promulgated officially within a day or two.

**Congressman Wilson Loses $10,000.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 15.—A dispatch from Spokane Falls says that Congressman John L. Wilson, who returned from Washington a few days ago, reports the loss of his pocketbook, containing $10,000 in securities, $350 in greenbacks and gold, and other valuable papers.

**Colonel Shepard Suspended.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 15.—Colonel Elliot F. Shepard, editor of the Mail and Express, was suspended for ten days at a meeting of the Executive Committee of the Union League Club. The suspension was brought about by the action of Colonel Shepard in printing in his newspaper the names of Charles W. Barnes, D. Henry Knowlton and Louis C. Lewis as being suspended from the club for non-payment of their food and drink bill.


Highest of all in Leavening Power.—U. S. Gov't Report, Aug. 17, 1889.

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### WILL HELP THE KNIGHTS.

**The Lasters' Protective Union Take Action in the Lynn Shoe Factory Fight.**

LYNN, Mass., Oct. 15.—The Lynn Lasters' Protective Union has decided that the lasters in the factory of Rumsey Brothers be called out in support of the Knights of Labor strikers.

Committees of conference between the Lasters' Union and the Knights of Labor have agreed upon a programme for an aggressive and defensive alliance which will be submitted to the various unions. If approved it will shortly take effect.

This is a radical change of the situation in Lynn, as there has been some antagonism between the two organizations, one declining to assist the other.

A. W. Wright, a member of the General Executive Board of the Knights of Labor has arrived here to confer with the local leaders in regard to effecting a settlement of the morocco and shoe factory troubles here. A plan of action will be outlined.

### BIRCHALL HAS HOPE.

**He Thinks There is a Chance for His Life Yet.**

WOODSTOCK, Ont., Oct. 15.—Birchall has started to keep a diary and each morning counts the remaining days he has to spend in the jail. He continues cheerful and is more talkative and, while there appears to be no reason for it, he has not given up hope.

He thinks there is a chance for his life yet and will not be convinced to the contrary. He was much interested in the Day trial at Welland and criticised the verdict, founded as it was on the evidence of a woman of unsavory reputation.

He will write to Day congratulating him upon the change in his sentence which gives him a longer lease of life, and trusting that upon the reserve points Day may be acquitted.

**Elopes With a Blacksmith.**

BALTIMORE, Oct. 15.—Mr. Cammack, a wealthy resident of Washington, and his wife, came to Baltimore in search of their daughter Annie, who had eloped with a blacksmith named Arlington Hardesty. They ascertained that the couple had been married some hours previous by Rev. Mr. Clapp, of Mount Calvary Protestant Episcopal Church, and had returned to Washington. Miss Cammack has money in her own right. She was to have wedded a wealthy gentleman in Washington.

**A Youth Convicted of Assault.**

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Oct. 15.—James Foley, aged 16, was convicted of criminally assaulting a little French girl named Millenaise Goyette of Pawtucket. The judge did not sentence the boy because his lawyer moved for the arrest of judgment on the ground that the attorney who drew up the indictment for the grand jury was not a legally constituted officer of the State. The case now goes to the Supreme Court.

**An Ancient Hotel Burned.**

PATERSON, N. J., Oct. 15.—Four horses and several wagons were burned and J. H. White's livery stable on Bank street was destroyed by fire during the morning. The fire started among the hay. It is thought that some one carelessly dropped a lighted match. The ancient Passaic Hotel, once the headquarters of Washington and Lafayette, was partly burned.

**Four Men Severely Burned.**

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Oct. 15.—Four men were severely burned by an explosion of gas in No. 4 slope of the Susquehanna Coal Company, at Nanticoke. The concussion was very severe, and the timbering in the mine was shattered to splinters. Nathan Nash, David Powell and two Polanders were the injured persons.

**Voting for United States Senator.**

MONTPELIER, Vt., Oct. 15.—In the Senate, Justin S. Morrill received 27 votes for United States Senator; Edward J. Phelps received 1. In the House, Morrill received 157 votes; Phelps, 56. Both Houses will meet in joint session this afternoon and formally announce the election of Senator Morrill.

**A Boy Shoots His Brother.**

BRIDGETON, N. J., Oct. 15.—The 11-year-old son of George Coombs, living near this city, accidentally shot his 9-year-old brother while handling a loaded revolver. Two physicians probed for the bullet, which entered the right breast, but could not locate it. The wound is fatal.

**Dave Orr Stricken with Paralysis.**

RENOVO, Pa., Oct. 15.—David Orr, first baseman of the Brooklyn Brotherhood Baseball club, was stricken with partial paralysis and is now lying ill at the Ward House. He will be removed to his home as soon as he is able to stand the journey.

**Aldermen to Receive Dillon and O'Brien.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 15.—The Board of Aldermen appointed a committee of seven, including the president and vice-president of that body, to receive Messrs. Dillon and O'Brien, who are expected to arrive here shortly on a French steamer.

**Gen. Butterfield for Mayor.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 15.—The Business Men's Republican organization last night decided finally to put up a straight Republican ticket, probably headed by Gen. Daniel Butterfield as the Mayoralty candidate.

**An Actress Found Dead.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 15.—Kate McAuliffe, an 18-year-old actress, the wife of Jack McAuliffe, was found dead in her room at the West Side Hotel, on Sixth avenue, last night. She married the pugilist in San Francisco.

## GERMAN SOCIALISTS

### The Halle Congress Favors a Peaceful Revolution.

#### AN IMPORTANT VOTE TAKEN.

They Will Obtain Their Objects Only Through Parliamentary Methods.

**A Rumor that O'Brien and Dillon Are on Their Way to Rome—The O'Mahony Case Dismissed—Sunkim to be Attacked—American Consuls Explaining the Contract Labor Law.**

HALLE, Oct. 15.—In the Socialistic Congress an exciting discussion took place between the Liberals and Extremists, in which the former proved in the majority. Herr Singer advocated agitation by parliamentary methods, and denounced those who proposed to achieve the aims of Socialism with weapons.

The Congress finally voted a resolution in favor of Herr Singer's views, much to the disappointment of the more violent element of the party. The feeling against Herr Werner, who is accused of insincerity, and of being a Socialist for revenue only, is growing, and it appears certain that he will not be permitted to remain in the Congress.

It was agreed by the Congress to appoint a committee to investigate the question at issue between the Parliamentary leaders of the Socialist party and the Berlin dissidents. No member of the Reichstag representing Berlin, or any delegate deputed by the Socialists of Berlin, will be appointed on the committee.

The action of the Socialist members of the Reichstag in discountenancing a general cessation of work on last May day, was indorsed unanimously, as was their policy regarding the second ballots following the last general election for members of the Reichstag.

### AN EPIDEMIC OF SUICIDES.

**Paris Horrified Over the Large Number Reported Daily in That City.**

PARIS, Oct. 15.—The city is horrified at what seems to be a suicide epidemic. For some time past as many as twelve to eighteen suicides have been reported daily. In the Rue Berthe, a woman suffering from a nervous affection swallowed a quantity of tincture of iodine. A diamond merchant named Cohen, in the Rue Mauboeuge, blew out his brains. Another man of about 60 committed suicide on the Rue St. Martin in a similar manner.

In the Rue Des Hanlets a man hanged himself. He left behind him a paper, on which the following words were written: "No work, no bread; not eaten anything two days. Enough of this. En route for the turnip field."

Starvation also induced a widow in the Rue Palikao to suffocate herself and her daughter, a girl of 13, by means of charcoal. Two young women were found drowned in the Seine.

An individual in the Rue Des Pyrenees poisoned himself with laudanum.

This epidemic seems to be a regular thing at the commencement of the spring and autumn. Last April the Morgue was often filled to overflowing. Statistics show that drowning seems to be the form of death most frequently selected in spring, while preference is given to charcoal in the autumn.

**A Disastrous Strike.**

SYDNEY, N. S. W., Oct. 15.—Premier Parkes declared during a speech in the Chamber of Deputies that the strike was almost as disastrous as a general bombardment. The country would suffer less at the hands of a national enemy. He denounced especially the stoppage of fuel for the railways. The action of the strikers amounted almost to revolution, but the Government was determined to maintain its supremacy.

**American Consuls Busy.**

LONDON, Oct. 15.—The United States Consuls in the different cities are giving the widest publicity to the provisions of the contract labor laws on account of the large number of workingmen preparing to emigrate to America in consequence of the McKinley bill. It said, however, that this law is being openly violated by the agents of American manufacturing establishments, and especially cotton and woollen goods manufacturers.

**The Suit Against O'Mahoney Dismissed.**

DUBLIN, Oct. 15.—On motion of Mr. Rowan, the prosecutor for the Crown in the Tipperary trials, the case against Mr. O'Mahoney was dismissed, but after lengthy argument by the counsel for O'Brien, Dillon and the others charged with intimidation for dismissal in their cases, the judge noted the exception and ordered the trials to proceed.

**Italy's Idle Workingmen.**

LONDON, Oct. 15.—There is great distress among the working classes in the large towns of Italy. Statistics show that 100,000 people are out of employment in Lombardy, 60,000 in Piedmont and 50,000 in Romanga and Southern Italy. The condition of most of these unfortunates borders upon destitution, and the results of the industrial stagnation are likely to be very serious.

**Woman's Christian Temperance Union.**

SCRANTON, Pa., Oct. 15.—The sixteenth annual session of the State Woman's Christian Temperance Union commenced in the Academy of Music this morning and will last three days.

**The Newark Council a Tie.**

NEWARK, N. J., Oct. 15.—The city went Democratic in the charter election. The Democrats elected nine out of fifteen aldermen, which makes the council a tie.

### DOUBLE TRAGEDY.

**An Infuriated Husband Attacks His Wife and Her Brother.**

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 15.—During a fracas at 1 a. m. at the residence of Timothy Mahoney, No. 3,428 North Broad street, what may prove a double tragedy was enacted. At the hour named Mahoney returned to his home in an apparently intoxicated condition. His wife was awaiting his return, and he at once commenced to abuse her.

After words had been exchanged, Mahoney picked up a pitcher and made a savage blow at his wife's head. She dodged and called for her brother, Michael McLaughlin, to protect her. McLaughlin responded to his sister's appeal for aid, and grappled with Mahoney. The infuriated husband was getting the best of McLaughlin, when the latter seized the bread-knife from the table and made a vicious lunge at his antagonist.

At this juncture James McCann, an inmate of the house, stepped between the two men and the thrust that was intended for Mahoney was received by him. The knife entered his back and inflicted a dangerous cut. McLaughlin followed his assault with the knife, and Mahoney received a stab in the left breast directly over the heart. The wounded men were removed to the hospital where the physicians' report Mahoney's wound dangerous, and likely to result fatally. McLaughlin fled and has not yet been captured.

**Trying to Replace American Goods.**

ST. PETERSBURG, Oct. 15.—It is said that the Russian Ministry is earnestly engaged in endeavoring to have France encourage the importation of Russian products to take the place of American goods in retaliation for the McKinley bill. So far the attempt has not met with much success, as the French still hope to make special terms with America for discrimination in favor of French goods.

**"Jack the Ripper" in Ireland.**

DUBLIN, Oct. 15.—A notice, purporting to have been written by "Jack the Ripper" has been found posted in a Roman Catholic Church at Killarney. It is to the effect that the notorious murderer intends to transfer his operations to this country.

**Prohibitionist Nomination.**

MALDEN, Mass., Oct. 15.—The Prohibitionists of the Sixth District nomited Charles E. Kimball, of Lynn, for Congress.

### NEWS OF THE DAY.

The President appointed H. G. Eames postmaster at West Haven, Conn.

The Merchants' National Bank of Carlisle, Pa., was authorized to begin business.

The Grand Duke Nicholas, who has been pronounced insane, will be taken to the Crimea for the winter.

The iron and steel visitors had a narrow escape from a railroad disaster on a trip from Chicago to Pullman.

Returns from the local elections of Wyoming show that every county in the State elected a woman school superintendent.

Daniel H. Wingard was nominated for Congress at Reading, Pa., by the Republican conferees of the Ninth Pennsylvania district.

It has been snowing throughout the Province of Manitoba for ten hours, and as yet there are no signs of an abatement of the storm.

Hon. Samuel Linn, formerly Judge of the Center county district of Pennsylvania, died at Williamsport, Pa., after a long illness. He was 70 years of age.

Lillian Scofield, of New York, who was implicated in the mysterious death of Broker Nathaniel Hatch, has been arrested on a charge of stealing $300 from a woman in a house-renting transaction.

The trial in New York city of John Votacil for the murder of his six-year-old son Louis has begun. In a fit of anger Votacil threw the child out of a six-story window. The defence will be insanity.

A dispatch from Paris states that 250,000 bottles of champagne were shipped to New York on speculation, to reach the city before the new tariff law went into operation. The wine is valued at $450,000.

Actor Charles Queen, of the Philadelphia "Spider & Fly Company," who was arrested at Trenton, N. J., for passing counterfeit money, was sentenced in the United States Court to eighteen months' imprisonment with hard labor.

**Weather Indications.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 15.—For New England: Fair weather; cooler; westerly winds.

For New Jersey: Cooler; fair weather; westerly winds.

For Eastern New York: Cooler; westerly winds; fair weather.

### NEW YORK MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Oct. 14.—Money on call to-day 4 per cent.

BONDS.

| | Closing Yesterday. | Closing To-day. |
|---|---|---|
| 4½s, 1891 Reg | 104 | 104½ |
| 4½s, 1891 Coup | 104 | 104½ |
| 4s, 1907 Reg | 123½ | 123½ |
| 4 s, 1907 Coup | 130½ | 130½ |

STOCK MARKET.

| | Closing Yesterday | Closing To-day. |
|---|---|---|
| Canadian Pacific | — | 76½ |
| Central Pacific | 30½ | 31½ |
| Chicago, Bur. & Q | 91½ | 91½ |
| Delaware & Hudson | 154½ | 154 |
| Del., Lack. & Western | 145 | 145½ |
| Erie | 22½ | 22½ |
| Erie pref | — | 57½ |
| Lake Shore | 109½ | 109½ |
| Louis. & Nash | 80½ | 79 |
| Michigan Central | 91½ | — |
| Missouri Pacific | 68½ | 68 |
| New Jersey Central | 115 | 115½ |
| North western | 107½ | 109½ |
| Oregon Navigation | — | 83½ |
| Pacific Mail | 39 | 39 |
| Reading | 36½ | 36½ |
| Rock Island | 76½ | 76½ |
| St. Paul | 80½ | 80½ |
| Union Pacific | 50½ | 51½ |
| Western Union | 81½ | 81½ |

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## BY THE WAY.

—The exempt firemen are notified to meet this evening to take action in relation to the funeral of Wm. E. Jones.

—The condition of the outstanding series of the Home Building and Loan Association, published in another column, is very interesting reading.

—Sherman & Becker are showing a fine line of new Fall styles at their fancy goods Emporium, 73 Park avenue. Their millinery department is under the charge of Miss C. D. Squier, a lady of taste and experience.

—Educational classes will be held weekly at the Young Men's Christian Association as follows: Monday—Book-keeping and Penmanship. Tuesday—Mechanical Drawing class. Friday—Short-hand and Type-writing. New members of short-hand class will be received on or before next Friday evening; boys too young for membership will be admitted to the privileges of classes.

—A debating contest was held in Hope chapel, last evening, between Fred. Wharton and Robert P. Hangliter, both of the Pond Machine Tool Works. Mr. Wharton argued that the chances in life were in favor of the country boy, and Mr. Hangliter spoke for the city boy. The contest was witnessed by about fifty men from Pond's. After an hour's interesting talk the country boy won, according to the decision of the judges.

## PARTICULAR MENTION.

Alford B. Cook, who was nominated yesterday for the Assembly from this district, is a popular business man of Rahway who will add strength to the rest of the ticket in that city.

J. Hervey Doane, James Ingram, F. R. Stevens and Charles Faber of this city, will be guests to-night in Newark at a banquet given by the losers in a recent carrier pigeon race between the "Jersey Five" and the "Newark Five," two prominent clubs of homing fanciers.

Judge Ulrich is not going to give up his $3,000-a-year law practice in this city, just because he is going to build himself a handsome home in Westfield. He will be here in his office all day, but he wants a dead, quiet place where there is nothing going on, to sleep in, and Westfield fills the bill.

A most interesting talk to young men may be expected at the Young Men's Christian Association rooms to-morrow evening at 8:15 o'clock, when the Rev. Wm. R. Richards will recount some of the experiences of a young man during his college days. College songs will be sung at 8 o'clock. Admission free.

### Resolutions of Respect.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors of "The New Jersey Game and Fish Protective Society," held in the office of the Secretary, this city, Tuesday evening, October 14, the following preamble and resolutions were adopted:

WHEREAS, In the wisdom of the Supreme Architect of the Universe, it has pleased Him to remove from our midst our esteemed fellow citizen and associate, William E. Jones; therefore be it

*Resolved*, That in the death of William E. Jones, "The New Jersey Game and Fish Protective Society" loses not only an honored member and officer, but a true friend to all the interests and objects of this organization, which he has been associated with since its formation, as Treasurer.

*Resolved*, That the sympathies of this Society are extended to the bereaved family of our late associate and friend, and that these resolutions be spread upon the minutes, a copy sent to his surviving family, and published in the city papers.

### To Be Buried With His Bugle Was His Dying Request.

The last request of Nicholas Gisser was that his friends would place in his coffin beside his dead body, before lowering it into the grave, the bugle with which, in the army of his native land, he had sounded notes of alarm and victory. The last time he sounded the bugle was during the recent celebration of the downfall of the Bastile. At his funeral yesterday, when the Rev. E. M. Rodman officiated, his dying wish was fulfilled, and the comrades of war-time, both now mute forever, were laid away in peace together.

### A Woman Who Preaches Good Sermons.

In spite of the inclemency of the weather there was a fair audience at Reform Hall, last evening, to listen to a gospel talk by Mrs. C. S. Whitney, of New York city. Mrs Whitney is a pleasing and powerful speaker, and all who heard her clear exposition of the Bible were delighted. Mrs. Whitney will conduct a Bible meeting in the Hall this afternoon at three o'clock, and will preach in the Hall at 8 o'clock this evening. She will also conduct the Mother's meeting, Thursday, at 3 P. M.

### Permanent Ball Grounds for the Crescents

The Plainfield Crescent League has leased for five years a plot of five acres just off of Somerset street and between Jackson and Grand View avenues. It will be fenced in as a permanent base ball ground, and commodious stands and dressing rooms erected. There will be an entrance from Somerset street about opposite Linden avenue. The distance from the station is exactly the same as the present grounds—a few yards over half a mile.

## A STRANGER, AND THEY TOOK HIM IN.

### South Plainfield Philistines Fleece a Waterbury Watchman.

Thomas O'Rourke, whose history for several hours past is to him a total blank, is a patient at the Muhlenberg Hospital, and is enjoying himself so much, in spite of a severely sprained ankle, that he is not greatly sorry that he came.

Thomas says that his home is at Waterbury, Conn., where he followed the profession of night watchman, but for some time he has been at work in the neighborhood of this city. Yesterday morning he reached the delectable region of South Plainfield with $15 in his inside pocket. The discerning denizens were not long in recognizing him as a man of wealth, and speedily they introduced him to their friend, the keeper of the village tavern. O'Rourke remembered that his new acquaintances were a jolly lot, and that they made him drink a good deal of beer and give them his money, but what happened after that he doesn't recollect. When he dimly recovered his senses this morning the sun was rising and he was being deposited by two men from a resting-place in the bottom of a wagon to a berth on the flooring of the Muhlenberg Hospital steps. There Matron Walrod found him, groaning with the pain of his ankle. Now he occupies one of the most comfortable cots in the institution, and his ankle is nicely dressed. But he doesn't know how he got hurt.

## THE SEASON'S RECORD.

### Who Hits the Ball and Who Stops It, Oftenest.

Below is given the percentages of the ten men who have played the most games with the Crescents, this season:

FIELDING.

| Positions | Games played | Assists | Put outs | Errors | Percentage |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Hatfield, rf | 11 | 5 | 5 | 0 | 1.000 |
| Gregg, p | 17 | 93 | 8 | 2 | .990 |
| McIndoe, lf | 17 | 1 | 31 | 1 | .969 |
| Wiegand, 1b | 29 | 2 | 309 | 15 | .953 |
| Jones, c | 28 | 46 | 176 | 14 | .940 |
| Gillis, cf | 21 | 5 | 19 | 2 | .523 |
| Lee, 3b | 20 | 75 | 82 | 13 | .907 |
| Lufbery, 2b | 20 | 68 | 73 | 15 | .903 |
| Walker, rf | 15 | 9 | 18 | 2 | .900 |
| Martin, ss | 29 | 83 | 40 | 15 | .891 |

BATTING.

| Games played | At bat | Runs | Base hits | Percentage |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| McIndoe | 17 | 64 | 13 | 18 .281 |
| Lufbery | 30 | 134 | 26 | 34 .253 |
| Jones | 28 | 112 | 21 | 28 .250 |
| Martin | 29 | 125 | 36 | 30 .332 |
| Hatfield | 11 | 35 | 9 | 8 .228 |
| Wiegand | 29 | 120 | 16 | 27 .225 |
| Walker | 15 | 55 | 10 | 12 .218 |
| Gregg | 17 | 62 | 9 | 13 .209 |
| Gillis | 21 | 78 | 19 | 14 .179 |
| Lee | 20 | 111 | 13 | 17 .153 |

THE HITS.

| | 1 Base | 2 Base | 3 Base | Home Run | Total Bases |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Lufbery | 21 | 8 | 3 | 2 | 44 |
| Martin | 25 | 4 | 1 | 0 | 36 |
| McIndoe | 9 | 5 | 1 | 3 | 34 |
| Jones | 25 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 31 |
| Wiegand | 25 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 29 |
| Lee | 12 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 22 |
| Gillis | 11 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 21 |
| Walker | 11 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 14 |
| Hatfield | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 8 |

### Nellie Gets Off Easier This Side of the Brook.

In the city court this morning, sentence was suspended over Nellie Hoppell and she was told to take her things out of Mrs. Flynn's house and keep sober hereafter. The witnesses for the prosecution all testified that "Nellie was a lady" when she kept away from the drink.

Mrs. Hoppel's story was that Mrs. Flynn broke in her house and tried to drive her out. She said that Mrs. Flynn was the woman that first gave her whiskey to drink. She said she had buried six children and had only been arrested twice during the three months she lived in North Plainfield. One of those times she got 30 days in the Somerville jail.

Sergeant Lynch testified that when he went after Nellie she resisted him, and he almost jerked his neck out of joint getting her down the stoop. Judge Codington told her if she ever came before him again, she'd catch it. She said she was very much obliged.

### 20 Days for Being, "Guilty, of Course."

Thomas Kelly, a ne'er do well from Hopewell, who has been visiting his uncle, Michael Kelly, of this city, for some weeks, during which time they have both been intermittently drunk and disorderly, was arraigned before Judge Codington this morning. He was so drunk yesterday that he was even thrown out of Day's saloon. When asked to plead he said, "guilty, of course!"

Mrs. Michael Kelly was the complainant much against her will. She said her husband beat her for having his nephew arrested; but she only had two rooms to live in and the accused had been drunk in them for weeks past and kept her awake nights with the "horrors." Thomas was fined $10 which he hadn't, so he took 20 days. When Mrs. Kelly left the court room her husband started after her, probably to give her another beating. Captain Grant detailed Officer Flanagan to watch the man.

### Engineer Dunham May Begin Some Suits for Damages, Now.

The Special Committee of the Board of Freeholders met Monday afternoon at Elizabeth, with Engineer Dunham, of this city, and remained in session until 10 o'clock in the evening. The meeting was held privately, and the findings of the committee will be submitted to the Board to-morrow afternoon. Members of the committee declined to outline their report, but a member stated that it would show that the charges, made by a New York paper, of extravagant expenditures, were untrue as already shown in THE PRESS.

## A WESTERN SKETCH OF EX-MAYOR RANDOLPH.

### How His Biography is Set Forth in the History of the Illinois Central Railroad.

There has just been published in Chicago a Historical Sketch of the great Illinois-Central Railroad together with a brief biographical record of its incorporators and some of its early officers. The volume is by William K. Ackerman, who has been connected with the company in various apacities for a period of nearly thirty-two years—being its President from 1877 to 1883. Among the officers honored with a biography is L. V. F. Randolph, the best Mayor Plainfield ever had. Here is what the book says of him:

Lewis V. F. Randolph was born in Somerville, New Jersey, May 16, 1838. He came of a family which had then dwelt in New Jersey 200 years and was descended from an English gentleman, Edward Fitz Randolph, who had espoused the Puritan faith and whose wife, Elizabeth Blossom, was also one of the earliest arrivals of the Pilgrim stock. His mother was of an old Dutch family whose ancestors had come to Long Island and afterward to New Jersey, long prior to the American revolution. Lewis studied hard at Plainfield, a pleasant town near Somerville, and made good progress in mathematics and the languages. His father died when he was but ten years old and he, being an only son with several sisters, left school while still a boy, turning from the alluring offer of a university education made by kind friends, to throw his youthful energies into business activity. At first, he was cashier and salesman for a mercantile firm, and afterward spent nearly ten years—1854 to 1863 inclusive—in the American Exchange Bank, New York, rising through various clerical positions from year to year. About the latter end of this period of service, he enlisted as a soldier in the Union army and served in it until after the confederates were driven back from their sally into Pennsylvania. In 1864, he entered the president's office of the Illinois-Central Railroad Company as private secretary, and was soon afterward sent to the company's money-department at Chicago. Later on, he was recalled to the financial office in New York and elected assistant-treasurer. In 1873, he was chosen a director by the stockholders and, in 1874, he was elected treasurer of the company.

Besides discharging the duties of the positions above named, Mr. Randolph has filled other places of public trust, including that of mayor of Plainfield, New Jersey; he is also known as a public speaker and writer.

Mr. Randolph was as an office-manager a careful disciplinarian. Being thoroughly versed in analysis and an accurate and efficient accountant, these qualifications rendered his services to the company, at all times, most valuable but especially at certain important periods in its financial affairs. He was ever punctiliously correct in all transactions involving financial operations, and in these his banking education and experience served him well. He was conscientious in his devotion to duty; and no officer of the company ever enjoyed more fully or continuously the confidence and respect of the board of directors. In 1884, he declined a reelection as director, and, in 1885, resigned the treasurership of the company. He is still a trustee of several mortgages on the company's lines. After spending a short time in a successful quest for health among the higher altitudes of the Rocky-Mountain Country, he returned, in 1887, to New York and accepted an offer, from the executors of Hon. Samuel J. Tilden, to assist them in the care of the large estate committed to their management.

## JUMPED FROM A FLYING TRAIN.

### A Young Married Man from the South Meets with Disaster in Plainfield.

Emil Proger, a young man who has a wife at Cumberland, Maryland, was seriously injured on the Jersey Central Railroad between the Netherwood and Plainfield stations last night. He was stealing a ride on a train, and jumped when he saw a brakeman coming towards him. The train was moving at rapid speed, and it was at first feared that he was killed outright. The thigh of one leg was fractured, and the knee of the other was terribly cut. He was also bruised severely about the body, and received several gashes from the sharp edges of the rock-road ballast against which he was hurled. He was taken to the Muhlenberg Hospital and placed under the tender care of Matron Walrod. Today hopes are entertained that he will survive the accident, though last night he was suffering greatly.

### "How She Looks."

Here is a pen picture of Miss Lillian Walters, who will be the cynosure of all eyes at Music Hall, this evening, as Evangeline, with Rice's Burlesque Company. "A blonde, with regular features, blue eyes, clear-cut lips, fine chin, and magnificent figure." In metropolitan phrase she is "out of sight" as an actress, and her voice is a full, rich soprano. There are many who remember her here in other roles, and a warm welcome awaits the fair actress when she appears as Evangeline.

—The regular weekly prayer meeting of the Womans Christian Temperance Union will be held to-morrow afternoon at 3:30. Those desiring to attend will please notice change of day and hour. Room, 73 West Front st.

### Deceptive Advertising.

Many people are constantly being deceived by the high sounding advertisements published by some large establishments in the nearby large cities.

A "special sale" of Carpets now going on in one of our large neighboring cities, is a very striking illustration.

They announce with an immense flourish of adjectives, in this wise, viz: because of their extensive purchases; in many cases amounting to the "entire out-put" of certain manufacturers, they are enabled to sell at these unheard of prices.

Under such tremendous statements as the above, and the like, here is what they actually do:

Elegant Tapestry Brussels Carpets, good for 20 years wear, sold elsewhere for $1.25, at 85 cents.

Edsall's every day price for the identical makes, is just 85 cents. Again they say an elegant line do., worth 87c., at 65 to 75c.

Edsall's price for the same goods is 69c. every day.

They advertise Extra Body Brussels, worth $1.25, at 98c.

Edsall's price every day is just even $1 for the same quality.

They advertise Extra Superfine All-Wool Ingrains, fully worth $1, at 65c. and 75c.

Edsall has never asked more than 65c. and 75c. for exactly the same goods.

The above is only one of the hundreds of cases of like manner in which some people are induced to go out of Plainfield to spend their money. If any one thinks this is merely an advertising dodge, we have in our possession a printed copy of the advertisement referred to, for their inspection. EDSALL'S, 20 W. Front St.

NEW FALL GOODS!
AT THE EMPORIUM,
73 PARK AVENUE.

*NELLY BLY CAPS* from 25c. to 75c.
*NEW STAMPING PATTERNS* for sale.
*STAMPING* and *PINKING* done at short notice.
*FIRST-CLASS DRESSMAKING* at reasonable prices.
Miss C. D. SQUIER has the *MILLINERY* Department, and is ready for Fall and Winter orders.

SHERMAN & BECKER,
73 Park Avenue.
10 15 tf

Absolute and Peremptory Sale of
350 CHOICE BUILDING LOTS
On Jerusalem Road, Fanwood avenue, John street, Smith street and Evarts, Cleveland and Harrison avenues, at WESTFIELD, N. J., on
Thursday, October 16, 1890.
Sale to commence at 12 o'clock noon. John M. C. Marsh, Auctioneer.
These lots are situated in the best residence part of Westfield, on graded, leveled streets, convenient to depot, and on the line of the proposed new road from Newark to Somerville.
Will be sold without reserve in parcels to suit purchasers.
Ample conveyance at Westfield depot to take buyers to the ground.
Don't let this chance escape you.
Buyers of this valuable property will double their money within a year.
Commutation only 10 cents.
Maps, R. R. tickets and particulars on application to *JNO. M. C. MARSH* and *P. C. PEARSALL*, at Westfield, N. J.
*HERBERT VANDYKE*, Benedict Building, 171 Broadway, N. Y. 10 13 & 15

ROOFING!
Paint your roofs with Excelsior Metal Elastic Paint! *WATER PROOF* and very durable, and will last years longer than any other Paint.
Orders can be left at 39 North avenue, opposite the depot, with the Real Estate Trust.
DR. W. H. BELL, City Hotel.
10 11 10

BROWN & HILL,
Shaving and Hair Cutting Parlors,
[FORCE'S HOTEL,] No. 5 North Avenue.
Special attention paid to
Children's Hair Cutting.
2-25-tf

EDWARD C. MULFORD,
45 North Avenue,
*Opposite Station.*
REAL ESTATE, INSURANCE. 1-9-y

E. H. HOLMES,
DEALER IN
COAL AND WOOD.
OFFICE—With Woolston & Buckle, 27 North Avenue.
YARD—Madison Avenue, opp. Electric Light Station. 13-

ISAAC BROKAW & SON,
FIRE INSURANCE.
OFFICE—30 DUER STREET,
NORTH PLAINFIELD, N. J. 2-4-tf

P. AGNEY.
KINDLING WOOD.
Yard—Mountain Avenue.
P. O. Box 397. NORTH PLAINFIELD.
Orders attended to promptly in city and Borough. 2-6-tf

Valuable Building Lots for Sale,
On Grove street and Craig place, North Plainfield. This plot is one of the most desirable in the Borough, and is offered for sale at a reasonable price and on easy terms. Will be sold in quantities to suit. Apply to Owner, at 35 Craig place. 8-14-tf

### Attention, Exempt Firemen!

Members of the Exempt Fireman's Association of Plainfield, N. J., are requested to meet in their rooms on Wednesday evening Oct. 15, instant, at 8 o'clock, to make arrangements to attend the funeral of their late brother, W. E. Jones.

### List of Advertised Letters

Remaining in the Plainfield post office for the week ending Oct. 13, 1890.

Angle, Mrs Lizzie (2)
Blue, Miss Liddia
Buckley, Miss Kate
Bollies, Mr F
Collins, C J
Conant, Foster
Dobbins, Rev Mr
Dynham, Miss Mamie
Dempsey, Miss Mary
Faye, Miss Louisa (5)
Fenhurst, Basil E
Haverly, Edgerton
Haskell, C W
Housman, Mrs Huldy
Kelly, Jr, Mrs S D
King, Mrs Chas
Larkin, Miss Mary
McCann, John J
Measitor, Miss M
Patterson, Miss Lonley
Percy, C Wite
Polson, Oscar
Smith, Chester
Scudder, Chas E
Taylor, Samuel M
Vorhies, Mr H (2)
Weber, Mrs Engelbert

Persons calling for the above, please say advertised. E. R. POPE, Postmaster.

M. H. A.
MUSIC HALL.
MONDAY, OCTOBER 20.
Special engagement of America's greatest actress, Miss Margaret Mather, supported by Mr. Otis Skinner and a powerful New York Company, in a production of John Tobin's famous comedy,
THE HONEYMOON.
Special scenery, new and beautiful costumes.
PRICES—35, 50, 75c., and $1.00.
Seats on sale Friday. 10 15 td

The Home Building & Loan Ass'n
Will open its Sixth Series at the next meeting, October 20, 1890, in the W. C. T. U. rooms, 73 West Front street.
The present condition of the outstanding series is:

| Series No. | Amount paid. | Earned value. |
|---|---|---|
| 1 | 30 | $33 20 |
| 2 | 24 | 26 00 |
| 3 | 18 | 19 07 |
| 4 | 12 | 12 48 |
| 5 | 6 | 6 12 |

P. R. STRUTHERS, Sec'y.
10 15a18

WILL LEAVE SOON.
CLAIRVOYANT
Mrs. DR. EDWARDS,
Having fully recovered, will remain for a Few Weeks Longer, before she leaves for the South. She can be seen from 9 to 9 o'clock, as usual, at the *CITY HOTEL, ROOM 4.* Call at once, as *this is your last opportunity.*
Mrs. DR. EDWARDS, the greatest and the most celebrated CLAIRVOYANT in the World, and is known in this country from Maine to Mexico. She was born with the wonderful gift of second sight, and with a veil. She is the seventh daughter of the seventh daughter. She reveals every mystery; tells you if the one you love is true or false. She removes every grief, settles lovers' troubles, and causes speedy love marriages. She gives reliable information to gentlemen in all business transactions, and informs them how to make profitable investments and acquire speedy riches. She tells lucky lottery numbers. She has an Ostris Egyptian Talisman, which is noted all the world over, as a specific charm for the unlucky. All who are in trouble or sick, should call without delay.
Ladies 50c to $1. Gentlemen $1.
10 15 w

## DEATHS.

JONES—In North Plainfield, Oct. 13, William E. Jones, age 65 years.
Funeral services from his late residence, 208 Somerset street, Thursday, Oct. 16, at 2 P. M., and from the First Baptist church at 2:30 P. M.

MUMFORD—In this city, October 13, of consumption, Louis Bleecker Mumford, eldest son of Benjamin A. and Maria P. Mumford, in the 23d year of his age.
Funeral services from the residence of his parents, 179 Arlington avenue, Thursday, Oct. 16, at 3 P. M. Interment private. 2t

## WANTS AND OFFERS.

*Advertisements under this heading, one cent for each word each insertion.*

SMALL house, six rooms, near depot, to let to small family, from Nov. 1. Apply at PRESS office. 10 15 4

WANTED—First-class colored waiter. Van Court Inn, Roselle, N. J. 10 15 w

WANTED—A girl for general housework; must be competent and bring good references. Apply 108 Broadway. 10 15 3

FOR SALE—Horse, 5 years, harness and phaeton, cheap. Box 42, Dunellen. 10 15 4

WANTED—Good laundress; permanent place, good wages. VanCourt Inn, Roselle, N. J. 10 15 w

FOR RENT—As a Hall or Club Room, or for business purposes, a handsomely finished room, about 16 feet by 54, up one short flight of stairs, No. 4 North avenue. Apply at PRESS office.

WANTED—2 or 3 unfurnished rooms south of Park ave. Address E., DAILY PRESS 10 15 2

COLUMBIA Safety Bicycle for sale. Call at PRESS office. 10 15 tf

WANTED—Office girl or boy, between 13 and 15 years. Apply City Hotel, Room 4.

FOR SALE—A pair of educated Ponies, perfectly gentle, and free from all vices; good drivers; any lady can handle them; are afraid of nothing, except the whip. Jet black, heavy manes and tails; very stylish, only six and seven years old; both good saddle ponies; one has been driven single. Price $400. Good reasons given for selling. Address Henry H. Wobbe, corner John and Morris streets, New Brunswick, N. J. 10 14 3

WANTED—Respectable (colored) woman to wash and iron for a small family. 192 W. Front street. 10 14 2

TO LET, with or without board, first floor front room, large bay window; heat and gas. 8 Central avenue. 10 14 3

WANTED—Steady, industrious man, as servant in private family. References required. Address E. V., PRESS office. 10 14 2

FOUR houses to let. Inquire City Mills, Somerset street. 10 14 tf

WANTED—A competent chambermaid and waitress. Apply to 35 Lafrande avenue. 10 14 2

TRUCK farm for sale; eleven acres, with good house and barn, 3 miles from Plainfield. Apply to W. C. Butler, 1 E. Front street. 10 13 tf

TO LET—Furnished or unfurnished house, No. 19 East Seventh street. 10 11 tf

ROOMS, with or without board. 21 West 2d street. 10 9 12

FOR SALE—A second hand piano, in good condition. Inquire 107 Park avenue. 9 22 tf

LADIES doing their own dressmaking or employing plain seamstress, can secure perfect fit and pattern for future use. Taylor system. Miss A. T. Buckley, 27 West 4th street. 9 22 tf

STORAGE for furniture in separate rooms. Apply to C. Frank French, 69 somerset st. 9 2 tf

WANTED—Jobbing at painting, glazing, kalsomining and roof painting. Address Isaac Kennedy, 53 East Front street. tf

WANTED—Work cleaning Vaults and Cesspools. Satisfaction guaranteed. City Odorless Excavating Works, 252 Broadway. Mrs. David Jones, Proprietor. No connection with JOHN & CO. 6-11-tf

OUR MOTTO—LOWEST PRICES CONSISTENT WITH GOOD QUALITY AND HONEST QUANTITY
The choicest Creamery Butter that can be produced
Apollinaris Water; pints, $1.50, quarts, 93 dozen; Belfast Ginger Ale, $1.40 dozen.
Excelsior Sugar Cured Hams are the best—15c.
The finest Java and Mocha coffee in town, and the prices are right. Won't be undersold for same quality of goods. P. M. DEMAREST.
25 PARK AVENUE. 2-5-t

M. H. A.
MUSIC HALL.
TO-NIGHT!
The Famous Extravaganza of America,
Rice's Beautiful Evangeline!
Under the immediate supervision of Mr. E. E. RICE. Mr. CHAS. J. RICH, proprietor and manager, with its wealth of captivating attractions.
40 Artists in the great company. More bewitching, more charming, more entrancing than ever. Gorgeous and dazzling costumes; new and elaborate scenery; sumptuous in productions; music to charm the ear; costumes to dazzle the eye; comedians to make merry; marches that enchant; scenery that bewilders in the Grand March of the Amazons! The armor dresses are pronounced the most dazzling and beautiful ever seen on the American stage.
Prices 75, 50 and 35c. Best Seats $1 00.
Seats on sale Monday. 10 10 td

Dudley Buck Quartette!
Assisted by
ADOLF GLOSE, Pianist,
CHARLES ROBERTS, Reader.
Music Hall.
Thursday Evening, October 16.
Tickets for sale at Randolph's and Miller's drug stores.
Usual Music Hall prices. 10-13 4

Assignee's Sale.
Wm. M. Stillman, assignee of Carney Bros., plumbers, will sell at public auction, at the store and premises known as No. 9 Somerset street, now occupied by said Carney Bros., on
Tuesday, October 21st,
next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, a lot of stoves, ranges, boilers, heaters, refrigerators, pumps, water-backs, and other plumbing and tinning material, being a part of the stock in trade of said Carney Bros., to be sold for the benefit of their creditors.
Sale absolute. Terms made known on day of sale. WM. M. STILLMAN, Assignee.
T. J. GILLIES, Auctioneer. 10 14 w

BUY
PERFECT PARLOR STOVES
AND
Othello Ranges.
Choice Timothy Seed.
Furnaces Cleaned and Repaired.
Hot Water, Hot Air and Steam Fitting.
A. M. GRIFFEN
13 East Front Street.
TELEPHONE CALL 5.

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Freight and Baggage delivered to any part of the city. Satisfaction guaranteed. Charges reasonable. Orders may be left at W. F. Adams', 10 Park avenue.
W. S. AYERS. JAS. E. TOTTEN.
(Late with Adams Ex. Co.) 10 13 w

LYMAN & ANTHONY,
REAL ESTATE
AND INSURANCE AGENTS,
61 NORTH AVE., opposite Depot. 3-25-y

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PAINTING,
Nos. 10 and 10 1-2 PARK AVENUE.
MARSH & AYERS.
Jobbing promptly attended to. First-class work guaranteed. Prices reasonable. Estimates promptly furnished.
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The Reina Victoria Segar
Is an *ELEGANT* 10c *SEGAR.*
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B. T. Barnes'
Flaxseed and Lemon
COUGH DROPS.
Opposite Postoffice.
12-13-tf

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LOW PRICES.
At C. W. FORCE'S.
FALL AND WINTER GOODS.
11 West Front Street.

HOAGLAND'S
EXPRESS.
OFFICE—39 North Avenue
Opposite Railroad Station.
8-15 tf

ARNOLD,
THE GROCER!
92 Somerset St., opp. Emily.
SOUTH PLAINFIELD.
4-15-tf

J. BARTON KLINE. JAS. W. DAVIS.
DEALERS IN
Coal, Wood, Hay, Feed,
Straw and Grain.
TELEPHONE CALL, 58.
Yards—Corner of Front St. & Grant Ave
BRANCH OFFICE—North Ave., opposite Station.
The *BEST GRADES OF EVERYTHING* at the *MOST LIBERAL PRICES.* 9-6-t

PECK'S CORSETS.
A REMARK IN PASSING:
"PECK!
Is Always Getting in New Goods!"

SEBRING'S,
LARGE STOCK OF
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## NEWS FROM OUR NEIGHBORS.

**What is Going on Among the People Back of the Borough—A Horse Kicks a Man Senseless—A Silk Mill Enterprise—Various Items of Interest from Clever Correspondents.**

WASHINGTONVILLE, October 15.

John Allen, of Delevan, Ill., who was brought up on the old Allen homestead now occupied by Aaron and Elias Allen, and who has been visiting the relatives and friends of his youth, will return home next week. Aaron Allen, his grandson, and Harry Coddington have preceded him to his home in the West. The old homestead here was owned by the Allens before the Revolution.

Warren Ross, of this place, was attending to his duties in Mr. Platt's stable yesterday when a vicious horse without warning kicked him in the side and knocked him senseless to the floor. When the sufferer recovered consciousness it was found that two of his ribs were fractured.

*Robert Clark is in the West on a business tour.* He will go as far as Milwaukee.

Andrew Wilson has purchased a fine young grey horse, which he intends to use in his ice business.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen H. Beeching, of Basking Ridge, spent Sunday with relatives in this place.

Miss Florence E. Overbaugh, of Elizabeth, paid a visit to her friend, Miss Rosie Bartells, Sunday.

The funeral of Samuel Marston, formerly a resident of this place, took place from the home of his son-in-law, G. W. Warren in Brooklyn, last Sunday. The deceased had reached the advanced age of 82 years.

Several residents claim to have felt both of the shocks occasioned by the recent explosion of the Dupont Powder Works. The tremor, which was quite perceptible, was at first thought to be caused by an explosion in the Wilson quarry, but no blast had been set off last week at all. The full account of the Dupont explosion in THE PRESS, cleared the mystery. This mountain chain extends in a direct line to Delaware, and it is supposed that the shock followed along the hills.

JOSH BUNCOMBE.

STERLING, October 15.

The pretty little hamlet of Sterling is again the busy place of former days. A new silk mill is being erected, much larger than the old one, while a large addition is being made to the old mill. From 300 to 400 new hands will be employed.

Constable James Havey, whose weight is over 225 pounds, has a way, peculiar to himself, of dealing with disorderly Italians or other miscreants who break the peace by their occasional quarrels, or through their having imbibed too freely in beverages. When he finds two of them fighting, he just knocks their heads together until they have enough. He then lets them go. "Drunks and disorderlies" he locks in one of the empty freight cars that is on the switch, to be taken away during the night to nobody knows where. The respect with which he is treated, and the awe he inspires by this summary mode of dealing out justice is as great as that aroused by a regularly commissioned court. But he says he is losing the tricks, as the miscreants now even steal the turnips and cabbage out of his garden at night. He caught one, but he escaped out of his grasp, and got away in the midnight darkness.

ETHELRED EGBERTSON.

**Married at High Mass.**

During high mass at eight o'clock this morning, the marriage took place at St. Mary's church of Miss Sarah McNally, of this city, and Edw. Connolly, of Easton. Father Stafford officiated. A feature of the ceremony was the music by Mrs. Ronan, the organist, who played the bridal march from Lohengrin, and Mendelssohn's wedding march, and sang as a solo Millard's "Ave Maria." The "best man" was P. Keefe, and the maid of honor Miss Annie Winn. The bride wore a handsome costume of white silk, and carried a bouquet of tea roses. The maid of honor wore cream silk and point-lace, also adorned with tea roses.

The groom is connected with the Scott printing machine works, and the new couple will make their home in this city after a wedding trip to Niagara and elsewhere. The bride's sister, Mrs. John Kyle, will tender them a reception at her home on Richmond street, this evening.

**Rice's Beautiful Evangeline.**

Ever delightful "Evangeline," sweet and welcome with its music, gorgeous with its brilliant costumes, and altogether the most popular of all of E. E. Rice's tuneful and lavish productions, comes to Music Hall for one evening only, to-night. The great cast of artists will present Miss Lillian Walters, a beautiful young artiste from the Rice & Dixey's "Seven Ages" Company, as *Evangeline*, and shapely and winsome Geraldine McCann from Dixey's "Adonis" Company, will appear as dashing *Gabriel*. All the famous features of the play, with its wealth of costumes, stage full of special scenery, the sportive whale, gaily dressed artists, the lonely fisherman, and the march of the amazons, will be presented. "Rice's Beautiful Evangeline" can well be said to be the household and favorite extravaganza of this country, and each year adds to its attractions and welcome.

$500 Reward for an incurable case of chronic Nasal Catarrh is offered by the manufacturers of Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy.

## PRESERVING HUSBANDS.

**How to Treat Men So That They Will Prove a Joy Forever**

At a recent meeting of the Woman's Club at Marshalltown, Ia., Mrs. H. C. Young caused quite a stir by her response to the toast: "Our Husbands." Quoting Burns, Mrs. Young began:

"Husband, husband, cease your strife,
No longer idly rave, sir;
Though I am your wedded wife
Yet I'm not your slave, sir."

"How shall we preserve our husbands?" continued Mrs. Young. "In selecting your husband you should not be guided by the silvery appearance, as in mackerel. Nor by the golden tint as found in salmon. Be sure to select him yourself, as tastes differ. Do not go to market for him, as the best are always brought to your door. It is far better to have none, unless you know how to preserve them. Some women do this by keeping him in hot water. Others let them freeze by their carelessness and indifference. Some keep them in a stew by irritating ways and moods. Others roast them or keep them in pickle all their lives.

"It can not be expected that any husband will be tender and good managed in this way. The only true way to do with him is to preserve him. To do this you must have a preserving kettle of the finest porcelain; or if that is unattainable, an earthenware pipkin will do with care. See that the linen in which he is to be preserved is nicely prepared. Tie him in the kettle with a strong silk cord called 'comfort,' as the one called 'duty' is apt to be weak, and he might fly out of the kettle and be burned. (You must remember that husbands are like crabs and lobsters; they have to be prepared while alive.) Make a clear, steady fire out of love, neatness and cheerfulness. Set him as near the fire as seems to agree with him. If he sputters and fizzles, do not be anxious. Some husbands will do this until they are quite done. Add a little sugar occasionally in the form of what confectioners call 'kisses,' but be careful to avoid pepper or vinegar, as these things spoil the flavor. A little spice improves them, but it must be used with good judgment. Do not stick any sharp instrument into him to see if he is becoming tender. But stir him gently, watching the while lest he lie too flat and close in the kettle, for then he soon becomes spoiled and useless. Watch him carefully and you can not fail to know when he is done.

"If thus treated, you will find you have a well-preserved husband that will prove a joy to you and the children, and he will keep as long as you need him unless you become careless and set him in too cold a place.

"'A king for the beautiful realm called home,
And a man that the Maker, God,
Shall look upon as he did the first
And say—it is very good.'"

**One of the White Caps Denies the High School's Victory.**

TO THE EDITOR OF THE PRESS:—I observe that the High School Base Ball Team have emerged from the seclusion of the past two years into the sunlight of publicity through the medium of a report in your paper of a game of base ball said to have been played between that team and the "White Caps" on Friday last. This report I take to be an inspiration of one of the players of the High School team, and through an inadvertance, to put it mildly, contains a reflection on the well deserved reputation of the "White Caps," which, I hope, you will allow me to remove.

With the exception of a change in the catcher, this same High School team were defeated the week before by substantially the same nine which played against them in Friday's game, this being the only game which they have succeeded in winning out a series of four. While some of the "White Caps" have taken part in these games (only five) the team cannot by any means be considered the "White Caps." The regular pitcher of that club is suffering from a broken arm, and the success of the High School team in this single instance is mainly due to the fact that they had the catcher of the "White Caps" to serve in that capacity for them.

It will be quite time enough for the High School team to talk about a victory over the "White Caps," when they are prepared to consider their refusal of last week, to play that club, before Friday's match was arranged.

ONE OF THE "WHITE CAPS."

**To-Morrow Evening's Entertainment.**

The attraction offered to-morrow evening, including the great Dudley Buck Quartette, Roberts, the reader, and Glose, the pianist, will be a programme of its kind that will probably never be equalled in this city again this season. The entertainment will begin at 8:15 o'clock at Music Hall. Admission, 50 cents.

The quartette is composed of the following soloists: H. E. Distelhurst, first tenor, soloist All Souls' Unitarian church, New York; Chas. Stuart Phillips, second tenor, soloist Central Congregational church, Brooklyn; Everitt S. Swalm, first bass, soloist Ross Street Presbyterian church, Brooklyn; Frederic Reddall, second bass, soloist Lafayette Avenue Presbyterian church, Brooklyn.

**Stanley Coming to Plainfield.**

Effort is being made to persuade Explorer Stanley to visit Plainfield before he returns to England. If he does, this city will be favored beyond any other of its size. It is to be hoped, therefore, for the sake of Plainfield, that this endeavor to bring fame to the city will meet with the financial support necessary for its accomplishment.

## IN ROYAL CIRCLES.

THE Empress of Austria is charged with smoking from thirty to forty cigarettes a day.

EMPEROR WILLIAM has only portraits of Bismarck and Von Moltke in the music-room of his private yacht, the Hohenzollern.

THE German Emperor is a clever artist, and can dash off a bold sketch in oil that would be creditable to many professional painters.

PRINCE ALBERT VICTOR is the only son of a Prince of Wales who has taken his seat in the House of Lords before his father's accession to the throne.

QUEEN VICTORIA has sent a splendid cradle, richly ornamented, to her great-grandson, the infant of the Duke and Duchess of Sparta, and the whole outfit for the child was bought in England by the Empress Frederick.

CARMEN SYLVA, the Roumanian Queen, was admitted into the Bardic Circle at the recent Welsh Eistedfodd and given the blue ribbon of the order. She didn't have to ride the goat, but was compelled to listen to the singing of a large number of Welsh poems.

BISMARCK is not a good conversationalist and is a worse orator. While making a public address he sways himself backward and forward, twirls his thumbs, occasionally looks at a scrap of paper upon which he has written some notes, and altogether is a very good imitation of a man who is embarrassed if not intimidated. Still Bismarck always manages to say something worth while.

FEW Princesses in the royal and semi-royal houses of Europe are so sensible as the Princess Maria Anna of Portugal, who is about to marry an untitled doctor of medicine. In reply to an intimate friend who asked her recent how she could marry a man of such low rank, when so many princely suitors were at her disposal, she said: "I prefer to marry a man without a name, rather than a name without a man."

QUEEN VICTORIA'S family circle now numbers fifty living descendants, including sons and daughters, grandsons, granddaughters, great-grandsons and great granddaughters. Besides these she has four sons-in-law, four daughters-in-law, five grandsons-in-law, and one granddaughter-in-law. The Queen has lost one son and one daughter, five grandsons, one granddaughter, one great-grandson and one son-in-law. If these were living, her family circle would number seventy-four.

LADY EDITH WARD, the prospective bride of Count Herbert Bismarck, is said to be very highly educated but not beautiful. She is tall, with rather dull, brown eyes, and wears her hair braided around her head in somewhat antiquated fashion. Young Bismarck's father is not in favor of the match. Lady Edith was presented at court, at her Majesty's last drawing-room, by her mother, the Countess of Dudley, and was attractively attired in white corded silk draped with soft silk crape and pearl trimmings.

THE Duchess of Buccleugh—with other leaders of London fashion has decided that "society" must be protected from the inroads of financiers and Americans. Next year, no American is to be recognized socially who is not properly introduced by the United States Minister at the court of St. James. These aristocratic confederates regard the Prince and Princess of Wales as inexcusably tolerant of the newly rich, and at her Grace of Buccleugh's late ball and garden party, which were very splendid affairs, hardly an American, a financier or a "cotton lord" was to be seen, though the Marlborough House garden-party swarmed with them.

## IN RESPECT TO RAILROADS.

THE first road to carry passengers or freight was the Baltimore & Ohio.

THE railroad bridges of this country would reach from New York to Liverpool.

AMERICAN railroads would reach half way to the moon, but trains don't go in that direction.

THE average cost of constructing a mile of railroad in the United States at the present time is about $30,000.

IT is estimated that the number of passengers carried by all the railroads in the world average 6,500,000 a day.

THE rails on railroads in this country laid in a continuous line make twelve girdles for the earth's circumference.

A LOCOMOTIVE on the Mississippi Valley road hauled 150 loaded cars with 1,844,851 pounds of freight, the total estimated weight of the haul being 5,442,831 pounds.

DURING the last ten years the South has built nearly 20,000 miles of new railroad, an increase of about 100 per cent. over 1880, the total mileage for this section at present being over 40,000.—Baltimore Manufacturer's Record.

THE railway mileage of Kansas, according to the State Board of Assessors, consists of 8,763 miles of main lines, which are assessed at from $4,000 to $7,500 per mile, the aggregate value of all railway property in the State being fixed for assessment purposes at $57,866,232.

THE car works all over the country have advanced the prices of building passenger coaches. A coach which was built a year ago for $5,200 the works will not build now for less than $5,500, and the car works are steadily advancing the price of box and coal cars.

STRETTON, the eminent English engineer, says that a locomotive of the present type can run only the least trifle faster than eighty miles an hour. A higher speed is prevented by the resistance of the air, the friction, and the fact of the back pressure in the cylinders because of the impossibility of getting the exhaust steam out fast enough.

A RAILROAD in Asia Minor from Scutari to Ismidt is to be extended to India and will be the grand transdivision line between Europe and Asia. It passes near the tomb of Hannibal. Nicomedia is a way station. It crosses streams on repaired bridges that were built by Justinian, and altogether has a right of way through more ancient history than any other road on earth.

## HUMOR OF THE SCHOOL-ROOM.

A SCHOOL-TEACHER asked an Irish boy to describe an island. "Sure, ma'am," said Pat, "it's a place you can't lave widout a boat."

SCHOOL VISITOR (to bad boy)—"My son, what branches do you pursue?" Bad Boy—"I don't pursue any; the teacher does all the chasin'."

A MICHIGAN teacher received in one pupil's grammar papers this illustration of the degrees of comparison: "Positive, first; comparative, next; superlative, last."

SCHOOL-TEACHER (severely)—"You are half an hour late this morning." Little boy (who was "kept in" the day before)—"Yes'm. It was late yeste'day when I got home."

TEACHER (reading)—"'Let down your sable shade, oh night, and hide this sad earth from my sight.' That's poetry. How would you express the same idea in prose? Well, Johnny?" Johnny—"Pull down the blind."

"WHERE is the island of Cuba situated?" asked a school-teacher of a small, rather forlorn-looking boy. "I dunno, sir." "Don't you know where your sugar comes from?" "Yes, sir; we borrows it from our next door neighbor."

TEACHER—"It seems you are never able to answer any of my questions. How is this, my little boy?" "If I knew all the things you asked me, ma'am, father wouldn't go to the trouble of sending me here," replied Johnny.

HERE is an excuse brought one day by a tall, red-haired boy of seventeen to his teacher: "Dere Cir—Pleze to eggcuse Henry for absents yisterday. We made sourkrout and he had to tromp it down. Allso he had to Help bucher 2 pigs. Respeckful yuers, His Pap.

TEACHER—"Bobby Swapples, what is a quadruped?" Bobby—"A quadruped is an animal with four legs." Teacher—"Right; now give me an example of a quadruped." Bobby—"A horse." Teacher—"Right; can you give me another example?" Bobby (enlightened after much thought)—"Another horse."

SCHOOL-BOY (poring over his lesson)—"Father, what language do they speak in Chili?" Father—"H'm! The language spoken in Chili, my son, the—er—language spoken—er—in Chili is—do you find that question in the book you are studying, my son?" School-boy—"No, but I thought I'd like to know." Father (severely)—"Then don't ask it, my son."

ENOUGH for One Day.—"O, mother," cried a North Side youngster who had been visiting an elder brother in school, "I learned lots to-day." "What was one thing you learned?" asked the fond parent. "I learned in the 'rithmetic class," was the reply, "that the square of the base and perpendicular of a right-handled triangle is equal to the sum of the hippopotamus."

"NOW, JOHN," replied the schoolmaster to one of his scholars, "your father told me that you get no further forward in your learning; now, I want you to answer me several questions. In that bush yonder there are five birds. If I took my gun and shot three of them, how many would there be left?" "None," replied John. "Just as I expected," said the schoolmaster, stamping his foot on the floor; "now tell me the reason." "Well," replied John, "if there were five birds and you shot three, the other two would fly away, wouldn't they, stupid?"

## WISE WORDS TO WOMEN.

DON'T be rash enough to use any cosmetic containing white lead or arsenic unless you are anxious to disfigure yourself.

THE effect of gum-chewing has been studied carefully by an expert. In gum-chewing the masseter muscles which move the jaw are abnormally developed, and the fatty substance which produces fair, plump checks is deteriorated.

WHATEVER culture tempers, tones and sweetens her impulses, making her better, gentler and nobler than man, is the grandest education woman can espouse. These are the charms that last forever, but outweigh imported bonnets and gowns, that survive beauty, that soften age and crown her queen of hearts.

GOOD husbands can not be spoiled by petting. Bad ones will not be made worse by the process; they may be made better. One and all, they like it. Not only fondling and love-words, but to have their home-comings at evening to be accounted events; they enjoy pretty surprises and favorite dishes, the flower laid by the plate, the becoming gown or ribbon put on to please their eyes. It is the "little by little" that makes up the weal or woe of life.

THE dress of a woman reflects her discernment and love of the beautiful, and a harmonious and appropriate costume is invariably the index to a well-ordered mind. As the poet clothes his fancies in the fittest phrases to produce the desired impression of lyrical beauty, as the painter adapts his artistic means to his end so as to bring about a symmetrical effect, so does a woman reveal her refinement and sense of the fitness of things when the grace of her person is one with her costume.

ANY woman who puts lemon juice, brilliantine or belladonna in her eyes deserves to see the world through shades and spectacles. Pinch your brows, clip your lashes and rouge your lids all you like, but in the name of clear sight and perfect vision don't tamper with heaven's best blessing. If clear, cool water and plenty of sleep will not brighten your orbs be content with the knowledge that the dull tone is par excellent. Even soap is a horror, and the pain resulting from a dash of suds needs only to be felt to be feared.

THE use of the tooth brush in connection with powders, washes or other treatment of the teeth, should be gentle. Bleeding of the gums is always a danger signal. It shows that the skin has been broken, inviting the absorption into the system of any poisonous or foreign matters which may be present in the mouth. If the gums are very tender, a soft brush should be used, and used very gently, till they have hardened sufficiently to withstand more vigorous treatment. Even then, you will be apt to err on the side of harshness.

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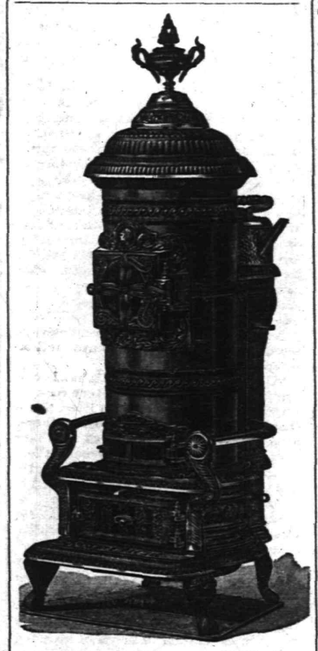

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**Graceful Carmencita Has a Rival and Both Are Captivating New York with Sensuous Wriggling in the Spanish Style.**

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[Special Correspondence.]

Carmencita, the Pearl of Selville, the admiration of New York and the great chief wriggler of all creation, is going to become an actress. She will enlarge her sphere.

Competition is the cause of it. Carmencita is no longer the only exponent of Spain's sensuous graces in the dance. Senorita Otero has made a start in the same line of business, and the result is that which follows competition everywhere, namely, more of the commodity can be had for the same money.

This suggests the consideration of one notable peculiarity of Carmencita's success, the public has seen so very little

AN INTRODUCTORY POSE.

of her. I am not now referring to the fact that she dances in skirts, but to the exceeding brevity of her performances.

At Niblo's where she made her first conquest of New York, she danced not more than three minutes each night. At the concert hall, where she is now the leading attraction, she has been but little more liberal with the public.

In explanation, it has been said that no human being could stand it to dance long as Carmencita does. A spectator might well believe this.

All the muscles in Carmencita's body—including, apparently, several hundred which are not found in most of us—are employed in the production of gyrations such as threaten to rend her comely form to bits. In fact, despite her lively kicking, she dances least of all with the apparatus usually employed in such performances. Her body and her arms do an incredible work.

Hitherto, Carmencita has been the

IN THE "CACHUCHA."

jewel in a very dull setting of condensed comic opera. Recently, a mutilated fragment of "La Fille de Madame Angot" has been abused for this purpose. But now she will have a whole play, though not a very long one.

When this idea dawned upon the management its brilliancy was obscured by a slight cloud: Carmencita can not speak English. Of course she has picked up a little of the language, but when she uses it our mother tongue is put through wilder convulsions than is the pretty Spaniard's body in her wildest cachucha.

And Carmencita, so widely advertised, so much written about in the papers, is still a novelty. I was convinced of it when I saw her one evening last week. The hall was well filled an hour before

"EYES SO TRISTFUL."

her appearance while jugglers and funny men were occupying the stage. Then came "La Fille de Madame Angot," and when in the midst of it Carmencita was announced, there was genuinely enthusiastic expectancy. But the dance didn't set people crazy. It was over so soon that many had only begun to realize its unusual character. There were two or three recalls rewarded by just a few little kicks apiece, and that was all. A fifth of the spectators, perhaps, inquired if that was all

A POSE IN "EL VITO."

of Carmencita, and then as those who have seen a curiosity and suppose that they ought to be satisfied. Two of the four "gaiety dancers" who appeared later in the evening had more personal admirers, if one might judge by applause. But if either of those girls had danced for one minute after the fashion of Carmencita, she would have been nothing but a mass of dislocations and fractures at the end of it.

She has a very supple figure. Not one woman in a hundred could ever learn, or could have been taught, if the lessons had begun in girlhood, to bend the spine as Carmencita can. If her movements were not so rapid their analogy to those of the ordinary contortionist would be perceptible.

Then she has been well trained. She talks a good deal about inspiration—says that she has only the general idea of a dance in her mind when she goes upon the stage—but careful work under a thoroughly competent teacher has made her what she is. To lapse into a descriptive "bull," she does very clever sleight-of-hand work with her body. She stands, let us say, with her arms

INTENSELY SPANISH.

extended as one of the pictures shows her. Then she bends backward, oh! so far backward, till you think her head will certainly fall off. Suddenly she turns her body a little to one side, but so quickly and with such a deceptive wave of the hands that your heart comes up into your mouth, for you think that her body has whirled clear around on her spine as an axis.

She can do a hundred such tricks as that. The positions which she really assumes are not a thousandth part so miraculous as those she makes one think she has assumed.

As to her kicking, well, it is graceful

BEGINNING "EL VITO," THE HAT DANCE.

enough, and not at all improper, but I will defy anybody to fix his attention upon that part of the performance. The spectator with any soul at all will watch Carmencita's body, not her legs. That body, writhing with a thousand undulations, has not only the grace but the charm of a serpent. And here again it is trickery, although thoroughly artistic and therefore pardonable.

Carmencita's grace is that of motion rather than position. I can not say that I admire all her poses. She has a queer way of getting into some of them with a snap that would break a less talented young lady in two. And her motions, as I have said, are so deceptive, so nearly impossible to follow. If it were possible to get instantaneous photographs of her most rapid twists and flings, I am inclined to believe that they would be as surprising to lovers of the dance as the pictures of the running horse were to "old sports" some years ago.

#### Willie's Theory.

Willie—I found a clam-shell on the beach this morning.

Johnny—Was there any clam in it?

Willie—No. I think he must have got drowned.—Harper's Young People.

## HE HELD THE BAG.

**But the Old Trick Didn't Work, for the Boston Man Caught the Rabbit.**

Some time since a gentleman from Boston went to an Illinois town seeking rest and pleasure, says the St. Louis Republic. The gentleman knew all about Boston baked beans and brown bread, but very little about the long-eared Illinois rabbit. One afternoon a number of men and boys were discussing the matter of the great number of rabbits in the country this season, as it was thought they were all exterminated last winter. Some one in the crowd remarked that it would be good fun to go out "bagging" rabbits. The Boston man, not knowing what "bagging" rabbits meant, began to inquire. It was explained to him, and he expressed himself anxious to engage in such sport. It was arranged to go out to the timber east of the town that night and catch rabbits by the bagging process.

About 8:30 o'clock the crowd started. When about a half mile out of town they came to a hazel thicket where the rabbits were said to be numerous. The Boston man was stationed just outside of the thicket to hold the bag (a big coffee sack), while the boys went through the brush pretending to scare the rabbits out and run them into the sack. While going through the thicket the boys did actually scare up a rabbit, which ran directly into the bag.

The boys ran back to town and waited the coming of the bag-holder, who, they thought, would get lost in the timber and would be slow returning. They did not have long to wait, for in a few minutes in came the Boston man, the bag and rabbit on his shoulder, feeling happy, and remarking: "By gosh, I caught him."

Not yet discovering the trick that they had tried to play on him, he supposed that the rabbit was purposely driven in the sack.

The laugh was on the boys and the Boston man turned out to be the lion of the occasion, having bagged his game successfully. No more tricks have been played on the gentleman from Boston.

## DR. TODD'S MISTAKE.

**A Long-Winded Dissertation Ends in the Lecturer's Hasty Retreat.**

If old Dr. Todd, of the R—— Medical College, where he is one of the most learned and valuable lecturers, has a pet hobby, it is "emphysema." The doctor, says the Chicago Herald, has a theory that directly conflicts with the beliefs of nearly all of the other eminent practitioners of the world. He holds that all players upon wind instruments have diseased lungs. The affection so contracted he calls "emphysema." Twice a year he lectures learnedly on emphysema. He has even been heard to remark that through this malady, discovered by himself, his name will be handed down to the future ages. As we now speak of "Bright's disease," so will future generations refer to "Todd's disease." One day a tall, cadaverous-looking individual entered Dr. Todd's clinic. A glance sufficed to show that the patient was in the last stages of consumption.

"What is your occupation?" inquired the doctor.

"I play in a band," hoarsely wheezed the poor sufferer.

"Aha!" exclaimed Dr. Todd, turning to the class, "what have I so often told you, gentlemen? Here we have a fine case of emphysema." Then followed a long dissertation on the effects produced upon the lungs by continually blowing a wind instrument. The class listened with great attention. They were not exactly convinced, but they could not help admitting that the doctor for once was making a strong argument. When the latter had finished he turned triumphantly to the consumptive musician and asked, patronizingly:

"What wind instrument do you play, sir?"

"The bass drum," wheezed the gentleman.

## VOORHEES' ELOQUENCE.

**Emotional Oratory That Came to an Ignominious End.**

Senator Voorhees is an eloquent lawyer and is justly noted for his influence over a jury. Sometimes, however, he moves their sympathies and that of the court to no purpose, as one or two stories told in the *New York Tribune* will show.

He was once engaged in a suit before a justice of the peace to defend a young lady in an action against a bank. The case was a weak one, but Mr. Voorhees endeavored to work on the feelings of the court. He depicted the sufferings of his client until the sympathy of the "squire" was so aroused that tears trickled down the old gentleman's cheeks. But the decision was a disappointment.

"The plaintiff," said the squire, "is a woman, and her counsel has for the last hour touched the sympathy of the court in her behalf. I am glad of it; but I think, under the law, that justice is on the side of the bank. I therefore will find in favor of the bank, and let the record show that Mrs. —— has the full sympathy of the court."

Mr. Voorhees tells another story of emotional eloquence which came to an ignominious end. He had succeeded in delivering an appeal which had brought tears to the eyes of several jurymen. Then arose the prosecuting attorney, a gruff old man, with piping voice and nasal twang.

"Gentlemen," said he, deliberately helping himself to a pinch of snuff, "you might as well understand from the beginning that I am not boring for water."

This proved so effectual a wet blanket to the emotion excited by Mr. Voorhees that he realized the futility of his own "boring."

#### The Profit on the Nickel.

There has been a good deal said, and properly, about the profit made by the Government in coining dollars out of 75 cents' worth of silver, more or less. But how about the nickel 5-cent pieces? It is said that these pretty coins cost the United States just about a third of a cent each, and are issued for 5 cents, or fifteen times their value—a profit of about 1,400 per cent. Made up on that ratio the silver dollar would contain between 7 and 8 cents' worth of silver.

## THE YOSEMITE VALLEY

**A Fine Picture of the Beautiful Scenery to Be Found There.**

John Muir, writing in the Century, gives one of the best word paintings of the Sierra scenery ever put in print. Speaking of the Sierra range in which the Yosemite valley is situated, he says:

"In general views no mark of man is visible upon it, nor any thing to suggest the wonderful depth and grandeur of its sculpture. None of its magnificent, forest-crowned ridges seems to rise much above the general level to publish its wealth. No great valley or river is seen, or group of well marked features of any kind standing out as distinct pictures. Even the summit peaks, marshaled in glorious array so high in the sky, seem comparatively smooth and featureless. Nevertheless the whole range is furrowed with canyons to a depth of from 2,000 to 5,000 feet, in which once flowed majestic glaciers, and in which now flow and sing the bright Sierra rivers.

"Though of such stupendous depth, these canyons are not raw, gloomy, jagged-walled gorges, savage and inaccessible. With rough passages here and there, they are mostly smooth, open pathways conducting to the fountains of the summit; mountain streets full of life and light, graded and sculptured by the ancient glaciers, and presenting throughout all their courses a rich variety of novel and attractive scenery—the most attractive that has yet been discovered in the mountain ranges of the world. In many places—especially in the middle region of the western flank—the main canyons widen into spacious valleys or parks of charming beauty.

"The most famous and accessible of these canyon valleys, and also the one that presents their most striking and sublime features on the grandest scale is the Yosemite, situated on the upper waters of the Merced at an elevation of 4,000 feet above the level of the sea. It is about seven miles long, half a mile to a mile wide and nearly a mile deep, and is carved in the solid granite flank of the range. The walls of the valley are made up of rocks, mountains in size, partly separated from each other by side canyons and gorges; and they are so sheer in front, and so compactly and harmoniously built together on a level floor, that the place, comprehensively seen, looks like some immense hall or temple lighted from above.

"But no temple made with hands can compare with Yosemite. Every rock in its walls seems to glow with life. Some lean back in majestic repose; others, absolutely sheer, or nearly so for thousands of feet, advance beyond their companions in thoughtful attitudes, giving welcome to storms and calms alike, seemingly conscious, yet heedless of every thing going on about them. Awful in stern, immovable majesty, how softly these mountain rocks are adorned and how fine and reassuring the company they keep—their feet set in groves and gay emerald meadows, their brows in the thin blue sky, a thousand flowers leaning confidingly against their adamantine bosses, bathed in floods of booming water, floods of light, while snow, clouds, winds, avalanches, shine and sing and wreathe about them as the years go by! Birds, bees, butterflies and myriads of nameless wings stir the air into music and give glad animation. Down through the midst flows the crystal Merced—river of mercy—peacefully gliding, reflecting lilies and trees and the onlooking rocks, things frail and fleeting and types of endurance meeting here and blending in countless forms, as if into this one mountain mansion nature had gathered her choicest treasures, whether great or small, to draw her lovers into close and confiding communion with her.

"Sauntering towards Yosemite up the foot-hills, richer and wilder become the forests and streams. At an elevation of 6,000 feet above the level of the sea the silver firs are 200 feet high, with branches around the colossal shafts in regular order, and every branch beautifully pinnate like a fern leaf. The Douglas spruce and the yellow and sugar pines here reach their highest developments of beauty and grandeur, and the rich, brown-barked libocedrus, with warm, yellow-green plumes. The majestic sequoia, too, is here, the king of conifers, the noblest of a noble race. All these colossal trees are as wonderful in the fineness of their beauty and proportions as in stature, growing together, an assemblage of conifers surpassing all that have yet been discovered in the forests of the world. Here, indeed, is the tree-lover's paradise, the woods, dry and wholesome, letting in the light in shimmering masses, half sunshine, half shade, the air indescribably spicy and exhilarating, plushy fir boughs for beds, and cascades to sing us asleep as we gaze through the trees to the stars."

#### A Dove Attends Church.

A Massachusetts young lady reports that she saw an unusual attendant in a church in a rural Maine town, which she visited this summer. Hearing the cooing of a dove she looked around and saw a white dove perched on the organ and listening to the music with great appreciation. She learned afterwards that the dove had been a regular attendant at church for eight or ten years, being attracted by the music, of which it was very fond. It was twelve years old, and was the pet of a lady who lived near. After church the dove was taken to a Sunday-school class and seemed to enjoy the proceedings.

#### Going and Saying.

He sat and looked at the busy editor for about fifteen minutes steadily. Finally he yawned sleepily and remarked: "There are some things in this world that go without saying." "I know it," snapped the editor, "but there are too darned many things that say a good deal without going."

#### Heroes Are All Tall.

A study of novel heroes by the London Speaker discloses the fact that of 192 masculine characters in recent summer fiction almost half were described as being over six feet tall. None were under the average height. It is really too bad to put such finely-built gentlemen to such poor use.

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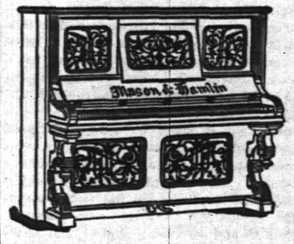


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| 2d trip | 8.15 | A. M. | to meet | 8.32 | A. M. train. |
| 3d | do | 9.15 | do | 9.32 | do |
| 4th | do | 10.00 | do | 10.37 | do |
| 5th | do | 11 00 | do | 11.24 | do |
| 6th | do | 11.45 | do | 12.06 | P.M. do |
| 7th | do | 1.45 | P. M. do | 2.15 & 2.35 | P.M. do |
| 8th | do | 2.45 | do | To the Post Office. | |
| 9th | do | 3.30 | do meet | 3 51 | P. M. train. |
| 10th | do | 5.00 | do do | 5.39 | do. |
| 11th | do | 5.45 | do do | 6.07 | do |
| 12th | do | 6.45 | do do | 7.02 | do |

Stage will also leave Plainfield ave. and 7th st., and Rockview and Mercer aves., North Plainfield, according to the above time table, and make same connections.

Stage will make return trips over above routes, leaving Plainfield depot as follows: 8.07, 9.22, 9.57, 10.10, 11.30 A. M. 2.04, 2.30, 3.45, 4.34, 5.30, 6.35, P. M.

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For Philadelphia—1 00, 6 57, 7 59, 9 05, 9 35, 11 27 A.M.; 12 55, 1 39, 2 54, 5 15, 6 37, 7 49, 9 39 P.M. Sundays at 1 00, 6 59, 9 05, 9 35, 10 41 A. M.; 5 40 7 47 and 9 39 P. M.

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For Lambertville and Phillipsburg only, 1 39 P.M.

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Central Railroad of New Jersey.
Station in New York foot of Liberty Street. Time Table in effect, June 22, 1890.

PLAINFIELD AND NEW YORK.

Leave Plainfield 3 37, 5 24, 5 36, 6 29, 6 59, 7 25 7 50, 7 58, 8, 8 15, 8 31, 8 57, 9 32, 10 05, 11 09, 12 20, A. M., 1 47, 2 07, 2 30, 5 15, 6 01, 5 08, 6 30, 6 07, 6 54, 7 05, 8 31? 9 25, 10 12, 11 28 P. M. Sunday—3 37, 5 24, 8 01, 8 52, 11 02, 11 16 A. M., 12 33, 1 33, 3 30, 5 16 7 01, 7 10, 8 23, 8 52, 10 02 P. M.

Leave New York from foot of Liberty street, 4 30, 5 45, 7, 7 45, 10, 11 30 A. M., 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4, 4 30, 5, 5 15, 5 30, 5 45, 6, 6 15, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 8, 8 30, 9 15, 10, 11 30 P. M., 12 15, night. Sunday—4 30, 7 8 30, 9, 9 30, A. M., 12 M., 1, 1 15, 4, 5 30, 6, 7, 9 00, 10 00 P. M., 12 15 night.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield 5 38, 6 29, 6 59, 7 30, 8, 8 37, 9 32, 10 05, 11 09, 11 59 A. M., 1, 2 07, 2 30, 3 12, 3 51, 5 05, 5 31, 6 07, 6 54, 7 05, 8 31, 10 12, 11 28 P. M. Sunday—8 01, 8 52, 11 02, 11 16, A. M., 12 33, 1 30, 3 30, 5 16, 7 01, 7 10, 8 23, 8 52, 10 02 P. M.

Leave Newark 7 10, 7 50, 8 55, 10 10, 11 05 A. M., 1 05, 1 35, 2 40, 3 40, 4 02, 4 37, 5 05, 5 50, 6 25, 7 15, 7 35, 8 20, 9 25, 11 25 P. M. Sunday—7 20, 8 40, 9 05, 9 50, A. M., 12 05, 1 10, 4 10, 5 40, 6 05, 7 05, 9 25, 10 20 P. M.

Passengers for Newark change cars at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7, 8 07, 9 42, 11, 11 58 A. M., 1 10, 2 22, 3 45, 4 54, 5 20, 5 54, 6 20, 6 38, 7 00, 7 12, 9 20, 9 45, 11 12, 12 43 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 13, A. M., 2 05, 6 25 P. M.

Leave Somerville, 6, 6 30, 7 08, 7 25, 7 35, 7 48 9 05, 9 47, 11 15 A. M., 12 32, 1 15, 1 48, 3 05, 3 3 4 40, 5 12, 5 55, 8 05, 8 50, 11 05, P. M. Sunday—8 25, 10 35 A. M., 12 08, 105, 4 50, 6 40, 8 03, 8 05, 9 30 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7, 8 07, 9 42, A. M., 2 59, 4 54, 5 20, 6 38, 9 30 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 13, A. M., 2 05, 6 25 P. M.

Leave Easton 6 05, 8 44, 10 A. M., 12 32, 4 09, 6 49 P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 02, A. M., 6 40, 7 20 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 9 42 A. M., 5 20 P. M.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.
LEAVE PLAINFIELD.

5 45 A. M. for Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

7 A. M. for High Bridge Branch and Easton.

8 07 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 42 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, D L & W R R, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Nanticoke, Drifton, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c.

1 39 P. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, &c.

4 54 P. M. for D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

5 20 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch Schooley's Mountain, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, &c.

6 38 P. M. for Flemington.

6 38 P. M. for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg.

8 20 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8 13 A. M. Sundays for High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, &c., 2 05 p. m. Sundays for High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua and Pottsville. 6 38 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

For Atlantic City, 8 37 a. m. 1 p. m.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c.

Leave Plainfield 8 37, 9, 11 09, a. m., 2 51, 5 21, p. m. Sundays—(except Ocean Grove) 8 37, a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 8 37, 5 38, 8, 10 05, 11 09 a. m., 1, 3 51, 5 21, 7 08 p. m. Sunday—8 52 a. m., 3 30, 5 16, p. m.

For Freehold, 8 37, 9, 10 05 a. m., 1, 3 51, 5 21, p. m.

ROUND BROOK ROUTE.

Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia, 1 17, 5 45, 8 20, 9 48, 11 58 a. m., 1 59, 3 22, 4 06, 5 54, 6 38, 8 20 p. m. Sundays—1 17, 9 48, a. m., 3 30 4 06, 6 16 p. m. 6 38 p. m.

For Baltimore and Washington at 1 17, 9 48, 11 58 a. m., 3 45, 4 06, 5 54 p. m. Sundays—1 17, 9 48 a. m., 2 47, 4 06, 5 16 p. m.

RETURNING—LEAVE PHILADELPHIA.

Ninth and Green streets, 7 30, 8 30, 9 30, 11 05 a. m., 12 45, 1 30, 3 15, 5 15, 6 15, 8 05, 9 45, 11 p. m Sundays—9 a. m., 12 00, 3 15, 5 15, 6 10, 8, 11 p. m.

From 24th and Chestnut—8 10, 8 30, 11 05 a. m. 12 52, 3 20, 6 15, 8 05, p. m. Sundays—8 10, 9 30 a. m., 12 52, 3 20, 5 18, 8 05 p. m.

Leave Trenton, Warren and Tucker sts., 1 20, 4 00, 7, 8, 9, 10 10, 11 55 a.m. 1 26, 2 10, 3 40, 5 55 6 50, 8 47, 10 p. m. Sundays—1 20, 4 00, 9 55 a.m. 1 26, 4, 5 55, 7, 8 47 p. m.

Plainfield passengers by trains marked * change cars at Round Brook.

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E. P. BALDWIN, Gen. Pass Agent.

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We are booming our Kid Glove Dep't, and will sell a fine five button kid for 65c., and will sell a guaranteed 5 hook kid, black and colored, for $1, and will sell an 8 button length, Suede kid, colored, for $1 25, and will sell an 8 button length, Suede kid, black, for $1 48.

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We bought very early in the season, five cases of Blankets, and will sell them at special low prices for the next ten days. Don't miss it.

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Reads an old recipe; that's well enough in Culinary matters, but it dosen't do to wait until you Cut, Scald or Burn yourself, and then run for a bottle of CARL KAERTH'S

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## A PRISON OF DEATH

### Terrible Holocaust in a Hotel at Syracuse.

**THE LELAND HOUSE DESTROYED**

Rescuing the Living and Recovering the Dead Early This Morning.

**THE KILLED ESTIMATED AT 25.**

Panic-Stricken Guests Leap from the Windows to the Pavement.

**The Firemen Fight the Flames for Over Three Hours—One Woman's Brains Knocked Out While Being Lowered from a Window—Cora Tanner, the Actress, Burned—A Babel of Confusion and Panicky Excitement—The Fire Started in the Kitchen—Loss Half a Million.**

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Oct. 16.—What proved to be the most disastrous fire that has visited Syracuse for many years was discovered in the Leland Hotel early this morning.

The fire burned fiercely until 3 o'clock, although the entire fire department, consisting of nine engines, was working on the building.

Guard lines stretched across the streets were inadequate to keep back the surging crowds of people that were packed in the streets leading to the hotel, and police were stationed all around the building.

**Compelled to Jump.**

The fire, which started in the kitchen, spread by means of the elevator well, which was near the stairway and so all means of escape were cut off and those in the upper stories were compelled to jump. The clerk of the hotel began sending in the alarm by telephone but the flames spread so rapidly that he was driven from the instrument and compelled to jump to save his own life. The firemen saved many lives. Nothing is left of the building except the elevator shaft and the chimney.

So great was the confusion and excitement that the identity of those killed and injured is wholly unknown. Undertakers' ambulances were flying in all directions, and the streets in the neighborhood of the ill-fated hotel were thronged with excited crowds of people. The injured were taken to other hotels and hospitals and on this account it is impossible to obtain a list of the names.

**Twenty-Five Killed.**

An eye-witness of the fire says he is positive that at least twenty-five persons have lost their lives and many more have been more or less injured.

Many lives were lost by people crazed with fright, who jumped from windows.

One man says he saw six people jump from different windows on the Fayette street side of the building within a space of four minutes, and the sight so sickened him with its horror that he was compelled to leave the spot.

The building was provided with both iron fire escapes on the outside and ropes on the inside, and was the means of saving many lives.

One woman was found with a nursing babe in her arms, crouched under a stairway, where she had been overcome by smoke.

Burnet Forbes, a stockbroker, of this city, escaped into the street almost naked. He was slightly injured about the hands. He loses a gold watch valued at $500 and all of his clothing.

**A Woman's Brains Knocked Out.**

One woman was being lowered from a window by the aid of a rope. She had reached a point opposite the third story, when the rope became ignited from a burning sill. The rope parted and the woman fell to the pavement; her brains were dashed out and her body flattened into a shapeless mass.

**Cora Tanner Among the Injured.**

Among those injured is Cora Tanner, the actress, who was severely burned about the head and feet. She was playing an engagement at the Grand Opera House and had a room in the hotel.

**Heartrending Scenes.**

The scenes and incidents connected with the rescue of inmates were heartrending in the extreme.

The cries of women standing in upper windows and of the excited crowd below were deafening, and added to this the constant roar of many fire engines, created a babel of confusion and panicky excitement in and around the hotel.

**The Building a Total Loss.**

The building is a total loss. It was built two years ago at a cost of $150,000. It was six stories high and contained 300 rooms.

It is not known how many guests were in the hotel at the time the fire broke out.

The building is partially covered by insurance, but it is impossible to learn how much insurance was carried on the hotel furniture or what the private and individual losses will be.

The total loss will reach a half million dollars.

Frank Casey, of Glens Falls, N. Y., is among the missing.

**All is Confusion.**

Physicians are attending to the injured, and owing to the care taken to save the lives of the unfortunates, it will be late this afternoon before a list of the injured can be prepared for publication.

**Five Years for Stoning a Train.**

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., Oct. 16.—Wm. Wilson was sentenced to five years and six months for stoning a Central Hudson passenger train.

## BASEBALL CONSOLIDATION.

**The War of the Rival Leagues Practically Over.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 16.—That the two local baseball clubs will consolidate before the commencement of next season there is no longer any reason to doubt.

The meeting of yesterday removed many of the principal obstacles that interfered with the consolidation schemes that the magnates so ardently wished to perfect.

Only a few minor details remain to be dealt with before the consolidation of the two great clubs becomes an actual fact.

A new league will be formed with the following clubs: New York, Philadelphia, Boston and Brooklyn in the East, and Chicago, Cincinnati, Columbus and Indianapolis in the West.

The Association it is expected will remain entirely independent so far as the big league will be concerned.

The circuit of the Association will embrace Boston, Philadelphia, Washington, Baltimore, Cleveland, St. Louis, Louisville and Pittsburg.

What would make a strong team for New York would be: Catchers—Ewing, Clarke, Murphy, Buckley; pitchers—Keefe, Welch, Rusie, and Sharrott or Burkett. The infield, Connor, Richardson, Glasscock and Denny. In the field, Slattery, Gore and Tiernan.

## REFORMED CHURCH SYNOD.

**The 144th Annual Session Now Being Held at Reading.**

READING, Pa., Oct. 16.—The 144th annual session of the Eastern Synod of the Reformed Church in the United States, the oldest synodical body of the denomination in this country, commenced here last night to be continued eight days. The annual sermon was preached by Rev. John M. Fitzel, D. D., of Lancaster, the retiring president.

This synod embraces, in round numbers, 250 ministers, nearly 500 churches, 600 Sunday-schools, and its jurisdiction includes, besides portions of other States, all of East and Central Pennsylvania. Reports which will be submitted will show a very satisfactory increase in the membership over last year.

**Ocean Grove Camp Meeting Association.**

ASBURY PARK, N. J., Oct. 16.—At the annual meeting of the Ocean Grove Camp Meeting Association, Wm H. Skirm, of Trenton; A. C. Fields, of Dobbs Ferry, N. Y., and C. H. Harding, of Philadelphia, were elected members of the Executive Committee to fill vacancies caused by death. E. H. Stokes was elected president; A. E. Ballard, vice-president; David H. Brown, treasurer, and George W. Evans, secretary. The treasurer's report shows receipts for the year of $150,000; expenditures, $160,000.

**Arrested for Cruelty to a Horse.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 16.—Charles F. Bates, the young man who is charged with setting fire to his father's horse, at Newport, R. I., last Monday, has been turned over to Officer Hammond of the Anti-Cruelty Society of Rhode Island. Bates' father, who is a wealthy importer in this city, owns a cottage at Newport. Young Bates took one of his father's horses out to drive and, the animal balking, he poured alcohol over the beast and set it on fire.

**Speaker Reed's Western Trip.**

BUFFALO, N. Y., Oct. 16.—A large Republican meeting held here last evening was addressed by Speaker Reed. Before leaving the city to-day he told a reporter that he would speak in McKinley's district in Wooster, Alliance and Marion, O., and at Logansport, Ind., on Monday, October 20, in the interest of Congressman Owen, who has been nominated by the Republicans of the Tenth district.

**Said to Have Three Wives.**

BONDOUT, N. Y., Oct. 16.—Harry M. Crawford, of Newark, N. J., was held to await the action of the grand jury, for bigamy, in the sum of $2,000. He is said to have had three wives. He is about 35 years old. The first died, it is alleged, from cruel treatment. The second was Laura A. Kane, of Newark, who caused his arrest, and the last is Leona Dubois, of Port Ewen, N. Y.

**Stephani's Sanity to be Tested.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 16.—The case of young Alphonse Stephani, the murderer of Judge Reynolds, was taken up by Judge Martine to-day. This decision was arrived at by him on account of the revelations concerning Dr. William M. Fleming and General M. S. Littlefield, who, it is alleged by Mrs. Josephine Stephani, extorted $5,000 from her.

**Suit Under the Civil Damage Law.**

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., Oct. 16.—The widow of Washington Olivet, who was murdered by Arthur Pendergast, has commenced an action for $5,000 against Hamilton Pray, at whose saloon her husband obtained the liquor of which he was under the influence when shot. The suit is brought under the civil damage law.

## A FAMILY WIPED OUT

### Groundless Charge Leads to a Triple Tragedy.

**POISON ENDS THE WIFE'S MISERY**

The Husband Shoots Himself When Told of Her Death.

**A Young Babe Forgotten in the Excitement and It Was Found Dead—Supposed that the Mother Gave It Some of the Poison—An Inquest Will Probably be Held.**

PERTH AMBOY, N. J., Oct. 16.—For some time past Gader Showdash has made accusations against his wife, which seem to have been groundless, and the couple have quarrelled.

Yesterday Showdash renewed his accusations and, after the ensuing quarrel, left his home to go to work. In the morning the woman soaked the heads of a quantity of matches in water, and swallowed the poison, dying soon afterward in great agony.

When Showdash returned to his house and found his wife dead he procured a revolver and shot and killed himself.

During the excitement caused by the tragedy the young babe of the couple was forgotten, but when search was made for it it too was found dead. It is presumed that Mrs. Showdash gave some of the poison to the child.

## THE SKULL IN COURT.

**Exciting Scenes in the Ellenberger Murder Trial at Elmira.**

ELMIRA, N. Y., Oct. 16.—In the Ellenberger murder trial, it was shown by the murdered man's wife, Mrs. Edwards, and by her son, that Mrs. Ellenberger was an expert shot with a revolver. She was once arrested and tried for burning her farm buildings for the insurance.

During the day Edwards' shattered skull was offered in evidence. His widow and daughter were overcome, and there was a sensation in the overcrowded court house. All the leading criminal lawyers of this section are engaged in the trial on one side or the other. United States Marshal Baxter is assisting the district attorney in the prosecution. The case of the people has been made, and the defence is now offering testimony.

## FIVE MEN BURIED ALIVE.

**Three Lives Lost by a Cave-In of Rock in a Mining Shaft.**

IRON MOUNTAIN, Mich., Oct. 16.—Five men were buried alive by a cave-in of rock in shaft No. 1 of the Ludington Mine, and three were taken out dead.

Work was at once begun to liberate the imprisoned miners, and soon two of them were rescued uninjured. J. Fisher was discovered almost covered with ore and pinned down by timbers. He was alive when found, but died before he could be got out. William Bailey and W. R. Davis were dead when the rescuing party reached them. The shaft was about to be abandoned, and the timbers were being removed.

**Miss Shaw a Lunatic.**

RICHMOND, Va., Oct. 16.—Miss Shaw, the beautiful variety actress who was rescued from the roof of the Putnam Building, on Franklin street, while walking in a nude condition along the roof in her sleep, has been adjudged a lunatic. Miss Shaw belongs to Putnam's Variety Show here. She is about 22, and is described as a beautiful girl of a mild blonde type. The girl is an opium eater and has been drinking to access for several weeks. She is believed to be a native of Toronto, Can.

**Flight of a Bigamist.**

WATERBURY, Conn., Oct. 16.—Perry Newton, who was married to Miss Maggie O'Connor of Torrington, three years ago, and was converted to the Catholic faith, is now proven to have two other living wives. Miss May Waters was married in Brewster, Sept. 1, 1885, and Miss Bertha Schmidt was wedded in Yonkers, N. Y., in 1886. When Newton went to Torrington he cut a great swell in society. He fled Tuesday night leaving Miss O'Connor and a baby.

**Mr. Bancroft Very Feeble.**

NEWPORT, R. I., Oct. 16.—Hon. George Bancroft left on the New York boat last night for his winter home in Washington. He is too feeble to go by rail, as formerly, and will stop at New York for rest.

**Bookmakers Indicted.**

FREEHOLD, N. J., Oct. 16.—It is reported that the Monmouth County Grand Jury has indicted the Monmouth Park bookmakers upon charges of gambling preferred by New York pool room proprietors, who were refused communications from the track.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—U. S. Gov't Report, Aug. 17, 1889.

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## THE ENGINEERS.

**Mr. Chauncey M. Depew Addresses the Convention To-Day.**

PITTSBURG, Pa., Oct. 16.—Every one of the 452 divisions of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers is represented at the twenty-seventh annual International convention now in session in Old City Hall.

Chauncey M. Depew addressed an open session of the convention at the Grand Opera House to-day. He was followed by the mayors of Pittsburg and Allegheny, and several other speakers.

Before the meeting Grand Chief Arthur and First Grand Engineer Ingraham were seen, but neither of these gentlemen was willing to venture an opinion as to what understanding the convention would come to on the question of affiliation with the Federation of Railroad Employes.

Mr. Arthur said from what he had observed sentiment was about evenly divided on the matter. "I have not had sufficient time to glean the opinions of the delegates since I have arrived, and cannot therefore give you an idea about how the matter will be disposed of."

When asked how he regarded the proposition to unite with the Knights of Labor, Mr. Arthur would not commit himself.

The general sentiment of the delegates seen is decidedly against it. Mr. John A. Hill, editor of the Locomotive Engineer, thought that when it came to a vote the delegates would knock it out. "The Western delegates favor the proposition most," said he, "but I believe they are largely in the minority."

Other prominet members of the order expressed the same views and the belief exists that the convention will still continue independent of other labor organizations.

## THIRTEEN INJURED.

**Accident to a Construction Train on the Old Colony Road.**

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Oct. 16.—An accident occurred on the North Attleboro and Walpole extension of the Old Colony Railroad last night by which one man was killed and 13 were injured.

A flat car which had been left standing on the track was struck by a construction train. The flat car jumped the track, killing the foreman of the construction gang, Elisha Merrill, and injuring the others.

## THREE DEATHS IN A MINE.

**Hungarians Buried Under a Mass of Rock and Crushed to a Jelly.**

HAZLETON, Pa., Oct. 16.—James Philips was instantly killed by a fall of coal in the mines at Audenried. A few hours later Peter Badman and John Klowitski, two Hungarians, were buried under a mass of rock and crushed to a jelly in the same mine.

Klowitski's sweetheart telegraphed him yesterday from New York to come and bring her to Audenried to-day. It was his intention to go to New York for her and marry her there.

**Rumored Defalcation.**

KINGSTON, N. Y., Oct. 16.—Harry B. Depuy, member of the real estate and insurance firm of Depuy & Westbrook, has been missing since Monday and it is rumored that he has absconded with several thousand dollars. He is a young widower and has long been a reputable business man here. The alleged defalcation is said to date back prior to September last when the existing copartnership was formed.

**Votocil Now Claims Sanity.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 16.—John Votocil, who was acquitted of the charge of murdering his child by throwing it out of a window, on the ground of insanity, and then committed to an insane asylum, has obtained a writ of habeas corpus to effect his release. His counsel claim that the jury found that he was insane at the time the act was committed, but is now sane.

**The Andover Case with the Judges.**

BOSTON, Oct. 16.—The hearing of the celebrated Andover case was continued before the Supreme Court. A. H. Wellman, Judge Asa French and Judge E. R. Hoar argued against Professor Smyth on behalf of the Visitors. Professor E. S. Baldwin summed up for Professor Smyth, and the court took the matter under advisement.

**Gen. Butterfield Will Run.**

GETTYSBURG, Pa., Oct. 16.—General Daniel Butterfield, who is here with the Count of Paris, sent a telegram to Mr. C. C. Shayne, representing the Business Men's Republican organization of New York city, accepting conditionally, the nomination for the office of Mayor of New York.

**Extension of Time Granted.**

HARRISBURG, Pa., Oct. 16.—The creditors of the Harrisburg Car Company, at a meeting practically decided to grant the extension of time asked by the directors, in order to complete existing contracts and tide over the present embarrassments. The company's assets greatly exceed their liabilities.

**Talk About Tin Plate Factories.**

PITTSBURG, Pa., Oct. 16.—It is stated that at least three tin plate factories will spring up in this vicinity in the near future. They are the United States Tin Plate Company, at Demmler station; the Jennings, Beale & Co.'s works, at Leechburg, and Kirkpatrick Co., Apollo.

**Appointments by Gov. Abbett.**

TRENTON, N. J., Oct. 16.—Gov. Abbett has appointed Albert R. Reeds of Hoboken a member of the State Board of Health, and Edward W. McGann of Middlesex County Director of the County Weather Bureau at New Brunswick.

## WASHINGTON TOPICS

### Steel Manufacturers Confer With Secretary Tracy.

**THE NEW SHIPS THE SUBJECT.**

Funerals of Justice Miller and General Belknap To-Day.

**The Dead Jurist's Remains to be Taken to Iowa To-Night—The ex-Secretary of War Buried With Military Honors. More Gossip About the Extra Session of Congress.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 16.—There was an important consultation this morning in the office of the Secretary of the Navy between Mr. Tracy and about 35 prominent steel manufacturers from various parts of the country.

For some time past the Navy Department has evinced an extremely critical spirit in regard to the steel furnished by the manufacturers for the new navy vessels. A great deal of it has been rejected by the department as not coming up to the required standard.

This has occurred so often under both Secretary Whitney and Secretary Tracy, that the manufacturers have at last become discouraged as well as somewhat indignant, and now they propose to have a talk with the authorities at headquarters and see if they cannot come to a better understanding. The manufacturers say that the department is altogether too severe, and that they have no difficulty in selling the rejected steel to other customers of the most exacting kind.

## THE DEAD JURIST.

**The Funeral Ceremonies To-Day in the Supreme Court Room.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 16.—The funeral ceremonies of the late Justice Miller were observed in the Supreme Court room. Owing to the very scanty accommodations, only the officials of the Government and immediate friends and relatives were able to attend.

The remains will be taken this evening to Keokuk, Ia. Chief Justice Fuller and Justice Brewer will accompany them.

**General Belknap's Funeral.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 16.—The funeral of Gen. Belknap took place at St. John's Church at 10:30. The Grand Army of the Republic and the Union Veterans' Corps attended the funeral in a body. The Third Artillery Band was also present. The following named gentlemen acted as pallbearers: General L. A. Grant, Assistant Secretary of War; Admiral S. P. Lee, General Bussey, Assistant Secretary of the Interior; Gen. Batcheller, Minister to Portugal, Gen. Benet, Gen. Vincent, Gen. Boynton, Senator Manderson, Hallet Kilbourn, A. S. Worthington, John A. Kasson and J. A. J. Caswell.

**Conference at the Treasury Department.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 16.—A conference will be held at the Treasury Department November 12 between Assistant Secretary Spaulding and persons interested in the transportation of goods in bond between the United States and Canada. A number of railroad officials requested the hearing that they might make suggestions to expedite the transmission of goods through the United States, and to straighten out the regulations pertaining to them. A large representation of railroad officials from this country and Canada is expected to be present.

**Secretary Rusk Interviewed.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 16.—Secretary Rusk is the only member of the Cabinet who has anything to say about the discussion of the extra session question at the Cabinet meeting. "The matter was discussed," he said, "but no conclusion was reached. The question as to whether such action would operate to damage Republican interest was not considered. I don't know what will be done, but it was not decided to abandon the idea of calling an extra session."

## DILLON AND O'BRIEN.

**The Irish Fugitives in France Waiting to Leave for America.**

PARIS, Oct. 16.—La Presse states that Dillon and O'Brien, after their flight from Tipperary, took passage on a sailing vessel and landed at Lucieur-Mer. They came directly here and passed the night with Mr. Raffalovitch, Mr. O'Brien's brother-in-law. Mr. O'Brien went yesterday to the latter's country seat, the Chateau de Gif.

The fugitives intended to catch the French steamship from Havre on Saturday, but, failing in this, they are now awaiting advices from America. If they learn that their escape has produced a favorable effect there, they will embark on the Bretagne on the 18th.

This story is contradicted by Dr. Raffalovitch's father, who says that his son is in Egypt, and that so far as the family are aware, Messrs. Dillon and O'Brien are not in France. He yesterday received a letter from his daughter, Mrs. O'Brien, in which she said she was about to sail for America, where she expected to join her husband. He believes that the Nationalist leaders sailed for America nearly a week ago, but that instead of taking one of the fast ocean liners, as is generally supposed, they embarked on a comparatively slow vessel.

CHERBOURG, Oct. 16.—Messrs. Dillon, O'Brien and Clancy arrived here at noon and started for Paris shortly after.

**Gov. Hill's Unexpected Visit.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 16.—Governor David B Hill, accompanied by the Hon. Roswell P. Flower, arrived at the Hoffman House shortly after 9 o'clock last night from Albany. The Governor's visit was unannounced at the hotel and only a very few of the true and trusted knew he was coming.

## JACK M'AULIFFE'S TROUBLE

**The Pugilist Arrested for His Wife's Death but Quickly Released.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 16.—There was considerable excitement over the arrest of Jack McAuliffe, the champion lightweight pugilist, on suspicion of having caused the death of Katie Hart, the well-known soubrette, in the West Side Hotel at 15th street and Sixth avenue. At 11:30 in the forenoon Detective Hayes escorted the pugilist down to the Coroner's Office. Deputy Coroner Donlin had been engaged all the morning in performing the autopsy on the woman's body, and McAuliffe waited patiently for developments.

Dr. Donlin reported that he found that death had resulted from valvular disease of the heart and that the superficial bruises on her face had in no way aided in her death.

McAuliffe, a few minutes before the arrival of the report, left the coroner's office with Detective Hayes, but a messenger was despatched to the Thirtieth street station house with a statement of the result of the autopsy and McAuliffe was immediately released from custody.

Dr. Donlin granted a permit of burial and the body was removed to McAuliffe's home in Williamsburg. The funeral will take place to-morrow and the interment will be in Cavalry Cemetery.

McAuliffe married the deceased in San Francisco five months ago.

## M'GONEGAL SENTENCED.

**The New York Doctor Gets Fourteen Years at Hard Labor.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 16.—Judge Fitzgerald denied the motion for a new trial in the case of "Dr." McGonegal and sentenced him to fourteen years at hard labor in State prison. He was recently convicted of manslaughter in causing the death of Annie Goodwin by malpractice.

Mr. Brooke, counsel for the prisoner, gave notice that he intended to ask for a stay, pending an appeal, and promised to file his bill of exceptions within five days.

The doctor was taken back to the Toombs by Deputy Sheriff Burke. He seemed somewhat agitated when the heavy sentence fell upon him as he stood at the bar, but soon resumed his usual complaisant manner and chatted freely with friends.

**Socialists Stand on Science.**

HALLE, Oct. 16.—In the Socialist Congress Herr Liebknecht said that Socialists demand trial by jury, and the gratuitous administration of justice and of legal and medical assistance. Therefore, all lawyers and doctors ought to be permanent State officials. The party stands on the basis of science, and while it adheres thereto it will be invincible.

**Italian Criminals Barred.**

ROME, Oct. 16.—The United States Government has notified the Italian Government that hereafter no Italian immigrants who have been under sentence in the courts of their native country will be permitted to land in America.

**Assistant Secretary of the Treasury.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 16.—It is reported that United States Treasurer Huston is to be appointed to the office of Assistant Secretary of the Treasury, left vacant by the promotion of General Batcheller to the Diplomatic Service.

## NEWS OF THE DAY.

Consul General New sailed from New York for London.

At Aleppo, Turkey, the deaths from cholera average fifty daily.

Numerous arrests of workmen accused of Socialism continue in St. Petersburg and Moscow.

W. L. Gorgas, of Harrisburg, Pa., was nominated for Congress by the Democrats of the Fourteenth District.

Arthur Pendergast, who was found guilty at Poughkeepsie, N. Y., of murder in the second degree in killing Washington Olivett, was sentenced to State prison for life.

James Ryan, stroke of the Bradford Club eight-oared crew, of Boston has been arrested in Cambridge charged with assault in pushing a Boston reporter overboard at the club house on October 5. Ill-feeling owing to the publication of certain articles is said to have caused the assault.

**Weather Indications.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 16.—For New England: Fair weather; stationary temperature; westerly winds.

For Massachusetts and Eastern New York: Fair weather; stationary temperature; variable winds, generally southwesterly.

For New Jersey: Fair weather; southwesterly winds; slightly warmer.

For Western New York and Western Pennsylvania: Fair weather; slight changes in temperature; southwesterly winds.

## NEW YORK MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Oct. 15.—Money on call to-day 4½ and 5 per cent.

BONDS.

| | Closing Yesterday. | Closing To-day. |
|---|---|---|
| 4½s, 1891 Reg | 104½ | 104½ |
| 4½s, 1891 Coup | 104½ | 104½ |
| 4 s, 1907 Reg | 123½ | 123½ |
| 4 s, 1907 Coup | 120½ | 120½ |

STOCK MARKET.

| | Closing Yesterday. | Closing To-day. |
|---|---|---|
| Canadian Pacific | 79½ | 79½ |
| Central Pacific | 31½ | 32½ |
| Chicago, Bur & Q | 91½ | 91½ |
| Delaware & Hudson | 134 | 134 |
| Del., Lack. & Western | 145½ | 146½ |
| Erie | 21½ | 21½ |
| Erie pref | 57½ | |
| Lake Shore | 100½ | 100½ |
| Louis. & Nash | 70 | 71½ |
| Michigan Central | | |
| Missouri Pacific | 68 | 68 |
| New Jersey Central | 115½ | 115 |
| Northwestern | 106½ | 106½ |
| Oregon Navigation | 83½ | |
| Pacific Mail | 39 | 39 |
| Reading | 30½ | 32½ |
| Rock Island | 76½ | 76½ |
| St. Paul | 86½ | 89 |
| Union Pacific | 51½ | 51½ |

## THE DAILY PRESS.

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## BY THE WAY.

—Charles Roberts, the charming reader, will appear with the Dudley Buck Quartette at Music Hall, this evening.

—The first opportunity ever afforded the Plainfield people to hear Adolph Glose, the pianist, is at Music Hall, this evening.

—J. F. Mac Donald says, "don't think because I have not changed my adv of late, that I have forgotten it. I am still selling butter as advertised."

—City Judge Codington sentenced Wm. Kenny this morning to sixty days' imprisonment in the county jail, for drunkenness and disorderly conduct.

—One thousand pairs of rubbers have been received at Geo. W. Force's, 11 West Front street, where foot-wear of all descriptions may be purchased at reduced prices.

—The semi-monthly meeting of "The Young Ladies' Mission Band," of the First Baptist church, will be held in the church parlors to-morrow from two to five P. M.

—The concert by the celebrated Dudley Buck Quartette, at Music Hall, this evening, is an event that the best people of the city are looking forward to with great expectations.

—There will be gospel meetings in Reform Hall this and to-morrow evenings, at 8 o'clock, conducted by Mrs. C. S. Whitney of New York city. All are cordially welcome.

—Don't forget the talk of the Rev. W. R. Richards at the Y. M. C. A., this evening at 8:10 o'clock. Subject; "The Experiences of a Young Men at College." College songs at 8 o'clock. Admission Free.

—The Workers Training Class for ladies, conducted by E. L. Suffern, will meet at the Y. M. C. A., to-morrow at 4 P. M. Topic: Review of Leviticus, Numbers and Deuteronomy. All ladies are invited.

—W. S. Ayres and James E. Totten, formerly with the Adams Express Company, have started a city express of their own, and since they are young men of energy and reliability they will doubtless win a large share of public patronage. They receive orders at 10 Park avenue.

—Irving G. Stelle has removed his livery headquarters from West Front street to 9 West Sixth, where he has what he claims are the finest stables in the city. He has first-class horses constantly on hand, and has provided apparatus for having horse-clipping done at the stables.

## PARTICULAR MENTION.

Felix Marx, of East Front street, has returned from an extended European trip.

Gerome Pack, of 31 Park avenue, was taken ill on Saturday last, and is now in a serious condition.

At eight o'clock this evening at the home of the bride's parents in Evona, is to take place the marriage of Allie Johnson and John J. Peterson.

Mrs. Butler, of this city, President of the Woman's Foreign Society of New Jersey, will speak in the Westfield Baptist church, Friday evening, on a missionary topic.

Chauncey B. Ripley, LL. D., of Westfield, President of the New York post graduate chapter of Cornell University, presided at a college banquet at Ithaca, last Friday evening.

John W. Murray has purchased the Hait property on Union avenue. The price paid was about $15,000, which is far below its cost. Mr. Murray, it is understood, made the purchase merely as an investment.

A number of the friends of Miss Hattie Milligan, of Washingtonville, enjoyed a pleasant evening at the home of her parents, Maplewood Cottage, last night. It was the anniversary of her birth. Social games, music and singing passed the time only too quickly.

Councilman Roberts, who was one of the invited guests who attended the firemen's parade at Perth Amboy, yesterday, reports a good time and a royal entertainment. He says the Mayor and people were most gracious and cordial in their welcome, and the ladies prepared one of the finest banquets he had ever enjoyed.

The eightieth birthday of the Rev. John Carey, was celebrated at his home in North Plainfield, last evening, by a surprise donation party in which a large number of friends took part. Good judgment was shown in the quality of the gifts brought the old gentleman. Groceries enough to last him most of the Winter, now fill his closets to overflowing.

Everitt S. Swalm, younger son of William Swalm, of this city, is under a salary of $2,000 a year as soloist and leader in the choir of the Ross Street Presbyterian church, Brooklyn. Dudley Buck became so charmed with his voice, that he has secured him to sing in his quartette this season. Mr. Swalm will make his first public appearance in years, in Plainfield, at Music Hall, this evening.

The funeral of the late Wm. E. Jones took place this afternoon, from his late residence in North Plainfield, at 2 o'clock, and from the First Baptist church at half-past two. The Rev. Dr. D. J. Yerkes conducted the services. The Somerset County Board of Freeholders, Exempt Firemen's Association, and Noah Dove Encampment, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, attended in a body. A delegation was also present from the New Jersey Fish & Game Protective Society.

## HYMENEAL.

### Miller—TenEyck.

There was a quiet wedding ceremony performed at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Israel D. TenEyck, on Liberty street, this city, last evening. The contracting parties were Wallace V. Miller and Miss Isa Dora TenEyck, the nuptial knot being tied by the Rev. Dr. D. J. Yerkes. In consequence of the serious illness of the groom's mother, the wedding was a private one, only a few of the members of the families of the contracting parties being present. The happy couple started on an extended tour to Niagara Falls and Toronto on the 9:30 P. M. train, followed by the best wishes of a host of friends.

### BARKALEW—KISSAM.

At the home of the bride's brothers, Wm. and Bernard Kissam, 14 Elm place, there was married last evening at seven o'clock, Miss Fannie Kissam and Milton C. Barkalew, of Emily street, North Plainfield, The Rev. N. E. Cadwell, of Westfield, officiated. The bride was dressed in traveling costume of ashes-of-rose soutan cloth elaborately trimmed with gilt passamenterie, and carried a fragrant bouquet. The wedding was a quiet affair, attended by only a few invited friends and relatives. The presents were very many and valuable. Supper was served directly after the ceremony and Mr. and Mrs. Barkalew left for Washington. Upon their return they will live at the groom's home on Emily street. Mr. Barkalew is the senior member of a well-known firm of North avenue grocers.

### An Interesting Meeting in Holy Cross Church.

The Autumn meeting of the Upper Division of the Woman's Auxiliary to the Board of Missions, representing this diocese of the Protestant Episcopal church, took place yesterday in Holy Cross church. At 11:30 a. m. there was a short service in the church, at which the rector, the Rev. T. Logan Murphy, spoke briefly about the Auxiliary and in the highest way praised its good work.

Following this the meeting opened and addresses were made by several women. At one o'clock luncheon was served in the beautiful Sunday school room, and at two o'clock Miss Sybil Carter, whose missionary labors have put a girdle around the earth, made a most interesting address to nearly two hundred persons about her experiences among the Japanese, Chinese and Indians. She exhibited models of Chinese household furniture and utensils with specimens of Japanese art, and surprised her auditors by showing some uncommonly fine lace made by the American Indians. Delegates were present from Elizabeth, New Brunswick, Trenton and almost every town in this vicinity. The next meeting will be held at Roselle in January.

### Gains in Local Registration Lists.

The registration of voters this year is different than ever before, in that a house-to-house canvass for voters was made, so that there should be no excuse for a man's name not appearing on the lists to be used election day. Under the new ballot reform law containing this provision two days were set aside for the revision of the house-to-house lists. One of these days was last Tuesday, and as the lists now stand they are supposed to be very complete. The final revision will take place Tuesday, Oct. 28. Below is a comparison of the registration this year with that of last:

| PLAINFIELD. | 1889 | 1890 |
|---|---|---|
| First ward | 584 | 560 |
| Second ward | 545 | 569 |
| Third ward | 417 | 478 |
| Fourth ward— | | |
| 1st District | 386 | 449 |
| 2d District | 348 | 372 |
| Total | 2,280 | 2,428 |

In North Plainfield 465 have been registered in the First District, and 409 in the Second. The total vote cast in the entire township last year was only 729.

### Plainfield's Yale Prize-winner.

At a meeting of the Plainfield Yale Club held Tuesday, Oct. 14, Samuel Huntington was elected President, John M. Whiton, Vice President, and Howard C. Tracy Secretary and Treasurer. It was voted to hold the annual banquet during the Christmas holidays. The prize of $25 offered to the Plainfield boy who should pass the best entrance examination was awarded to George F. Van Slyck.

### An Encounter Among Allopathists.

Dr. George Washington Endicott and Dr. William Cæsar Boone, two of the most popular, prominent and prosperous Plainfield physicians, of the school of allopathy, met on Park avenue, yesterday afternoon.

Dr. Endicott upset Dr. Boone's carriage and threw the latter in the street. There were no arrests, however, and the two doctors still speak to one another.

### A Select Circle of Bowlers at Netherwood Heights.

The Netherwood Bowling Club, a select social organization which bowls every Tuesday night, takes its name from the fact that the majority of the members pass the Summer at Netherwood, where the club posseseses alleys of its own.

—Albert Brown, of the Borough, has had a man who gives his name as David Vail arrested on the charge of stealing a buckboard. Vail said he had a horse, and needed a wagon, and was too poor to buy one.

## A SUBURBAN LOTHARIO TRAPPED.

### An Injured Wife Discovers Her Husband's Faithlessness, and Begins Proceedings for a Divorce.

A domestic rumpus of no small magnitude is reported by the New Brunswick *Fredonian* as having occurred, recently, "in a well-known family in a delightful home" not far from this city. A truant husband had returned to his anxious wife, who had by careful investigation unmasked a well concocted story which he had told to cover various absences from home at night.

The story of the episode which resulted in the discovery of the husband's perfidy, is briefly to this effect: On the day of the firemen's parade in New Brunswick, the husband went to town ostensibly to view the parade, as he informed his unsuspicious wife.

On his arrival he met a female acquaintance with whom he drove to Plainfield, and, it is said, remained here until an early morning hour, when he returned to his home.

Previous to making the trip to Plainfield he forwarded a letter to his wife, informing her that a horse and buggy, owned by a member of a certain Protection Society, of which he was a member, had been stolen from in front of a store by some unknown person, and that he had been appointed on a committee of investigation to endeavor to trace and capture the thief.

The lie was believed at that time. Two nights passed without the return of the "amateur detective," and the wife becoming uneasy, went to New Brunswick with friends to investigate the matter and found to their surprise that no horse and buggy had been stolen as represented, and also that the Protection Society knew nothing of the matter nor had they appointed any committee such as he had reported.

The suspicions of the injured wife were aroused, and further investigations proved that they were only too well founded. When the husband heard of the investigations instituted by his wife he became furious and swore eternal vengeance towards a supposed enemy who had given him away. It is rumored that an action for divorce will follow the escapade, as the wife has secured the services of a detective at Plainfield to trace her truant spouse after he reached that city.

### Cora Anxious to See a Wedding.

"Cora," for many years Chimney Rock correspondent of the Somerville *Messenger*, referring to the recent marriage of Wm. A. Coddington, of this city, and Miss Ida M. Wilson, of North Plainfield, writes as follows:

"The groom, who was until recently Superintendent of the Chimney Rock chapel, has the best wishes of hosts of friends here, and may a long happy life be his lot. Mr. Coddington is the third young man in succession who resigned the charge as Superintendent of our Sunday school and got married. This makes the position seem as though some sort of matrimonial noose were hovering near. Why don't some of the other young people follow the example of the Superintendents—not to resign, but to have a wedding? That's what we want in the chapel next."

### 'Twas Too Thin.

A thin lot of thin voiced women rendered "Evangeline" in a thin way at Music Hall, last evening, to the biggest house of the year excepting when minstrel shows have appeared. The costumes were fine, but the talent of the cast outside of Richard Harlow as *Catherine*, was spread on very thin. Accompanying the thin harmony of the chorus was the thinnest incidental music that even the Music Hall orchestra ever gave.

### Deacons and Elders of Trinity Church.

The annual election of officers was held at the Trinity Reformed church last evening. A large number of the church members attended. P. P. Van Arsdale was elected chairman of the meeting, and D. Van Winkle clerk. Geo. L. Van Emburgh, John H. Van Winkle and Alex Willet were chosen elders, and D. Van-Winkle, H. E. Gayle and Alburtus Swalm were appointed deacons.

—Several small boys had a gay time wrestling and romping on the sidewalk in front of Vanderbeek's on Park avenue, last night, till one of them was thrown down an area-way and received an ugly gash on the head.

### [illegible] an Explosion.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 16.—An explosion of chemicals in the packing room of H. K. Mulford & Co.'s manufactory caused a fire which damaged the stock and building to the extent of $50,000. One of the firemen and two male employes of the firm were cut about the head and hands while attempting to save some of the stock.

### Boston Will Not Have It.

BOSTON, Oct. 16.—The performance of the "Clemenceau Case," came to an end here rather abruptly. Several members of the Board of Aldermen witnessed the show and the management of the theater was notified that its license had been revoked.

### Continentals Visit the Fencibles.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 16.—The Continentals of Worcester, Mass., are in this city for a two days' stay as the guests of the State Fencibles. They are quartered at the Continental.

### Stricken With Apoplexy.

NEW YORK, Oct. 16.—Col. William A. Booth, superintendent of construction of the new postoffice in Brooklyn, was stricken with apoplexy in his office in that city. His condition is precarious.

### Attention, Exempt Firemen!

Members of the Exempt Fireman's Association of Plainfield, N. J., are requested to meet in their rooms on Wednesday evening Oct. 15, instant, at 8 o'clock, to make arrangements to attend the funeral of their late brother, W. E. Jones.

### Arrival and Departure of Mails.

*NEW YORK MAILS.*

*Arrive*—7:30, 8 40, A. M., 12:15, 2:30, 5:30 P. M.
*Close*—7:30 and 9:30 A. M., 1:45, 5:30 and 9 P. M.

*SOMERVILLE AND EASTON MAILS.*

*Arrive*—8:40 A. M., 2:40, 6:30 P. M.
*Close*—7:30 A. M., 4:30 P. M.

Direct mail to Trenton and Philadelphia at 4:30 P. M.

*SUNDAY MAILS.*

Office open from 9:30 to 10:30 A. M.
Mail closes at 6:30 P. M.

E. R. POPE, P. M.

### List of Advertised Letters

Remaining in the Plainfield post office for the week ending Oct. 13, 1890.

Angle, Mrs Lizzie (2)
Bliss, Miss Liddie
Buckley, Miss Kate
Bolles, Mr F
Collins, C J
Conant, Foster
Dobbins, Rev Mr
Dunham, Miss Mamie
Dempsey, Miss Mary
Fayer, Miss Louisa (4)
Fenhurst, Basil E
Haverly, Edgerton
Haskell, C W
Horsman, Mrs Huldy
Kelly, Jr, Mrs S D
King, Mrs Chas
Larkin, Miss Mary
McCann, John J
Merrick, Miss M
Petterson, Miss Lonley
Percy, C Wite
Sobon, Oscar
Smith, Chester
Scudder, Chas E
Taylor, Samuel M
Vorhies, Mr H (2)
Weber, Mrs Engelbert

Persons calling for the above, please say advertised. E. R. POPE, Postmaster.

### Deceptive Advertising.

Many people are constantly being deceived by the high sounding advertisements published by some large establishments in the nearby large cities.

A "special sale" of Carpets now going on in one of our large neighboring cities, is a very striking illustration.

They announce with an immense flourish of adjectives, in this wise, viz: because of their extensive purchases; in many cases amounting to the "entire out-put" of certain manufacturers, they are enabled to sell at these unheard of prices.

Under such tremendous statements as the above, and the like, here is what they actually do:

Elegant Tapestry Brussels Carpets, good for 20 years wear, sold elsewhere for $1.25, at 85 cents.

Edsall's every day price for the identical makes, is just 85 cents. Again they say an elegant line do., worth 87c., at 65 to 75c.

Edsall's price for the same goods is 69c. every day.

They advertise Extra Body Brussels, worth $1.25, at 98c.

Edsall's price every day is just even $1 for the same quality.

They advertise Extra Superfine All-Wool Ingrains, fully worth $1, at 65c. and 75c.

Edsall has never asked more than 65c. and 75c. for exactly the same goods.

The above is only one of the hundreds of cases of like manner in which some people are induced to go out of Plainfield to spend their money. If any one thinks this is merely an advertising dodge, we have in our possession a printed copy of the advertisement referred to, for their inspection. EDSALL'S, 20 W. Front St.


EDWARD C. MULFORD.
45 North Avenue,
*Opposite Station.*
REAL ESTATE, INSURANCE. 1-2-y

E. H. HOLMES,
DEALER IN
COAL AND WOOD.
OFFICE—With Woolston & Buckle, 27 North Avenue.
YARD—Madison Avenue, opp. Electric Light Station. 12-

ISAAC BROKAW & SON,
FIRE INSURANCE.
OFFICE—30 DUER STREET,
NORTH PLAINFIELD, N. J. 2-4-tf

P. AGNEY.
KINDLING WOOD.
Yard—Mountain Avenue.
P. O. BOX 307. NORTH PLAINFIELD.
Orders attended o promptly in city and Borough. 8-6-tf

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WINCHENDON, MASS., Feb. 19, 1890.
*F. E. C. Medicine Co.:*
I had been afflicted for a long time with a severe kidney trouble. I was so bad I was unable to work more than three months in the year. Had used a good
YOU
many medicines but failed to get any relief. At last, about two years ago, I commenced using the F. E. C. Kidney, Blood and Liver Remedy. From the first
LIFT
it commenced to help me, and with the use of three bottles I *was cured* and am now well and able to do the heaviest kind of work. My business is moving pianos
A PIANO.
and heavy boxes. To any one suffering with Kidney trouble, I say, by all means try the F.E.C. Remedy. LORING GALE.

The F. E. C. Remedy is taking the lead of all others, wherever introduced. It is the only remedy for *Sour Blood*. Send for circulars. All druggists; $1 per bottle; six for $5.

BEWARE OF PARALYSIS!
Dr. Comfort's little "Compills" are a sure preventative. Do you have dizzy spells or a feeling of numbness, or want of circulation? Do not delay; get "Compills." They are made from roots and herbs. If not kept by your druggist, send 25 cents to the F. E. C. Medicine Co., Rochester, N. Y., and the "Compills" will be sent by mail.

For sale by R. J. SHAW, Druggist, Sole Agent. 6-6

"THE THREE GRACES"
FOR THE BREAKFAST TABLE ARE
"REXWHEAT" MUSH,
"REXWHEAT" GEMS,
"REXWHEAT" GRIDDLE CAKES.
REXWHEAT
FURNISHES
MEAT FOR THE POOR,
DAINTIES FOR THE RICH,
HEALTH FOR ALL
Unequalled in Flavor, Wholesomeness, and Ease of Preparation by any other cereal.
AT ALL GROCERS
5 24 6m tus

Valuable Real Estate at Public Auction.
Wm. N. Fangborn, Auct'r, will sell at public sale to the highest bidder, in order to settle up the estate of Frazee Lee, deceased, on THURSDAY, OCT. 23, 1890, at 2 o'clock P. M., on the premises, the following valuable improved real estate situated in the city of Plainfield, N. J.:
House and Lot, 206 Broadway: lot 65 ft. front, 200 ft. deep, inside fence. House contains 10 rooms, bath room, heater, etc.
House and Lot, 17 Lake street, in rear of the above. Lot 75 ft. front 155 ft. deep. House 10 rooms. Barn on premises.
Terms—10 per cent. on day of sale; part of purchase money can remain on bond and mortgage for a term of years.
DANIEL HEFFIELD,
O. M. HEFFIELD, Heirs.
10 16 6

WILL LEAVE SOON.
CLAIRVOYANT
Mrs. DR. EDWARDS,
Having fully recovered, will remain for a Few Weeks Longer, before she leaves for the South. She can be seen from 9 to 9 o'clock, as usual, at the *CITY HOTEL, ROOM 4.* Call at once, as this is your last opportunity.
Mrs. DR. EDWARDS, the greatest and the most celebrated CLAIRVOYANT in the World, and is known in this country from Maine to Mexico. She was born with the wonderful gift of second sight, and with a veil. She is the seventh daughter of the seventh daughter. She reveals every mystery; tells you if the one you love is true or false. She removes every grief, settles lovers' troubles, and causes speedy love marriages. She gives reliable information to gentlemen in all business transactions, and informs them how to make profitable investments and acquire speedy riches. She tells lucky lottery numbers. She has an Osiris Egyptian Talisman, which is noted all the world over, as a specific charm for the unlucky. All who are in trouble or sick, should call without delay.
Ladies 50c to $1. Gentlemen $1.
10 15 w


## MARRIAGES.

MILLER—TEN EYCK—At the residence of the bride's parents this city, Wednesday evening, Oct. 15, by the Rev. D. J. Yerkes, Wallace V. Miller to Isa Dora Ten Eyck.

## WANTS AND OFFERS.

*Advertisements under this heading, one cent for each word each insertion.*

WANTED—Capable young woman to cook and assist with other work; no washing; wages $16; reference required. Inquire PRESS office.

FOUND, on East Front street on Wednesday morning, an Overcoat; owner can have the same by paying for this advertisement. Apply to Frank Moran, special night watchman, on E. Front street.

WANTED, at once, a first-class groceryman; only those having a *thorough knowledge* of the trade, and whose character will bear the strictest investigation. Apply United Tea and Coffee Growers' Association, leading grocers, 29 West Front street.

WANTED—A good girl in a small family, at 50 East 6th street, city.

WANTED—Stout boy or man to assist in milking, and make himself generally useful. Apply at PRESS office. 10 16 tf

STRAYED, a flock of young ducks, pure white, from 57 Netherwood ave. Information leading to recovery of same will be suitably rewarded. 10 16 2

PART of a house to rent, furnished or unfurnished, near Netherwood depot. Rent $6. Box 39, Netherwood. 10 16 2

SMALL house, six rooms, near depot, to let to small family, from Nov. 1. Apply at PRESS office. 10 15 4

WANTED—First-class colored waiter. Van Court Inn, Roselle, N. J. 10 15 w

WANTED—A girl for general housework; must be competent and bring good references. Apply 108 Broadway. 10 15 3

FOR SALE—Horse, 5 years, harness and phaeton, cheap. Box 42, Dunellen. 10 15 4

WANTED—Good laundress; permanent place, good wages. VanCourt Inn, Roselle, N. J. 10 15 w

WANTED—2 or 3 unfurnished rooms south of Park ave. Address E., DAILY PRESS 10 15 3

COLUMBIA Safety Bicycle for sale. Call at PRESS office. 10 15 tf

FOR SALE—A pair of educated Ponies, perfectly gentle, and free from all vices; good drivers; any lady can handle them; are afraid of nothing, except the whip. Jet black, heavy manes and tails; very stylish, only six and seven years old; both good saddle ponies; one has been driven single. Price $400. Good reasons given for selling. Address Henry H Webbe, corner John and Morris streets, New Brunswick, N. J. 10 14 3

TO LET, with or without board, first floor front room, large bay window; heat and gas. 8 Central avenue. 10 14 3

FOUR houses to let. Inquire City Mills, Somerset street. 10 14 tf

TRUCK farm for sale; eleven acres, with good house and barn, 2 miles from Plainfield. Apply to W. C Butler, 1 E. Front street. 10 13 tf

TO LET—Furnished or unfurnished house. No. 19 East Seventh street. 10 11 tf

ROOMS, with or without board, 21 West 2d street. 10 9 12

FOR SALE—A second hand piano, in good condition. Inquire 107 Park avenue. 9 22 tf

LADIES doing their own dressmaking or employing plain seamstress, can secure perfect fit and pattern for future use. Taylor system. Miss A. T. Buckley, 27 West 4th street. 9 22 tf

STORAGE for furniture in separate rooms. Apply to C. Frank French, 69 Somerset st. 9 2 tf

WANTED—Jobbing at painting, glazing kalsomining and roof painting. Address Isaac Kennedy, 55 East Front street. tf

WANTED—Work cleaning Vaults and Cesspools. Satisfaction guaranteed. City Odorless Excavating Works, 208 Broadway. Mrs. David Sones, Proprietor. No connection with John & Co. 6-13-tf

OUR MOTTO:—LOWEST PRICES CONSISTENT WITH GOOD QUALITY AND HONEST QUANTITY
The choicest Creamery Butter that can be produced
Apollinaris Water; pints, $1.50, quarts, $2 dozen; Belfast Ginger Ale, $1.40 dozen.
Excelsior Sugar Cured Hams are the best—15c.
The finest Java and Mocha coffee in town, and the prices are right. Won't be undersold for same quality of goods. P. M. DEMAREST.
25 PARK AVENUE. 9-5-t

M. H. A.
MUSIC HALL.
MONDAY, OCTOBER 20.
Special engagement of America's greatest actress, Miss Margaret Mather, supported by Mr. Otis Skinner and a powerful New York Company.
AS JULIET.
Special scenery, new and beautiful costumes.
PRICES—35, 50, 75c., and $1.00.
Seats on sale Friday. 10 15 td

Dudley Buck Quartette!
Assisted by
ADOLF GLOSE, Pianist,
CHARLES ROBERTS, Reader.
Music Hall.
TO-NIGHT!
Tickets for sale at Randolph's and Miller's drug stores.
Usual Music Hall prices. 10-13 4

Assignee's Sale.
Wm. M. Stillman, assignee of Carney Bros., plumbers, will sell at public auction, at the store and premises known as No. 9 Somerset street, now occupied by said Carney Bros., on
Tuesday, October 21st,
next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, a lot of stoves, ranges, boilers heaters, refrigerators, pumps, water-backs, and other plumbing and tinning material, being a part of the stock in trade of said Carney Bros., to be sold for the benefit of their creditors.
Sale absolute. Terms made known on day of sale. WM. M. STILLMAN, Assignee.
T. J. GILLIPS, Auctioneer. 10 14 w

BUY
PERFECT PARLOR STOVES
AND
Othello Ranges.
Choice Timothy Seed.
Furnaces Cleaned and Repaired.
Hot Water, Hot Air and Steam Fitting.
A. M. GRIFFEN
13 East Front Street.
TELEPHONE CALL 5.

AYERS & TOTTEN,
CITY EXPRESS.
Freight and Baggage delivered to any part of the city. Satisfaction guaranteed. Charges reasonable. Orders may be left at W. F. Adams', 10 Park avenue.
W. S. AYERS, JAS. E. TOTTEN.
(Late with Adams Ex. Co.) 10 13 w

LYMAN & ANTHONY.
REAL ESTATE
AND INSURANCE AGENTS,
61 NORTH AVE., opposite Depot. 5-25-7

HOUSE AND FRESCO
PAINTING,
Nos. 10 and 10 1-2 PARK AVENUE.
MARSH & AYERS.
Jobbing promptly attended to First-class work guaranteed. Prices reasonable. Estimates promptly furnished.
CALL AND SEE US. 5-26-7

The Reina Victoria Segar
Is an *ELEGANT* 10c *SEGAR.*
I SELL IT FOR 5 CENTS.
Call at
At the Crescent Parlor,
23 NORTH AVENUE. 11-30-7

TRY
*B. T. Barnes'*
Flaxseed and Lemon
COUGH DROPS.
Opposite Postoffice.
12-13-tf

BOOTS AND SHOES
LOW PRICES.
At C. W. FORCE'S.
FALL AND WINTER GOODS.
11 West Front Street.

HOAGLAND'S
EXPRESS.
OFFICE—39 North Avenue
Opposite Railroad Station.
8-15 tf

ARNOLD,
THE GROCER!
92 Somerset St., opp. Emily,
ORTH PLAINFIELD.
4-15-tf

Valuable Building Lots for Sale,
On Grove street and Craig place, North Plainfield. This plot is one of the most desirable in the Borough, and is offered for sale at a reasonable price and on easy terms. Will be sold in quantities to suit. Apply to Owner, at 28 Craig place. 8-15-tf

J. BARTON KLINE. JAS. W. DAVIS.
DEALERS IN
Coal, Wood, Hay, Feed,
Straw and Grain
TELEPHONE CALL, 58.
Yards—Corner of Front St. & Grant Ave
BRANCH OFFICE—North Ave., opposite Station.
The BEST GRADES OF EVERYTHING at the MOST LIBERAL PRICES. 9-5-t

PECK'S CORNER.
A REMARK IN PASSING:
"PECK!
Is Always Getting in New Goods!"

SEBRING'S,
LARGE STOCK OF
CHILDREN'S CLOTHING
27 PARK AVENUE. 12-6-y

Opening of Fall and Winter Millinery,
Wednesday, October 1.
We will have on exhibition a large assortment of
Artistically Trimmed Hats, designed by a First Class New York Milliner,
Whose services we have secured for the season. Also, a well-selected line of untrimmed Hats and Bonnets, Feathers, Tips, Birds, &c.
New line of Jackets, Reefers, Capes, Plush Cloaks and Jackets.
New line of *FALL DRESS GOODS.*
*CARPETS, OIL CLOTH, MATS and MATTING.* LARGE STOCK and LOW PRICES.
LEDERER'S,
9 WEST FRONT ST. 9 22 3m

NEW GOODS!
JARDINIERE'S, CRACKER JARS,
FANCY LOTTERY, ARTISTIC LAMPS,
FINE GLASSWARE, DECORATED CHINA
GAVETT'S, 15 E. FRONT ST. 10-25-tf

FURNITURE, BEDDING, UPHOLSTERY.
Large Assortment!
New Goods!!
Low Prices!!!
—Manufacturing and Repairing a Specialty.—
GARRET Q. PACKER,
Nos. 23, 25, 27, and 29 PARK AVE. 1-8-tf

SEA FOOD!
Scale and Shell.
ROGERS' MARKET,
42 WEST SECOND STREET. 3-13-tf

FALL IS HERE
And I am ready for it with a full line of
Dress Goods, Underwear,
Blankets and Comfortables.
NEW STYLES of Ingrain, Tapestry, and Body Brussel Carpets, Oil Cloths, Etc., at the *LOWEST PRICES*, to which I invite your attention.
H. A. POPE,
Corner FRONT and SOMERSET STS.
The old reliable Dry Goods, Carpet, and Notion House. 11-15-y

First Annual Clearing Out Sale of WALL PAPER!
The purpose of which is to dispose of our entire stock and renew it exclusively with the new patterns of the coming season. Points worth considering:
FIRST—Our stock is very large, carefully selected, and all this season's goods.
SECOND—The first customers will have a larger stock to select from, and will get the choicest bargains.
THIRD—Prices will be the lowest ever offered—bargains being offered daily below cost. Sale closes September 1.
A. D. VAN SCIVER, 47 NORTH AVE.,
Opposite Depot. — (Chotola Building). —Plainfield, N. J.
N. B.—*ALL BRANCHES OF PAINTING A SPECIALTY.* 1-10-t

COAL LUMBER
And
Builders Supplies
LOOMIS & RICE
49 B'DWAY

## REV. MR. ROBERTSON AGAIN IN THE PAPERS.

**He Makes Ready for a Committee Visit and Defies the Reporters.**

Mr. Robertson, of this city, who is recorded in the Plainfield directory as, "Robertson, Rev. David F. missionary, h 76 E. Second st.," is being shown up again by the New York press. The *Times* of Tuesday said that a promised investigation of the shady methods of the Juvenile Guardian Society, of which Mr. Robertson is the head, was postponed because Robertson sent word to the, "Finance Committee" that the books were not yet ready, saying that they were in the possession of an expert, but would be at the disposal of the committee this afternoon. A *Times* reporter called at the "headquarters" again Monday. There had been a transformation, and the place was hardly recognized.

Until Monday no one could accuse the guardian of New York's juvenility with having diverted charity money to the ends of cleanliness. But as that was to be the first visit by the "officers and directors" the occasion warranted a small addition to the 80 per cent. of the funds which customarily go to other than charitable purposes, Miss Gallagher, the efficient "book-keeper," was blacking the stove when the reporter arrived. Her manner was somewhat chilly, and she demanded why she was quoted as using the word "steal" in connection with Robertson. Said she: "You might have used something meaning the same, but 'steal' sounds so bad." Miss Gallagher is right.

Soon the white-haired "philanthropist" himself came in. "Reporters always ruffled him dreadfully," Miss Gallagher had warningly remarked, but, after several minutes of gurglings, execrations, and anathemas, Robertson only shouted, slapping his imposing chest theatrically, "D. F. Robertson, Sir, stands before the World; I won't speak to you; I defy you." However, after a while he relented and admitted that he had never been ordained or even educated as a clergyman. Dr. Guernsey said that he had been under the impression that Robertson was a Yale gradaate and a Doctor of Divinity. Mr. Bostwick has always spoken of him as "Doctor" and had an idea that he was a LL. D. Robertson was asked what constituted his "society." "Why, why, what a question!" he sputtered. "It's an—a—ah—it's an entity," he burst out as the inspiration struck him. Then he again went off hysterically, and the reporter bid him good-day, promising to call again. "You needn't!" was shouted after him.

Dr. Guernsey and Treasurer Bostwick of the Custom House were in consultation Monday evening, and with Mr. Sturges will look up the society's affairs Tuesday afternoon. They confess that there has been very bad management when it takes four-fifths of the subscriptions to distribute one-fifth, and say that were so much is left to the Superintendent he should be a man of tried integrity. If they find that Robertson is not such a man they will either at once drop the disreputable organization or reorganize it completely, putting it in harmonious relation with other charitable institutions with a responsible man at its head.

**Will Give Up His Music Hall Stock for the Benefit of the Children's Home.**

TO THE EDITOR OF THE PRESS:—Knowing that you have always taken an interest in the working classes, I have no doubt you will kindly insert the following in your valuable paper:

As Winter is approaching and the McKinley bill has a tendency to raise the price of everything, not only the workingman, but the little ones must consequently suffer. Therefore I again offer for sale to the highest bidder, ten shares in the so-called "Music Hall," the proceeds to go to the Children's Home, North Plainfield. I trust this will meet the eye of some noble protectionist or philanthropist. GEORGE M. PHILLIPS.

Evona, October 15, 1890.

**To Relieve the Pressure on the Jersey Central's Tracks.**

The Reading Railroad Company will, it is said, begin work at once on the construction of a new outlet to New York Harbor, which will extend from a point on the Bound Brook line to tidewater. This branch will cost about $1,000,000, and will be finished as soon as possible. The new line will take from the Jersey Central the Reading's coal tonnage. Under the old contract the Reading paid the Jersey Central $220,000 last year for trackage. When the new branch is built the Reading will save $150,000 per annum, and perhaps more.

**A Rare Opportunity for Young Men.**

Young men and boys will have one more opportunity to-morrow evening, to take up the study of short-hand in the class organized at the Y. M. C. A., last week. Let every young man who wishes to qualify himself for a business career avail himself of this opportunity. A $2.00 membership in the Association entitles to all priveliges.

**Closing the Frazee Lee Estate.**

The house and lot at 206 Broadway, and the house, lot and barn at 17 Lake street, will be sold at public auction by Wm. N. Pangborn, Thursday afternoon, October 23, at two o'clock, to settle the estate of the late Frazee Lee.

$500 Reward for an incurable case of chronic Nasal Catarrh is offered by the manufacturers of Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy.

## A SHIP CANAL ACROSS NEW JERSEY.

**A Plainfield Engineer Promises Success for a Scheme for a Short Route from Delaware River to the Ocean, and Plainfield Money Backs Him Up.**

The New York newspapers are devoting considerable space to news of the project to construct a ship canal across New Jersey from the Delaware to the Atlantic, which has brought all the way from South America a young engineer of established reputation, now in Plainfield. Some months ago he received an urgent message summoning him from the mountain mines, where he had been developing a fortune for himself and others to embark in this Jersey scheme. He arranged his South American affairs so that he might take a long leave of absence without subjecting them to any risk, came North as speedily as possible and made arrangements to throw his entire skill and influence into the canal project.

The success of the scheme had been dependent on English capital, and he has undertaken to secure American capital instead. His large acquaintance and good repute among moneyed men seems to be making the task an easy one, for he now assures the originators of the project that success is certain, and is quoted as saying that considerable of the promised financial aid comes from Plainfield capitalists.

The scheme was first suggested by merchants of Philadelphia and Camden who wanted a shorter water route to New York, and an abbreviation of the journey of hundreds of miles down the bay and around Cape May to strike the ocean path to Europe. Most of the men whose commerce it would directly benefit were at first, however, chary of advancing the necessary capital, but they are now said to be among the very ones who are contributing to the constructing fund which the engineer and lesser merchants have been seeking to raise.

The exact route of the proposed canal has not been divulged, but it is understood that it will be a diagonal course across the State, passing near Mount Holly and entering the ocean near Shark River. This would require about sixty miles of excavation, but the engineering difficulties would be few, as the land the big artificial waterway would traverse is almost entirely flat, the soil is light and there are no hills to cut away or rocks to blast. A somewhat shorter route could be selected just below the fortieth parallel, reaching the Atlantic at Toms River, and this has received considerable favorable consideration.

News of the development of the enterprise, which, the engineer says, will certainly be begun at an early date, will be hailed with joy by the owners of the South Jersey land which the canal will develop. Its path will be directly through the great region of pines and cranberries.

**The Somerset Freeholders Adopt a Memorial of Wm. E. Jones.**

At a meeting of the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the county of Somerset, at the Court House in Somerville, Tuesday, Oct., 14, 1890, it having been announced that William E. Jones, a member of the Board from the Borough of North Plainfield, departed this life on the 13th inst., at half-past nine o'clock in the forenoon, the following committee was appointed to draft suitable resolutions respecting said deceased: John C. Staats, (Director), George W. Bullman, J. M. Vreeland, George Ballantine and A. P. Sutphen, (Clerk).

A. P. Sutphen reported the following, which were unanimously adopted:

WHEREAS, It has pleased the Almighty in His allwise Providence to call our much-esteemed associate, Wm. E. Jones, to final rest; and we bow in humble submission to His divine will; and whereas, we feel that in this we have been bereft not only of an associate member of the Somerset County Board of Freeholders, but of an esteemed friend, whose genial presence always filled us with pleasure; whose numerous acts of kindess endeared him to us; whose ever-courteous treatment won our respect; whose straightforward manner won our utmost confidence, and whose charity won our love; and whereas it is but fitting that we should express our grief and bear testimony of our esteem to those relatives who lose in him one most dear, and to the community which loses in him a thoroughly efficient public officer; be it hereby

*Resolved*, That we, his fellow members, tender to the bereaved family our sincere and heartfelt sympathy; and be it further

*Resolved*, That these preambles and resolutions be properly engrossed and conveyed to the family and that a copy be published in the papers of the county and in the two dailies of Plainfield, and also spread upon the minutes.

JOHN C. STATTS,
GEO. W. BULLMAN,
J. M. VREELAND,
GEO. BALLENTINE,
A. P. SUTPHEN.

**Mt. Bethel Witnesses a Carnival of Festivity.**

The masquarade ball given by the Scatered Four at Mt. Bethel Tuesday evening was such an enjoyable affair that the one hundred and twenty participants have not yet finished telling their friends what a merry time they had. Forty of the guests were from Plainfield, and forty others were from the Oranges. The grand march was led by E. Apgar, of Plainfield, and Miss Daisy Paxton, of Newark. The music was by Samuel Frazee, and Chas. Ross of New York.

—The regular mid-week meeting of the Reform Club will be held this evening at 8 o'clock. All are welcome.

## THE LAST ROUND-UP.

**Scene Presented by the Collection of Six Thousand Head of Cattle.**

The last general round-up ever to be made on Indian lands was made, says a Cedarville (Kas.) correspondent of the *New York Herald*, when E. M. Hewins, president of the Cherokee Strip Live-Stock Association, rounded his herd of 6,000 cattle in the Osage Nation, which was the only large herd in the Indian country then remaining. The round-up will be remembered as the end of cattle-grazing, not only in the Osage country, but in all the territory heretofore leased by the Indians to the cattle men.

The spring round-ups began on the western edge of the "Cherokee Strip." The rounders worked from pasture to pasture eastward until the Osage Nation was reached and the end had come.

All the cowboys on the Hewins ranch were in the saddle at four o'clock, and by eleven o'clock the 65,000-acre pasture had been thoroughly surrounded and the cattle were gradually moving toward the center of the range, where the round-up was to take place. By nine o'clock nearly 7,000 cattle, including strays had been gathered into a radius of about three miles square. Then began the careful work of closing in without causing a stampede. Slowly the cattle were brought up over a raise, the summit of which overlooked Alum Creek Valley, about ten miles south of the northern Territorial boundary. Beyond the summit was a basin forming a huge circle, comprising an area containing 4,000 acres, and in that the round-up was to take place.

A moment later and a stampede seemed inevitable. The steers had sighted the grove of shade-trees and the daring and skillful riders were scarcely seen and nothing heeded as the mad rush was made toward the grove.

Those of the spectators who had seen such sights before knew at once what the result would be, and they immediately appraised the others that it would be wise for every one to make hurried arrangements to climb the nearest trees. And this was done barely in time, for on came the herd running madly, heeding nothing until fully half of it had dashed across and beyond the stream, raising a cloud of dust that for a time obscured all the surroundings, and laying waste all that was in their way. After another hour's hard riding the entire herd was again surrounded and forced into submission down in the lowland.

When this was accomplished the picture became intensely interesting. The outsiders were indeed masters of the situation as they patroled the rear line of the herd's onward march. A hundred expert horsemen were then in sight forming a ring on the outside of the herd that was meant to be and did prove to be impassable. Each horseman led from two to three horses, changing from time to time to a fresh steed. All this time the "cut-out" experts leading these extra horses came up leisurely in the rear. At eleven o'clock the round up had been made and the majority of the rounders galloped away toward the "chuck" wagon for dinner, while a few of their number kept the herd from spreading. The cattle were at this time thoroughly massed and standing side by side.

As they stood they covered the area of from twenty to twenty-five acres. As they moved slowly and restlessly among each other they had the appearance of a great swarm of bees. Presently there began a concerted slow movement called "milling," and soon the dust became so dense that the whole scene was enveloped, and not even the daring cowboy could be discerned. This was kept up for about fifteen minutes, when a passing gust of wind bore the clouds of dust west and revealed the herd once more quited and the cowboys in command.

## ANCESTRAL PETTICOAT.

**A Wonderful Work Wrought Fully a Century and a Half Ago.**

A marvelous example of old-time needle-work has found its way into one of the exchanges for women's work in this city through the impecuniousness of the family in which it has long been cherished as an heirloom.

It is a piece of the quilted work which has become one of the lost arts in these days, and was the border of a petticoat worn by some richly-clad German dame 150 years ago. The strip is a half yard in width and about three yards in length. It consists of two thicknesses of fine white cotton with a soft interlining. It is quilted all over with an exquisite medley of flowers, foliage and arabesques, into which is wrought every variety of "stitch" known to expert needlecraft. In those days there were no other ornaments nor any devices for stamping. The patient fingers that fashioned such work also made their own designs, drew them with a needle, free hand, as they went along, and so this petticoat border was the work of an artist as well as a clever needlewoman. The fabric is stiff with stitches—there are millions of them—and the surface puts one in mind of a piece of fine repousse work in white silver.

The woman who is now compeled to part with this has a pitiful history. She and her husband in their advanced age were forced by reverses to emigrate to the Far West, where in an unsettled country, three days' ride from a human habitation, they "took up a claim." The wife, unused to hardship, finally lost her health, and in the hope of regaining it came East last autumn, leaving her husband alone. The severity of the winter killed all their stock, and the old man finally met with an accident which laid him up with both legs broken. He is helpless and penniless and alone, and his wife is helpless and penniless here, unable to reach him. She had sold every thing available before she made up her mind to part with her ancestral petticoat. It is a rare and interesting piece of work and ought to be in a museum.—N. Y. World.

—In five years £100,000 worth of property has been lett in London cabs.

**Senator Morrill Re-Elected.**

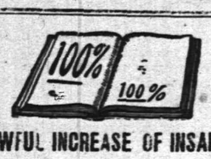
MONTPELIER, Vt., Oct. 16.—In the Legislative Joint Assembly, Justin S. Morrill was formally elected United States Senator for six years from March 4th next. It is expected that a voluminous high license local option bill will be introduced this week, and its friends, while not sanguine of its success, expect to develop much more strength than ever before.

**Earl Spencer on the Irish Question.**

LONDON, Oct. 16.—Earl Spencer, who was Lord Lieutenant of Ireland in Mr. Gladstone's cabinet, said in a speech at Newport last night that the present condition of Ireland was a disgrace and a danger to the Empire. He was confident that Mr. Gladstone's proposals would eventually settle the Irish question in a satisfactory manner.

**Three Servants Burned to Death.**

BERLIN, Oct. 16.—In a fire on the Schmastathang estate, near Schwerein three servants were burned to death. Many cattle also perished in the flames.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# OUR YOUNG FOLKS.

## GRANDMA'S SOLDIER.

**How Teddy Ran Away and Gave His Dear Mamma a Terrible Fright.**

"S I YOUR little soldier, danma?"

"Yes, darling."

"Does you like soldiers?"

"Yes, dear."

"I s them bwave?"

"Yes, precious, most of them are."

The little golden haired boy stood in deep thought for a few moments, and then the questions began again.

"What is bwave, danma?"

Grandma drew the tiny man to her side, and twining her arm around him looked down with a love unspeakable shining in the depths of her brown eyes into the trusting blue ones and said, softly:

"It means to be good and noble, and courageous, Teddy, and—"

But the little fellow interrupted her. "Don't they fight?"

Teddy had been taught that it was wrong to fight, and if so he could hardly understand how a soldier who fought could be very good or noble.

The grandmother paused a moment before answering the eager little questioner, lest she might impress his young mind wrongly, and then with a light sigh she answered him:

"All soldiers are supposed to be brave, Teddy, and when *they fight it is* generally in a war, for some good to a country or nation, but you are too young to understand, darling. When you are older you will know how it is."

Little Teddy looked hurt, and stepped away from his grandma's twining arm.

"What is it, darling?" she asked.

For a moment he did not speak, and the red lips pouted, while a most decided wrinkle came between his brows.

"O-o-h, Teddy!" said his grandma gently.

Then the full lips quivered, but he mastered his tears, and said emphatically:

"Tourse I understands."

Mrs. Malcom lifted him to her knee, and then a long, quiet, loving talk followed, which appeased the little boy's offended dignity.

Teddy Malcolm was just four years old, and an orphan. He had never felt

TEDDY PLAYING SOLDIER.

the loss of either parent, for Grandma Malcom (whose only son his father had been) was perfectly devoted to the tiny boy.

Mrs. Malcom was very wealthy, and Teddy and she were alone in the world, as far as relatives were concerned.

She was a wise, judicious woman, and Teddy was carefully guarded and nurtured, and loved almost too well.

He was a very thoughtful child, always inquiring into the whys and wherefores of things. A few days before the soldier-conversation a lady friend had given Teddy a handsome picture book, filled with stories of soldiers, and the little fellow's mind became absorbed in it, and he was never weary of hearing his grandma read the stories or explain the meaning of the pictures.

For days he carried the book wherever he went, even taking it to bed with him.

It was the custom of his grandma, and Teddy as well, to take a nap every afternoon. So, as usual, upon this particular day, after placing Teddy on his little cot, and sitting by him awhile until he appeared to be asleep, Mrs. Malcolm left him to go to her own room, which adjoined his.

In a short time she was gently sleeping, but not so Teddy.

His grandma had hardly gone from him, when he, with his new book under his arm, without the least noise, crept off his cot, out of his room down the stairs, out of the street-door and into the street.

It was such a dreamy summer day that Mrs. Malcom slept much longer than usual; indeed, it was quite time for their early tea, nearly five o'clock, when she woke up.

She arose, feeling very much refreshed, and looked at her watch; surprised at the lateness of the hour, she hastily made her toilet and repaired to Teddy's room.

Teddy was not there, of course, but where was he?

"He probably awakened long ago," was her thought. "Agnes, (one of the servants) has taken care of him."

She went down the stairs, looking about her, expecting every moment to hear a shout of laughter or a merry cry, but the silence was oppressive, no sound of Teddy anywhere.

Just then came the tinkle of the tea bell.

Going into the dining-room she met Agnes.

"Where is Teddy?" she asked.

"Teddy?" repeated the girl. "Why, I thought he was with you. I haven't seen him since dinner time."

All thoughts of supper vanished now.

"Where was Teddy?" This was the first time in his life he had been away without some one of the household knowing where.

The servants were questioned, but all gave the same answer: "I do not know."

Mrs. Malcolm grew very pale, and while others searched the extensive grounds covered with shrubbery, she looked the great house over thoroughly, but no little smiling face surrounded with golden curls appeared.

"Teddy! Teddy! Teddy!" she called, until the shadows of night crept down.

One after the other of the servants returned, without the little boy.

The Malcolm estate lay in the suburbs of a beautiful Southern town, two miles from the village proper.

"Agnes," said Mrs. Malcolm, when convinced that the child was not on the premises, "remain here, do not leave the house; Martha, John and Hiram must still keep about the grounds, while I will go with William to the city and procure some experienced persons to assist in the search."

Soon Black Prince, Mrs. Malcolm's favorite horse, was harnessed and hitched to the light phaeton. The lamps were lighted on either side and an extra lantern was carried in William's hand.

Teddy's grandma did not forget to take her darling's hat and wrap, for the night air was heavy and damp.

There was no moon that night, but a dewy sweetness pervaded the air, and a light breeze rustled the leaves of the trees.

Mrs. Malcolm's distress was terrible.

Again and again she called her darling's name, and William frequently left the carriage to search some wayside nook.

Then it suddenly occurred to her he might have been stolen by some wicked person in the hope of getting a large ransom, her wealth as well as her great love for the little boy being well known.

"Oh, my darling, my darling," she moaned, while the great tears rolled down her cheeks.

"Have you any idea where he could have gone, William? Or do you think it possible that he is stolen?" she asked her driver, who, as well as the other servants on the estate, dearly loved the kind and affectionate child.

William shook his head.

"I don't believe he is stolen, ma'am," he answered. "I think he just wandered off, and I feel sure we will find him. I mind now," he went on, "seeing him about three o'clock. He was standing on the side porch, and he had his book of soldiers in his hand."

"Three o'clock," echoed Mrs. Malcolm. "Why, that was just after I left him, as I thought, asleep."

And then the morning's conversation suddenly occurred to her; and also there came to her mind like a flash of light the remembrance of a recent visit she and Teddy had made to the barracks near the city.

"William, drive to the barracks," she said, and William turned Black Prince's head in that direction.

There seemed to be something unusual going on when they arrived there to judge by the laughter and shouting.

William sprang to the ground, but his mistress was out of the phæton before he could help her, and in a moment more they both entered the barracks, and what do you think they saw?

A long table stood in the center of the mess room, and on this, decked out with a soldier's cap and fatigue coat, and holding a sword, was Master Ted. He seemed perfectly happy and contented and was trying to obey the commands given him by the soldiers who stood around him.

When his grandmother saw him she nearly fainted with joy, but William began to laugh heartily.

The men seeing the lady, whom many of them knew, removed their caps and came forward to meet her.

They explained that Teddy had been with them but a short time.

He was very tired when he was brought there by a man who had met him trudging along and to whom he said he was going to the barracks to be a "solder," and they had given him his supper and were about to send him home when Mrs. Malcolm arrived. When he caught sight of his best friend, he shouted merrily: "See, danma, see, I'se your really 'ittle solder."

It took much persuasion and many promises of future visits, before Teddy would consent to doff his regimentals and return to civilian life, but he finally yielded, and Grandma's "solder" slept close in her arms again that night.—Detroit Free Press.

### The Ways of the Finest.

Cumso—Isn't an accident in New York a terrible thing?

Banks—Is it worse than an accident anywhere else?

Cumso—Of course it is. I saw a man get his shin scraped yesterday, and while he stopped to rub it a crowd gathered. Then a policeman rushed up with his club and three men were taken to the hospital in an ambulance.—Munsey's Weekly.

### Only a Mouthful.

X—Do you know that man sitting at the table over there?

Q—Yes; it is Jones, the greatest gourmand in the city.

X—I know it, and he's eating away his sense.

Q—That won't hurt him any; it is only a mouthful to him.—Texas Siftings.

### A Neighborhood He Did Not Visit.

Kansas Citizen (to commercial drummer)—Yes, Cashpay and his store are gone. That last cyclone switched him clean up to Heaven.

Commercial Drummer—Well, I'm sorry. He was a good customer, and he's off my route now.—Munsey's Weekly.

### Perfectedly Contented.

Ungenteel Dillaway (after eating a four-sided meal in the dining-car)—I ain't got a nickel t' my name.

The Waiter—You misserble swin'ler! out yo' goes at d' nex' station.

Dillaway—All right, but thank headlights! you've got t' chuck th' dinner out with me.—The Jury.

## WHEN THE CORN'S LAID BY.

When the corn is all in tassel an' 'bout ready to lay by,
An' you hear the leaves a-rustlin' round you 'bout plow-handle high,
An' the crinkle of the growin' stalks untwistin' in the sun
Makes you wisht you could untwist the things you hadn't ought to done;
Then you straddle down the furrow with your bare feet in the dirt,
So whistlin' full o' happiness you actooally hurt;
An' thinkin'-o' the rest to come you heave a happy sigh
When the corn is all in tassel an' 'bout ready to lay by.

There's a somethin' in the air o' summer makes you want to sing;
But 'tain't the sort o' ditty 'at you'd warble in the spring.
Love 'at tears your soul to flinders in the spring, you understan',
Is the summer-satisfiedness of the settled family-man;
For young Robin in the spring-time hez his sweetheart in his arms,
But they're mated in midsummer an' he's got to hunt fer worms;
An' it's comfortin' a-think in' of a plenty drawin nigh
When the corn is all in tassel an' 'bout ready to lay by.

There's a sight o' satisfaction too a-lookin 'crost the wheat,
With the meadows all a-bloomin' an' the corn a-smellin' sweet;
The breeze of early mornin' comes a-playin' hide an' seek,
A-brushin' back your frowsy locks to pat you on the cheek,
Like baby-hands a-waitin' fer you when your plowin's done,
An' makes you feel so jubilant 'at workin's only fun;
For your heart's so full o' thankys 'at you laugh 'thout knowin' why
When the corn is all in tassel an' 'bout ready to lay by.

—Edwin S. Hopkins, in Judge.

## MRS. BYME'S MANAGEMENT.

### The Entire Family Was Quite a Disagreeable Lot.

"Any time after the fifteenth of July I'll be ready to go to the beach," said little Mrs. Byme to her husband.

"What are you going to do about Delia?" he asked.

"Oh, tell her we shan't want her any longer, of course."

"You don't mean to pay her wages while we're gone?" Mr. Byme turned on her sharply.

"No, indeed; I'm astonished, Theodore, that you should ask such a question. Did I ever throw away money like that, I'd like to know?" She was as sharp as he, and quite as unpleasant in manner. "I don't want Delia next fall," she continued. "When I hired her in May I only expected to keep her till we went away. But she didn't know it."

Mrs. Byme gave a shrewd little nod and a pleased laugh. But her husband stared a minute at her.

"You're a cool one, Matilda," he ejaculated, after a long whistle. "You beat us men in sharpness."

"Don't I?" cried Matilda, in a pleasant way. "Well, I've done better than that—I've engaged Mrs. Ellis' splendid girl, who has been there nine years, to come to me in September, when the Ellises break up. What do you think of that, Theodore?"

"I suppose you pay her a great price?" said Mr. Byme, cautiously.

"Indeed I don't," said his wife. "I shall only give her what I pay Delia, three dollars, and she's to do all the work."

"You're a smart one," cried Theodore, admiringly. "I'd trust you every time."

"Well, there's the breakfast bell," cried his wife, setting a pin in her collar. "Now, don't let a word of this escape you, Theodore, for, if Delia heard a lisp of it, like enough she'd be off and leave me with all this work on my hands, and it's only the first of July."

"I suppose she ought to get a place," said Mr. Byme, giving a last glance in his dressing mirror.

"I suppose so," said Matilda, carelessly. "Well, come, or the beefsteak will be cold as a stone."

In two weeks they were off. Delia, a good-natured Scotch girl, credulous and obliging, had struggled hard with the accumulation that always falls upon the maid-of-all-work when a family is preparing to go away for half of the summer, and at last confronted her mistress with a trusting smile and the observation: "Indeed, Mrs. Byme, I s'pose ye'll do the right thing by me, and pay me a little wages while ye're gone," to be met with the truth, and told to pack her bag, and say good-bye for all time.

The evening after the Byme house was bolted and barred the whole neighborhood was invited to a concert, sustained by one lonely, indignant cat, who rendered all the selections. Many a head rolled on an uneasy pillow, and wished all sorts of mishaps to the Byme family for the beauties of the vacation season.

"Just like that Mrs. Byme," said more than one housekeeper at the breakfast table, "to go away and lock out her cat. She's mean enough for that."

"The society for the prevention of cruelty to animals ought to be after her," said an indignant member of the family circle who had scarcely slept a wink all night.

"Well, I shall call in that cat and give it its breakfast," said a tender-hearted little matron, the next-door neighbor of the Bymes. "Dear me, I couldn't swallow my own to think of a half-starved creature hanging around. There it is now, sitting on their back steps and scratching to get in," peering through the blinds into the adjoining yard.

When the Bymes reached the boarding-house to which they were bound on Rock Hill beach they found to their great delight that an invalid lady who had spent the previous summer there had not arrived.

"We shall take her room, then," cried Mrs. Byme, fixing her cold, black eyes on the heated face of the landlady. "According to agreement, Mrs. Dobbs, you remember that if she wasn't here by the fifteenth you would give it to us."

"It's queer we haven't heard nothing from her," said Mrs. Dobbs, twisting her apron nervously between her fingers; "she's been here for seven years now, and she always writes if she ain't comin'. Wouldn't you just as soon wait another day, Mrs. Byme? One can't be comfortable in any other room."

"Waiting to hear would make no difference," said Mrs. Byme, severely. "The agreement was that we should have this room if Mrs. Carrol didn't come by the fifteenth."

"Well, that's because she always got here by the first of July," interrupted the landlady, excitedly. "I hain't ever known her to make a miss before —"

"Which only proves that she isn't coming this year," said Mrs. Byme. "At any rate, this room is mine." They were standing in the doorway, and she now advanced in and threw her parasol on the bed with the air of a proprietor. "Send up my boxes, Mrs. Dobbs, and be so good as to get them here quickly," and the landlady found herself going down-stairs with the consciousness that Mrs. Theodore Byme was ensconced in her best room, and that not any power in the household could get her out.

That evening came a letter from the invalid, Mrs. Carrol, that had in some unexplainable way traveled around a week before reaching its destination. "I have been delayed in making my summer plans on account of the serious illness of my son. I will be with you the sixteenth of July, and shall be glad to get into my nice quiet room, for I am sadly worn with watching and worry."

Mrs. Byme, out on the piazza playing a game of whist, heard the news as it was first shouted out in-doors, and stiffened up immediately to hold her ground and keep the room, which she did in the face of all arguments and entreaties that could be brought to bear upon her. And Mrs. Carrol, arriving pale and exhausted with the journey the next day, quietly forbade Mrs. Dobbs to make any overtures, and she settled into the only remaining room, a hot one at the back of the house.

Helen Byme, Mrs. Byme's eldest daughter, was learning to play on the banjo, so she picked at it steadily by her window whenever it struck her fancy to do so, till the other boarders thought they should go wild over the performance, and all afternoon sleep was given up by the occupants of the room underneath. And Joe and Jim, the interesting twins belonging to the Byme household, stamped and raced and howled over the verandas, thereby amusing all those whom Helen failed to entertain.

Mrs. Byme throve on it all, and grew fat and rosy, and congratulated herself on her good management, and when the first of September arrived she paid her bill (always attending to such details instead of Mr. Byme), saying complacently: "I won't engage board for next summer, Mrs. Dobbs, because I don't exactly know whether we shall go to Europe or not, but if we don't, why, we shall come to you, of course!"

Mrs. Dobbs straightened herself up and looked the successful woman all over, then said, without any twisting of the apron: "I sha'n't have any room vacant next season, Mrs. Byme."

"You surely don't mean that you engaged them all"—Mrs. Theodore Byme was guilty of screaming—"without speaking to me?"

"The other boarders had the first say," replied the landlady, without the ghost of a smile. "and they've took 'em all."

When Mrs. Byme returned home and opened her house, her self-complacency so rudely shocked returned in full force, and she contemplated, with no small degree of satisfaction, the stuffy, shut-up rooms and empty kitchens.

"It will be delightful, though, when Mrs. Ellis' Lizzie has been here a day or two—what a lucky woman I was to get her!"

A letter was handed in that evening, rather badly spelled and not quite faultless as to grammar.

"Mrs. Byme," it said, "I ain't comin' to live with you. I've changed my mind and hired out to Mis' Smith. Delia, who lived with you, is my cousin, and you took her in, and you might take me in some time, so I ain't comin'. Yours respec'ful'y, LIZZIE MYERS."—Margaret Sidney, in Congregationalist.

## FITNESS OF THINGS.

### Furnishing a Room to Harmonize with the Occupant's Complexion.

Only a few years ago there was such a narrowed understanding of the niceties of interior decoration, that people actually laughed at the idea of furnishing a room to harmonize in general color effect with the complexion of its occupant, says the Upholsterer. The humorous columns of the great dailies were full of decorative jokes: the woman who would dress herself to harmonize with her home surroundings, or, rather, dress her home to harmonize with her appropriate colors, or the man who would throw the weight of his individuality into his study furnishings, were held up as subjects for hilarious ridicule.

The trouble was, the subject was in advance of the people. But nowadays we can not affiliate the fair-fat-and-forty with frail and delicate furnishings. Mme. Pompadour's style of furniture, with its heavy rolls and massive upholsterings, are in the fat-and-forty line, and we can not associate the romping, maidenish impulses of a fair girl with the sturdy and solid surroundings of such a room. On the contrary, we think of light maple wood-work, cob-webby curtains caught back with pink and blue, cream walls and Japanese rugs.

We would say that a girl of a dead matte color, who furnished her room in rose pinks and steel grays, was egregiously ignorant or wished to appear at her worst, and nothing is more woefully out of place than a healthy, vigorous, masculine man in the intricate, bewildering chaos of a gingerly-furnished Louis XVI. room.

### A Disastrous Dream.

In Marion County, Ga., a man dreamed the other night that hogs got in his corn-field. The hogs ran under an old gin-house where there was only one small hole as an outlet, and he was there kicking to keep them from coming out. When he awoke he was standing on the floor kicking the wall, with his big toe broken and his ankle badly sprained.

## IMPROVED BUILDING MATERIAL

WHITE pine boards are now made by reducing small trees and limbs to pulp and pressing in molds.

A NEW process is reported which densifies soft wood and renders it hard and workable, with all the properties of good lignum vitæ. The wood is soaked in oil, put under heavy pressure, and then allowed to stand for some months, when it has become dry.

FOR building material, brick is considered the best, and most durable, and resists fire the longest. Iron warps, and granite and brown-stone crack. These facts are very well understood now by builders; consequently most of the large buildings are being constructed of brick.

SOMETHING new in the way of brick-making has sprung up at St. Joseph, Mich., where the sand of the beach by a chemical process is being turned into brick. They are represented to be superior to pressed brick, and large quantities are being put into fine residences and the fronts of business blocks.

WOOD-STONE is the name of a new compound material composed of sawdust and calcined magnesia. The mixture, having been well worked up with water, is put into molds and pressed into whatever shape may be desired. A scientific authority says it is incombustible and impermeable to water, is susceptible of a fine polish, and is adaptable to numerous uses.

A CERTAIN Babayeff of St. Petersburg has invented a fire-proof cement, which is said to excel all hitherto invented in that line. A company to rear fire-proof buildings with this cement has been formed, and some fire insurance companies have pledged themselves to insure such buildings at a premium of no more than ten per cent. of the rate charged on ordinary buildings. Wood boxes filled with this cement between the boards are said to answer all the purposes of ordinary safes.


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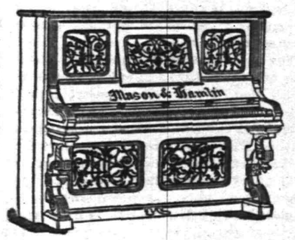


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Leave New York from foot of Liberty street, 4 30, 5 45, 7, 7 45, 8 45, 10, 11, A. M., 1, 1 30, 2 30, 3 45, 4, 4 30, 5, 5 15, 5 30, 5 45, 6, 6 15, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 8, 8 30, 9 15, 10, 11 30 P. M., 12 night. Sunday—4 30, 7, 8 30, 9 30, A. M., 12 M., 1, 1 15, 4, 5 30, 6, 7, 9 00, 10 00 P. M., 12 15 night.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.
Leave Plainfield 5 28, 6 29, 6 59, 7 30, 8, 8 37, 9 32, 10 05, 11 09, 11 39, A. M., 1, 2 07, 2 30, 3 12, 3 51, 5 08, 5 31, 6 07, 6 54, 7 06, 8 31, 9 28, 10 12, 11 28 P. M. Sunday—5 01, 8 52, 11 02, 11 16, A. M., 12 33, 2 30, 3 30, 5 16, 7 01, 7 10, 8 23, 8 32, 10 02 P. M.
Leave Newark 7 10, 7 50, 8 55, 10 10, 11 05 A. M., 1 05, 1 35, 5 50, 3 40, 4 02, 4 35, 5 05, 5 30, 5 55, 6 15, 7 15, 7 35, 8 25, 9 35, 11 35 P. M. Sunday—7 20, 8 40, 9 05, 9 50, A. M., 12 05, 1 10, 4 10, 5 40, 6 05, 7 05, 9 25, 10 20 P. M.
Passengers for Newark change cars at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.
Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7, 8 07, 9 42, 11, 11 58 A. M., 1 59, 2 32, 3 45, 4 34, 5 20, 5 34, 6 20, 6 38, 7 03, 7 12, 8 20, 9 43, 11 13, 12 43 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 13, 9 46, A. M., 2 03, 2 30, 5 14, 6 35, 10 15, 11 14 P. M.
Leave Somerville, 6, 6 36, 7 03, 7 25, 7 35, 8 06, 9 47, 11 15 A. M., 12 35, 1 15, 1 48, 2 05, 3 40, 5 12, 5 35, 8 05, 8 50, 11 05, P. M. Sunday—8 25, 10 35 A. M., 12 08, 105, 4 50, 6 40, 8 03, 8 05, 9 30 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.
Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7, 8 07, 9 42, A. M., 1 59, 4 34, 5 20, 6 38, 8 20 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 13 A. M., 2 03, 6 35 P. M.
Leave Easton 6 05, 8 44, 10 A. M., 12 32, 4 09, 7 49 P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 52, A. M., 6 40, 7 30 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.
Leave Plainfield 9 42 A. M., 5 20 P. M.

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5 45 A. M. for Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.
7 A. M. for High Bridge Branch and Easton.
8 07 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.
9 42 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Nanticoke, Drifton, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c.
1 59 P. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, &c.
4 34 P. M. for D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.
5 20 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch Schooley's Mountain, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, &c.
6 20 P. M. for Flemington.
6 38 P. M. for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg.
8 20 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.
6 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8 15 a. m. Sundays for High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, &c., 3 05 p. m. Sundays for High Bridge Branch Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua and Pottsville. 6 35 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

For Atlantic City, 3 27 a. m. 1 p. m.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c.
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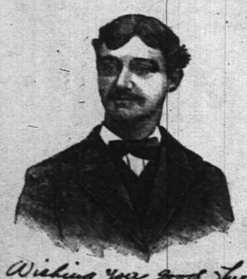

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## THE SCENE OF DEATH

### Latest Details of the Hotel Fire at Syracuse.

### EIGHT KNOWN TO BE KILLED.

### More Than Thirty Persons Injured and Several Are Missing.

**The Scenes Appalled the Bravest Hearts. The Building a Veritable Death Trap. Men at Work on the Ruins To-Day—Incendiary Rumors—Revised List of the Killed and Injured.**

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Oct. 17.—By the burning of the Leland Hotel the total loss exceeds $125,000. The hotel cost $80,000.

There is considerable loss by the American Express Company on its building and express matter adjoining the hotel. The individual inmates of the hotel lost heavily in personal effects.

It is probable that the loss of life will not exceed eight persons—three guests and five servants. About thirty persons were severely injured.

The removal of the debris began this morning under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works, and the city's entire force of laborers are assisting in the work. The opinion is pretty general that the charred remains of several bodies, other than those mentioned, will be found in the wreck.

**Two Bodies Beneath the Ruins.**

The fact has just become known that there were at least two bodies buried beneath the ruins of the Leland Hotel. One of them is that of Mary Padden, a servant who jumped from a sixth story window at the rear of the burning building. The other is that of Mary Doyle, who is supposed to have perished in the flames. She was employed at the hotel with her two sisters, Bridget and Maggie. Bridget jumped from the sixth story before the firemen could get the net in position, and she was killed instantly. Maggie also jumped, but was caught in the net and escaped with broken arms and a fracture of the right leg. Nothing is known definitely as to the manner of Mary's death. All that is certain is that she is missing and that what remains of her body is lying somewhere underneath the mass of fallen bricks.

### DEAD AND INJURED.

**The Fatalities Are Not So Numerous as at First Supposed.**

SYRACUSE, Oct. 17.—At this writing there are eight persons known to have perished. When the first news was wired it was believed that 50 or more guests and help had lost their lives in the flames. Happily the list is smaller. Among those whose remains have been identified are:

William E. Hardup, Elizabeth, N. J.; head salesman for Coffin, Altemus & Co., dry goods, at No. 79 Worth street, New York.
Miss Walker, servant in the hotel.
Bridget Doyle, a servant.
Mary Padden, a servant.
Frank Carey, Glens Falls, N. Y.
Annie Cummings, aged 24, from New York, killed by jumping.
Rose Schwag, hotel domestic, died at St. Joseph's Hospital; internal injuries by jumping.
Annie Kennell died in the hospital from the effect of her injuries.

The injured are:

Casey, M. J., bartender at the hotel; slightly.
Campbell, Annie, servant; serious dislocations and compound fracture; may recover.
Doyle, Maggie, cleaner, city; seriously, by jumping from window.
Landgraf, Lizzie, servant; jumped; case doubtful.
McGraw, Kate, servant; burned dangerously and inhaled fire.
Nichols, Edward, of Dunkirk; president of the Brooks Locomotive Works; ankle broken and badly shocked, but will recover.
O'Connor, Mrs., servant; may die.
Rosenheim, Max, guest, New York; badly burned and right ankle broken.
Smith, Susan, servant, city; suffering from fright; recovery uncertain.
Tynar, Mary, servant; compound fracture and shock. Will probably recover.
Walker, Mrs., servant; burned, shocked. May die.
Forbes, Burnett.
Gilmore, F. W., of Pawtucket.
Comstock, Samuel.
Dunn, John, a fireman.
Giles, Maggie, a servant.
Howlett, John.
Oslicke, A. G., a traveling salesman of New York city.
Shean, George, a fireman.
Schwartz, Annie.
Sullivan, Eugene.
Drysdale, R. S.

**Was it the Work of an Incendiary?**

SYRACUSE, Oct. 17.—In insurance circles it is believed the Leland Hotel was set on fire. Dick Perry, of the firm of Bowen & Perry, says the fire started in a back room where grease was stored. "A skylight was over the place," he said, "and the flames leaped up through it into a sort of a well, which served as a conductor to carry the fire to the rooms of the guests, which opened out upon it on the various floors." At the Globe hotel fire shortly after Mr. Perry says he was quickly on the scene, and declares that the fire started from grease in the kitchen in precisely the same manner as at the Leland. He believes both places were set on fire in precisely the same manner by some person or persons employed in the hotels. A rigorous investigation will be made.

**Superintendent Porter Coming Home.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 17.—Chief Clerk Childs, of the Census Office, this morning received a cable message from Superintendent Porter, at Queenstown, stating that he was much improved in health and would sail to-day for New York, where he expects to arrive next Thursday.

**Fleeing from Smallpox.**

PITTSBURG, Oct 17.—A dispatch from Athens, Ohio, says the excitement there over smallpox in the town is greatly on the increase and many families are moving out. It is feared the disease will attack the 300 patients in the insane asylum.

### EXCITING MURDER TRIAL.

**Counsel for Mrs. Ellenberger Claim that She Was Robbed of $8,000.**

ELMIRA, N. Y., Oct. 17.—The opening of the defence in the case of Mrs. Mary Ellenberger for the murder of her paramour, Wm. R. Edwards, was highly sensational. The arraignment of the dead man was so terrible that his widow and children had to leave the court room.

Counsel set up three pleas: that the shooting was accidental, that it was in self defense, and that it was justifiable homicide, the deceased being at the time of the tragedy engaged in an attempt to rob the defendant of her pocket book, containing $100 in money and Edwards' notes for $450.

Counsel for the defense also claims that Edwards robbed the woman of over $8,000 during the year of their intimacy.

Evidence was introduced to show that Edwards had frequently beaten the woman; that he drove the husband from home at the point of a revolver and robbed her on different occasions. Once he had driven her into a river and on one occasion when she was in a carriage he took the reins away and whipped the horses so that they ran away with the woman sitting helplessly alone in the carriage.

The prisoner testified that Edwards had seduced her while she was living happily with her husband and children. Later he drove Mr. Ellenberger from his own home at the point of a revolver, and then worked himself and took possession. The witness gave a very graphic description of the shooting of Edwards, which she maintains was done while he was trying to rob her. She claims that the shooting was accidental, and stood up in court with the revolver with which the killing was done and showed how the shooting occurred.

No murder trial ever held here exceeded this one in general interest. All the women who can be crowded into the trial room are present at each session.

### LINGO AND HIS WIFE.

**They Are Allowed an Interview but Nothing is Said About the Murder.**

CAMDEN, N. J., Oct. 17.—Mrs. Lingo had an interview with her husband in the Camden County Jail during the morning.

This was the first time Francis Lingo has seen his wife since he was arrested, four weeks ago, for the murder of Mrs. Annie Miller. Prosecutor Jenkins was consulted as to the propriety of permitting the accused murderer to see his wife, and at once consented, cautioning Jailor Logue, however, to be present at the interview and listen attentively to all that was said.

No restrictions were placed upon the two, and they were permitted to talk freely and entirely unrestrainedly.

The two shook hands heartily, but did not kiss each other. The grating door would have prevented an embrace. After inquiries as to health, Mrs. Lingo told her husband that she was entirely without money, and was compelled to catch a ride in a farmer's wagon, because she did not have money to pay her car fare. Lingo gave her the names of several persons who owed him money, and told her to collect the bills.

Nothing was said of the murder from the beginning to the end of the interview.

After Mrs. Lingo left, Lingo was asked by Deputy Jailer Lee how he felt.

"I feel much better," said he; "I feel four per cent. better than I did."

**Buried Under Tons of Hot Coke.**

PITTSBURG, Oct. 17.—While a gang of men were engaged in blowing out one of the large iron furnaces preparatory to making repairs at Moorhead & McLane's Second avenue furnace works, the bridge in the furnace stack broke down, allowing several tons of almost white hot coke to fall, completely burying seven workmen. Edward Hughes and his brother were taken out alive but burned almost beyond recognition. They died shortly after. Five Hungarians, names unknown, were also rescued. They were terribly roasted.

**Poisoned by Her Son.**

JERSEY CITY, N. J., Oct. 17.—Mrs. Catherine Schmover died suddenly under what seemed peculiar circumstances, at her residence, No. 298 Newark avenue, on Wednesday evening. A few hours later her son succeeded in having his sister and her husband arrested on the charge of stealing the money and will of the dead woman. Later the son was himself arrested on the charge of poisoning his mother, the grounds for his arrest being that the woman had made a statement, shortly before her death, charging him with her murder. He is at present locked up at Police Headquarters.

**Paymaster Deering Found Dead.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 19. — Paymaster George A. Deering, U. S. N., was found dead in bed at his residence in this city at an early morning hour. He had died during the night of heart disease. Paymaster Deering was in his 47th year.

## THE EXILES IN PARIS

### Balfour Will Not Ask for Their Surrender.

### DILLON MAKES A STATEMENT.

### After Spending Four Months in America They Will Return to England.

**A Few Months in Prison Cannot Frighten the Nationalists—Looking With Confidence to the General Election and the Triumph of Gladstone—London Socialists Will Not Welcome Most.**

LONDON, Oct. 17.—Chief Secretary Balfour has ordered a thorough investigation of the circumstances attending the escape of Messrs. O'Brien and Dillon, but the Government has decided not to make any request of France for the surrender of the fugitives. Such a request would be difficult, in view of the asylum granted by England to Boulanger and other French refugees. Should the two voluntary exiles set foot on Canadian soil after reaching America, they will be arrested there.

PARIS, Oct. 17.—Messrs. Dillon and O'Brien say they will remain in Paris eight days for the purpose of enjoying a brief rest after their recent severe trials, and to permit of communication with leaders in Ireland and America. They will then proceed to Havre, where they will take a steamer displaying the flag of the French Republic and bound for New York.

As to the trials at Tipperary Mr. O'Brien is reported as saying that there was no doubt but that they would be convicted. This, he said, every one knew, and so far as going through the farce of a trial it would save money for Balfour to simply order the Irishmen that are instrumental in thwarting his plans to prison for any length of time he saw fit.

Mr. Dillon says: "We will remain four months in America and will then return to England and surrender ourselves. We have been prisoners so often," laughingly concluded Mr. Dillon, "that a few months in jail, more or less, cannot frighten us. We look with confidence to the general election for the triumph of Mr. Gladstone, who will give to Irishmen the liberty that has been promised."

### NO WELCOME FOR MOST.

**John Burns Says the Anarchist Leader Will Receive the Cold Shoulder.**

LONDON, Oct. 17.—John Burns, the Socialist and workingmen's leader, when asked about the proposed return of Herr Most to Europe, as announced in this morning's papers, answered that true Socialism had no sympathy with anarchy, and that Most need expect no welcome from Socialists either in London or Germany.

Even when Most was here before he had comparatively few sympathizers, and since then the trend of the Socialistic programme has been more and more toward peaceable methods of propaganda and away from even the suggestion of violence.

**The Pope and Ireland.**

ROME, Oct. 17.—It is said that the Pope is preparing for decisive action in regard to the Irish anti-landlord agitation, and that the Irish clergy who have encouraged the movement will be required to abjure and denounce it or be deprived of their sacred functions.

**Gladstone's Midlothian Speeches.**

LONDON, Oct. 17.—In a letter to a Scotch friend, Mr. Gladstone says that in the speeches which he proposes to deliver during his approaching tour of Midlothian he will touch upon the question of Home Rule for Scotland.

**Cora Tanner Too Prostrated to Play.**

UTICA, N. Y., Oct. 17.—Cora Tanner, the actress, was obliged to cancel her engagement in Utica last night on account of the injuries she sustained at the Leland hotel fire at Syracuse. Early in the day she telegraphed to Manager Day of Jacobs' Opera House that she would play here if she had to crawl upon the stage, but later she concluded that it would be injudicious to make the effort in her prostrated condition.

**New York City Politics.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 17.—Tammany Hall received two allies last night in the fight with the fusion ticket. One was the offshoot of the County Democracy known as the Voorhis Democracy, and the other the "People's Alliance," which aims at excise reform. Last night the Republican County Committee endorsed the fusion ticket. Governor Hill has returned to Albany.

**Stabbed Her Husband.**

NEWARK, N. J., Oct. 17.—While suffering from insanity Mrs. C. McIsaacs, of Central avenue, attacked her husband with a carving knife and inflicted several severe wounds before he could effect his escape. She was sent to the asylum.


Highest of all in Leavening Power.—U. S. Gov't Report, Aug. 17, 1889.

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### MILLER'S MANY JOBS.

**Inspector Byrnes Finds that the London Banker is a Noted Swindler.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 17.—Inspector Byrnes has investigated the record on this side of the Atlantic of William Wadsworth Miller, whose wife, Cornelia Miller, is held a prisoner awaiting extradition to England for having in her possession money alleged to have been stolen by the swindling London banking house of James E. Field & Co., in which concern Miller was a partner.

According to Byrnes, Miller was the man who, under the firm name of W. H. Ingham & Co., mulcted confiding people in this city out of about $500,000 in 1888 and then fled. At that time he had an office at 38 Broadway. Among those who invested in Miller's financial schemes was A. R. Colsom, of Buffalo, who lost $900.

The Inspector has learned that Miller was a peddler of jewelry in Tennessee in 1862. In 1877 he was a shoe dealer in Cincinnati and later at Columbus, O. In 1880 he failed in Chicago, owing $22,000 to 68 different firms. Subsequently he opened a banking house in Chicago under the name of Fleming. There he worked a "fund" scheme similar to the "speculative syndicate" he engineered in New York and bagged about $250,000. He was arrested, tried and sentenced to Joliet prison, but secured a temporary stay of proceedings and jumped his bail.

His next exploit was his recent London swindle. Miller is wanted here for the W. H. Taylor & Co. operations, for which he was indicted.

### THE COMTE DE PARIS.

**Entertained Last Night by Philadelphians—In New York To-Day.**

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 17.—The Comte de Paris and party consisting of the Comte de Haussonville, the Marquis Lasteyrie, Captain Morhain and Dr. Remcamier, arrived here at 7 o'clock last evening from Gettysburg in the private car of the Vice-President Thomson, of the Pennsylvania road. They were accompanied by Generals Howard, Slocum, Newton and Butterfield, and Captain Kingsbury.

Last evening the Comte and party attended a banquet given in their honor by General W. F. Smith. During the evening the Count spoke in the warmest terms of the pleasure and profit he had already derived from his visit to this country, and said that he could not fittingly express his debt of gratitude to the people who had treated him so kindly everywhere he has been, especially those he met at Gettysburg.

The entire party left here early this morning for New York, where they will be entertained by General Webb. To-morrow they will go to West Point as the guests of General Butterfield; Monday they will visit the inventor Edison at Menlo Park; Tuesday they will go to Niagara Falls, Wednesday Montreal, remaining in Canada about a week, and will then sail from New York for England November 1.

**Death of a Prominent Divine.**

BURLINGTON, N. J., Oct. 17.—A private despatch from Tacoma, Wash., announces the death of the Rev. George Morgan Hills, rector emeritus of St. Mary's Episcopal Church in this city. For a generation Dr. Hills has been a very prominent figure in the Episcopal Church in New Jersey. In his works, of which the best known is "The History of the Church in Burlington," he was a leader of thought. His death causes universal sorrow here. He was born in Auburn, N. Y., in 1825.

**Mrs. Leslie on the Rostrum.**

CHICAGO, Oct. 17.—Mrs. Frank Leslie, having abandoned journalism for the time being, made her debut on the lecture platform at Central Music Hall last night, taking for her subject "The Royal Leaders of Society." The event was one of great interest, and society and literary circles turned out en masse for the occasion. The new debutante on the lecture platform had a clear and forcible delivery. Joaquin Miller wrote a poem which was recited in honor of the event.

**Fifty Years a Priest.**

BROOKLYN, Oct. 17.—The commemoration of the fiftieth anniversary of Bishop Loughlin's consecration to the priesthood will begin this evening with a reception to the bishop at the Clermont Avenue Rink. The occasion is to be signalized by the presentation of a purse to the venerable prelate and by the delivery of apposite addresses. Archbishop Corrigan and Archbishop Ryan, of Philadelphia, will be among the speakers.

**His Widow Loses Her Suit.**

NORRISTOWN, Pa., Oct. 17.—The jury in the case of Mary Ann Johnson vs. the Pennsylvania & Schuylkill Valley Railroad Company, for the killing of her husband, Urner D. Johnson, at Mill street, Norristown, on the night of October 2, 1887, returned a verdict in favor of the company. The jury retired at 5:15 p. m. yesterday, were out all night and were unable to agree upon a verdict until shortly before 11 o'clock this forenoon.

**McGonegal Still at the Tombs.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 17.—Dr. McGonegal is still in the Tombs awaiting the result of the labors of his counsel for a new trial. By the ruling of Judge Fitzgerald he will remain at the Tombs four days longer under any circumstances. At the end of that time, if nothing definite has been done in the old man's behalf, he will be taken to Sing Sing.

**Ex-Congressman Scott Dying.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 17.—Private advices received here state that ex-Representative William L. Scott is undoubtedly dying at his home in Erie, Pa. The millionaire's affliction is gastric fever, and his physicians gave up al hope of his recovery three or four days ago.

## ASSASSINS CAUGHT

### The Chief of Police of New Orleans Shot Down.

### THE CRESCENT CITY AROUSED.

### Cowardly Work of Italians Whose Plots He Had Foiled.

**Attacked While Entering His Own Door—The Plot Carefully Planned—The Shot and Slugs Almost Tore Him to Pieces—Before Dying the Chief Said the Dagos Killed Him.**

NEW ORLEANS, La., Oct. 17.—Not since September 14, 1874, has New Orleans been so agitated as it is to-day. Never has a tragedy in this city caused such a thrill of horror as the one perpetrated shortly before midnight, when David C. Hennessy, superintendent of police, was shot down by assassins.

Hennessy lived on Girod street, and was on his way home from his office at the Central station, on the corner of Common and Basin streets. He had turned into Girod street, when he was fired upon by a party of men who were concealed in the doorways. He was wounded at the first fire, but as soon as he recovered from his surprise, fired four shots in the direction of his assailants. The fusilade attracted the neighbors, but when they arrived only the wounded chief was found.

When relief reached Hennessey he was found lying on the door steps. His body was riddled with bullets. Both his lungs were penetrated. There was another wound very near his heart, one in his stomach, one in his side, and still another in his leg. Besides, his coat was cut by no less than nine other bullets which had not penetrated the flesh. The doctors pronounced the wounds mortal, and Hennessey died at 9 a. m. He was rational to the last, and declared that the murder was committed by "dagos," as the lower class of Italians are designated. Of this there was no reasonable doubt, as several persons saw the men who committed the murder both before it occurred and when they were flying up the street with their guns.

**The Crime Carefully Planned.**

There was a meeting of the Italian Stilleto Society yesterday, and it was then decided that Hennessey must be got rid of for the safety of the members. The crime was carefully planned. Two gangs of men were detailed for it. They were armed with revolvers and blunderbusses, and concealed themselves in alleyways at each corner of the block on which Hennessey lived, so that he could not escape. This was in one of the most populous portions of the city but it was a rainy night, and few persons were abroad.

**The Assassins Arrested.**

Four of the assassins have been arrested and identified as Antonio Scaffidi, Antonio Bagnetti, Sebastiano Incardone and Petro Mastero.

### WILL COME INCOGNITO.

**A Rumor in Washington that the Czarevitch Will Visit America.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 17.—A rumor is current in Washington to the effect that Nicolai Alexandrovitch, the Czarevitch of Russia, is about to visit the United States incognito. All that is known for certain may be summed up in the following:

Arrangements have been made by the Czar that his heir, the Czarevitch, should make a voyage around the world. The voyage was to occupy over a year and the ocean journey was to have begun at Constantinople by a visit to the Sultan. Thence the journey was to have been through the Suez Canal to India, where he is to spend some time, to Australia, thence to the Pacific and the Russian possessions there. From there the plan is that he shall go to San Francisco, coming across the continent to New York and the Atlantic seaboard.

After the statement had been published in the Russian newspapers that the young Prince was to visit the Porte some difficulties arose about the diplomatic wisdom of the step, and the latest cable dispatches state that Constantinople will be omitted from the Czarevitch's itinerary. It is just possible that the plan may have been changed so that the young man may make the journey around the world from east to west, in which case America would be his first point. He is to start out on his journey in the early part of November. The Czarevitch is in very poor health.

It is generally supposed that he is being sent on the trip in order to give Russian diplomacy time to consider which of the three European Princesses talked of as his future bride shall be finally chosen. The three are Princess Alix, of Hesse, Princess Margaret, of Prussia, and Princess Helene, of Montenegro. The Czar inclines to the latter.

**The Banker's Many Victims.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 17.—A dispatch from London says the number of victims of William W. Miller, the American alleged swindling banker, increases. It seems that many people on the Continent as well as in London were tempted by the promise of enormous interest to entrust their funds with Miller and his partner, and are now mourning the result of their credulity.

**The Call to Dr. Gregg.**

BOSTON, Oct. 17.—The formal call extended by the Lafayette Avenue Presbyterian Church of Brooklyn, N. Y., to Rev. David Gregg, pastor of the Park street church in this city, has been received by him. Dr. Gregg says that while he appreciates the compliment paid him he has not yet decided whether or not he will accept the call.

### $3,000,000 FAILURE.

**A Michigan Lumber and Salt Baron Makes an Assignment.**

MANISTEE, Mich., Oct. 17.—R. G. Peters has failed. This is the biggest crash in the State for many years, and comes from a source least expected. Mr. Peters was the leading spirit in a score of big enterprises, and was a baron in the lumber and salt trade.

The assignment is made to A. M. Henry, of Detroit, a brother-in-law of ex-Gov. Alger, and covers millions of dollars worth of property. The failure will be far reaching in its effects. Meigs & Co., lumbermen, Hunham & Co., of Grand Rapids, and the Fifth National Bank are all interested in the collapse. The liabilities are estimated at $3,000,000.

### NEWS OF THE DAY.

The German Government will erect 4,000 houses for workmen in North Berlin.

At Hasty, N. C., several houses were blown down by a tornado. One person was killed and several injured.

The Congressional fight is now centered on Ohio. All the leading speakers of both parties are on the stump.

A number of Italians have arrived at Rockland, Me., to take the places of striking hand sewers at Wright & Richards' shoe factory.

Mary Rice of Jersey City, charged with appropriating money as cashier of the Prudential Insurance Company, was admitted to bail yesterday.

The King and Queen of Denmark and members of the royal family were entertained at luncheon on board the United States cruiser Baltimore.

The strike instituted in January at W. W. Spaulding's factory at Haverhill Mass., has been declared off by the cutters, a satisfactory price list having been established.

The body of a middle aged man was found last night in the canal at Newark, N. J. He was dressed in a fine broadcloth suit and wore a gold watch and chain and a diamond pin.

Christian Ergensinger, a butcher and former resident of Brooklyn, N. Y., committed suicide at Elizabeth, N. J., by cutting his throat from ear to ear and severing the arteries of his arm with a butcher's knife.

Frederick Hodecker, the Rochester, brewer, who was arrested Wednesday in Philadelphia upon complaint of his wife for marital infidelity and who was held in $1,500 bail, had a further hearing and was discharged.

In the case of John O'Brien, at Albany, N. Y., indicted for murder in the second degree, the jury after being out all night returned a verdict of assault in the second degree. The prisoner will be sentenced Monday.

Policeman John Rink, of Lockport, N. Y., arrested Emil Kruger, 15 years old, at the residence of his uncle, a farmer near Lansing Corners. He is charged with having committed a heinous crime upon a 5-year-old child. He has been taken to Lockport.

Despondency led William Kuhule, a tailor of Danbury, Conn., to go to a secluded spot in Wooster Cemetery and take a dose of rat poison. He remained there five hours, and then decided that he had rather live. He went to the hospital, but died soon afterward.

The friends of Dr. Cooke, of Chicago, who has been missing since Thursday of last week, are unable to find any clew as to his whereabouts. The police tried to locate the drug store from which the physician sent a telephone message to his brother the night of his disappearance, but were unsuccessful.

Charles F. Bates of New York was arraigned at Newport, R. I., on complaint of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, charged with burning a horse with ignited oil. He pleaded nolo contendere and was fined $150 and costs, which he paid and was discharged.

A conference was held at Boston yesterday between several Philadelphians interested in the extension of the Pennsylvania roads into New England, and certain Boston capitalists in reference to the sale of the Meriden, Waterbury & Connecticut River railroad and the building of an extension from Meriden to Hartford and New Haven.

**Weather Indications.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 17.—For New England: rains; southerly winds, becoming variable; slightly cooler.

For Eastern New York: Rains; variable winds, becoming westerly; cooler.

For New Jersey: Rains; followed by fair weather; westerly winds; stationary temperature in southern portion; cooler in northern portion.

For Western New York: Rains; winds shifting to westerly; slightly cooler.

For Western Pennsylvania: Fair weather, except preceded by rains; warmer; southerly winds.

### NEW YORK MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Oct. 16.—Money on call to-day 5 and 6 per cent.

BONDS.

| | Closing Yesterday. | Closing To-day. |
|---|---|---|
| 4½s, 1891 Reg | 104¾ | 104¾ |
| 4½s, 1891 Coup | 104¾ | 104¾ |
| 4 s, 1907 Reg | 123½ | 123½ |
| 4 s, 1907 Coup | 126½ | 124 |

STOCK MARKET.

| | Closing Yesterday | Closing To-day. |
|---|---|---|
| Canadian Pacific | 75¾ | — |
| Central Pacific | 32½ | — |
| Chicago, Bur. & Q | 91¾ | 91¾ |
| Delaware & Hudson | 134 | 136¼ |
| Del., Lack. & Western | 144½ | 145¾ |
| Erie | 21½ | 21½ |
| Erie pref | — | — |
| Lake Shore | 106¼ | 106¼ |
| Louis. & Nash | 77¾ | 77¾ |
| Michigan Central | — | — |
| Missouri Pacific | 68 | 68¼ |
| New Jersey Central | 113 | 113½ |
| Northwestern | 106¾ | 106¾ |
| Oregon Navigation | — | — |
| Pacific Mail | 39 | 39¼ |
| Reading | 35¾ | 37¼ |
| Rock Island | 75¾ | 75¾ |
| St. Paul | 89 | 88¾ |
| Union Pacific | 51¼ | 50¾ |
| Western Union | 81¾ | 81¾ |

THE DAILY PRESS.

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## BY THE WAY.

—The Union County Grand Jury adjourned yesterday till next Tuesday.

—A. C. La Boyteaux will lead the Y. M. C. A. meeting Sunday, at 4:15 p. m.

—The subject of Mrs. Whitney's remarks at Reform Hall, this evening, will be: "Short Beds and Narrow Covering."

—For something new and to the point read V & W's advertisement in to-morrow's issue and see what they are offering.

—The Perth Amboy *Herald* says that Plainfield Engine Company, No. 2, had the finest steamer in the parade at Perth Amboy last Wednesday.

—A young plebeian commuter, speaking probably from sore experience, says the "club" cars are so called because if an ordinary mortal dares to enter the sacred precincts he "gets clubbed out."

—Holy Cross Choir Guild have arranged to give another of their delightful entertainments on the evening of October 30, in the Sunday school building. Admission, it is understood, will be by invitation only.

## PARTICULAR MENTION.

A. M. Field, brother of Dr. C. M. Field of Broadway, has sent to E. P. Thorn of East Front street, a handsome rattlesnake skin, from the South. The skin is fifteen feet long and has four rattles.

Mrs. W. E. Honeyman of North Plainfield has been elected President of the Woman's Synodical Society of Home Missions in the Presbyterian Synod of New Jersey, and Mrs. Samuel Milliken has been elected Corresponding Secretary.

J. Marc Martin, of Park avenue, and father of Capt. F. L. C. Martin of the Plainfield Bicycle Club, is in a very critical condition. He is suffering from nervous prostration, the result of worrying over the recent death of his son William, and is also troubled with Bright's disease. The physicians have given up all hope.

### King's Daughters Arrange a Feast of Song.

The Young ladies composing the Whatsoever Circle, King's Daughters, are arranging for a delightful entertainment to be given in Y. M. C. A. Hall, Friday evening, Oct. 24, for the benefit of a fund to start a poor Southern minister and family housekeeping. The admission fee will be but fifty cents, and some excellent special features are being provided. Besides musical and literary contributions from the local talent that has been secured, including a quartette from the Crescent League, humorous and pathetic selections will be rendered by Mr. and Mrs. Henry Firth Wood, who have already delighted Plainfield audiences. Marion Harland says that "No more attractive entertainment can be imagined than that arranged by Mr. and Mrs. Wood. They are genuine artists, refined, versatile and altogether charming."

### An Attractive Programme of Coming Work.

The prayer and experience meetings of the W. C. T. U., will be held as usual at the rooms, 73 West Front street, Saturday evening at 7:45 o'clock, preceded by a short service of song.

The Sunday services of the Union will be held as heretofore at 9 A. M. and 4 P. M.

Next week Thursday, at half-past three, a specially prepared programme of reading will be conducted by Mrs. Fernald, to which all are invited.

The Loyal Temperance Legion has been resumed, under the efficient charge of Miss Beekman, who for some years has been actively engaged in temperance mission work. It is hoped that all members will try to be present Wednesdays at four P. M.

### Laing—Ginder.

A pretty wedding took place Wednesday afternoon at 28 Southard street, Trenton, when Miss Addie M. Ginder was married to A. I. Laing, of South Plainfield, and formerly of this city. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Dr. Salisbury, of the Fourth Presbyterian church of Trenton. Miss Lizzie Ginder, sister of the bride, acted as bridesmaid, and Fred Ginder, of New York, was "best man." The bride was attired in steel gray. The house was filled with guests. The happy couple will make their home in Plainfield after a short wedding trip.

### Special Exercises Next Sunday.

The house of worship of the Scotch Plains Baptist church has been thoroughly renovated, re-frescoed, re-carpeted, recushioned, and otherwise put in complete repair. The re-opening exercises will take place next Sunday, Oct. 19. The Rev. Richard Hartley, of New York, will preach in the morning, and the Rev. J. C. Buchanan, a former pastor, in the evening. The music will be under the direction of J. Howard Gilmore, of Newark, with a volunteer choir of trained voices.

Hires' Root Beer is here again, and we think it time to call the attention of our readers to that well-known brand. It is made from the genuine roots, barks and berries. Not like a great many others that are doctored imitations of it. One 25 cent package makes five gallons. No trouble to make. Directions simple, and, if followed, the most sparkling, cooling and refreshing drink in the World yet produced. It is time to lay in a stock, and we recommend an order from your wholesale house at once.

## A BRAKEMAN'S HORRIBLE DEATH.

### A Plainfield Boy Torn to Pieces as His Brother was Before Him.

Christopher Hoagland, an unmarried man from Bound Brook, was killed by the cars at South Plainfield last night. He was a brakeman on the Lehigh Valley Railroad, and was caught between the bumpers while coupling cars. When the train started ahead he was released from the crushing embrace and thrown on the track. His body lay directly across the rails, and the low-hanging axles and brake attachments tore him to pieces. The remains when taken to his Bound Brook home were in so horribly mangled a condition that his friends could scarcely recognize them. Hoagland was a nephew of John Giles, who works in Rheaume's coal and lumber yards, in this city. He was the son of Calvin Hoagland, a former resident of this city. He used to be a paper boy on the Jersey Central. His brother, McClellan, was killed on a road in Omaha just two years ago, at the same age.

### An Unusually Satisfactory Programme Throughout.

It was a comparatively large and an eminently intellectual audience that gathered in Music Hall, last evening, despite the heavy rain, and thoroughly appreciated and enjoyed the remarkably fine entertainment presented under the auspices of St. Andrews Society of Grace church. The programme was an exceptional one and each number a gem.

The singing of the Dudley Buck Quartette was almost perfect—in fact, except in the closing stanza of "Twilight," probably none but the "carping critics" could name a fault. As soloists they were also successful in winning the approval of the audience, and the recalls were earnest and sincere.

Charles Roberts, Jr., was particularly gratifying in his rendition of "King Robert of Sicily." Unfortunately it was his lot to lighten the programme. Humorous reading is not his forte, and his many admirers present regretted that he had not the opportunity to do his best.

The success of Mr. Adolf Glose's appearance in this city was unqualified and unquestionable. The Plainfield people have seldom shown such pleasure and satisfaction as was displayed by the faces and applause of the audience upon the close of Mr. Glose's first selection, the Verdi-Liszt "Rigoletto."

### Young Base Ball Players Emulate Their Namesakes.

The Young Crescents, a junior amateur base-ball team whose doings have been recorded from time to time in the columns of THE PRESS, have closed the season with a record of fourteen victories out of twenty games played. The following is a list of the games won and lost, the last column of figures given the scores of the competing clubs:

| | |
|---|---|
| Young Americans | 8 to 5 |
| Green Brooks | 25 to 4 |
| Picked Nine | 11 to 0 |
| Young Americans | 42 to 4 |
| " " | 13 to 2 |
| Olympias | 12 to 10 |
| Picked Nine | 3 to 0 |
| Young Americans | 15 to 2 |
| Drafts | 7 to 8 |
| Cuban Giants, Jr. | 7 to 12 |
| Scotch Plains | 10 to 8 |
| Young Arlingtons | 23 to 1 |
| Young West Ends | 25 to 4 |
| Stars | 3 to 5 |
| Scotch Plains | 9 to 0 |
| Picked Nine | 12 to 4 |
| Bostons | 18 to 6 |
| Unions | 19 to 2 |
| Unions | 7 to 6 |
| Unions | 9 to 0 |
| Picked Nine | 17 to 2 |
| " | 2 to 0 |
| Chathams | 2 to 13 |
| Young Arlingtons | 12 to 19 |
| Stars | 4 to 14 |
| Cuban Giants, Jr. | 9 to 6 |

Those who have played on the Young Crescents are as follows: C. Sutphen, catcher and second base; H. Carpenter, first base and third base; M. Sutphen, third base and first base; Redden, second base; D. Mack, short stop; G. Mattis, short stop and pitcher; W. Thorn, left field; Milan, third base; Vail, second base; Runyon, centre field; Voorhees, left field; VanLlew, right field; C. Colthar, pitcher; C. P. Sutphen, centre field; W. Conway, right field; Moran, second base; Duffy, pitcher; J. Sutphen, pitcher and short stop.

### An Anniversary at Dunellen.

Two stage-loads of Plainfielders went to Dunellen, last evening, and participated in the celebration of the fourth anniversary of the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor of the First Presbyterian church. The Rev. Cornelius Schenck, pastor of the Trinity Reformed church of this city, was prevented by illness from being present, but sent an interesting letter. M. Marvin Dunham and his choir from Warren Mission chapel rendered a service of song.

### Fell from the Hay-Loft and Broke His Leg.

Maxson Dunham of New Market, father-in-law of A. H. Burdick, an employe at Spicer & Hubbard's, fell Wednesday evening from the hay-loft in his barn and landed heavily on his side, on the floor twelve feet below. Besides bruising his arm and shoulder severely, he fractured his thigh. Dr. Whitford of New Market and Dr. Jenkins of Plainfield attended the sufferer, who is now doing well.

### A Big Cut.

We want to sell more goods on Saturday than we ever have yet; and to do it we will put five cases of Misses ties, patent leather tip, at 25c., one-third of their cost; also a lot of Ladies' ties, in larger sizes, at the same low prices. We also have some shoes that are soiled a little, that we shall make a great cut on. Don't miss this chance! ROGERS BROS., cash shoe dealers.

## ENGINEER DUNHAM VINDICATED.

### Freeholders of Both Parties Unite in the Same Verdict Given by THE PRESS.

THE PRESS is glad to be able to give below today the report of the non-partisan committee of Freeholders that has been sitting on the case of Engineer F. A. Dunham, of this city. Messrs Trahon, Doty and Jones, Democrats; and Messrs West, Roll and Wright, Republicans, have made a thorough investigation of the charges that have appeared in the Elizabeth *Journal* and the New York *World*, and unanimously find a verdict in favor of the accused, and unite in branding the charges as "not only unjust and unfair, but false and unsubstantiated by the facts," as has been insisted upon in THE PRESS from the very first. The report is:

*To the Board of Chosen Freeholders of Union County:*

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee appointed to investigate certain charges affecting the integrity of the County Engineer and reflecting upon the administration of his office, would respectfully report, that a careful examination into the details and management of the County Engineer's office, fails to confirm or substantiate in a single particular, any of the charges made or published in the public press.

That in some cases the Engineer has paid less, and in others more, for the services of certain assistants than he has received from the county, is not denied, but this is in strict conformity to the terms and conditions of his appointment, and any apparent advantage or profit to him from this source is more than offset by the very large expenses, such as railroad transportation, carriage hire, office rent, materials, stationery, etc., incurred and made necessary by the employment of twenty or more men in various capacities on roads remote from each other and from the railroads by several miles, and for which the county neither allows nor has ever paid him a farthing.

A statement of his receipts and disbursements checked off by vouchers and receipts examined by your Committee, and herewith submitted and made a part of this report, shows that his net income for services on account of county roads from May 1889 to September 1890, a period of sixteen months, amounts to $2,660.74 or about $5 per day for such time and over time (night work in office) as he has actually been employed on the work.

As $10 per day is the minimum compensation charged for similar services, it will readily appear that the county's interest has not suffered by reason of its contract with Mr. Dunham, while the danger of his appointing incompetent men, or more than are necessary to the proper prosecution of the work, is carefully guarded against by the fact that his appointments are subject to the approval of the Board, and every inspector is under the direct and personal supervision of a non-partisan committee responsible for and in charge of each road under contract.

The charge that the Engineer has been paid for bridge work while under pay for county roads, is also false and needs no other refutation than the simple statement that he is not a salaried officer of the county, and is paid at the rate of $8 per day for such time *only* as he is actually employed on the county roads. This does not preclude his doing outside work for the county or any one else. The only difference to the county is that it now pays $8 per day for bridge engineering that heretofore has cost $10. Your committee in order to make this investigation complete and satisfactory both to the accused and the public, have justified themselves in going outside the limit of their appointments and have enlarged the scope of their inquiry so as to include all charges made against the Engineer or County Board in connection with the prosecution of the county road improvements. In accordance with this determination and to this end, your committee sent notices to Mr. F. L. Pope and others that they would hold a special meeting in order to hear any charges they wished to prefer against the County Engineer or the Board of Freeholders.

Mr. D. C. Crane appeared, but was unable or unwilling to make any definite charges although given every opportunity so to do. Mr. Pope did not appear, but sent in a letter herewith submitted reiterating on belief or hearsay, certain charges heretofore published under his name in the Elizabeth *Journal*, but failed to produce any proof or evidence helpful to your committee. All the charges had been previously investigated and are not sustained by the facts.

Your Committee are fully satisfied that the charges under investigation are not only unjust and unfair, but false and unsubstantiated by the facts. They believe the County Engineer is a faithful, honest and efficient public officer, sincerely striving without fear or favor to prosecute a great public improvement solely in the interest of the county and to secure the practical and reasonable fulfillment of the county road specifications in all its parts. They believe the roads are being substantially and economically built and will yet prove his full and complete vindication.

Total amount paid County Engineer for 16 months:

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| May and June 1889 | $837 00 | paid in | July |
| July | 1,088.13 | paid in | August |
| August | 686.13 | paid in | Sept'ber |
| September | 767.50 | paid in | October |
| October | 1,530.50 | paid in | Nov'ber |
| November | 904.50 | paid in | Dec'ber |
| December | 1,020.12 | paid in | Jan. '90 |
| January 1890 | 979.50 | paid in | Feb'ary |
| February | 758.50 | paid in | March |
| March | 570.88 | paid in | April |
| April | 1,360.87 | paid in | May |
| May | 1,498.63 | paid in | June |
| June | 1,656.25 | paid in | July |
| July | 1,693.37 | paid in | August |
| August | 1,721.88 | paid in | Sept'ber |
| Total | $17,175.85 | | |
| Total expenditures | 14,515.11 | | |
| Balance | $2,660.74 | | |

All of which is respectfully submitted,

W. H. TRAHON, CHAIRMAN.
GEO. W. DOTY,
BRADFORD JONES,
WM. T. WEST,
J. MARTIN ROLL,
GEORGE WRIGHT.

ELIZABETH, N. J., Oct. 16, 1890.

—The trial to be held under the auspices of the Young Men's Auxiliary of the Young Men's Christian Association, will take place Monday instead of Tuesday evening.

—A tree at the corner of New and Second streets was snapped off by the wind this noon. A show-case in front of the hair-dressing establishment of Jules Boutes was blown over and smashed, and $25 worth of false hair was spoiled.

### Escorting the Dead Jurist's Remains.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 17.—At 7:30 o'clock last night the train with the remains of the late Justice Miller and the funeral party on board left for Keokuk where it is due to-morrow morning. The party consisted of Mrs. Miller, Mrs. Touzalin, (her daughter), Mr. Irvine Miller, Miss Corkhill, (Justice Miller's grand-daughter), Prof. and Mrs. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Reeves, Mr. and Mrs. Adams, Chief Justice Fuller and Justice Brewer, Major Wright, Marshal of the Supreme Court; Mr. McKinney, clerk of the court; Fred Faust, a page, and two Supreme Court messengers.

### Admiral Porter's Condition Serious.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 17.—Admiral D. D. Porter is to-day lying in a critical condition at his home in this city, and, owing to his advanced age, it is feared he may not recover. At an early hour he was attacked by severe pains in his abdomen, and rapidly became worse, finally becoming unconscious. Surgeon-General Wales was summoned, and the admiral is now reported as slightly better.

### Entitled to Free Entry.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 17.—The Treasury Department has decided that under the new tariff a book printed exclusively in a language other than English, whether bound or unbound, is entitled to free entry into the United States.

### On Trial for Killing His Mother.

ALBANY, N. Y., Oct. 17.—The case of William Taylor, indicted for murder in the first degree in having killed his mother, is on trial here. The crime was committed in the spring of 1889 at the homestead near West Troy.

### Consuls Change Places.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 17.—Mr. Philip Carroll of New York, Consul at Palermo, Italy, and Mr. H. C. Pugh of Indiana, Consul at Newcastle, England, have been directed to exchange places.

### Tried to Cremate His Brother.

KINGSTON, N. Y., Oct. 17.—James Morrissey, living near here, while under the influence of liquor set fire to the bed on which his brother was sleeping, badly burning his entire side. His condition is critical and fatal results are feared. Morrissey was arrested and placed in jail.

### Compliment to His Dog

A very delicate compliment was lately bestowed by a dog-lover upon the intelligence of his Skye terrier. The owner of the dog was sitting in his office, apparently alone, when an acquaintance entered. "Glad to find you alone," said the visitor, "because I have a confidential communication to make to you, which no one else must hear." "Hold on a minute," said the other, checking him; and then he called out: "Here, Spot!" A small terrier crawled out from under the table, wagging his tail. "Go out, Spot," said his master. The dog went out. "Now, then," said the owner, "you may go on with your confidential communication. We are alone."

### A Dish of New P's.

P stands for Pudding, for Peach and for Pear,
And likewise for Poetry and Prose;
The Parrot, the Pigeon that flies in the air,
The Pig with a ring in his nose;
For Paper and Pen, for Printer and Press,
For Physic, and People who sell it;
But when you are sick, to relieve your distress
Take at once Pierce's Purgative Pellet
Oh, yes, Indeed! These are the P's for you, poor, sick man or woman. Nothing like them for keeping the bowels and stomach regulated, and in order—tiny, sugar-coated granules, scarcely larger than mustard seeds. They work gently but thoroughly.

## Valuable Real Estate at Public Auction.

Wm. N. Pangborn, Auct'r, will sell at public sale to the highest bidder, in order to settle up the estate of Frazee Lee, deceased, on THURSDAY, OCT. 23, 1890, at 2 o'clock P. M., on the premises, the following valuable improved real estate situated in the city of Plainfield, N. J.:

House and Lot, 206 Broadway; let 65 ft. front, 200 ft. deep, inside fence. House contains 10 rooms, bath room, heater, etc.

House and Lot, 17 Lake street, in rear of the above. Lot 75 ft. front 155 ft. deep. House 10 rooms. Barn on premises.

Terms—10 per cent. on day of sale; part of purchase money can remain on bond and mortgage for a term of years.

DANIEL HETFIELD,
O. M. HETFIELD, Heirs.
10 15 6

## ROOFING!

Paint your roofs with Excelsior Metal Elastic Paint! WATER PROOF and very durable, and will last years longer than any other Paint.

Orders can be left at 39 North avenue, opposite the depot, with the Real Estate Trust.

DR. W. K. BELL, City Hotel.
10 11 10

## BROWN & HILL,

Shaving and Hair Cutting Parlors,

[FORCE'S HOTEL.] No. 5 North Avenue.

Special attention paid to

Children's Hair Cutting.

3-25-tf

### Arrival and Departure of Mails.

*NEW YORK MAILS.*
*Arrive*—7:30, 9:40, A. M., 12:15, 2:30, 5:30 P. M.
*Close*—7:30 and 9:30 A. M., 1:45, 5:30 and 8 P. M.

*SOMERVILLE AND EASTON MAILS.*
*Arrive*—8:40 A. M., 2:40, 6:30 P. M.
*Close*—7:30 A. M., 4:30 P. M.

Direct mail to Trenton and Philadelphia at 4:30 P. M.

*SUN AY MAILS*
Office open from 9:30 to 10:30 A. M.
Mail closes at 6:30 P. M.

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## WILL LEAVE SOON.

## CLAIRVOYANT

**Mrs. DR. EDWARDS,**

Having fully recovered, will remain for a **Few Weeks Longer**, before she leaves for the South. She can be seen from 9 to 9 o'clock, as usual, at the *CITY HOTEL, ROOM 4.* Call at once, as **this is your last opportunity.**

**Mrs. DR. EDWARDS,** the greatest and the most celebrated **CLAIRVOYANT** in the World, and is known in this country from **Maine to Mexico.** She was born with the wonderful gift of second sight, and with a veil. She is the seventh daughter of the seventh daughter. She reveals every mystery; tells you if the one you love is true or false. She removes every grief, settles lovers' troubles, and causes speedy love marriages. She gives reliable information to gentlemen in all business transactions, and informs them how to make profitable investments and acquire speedy riches. She tells lucky lottery numbers. She has an **Osiris Egyptian Talisman,** which is noted all the world over, as a specific charm for the unlucky. All who are in trouble or sick, should call without delay.

Ladies 50c to $1. Gentlemen $1.
10 15 w

### Did You Read It?

We refer to the article on deceptive advertising in last night's PRESS.

It was a strong argument in favor of home trade.

If you are interested in Carpets, think it will pay you to consider the advantages of buying them of your home merchant.

Remember that our house sells the GOOD QUALITY of goods at about the *same* prices as the *poor, cheap goods* are sold for.

Every thing we sell is guaranteed satisfactory, or money will be returned.

"CUT" PRICES! all day to-morrow.

New goods will be opened for this *Special Sale.*

YOU can save money by trading at EDSALL'S, 20 West Front St.

## MARRIAGES.

BARKALEW—KISSAM—In this city, October 15, at the residence of the bride's brother, by the Rev. N. W. Cadwell, of Westfield, N. J., Mr. Milton C. Barkalew and Miss Fannie Kissam, both of this city.

## WANTS AND OFFERS.

*Advertisements under this heading, one cent for each word each insertion.*

STOVES, cheap. One Parlor Base Burner, and two Cylinder Stoves; but little used. Address T., PRESS office. 10 17 2

WANTED—By mother and daughter, two pleasant connecting unfurnished rooms, without board. Address E. S. PRESS.

FOR SALE—Two-seat carriage; a bargain. Inquire 15 E. Front street.

SITUATION wanted as chambermaid and waitress in small family. Address M. C., 123 Duer street. 10 17 2t

WANTED—Stout boy or man to assist in milking, and make himself generally useful. Apply at PRESS office. 10 16 tf

STRAYED, a flock of young ducks, pure white, from 57 Netherwood ave. Information leading to recovery of same will be suitably rewarded. 10 16 3

PART of a house to rent, furnished or unfurnished, near Netherwood depot. Rent 8. Box 30, Netherwood. 10 16 3

WANTED—First-class colored waiter. Van Court Inn, Roselle, N. J. 10 15 w

WANTED—A girl for general housework; must be competent and bring good references. Apply 108 Broadway. 10 15 3

FOR SALE—Horse, 5 years, harness and phaeton, cheap. Box 42, Dunellen. 10 15 4

WANTED—Good laundress; permanent place, good wages. VanCourt Inn, Roselle, N. J. 10 15 w

COLUMBIA Safety Bicycle for sale. Call at PRESS office. 10 15 tf

FOUR houses to let. Inquire City Mills, Somerset street. 10 14 tf

TRUCK farm for sale; eleven acres, with good house and barn, 3 miles from Plainfield. Apply to W. C. Butler, 1 E. Front street. 10 13 tf

ROOMS, with or without board. 21 West 2d street. 10 9 12

FOR SALE—A second hand piano, in good condition. Inquire 107 Park avenue. 9 22 tf

LADIES doing their own dressmaking or employing plain seamstress, can secure perfect fit and pattern for future use. Taylor system. Miss A. T. Buckley, 27 West 4th street. 9 23 tf

STORAGE for furniture in separate rooms. Apply to C. Frank French, 69 somerset st. 9 2 tf

WANTED—Jobbing at painting, glazing kalsomining and roof painting. Address Isaac Kennedy, 55 East Front street. tf

WANTED—Work cleaning Vaults and Cesspools. Satisfaction guaranteed. City Odorless Excavating Works, 208 Broadway. Mrs. David Jones, Proprietor. No connection with JONES & Co. 6-11-tf

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The choicest Creamery Butter that can be produced

Apollinaris Water; pints, $1.50, quarts, $2 dozen; Belfast Ginger Ale, $1.40 dozen.

Excelsior Sugar Cured Hams are the best—15c.

The finest Java and Mocha coffee in town, and the prices are right. Won't be undersold for same quality of goods. P. M. DEWAREST,
25 PARK AVENUE.
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M. H. A.

## MUSIC HALL.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 20.

Special engagement of America's greatest actress, **Miss Margaret Mather,** supported by Mr. Otis Skinner and a powerful New York Company.

## AS JULIET.

Special scenery, new and beautiful costumes.

PRICES—35, 50, 75c., and $1.00.

Seats on sale Friday. 10 15 td

M. H. A.

## MUSIC HALL.

Thursday, October 23, 1890.

William Gillette's

## HELD BY THE ENEMY.

Greatest of all War Dramas.

Performed over 300 nights in New York, and 250 nights in London.

Strong cast, and car load of special scenery.

PRICES—35, 50, 75c., and $1.00.

Seats on sale Tuesday. 10 17 td

## MUSICAL

AND

**Literary Entertainment**

Given by the "Whatsoever Circle of King's Daughters," of Plainfield, N. J., at the Y. M. C. A., Rooms,

**Friday Evening, October 24,**

At 8 o'clock.

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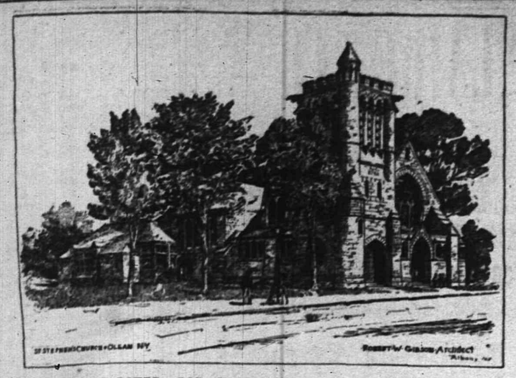

THE MODEL SELECTED FOR THE NEW GRACE EPISCOPAL CHURCH.

TO ADORN PARISH AND CITY.

**How the Funds are to be Raised to get it, and What it is to be.**

In addition to the particulars given exclusively in THE PRESS of over a week ago, there is presented today a picture of the model that the Vestry of Grace church have selected for the handsome new place of worship that is to grace the Rev. Dr. Rodman's parish and adorn the city. It is to be erected on the valuable site at the corner of East Seventh and Sycamore streets, owned by the church for some time. There is not a more aristocratic location in the city. Every day, now, long steps are taken towards this consumation so devoutly wished, worked and prayed for by the Grace parishoners. The vestry, through a committee consisting of W. E. Lowe, O. T. Waring C. P. Bull, state in their report, as published in full in these columns of the 6th inst, that it is entirely within the ability of the parish to contribute the funds necessary to enable the vestry to erect and inclose sufficiently for use a suitable church, leaving, if necessary, the finishing and furnishing for another effort; and the only question to be determined is whether those who attend Grace church, and are interested in its growth and prosperity, *will do what they can.*

A stone church of sufficient capacity can be erected and furnished for about $40,000. With the available funds (about $5,000) now on hand, and additional subscriptions of say $10,000, the vestry would feel justified in soliciting detailed plans and specifications, and proceeding with the work, relying on additional subscriptions of at least $5,000 before the building was inclosed.

On this plan the vestry would expect to borrow (mortgaging the church property) $15,000, which, with funds on hand and subscriptions before named, will enable them to erect the building and make it habitable, leaving a portion of the finishing and furnishing—estimated say at $5,000—for further subscriptions after the church can be occupied.

Two weeks from next Sunday, will be begun the celebration of the 20th anniversary of the rectorship of the Rev. Erskine M. Rodman. The ceremonies of Nov. 2, will be an early celebration of the holy communion at 7:30 o'clock A. M. At 10:30 there will be morning prayer, a historical discourse by the rector, and holy communion. The special feature of this service will be the presentation of contributions and subscriptions to the building fund of the new church. In the afternoon of this same day, Sunday, Nov. 2, there will will be a children's service at 4 o'clock, and the presentations of their offerings to the same fund.

There will be services on that Sunday evening, and every evening during the week, with sermons as follows:

Sunday Night—By the Bishop of the Diocese.
Monday Night—By the Rev. Dr. Langford, General Secretary of Board of Missions.
Tuesday Night—By the Rev. Dr. Van De Water, of New York City.
Wednesday Night—By the Rev. Henry M. Barbour, of Trenton, N. J.
Thursday Night—By the Rev. Dr. Glazebrook, of Elizabeth, N. J.
Friday Night—By the Rev. O. S. Bunting, of Trenton, N. J.

The building pictured above has aleady been described in detail in THE PRESS. Mr. Gibson, the architect, is well known as the designer of the Cathedral in Albany, and whose design for the Cathedral of St. John the Divine, New York, is the favored one. What has influenced the vestry most in their choice is the fact that, while the style of church recommended is very beautiful in its design, it is of economical construction. The style adopted is Gothic. The ground plan consists of chancel, nave, side aisles, with shallow transepts, narthex, organ room, vestry and robing room. Side aisles serve for passageways only, none of the congregation being seated behind pillars or other obstructions. This enables the pillars to be erected of a substantial design and size, giving the interior a dignified effect. The transepts are introduced to give variety and picturesqueness to the design and so as to enlarge the seating capacity near to the pulpit. The masonry work of the interior is of plaster, ornamented with mouldings and carved capitals. The windows at the west end in the transepts and chancel are large tracery windows, while those in the nave aisles are comparatively small and simple. The clere-story gives a double window to each bay division of the nave. The roof has open timber work of pointed arch form, all finished in wood and stained. The roof rests direct upon the pillars of the nave, which have no arches. This arrangement enables the clere-story to be used in a height which would not permit of it otherwise, with much more effect than is usually obtained, and at a moderate cost.

Externally the building will be of stone, rough dressed, with bold, pointed arches and water tables, and the trimmings of cut stone of fine quality. The handsome square tower designed for the front, and which will occupy a considerable part of the space, will rise in noble proportions and terminate in battlements, with turret running up the easterly corner and overtopping the battlements. The whole effect of the building, as viewed from the front, will be singularly massive and dignified.

**More Light on the Rev. Mr. Robertson's Philanthropy.**

Under the heading "That Reverend Rascal," the *Times* of yesterday has more to say of the *expose* of the Rev. David Robertson of this city and his Juvenile Society in New York. The account goes on to say that the Charity Organization Society has issued an official statement concerning its relations to the Juvenile Guardian Society, of which Mr. Robertson is the Manager. In the course of this statement Mr. Kellogg, of the Executive Committee, says:

"I have had but one interview with Dr. Guernsey regarding the 'Juvenile Guardian Society.' Surprised at the association of his name and that of the Hon. P. C. Lounsbury with an undertaking of such general ill repute, I called upon him July 15, to inquire if it really was true that he had connected himself with that society. I did say to him, in effect, that if he and ex-Gov. Lounsbury, with other equally reliable gentlemen, would assume the whole responsibility and administration of that society, I did not think that the Charity Organization Society would have further occasion to warn its members against it.

"At the same time I told him frankly of the entire lack of confidence which this society felt in Mr. Robertson and some of the chief reasons therefore, and left with him a printed copy of extracts from official reports of the State Board of Charities adverse to Mr. Robertson and the 'Juvenile Guardian Society.' On leaving Dr. Guernsey, I learned from Gov. Lounsbury that some three weeks before he had already resigned both as Treasurer and Trustee of that society. This circumstance effectually disposed of the contingency in which it was intimated that the confidence of the Charity Organization Society might be gained.

"The fact of Gov. Lounsbury's resignation, added to the general misleading character of the appeals put forth by the Juvenile Guardian Society about the same time, and of satisfactory information received that the excursions of that society were so indiscriminate and disorderly as to give rise to much complaint, were sufficient to convince me that the peculiar methods by which Mr. D. F. Robertson had bolstered up his discredited society for so many years were still dominant in its management.

"It is significant of Mr. Robertson's methods that, although Gov. Lounsbury resigned unqualifiedly from the society in June, appeals affirming him to be its Treasurer are still widely sent out, asking for contributions on the strength of his name as custodian of the society's funds.

**Plainfield Republicans Greet Their Candidates.**

Forty or fifty local Republicans met in their Association rooms last evening and gave a reception to their party leaders. The meeting was not properly advertised, or it would doubtless have been well attended. Amos Clark, the Republican candidate for Congress; John C. Rankin, Jr., the nominee for State Senator; James H. Clark, the aspirant for shrievalty honors; and George W. Kyte, with Assembly ambitions; were all present, and were given a cordial greeting. Few speeches were made, and every speech was short, but there was an abundance of informal talk, and the two hours, from eight to ten, were passed very pleasantly.

**Acquired Concentration the Great Benefit.**

The Rev. Wm. R. Richards gave an interesting talk at the Y. M. C. A. rooms, last night. He told about the homesick freshman, and the famous Yale rushes. Amusing stories were mingled with good advice. Athletics, of course, were a prominent topic, and the speaker told how the college faculty now is in sympathy with those engaged in healthful sports. Acquiring the power of concentration, he said, was one great benefit acquired from college life. A goodly number of young men listened to the talk and roundly applauded the speaker at the close.

—A Washington Park household was thrown into consternation yesterday morning by the discovery of a full-grown opossum on the premises. The animal being good-natured was easily captured and carried away, its discoverer not caring to go into the menagerie business.

## WILL HE EVER BE SENATOR REED?

**Something About the Man Who Will Make Candidate Keys Work for Victory.**

It is argued in favor of the candidacy of Charles A. Reed, of North Plainfield, that he has spent the greater part of his life in the county from which he hopes to be sent, by the majority of its voters, to the Senate of New Jersey, and that he has every interest of his State and locality thoroughly to heart. His home has been amid the hills of Somerset almost continuously since 1866. He was born in 1857, and was reared on a farm near Somerville, where he lived till of age. Though in one sense a country lad, he availed himself of every advantage for securing an education, and at the age of twenty-two had succeeded in concluding, with honor, the course of studies at Rutgers College, New Brunswick. Among his classmates—Class of '78—were Cortlandt Parker, Jr., and Frank T. Lent of Westfield. Wm. M. Stillman, one of Plainfield's former City Judges, was also one of his college mates, but was graduated a year earlier.

After leaving the classic walls of Rutgers behind him, young Reed entered the law office of Judge Bartine at Somerville, and delved in legal lore preparatory to entering the Columbia Law School in New York. He completed the Columbia course in 1882, and in June of that year was admitted to the bar. He then displayed for himself a modest shingle which attracted the eye of the great United States Government, and at the suggestion of the leaders of the existing administration he entered a contest of bright young men eager to secure Federal patronage. The young man from Somerville won, after passing a highly meritorious Civil Service examination, and the result brought him the profitable and honorable position of United States Special Examiner of Pensions. This was in 1884. A year later the controlling politics of the country became Democratic, Grover Cleveland became President, and Charles A. Reed returned to his law practice with a record which had won repeated encomium from the heads of his Department. As Special Examiner he helped solve several problems which had been troubling the Government in connection with different pension applications. Six months of the time his headquarters were at Springfield, Ill., and another six months in New York city.

The result of Reed's return to the Somerset county-seat was his forming a law-partnership with ex-Congressman Alvah Clark, and in 1887 he married his partner's daughter, opened an office in Plainfield, and took up his residence in the Borough. In 1888 he was appointed Borough Counsel, and has held that office by re-appointment ever since. He has won repeated social, political and professional honors, among them the election and re-election to the Presidency of the Plainfield Crescent League and to the Presidency of the U. S. Grant Club of North Plainfield. He is a man of many friends, and his popularity is due entirely to the fact that he is every inch a man and in every fibre a faithful citizen who believes in earnest, energetic effort to make life a happy success for all about him.

It is not the purpose of this article to predict success for the present political aspirations of Chas. A. Reed. He has a strong man against him as well as a political majority. THE PRESS takes pride in the man as a good citizen, and is satisfied with knowing that he will not permit triumph under partisan banners to turn him from the path of right and duty, nor let the frustration of one ambitious plan obstruct his way to other great achievements. Whether in private life or public office, Mr. Reed's career will always be one worthy of emulation. Few men reach every height they covet; the one thing is to be true to one's self in every station. If it be not good Senator, it will still be good man; and every citizen who knows the personage will be proud of his acquaintance and will have nothing but words of praise for his good qualities of head, hand and heart.

**Do the Vanderbilts Want Reading?**

NEW YORK, Oct. 17.—No confirmation could be obtained of the rumor that negotiations were in progress between H. McK. Twombly, one of the Vanderbilt family, and Isaac L. Price, representing the pool which controls the Reading stock. The story was not generally credited by Wall street men, as it was not considered probable that Mr. Twombly or the Vanderbilts would care to purchase a controlling interest in the stock at the present market prices.

**The Brotherhood of St. Andrew.**

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 17.—Five hundred and two delegates from 22 States are in session at the fifth annual convention of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew which opened in Grace Church. Bishop Potter, of New York, delivered the charge to the Brotherhood. The object of the Brotherhod is the spread of truth and religious belief among young men. It was organized five years ago by James L. Houghtaling, of Chicago, and has now 3,000 members.

**Corpse and Mourners Fall to the Cellar.**

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 17.—While the friends of Robert J. Broadwater, an aged man who died a few days ago, were assembled at his late residence, No. 36 Mifflin street, listening to the reading of the prayer for the dead previous to the funeral, the floor gave way. The minister, corpse and several of the relatives were precipitated to the cellar. None were seriously hurt.

**Cruel Fate Follows a Family.**

ERIE, Pa., Oct. 17.—A singular fate has overshadowed the Brower family of this city. Last evening Frank, the only son, a lad of 15 and a musical prodigy, had his brains kicked out by a horse. A few weeks ago his father was torn to atoms in a paper mill, and several years ago his grandfather met with a violent death.

## POPULAR SCIENCE.

**SCIENCE CLIPPINGS.**

PAPER is now molded into spokes for carriage and wagon wheels. It is claimed to be both cheaper and better than wood for that purpose.

ELECTRICALLY deposited copper is so ductile that it can be drawn down until it resembles the finest hair, and this, too, without annealing.

RECENT experiments have proved that aluminium is particularly well adapted for treatment in the drawing press, one of its chief advantages being that it can be worked with very little annealing.

THE following method of filling up nail holes in wood is not only simple, but said to be effectual. Take fine sawdust and mix into a thick paste with glue, pound it into the hole, and when dry it will make the wood as good as new.

ACCORDING to Popular Science News it is possible at the equator for a solar eclipse to remain total for seven minutes and fifty-eight seconds. A person, however, moving eastward on a rapidly-moving train during totality could prolong it to eight minutes.

THAT the commercial practicability of solidifying petroleum, upon which doubt was cast some time ago, is established, is proved by the exhibition of Prof. Millefleurs before a meeting of Parisian scientists of several bricks of petroleum, which he has produced by an original process. The bricks were hard enough to be handled without inconvenience, yet soft enough to be cut with a stout knife. They burned slowly when touched with a lighted match. Prof. Millefleurs claims that they are non-explosive and inexpensive.

**Dynamic Power of the Sea.**

From experiments at Bell Rock and Skerryvole lighthouse, on the coast of Scotland, it is found that while the force of the breakers on the side of the German ocean may be taken at about a ton and a half to every square foot of exposed surface, the Atlantic side throws breakers with double that force, or three tons to the square foot; thus a surface of only two square yards sustains a blow from a heavy Atlantic breaker equal to fifty-four tons. In March of this year a heavy gale blew for three days and nights at Skerryvole, washing out blocks of limestone and granite of three and five tons weight as easily as if they had been empty egg shells. One block of limestone, estimated to be of fifteen tons weight, was moved over one hundred and fifty feet from a place in the surf where it had been firmly grounded since 1697, it having first been rolled in sight by the awful gale of the "windy Christmas" of that year. This is quite a high sea record for 1890, showing that the gale of March 3 was the worst known on the Scottish coast for one hundred and ninety-three years.—Scientific American.

**Bee Stings for Rheumatism.**

Dr. Al. Laboulbene, at the meeting of the French Entomological Society, held on March 13, 1889, gave a short abstract of a paper published in 1888 by an Austrian physician, Dr. Terc, who seems to have made extended experiments for a number of years. Dr. Terc asserts that a person stung by bees acquires thereby a relative immunity from the consequences of subsequent stings; in other words, that the virus of the bee sting acts like a vaccinal inoculation against its own poison. The immunity lasts six months, sometimes less, probably according to the number of stings inflicted on a person. Persons suffering from acute rheumatism require a larger number of bee stings to feel the usual effect of the poison, but as soon as by inoculation of a sufficient amount of virus they have acquired immunity against its effect they will as long as this immunity lasts be free from rheumatic attacks. Dr. Laboulbene suggests that in the interest of medical science it would be well to thoroughly test these assertions.—Insect Life.

**Precautions Against Consumption.**

In a circular on precautions against consumption, published by the State Board of Health of Pennsylvania, the following advice is given: "The duster, and especially that potent distributer of germs, the feather duster, should never be used in a room habitually occupied by a consumptive. The floor, woodwork and furniture should be wiped with a damp cloth. The patient's clothing should be kept by itself, and thoroughly boiled when washed. It need hardly be said that the room should be ventilated as thoroughly as is consistent with the maintenance of a proper temperature."

**The Fastest Boat in the World.**

The torpedo boat Adler, constructed in Germany for the Russian Black Sea fleet, is described by the Russian papers as the fastest war vessel afloat, having attained during its trial trip a speed of 26.55 knots. The boat is 150 feet long and 17 feet broad, with a displacement of 150 tons. Three gunboats, one of which—the Narghen—is finished—are being constructed in German ship-yards for the Baltic fleet, and these will be almost as fast steamers as the Adler.

**Traveling Outfits.**

Trunk Dealer—I see. Want something for a six months' tour abroad. Well, madam, in the adjoining building I have a trunk which I'm sure you will like. Can't get it in the store-room; double door is too narrow. I thought of remodeling it and using it for a seashore cottage, but if it will suit you I will let you have it cheap.

Dame—I'm not the one who is going abroad; it's my husband.

"Oh! George, show the lady one of those vest-pocket hand-satchels."—Street & Smith's Good News.

**Almost a Proposal.**

She—The summer is nearly over, Mr Winters. I expect to leave for home this week, and I suppose you are already thinking of your comfortable bachelor quarters in the city.

He—Yes, I have been thinking of them—thinking how lonely they are.—Munsey's Weekly.

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[Special Correspondence.]

While the gods may give nothing to men without great labor, the merest accident has often been sufficient to provide women with the desire of their hearts as far as the whims of fashion are concerned. Gloves were devised to cover the ugly, red hands of a queen; the necklet was made to conceal a scar on a snowy throat, and as the Rabagas hat was traced to a titled lady and leader

FALL SHAPE IN FELT.

of fashion who, on a hot summer's day, threw back a hat which burdened her forehead, so the little close bonnets might have been suggested by crowds and high winds, and the scooping shapes by driving rains. Had not Jonas Hanway been bold enough to carry his umbrella we might still be going about in a green silk calash, beneath which it was said that every full face was charming and every side view correspondingly ugly.

The fall season as to millinery is precisely like its predecessors. The keen eye may trace the outgrowths of a previous season, and those who desire only novelty need not be disappointed. The touch of Parisian taste is unmistakable in the new hats and bonnets, the former being so large and the latter so small as to suggest serious apprehensions for the later arrivals, when the fashionable shapes shall have reached their respective maximum and minimum.

When a felt hat is bordered with narrow ostrich feather trimming, a pocket muff of velvet is made in the same colors, with a bunch of small feather tips at one side. Cloth crowns, imported of course, have brilliant birds applied flat upon the surface, with wings outspread, as if flying. These are made up in toques with feather bands or rolls of velvet, and aigrettes of heron plumes. Feather toques are accompanied by collarettes which extend well down at the front and back, and are made of the same feathers as the hat. Impeyan is the most brilliant for this purpose.

None of the conceits and fantasies heretofore introduced by the designer and the colorist have equaled those now displayed in the newest Pompadour brocades. Light and shadow, distance and depth, are all expressed upon their beauteous surfaces. In the new supply, fruit is evidently the temporary fancy of fashion, with a preference for pomegranates, olives, cherries, lady-apples, grapes, plums and currants. For brides' dresses flowers chiefly are supplied in plain brocades, that is, those not decorated with pearls or cut jewels, such as trumpet lilies, uncurling fern fronds, sprays of wheat and oat straw, the most graceful of all cereals, being leading patterns in ivory and cream white. A very beautiful brocade for brides has for design a tiny flying swallow, the bird itself being an Oriental emblem of happiness. There are also Louis XVI. and Marie Antoinette designs and styles which copy Escurial laces. One brocade of this description has a ground of Flemish blue satin, patterned with a black lace beading, which is seemingly tied in true lovers' knots.

It is made up with a plain skirt and fan-plaited back, and is accompanied by a Louis XV. coat of black velvet, edged with black ostrich trimming and a full jabot of fine French lace down the front. The sleeves, however, match the skirt, and are in leg o' mutton shape, with a fall of lace at the wrist. Another brocade in black is patterned with rosy-cheeked pippin apples with twigs and leaves. Plain black faille supplies the front of the skirt, while the brocade is fan-plaited at the back. The front

JACKET BODICE.

breadths are slashed into deep squares on the lower edge, and peeping out from between the openings are knife-plaitings of India silk in the various colors shown in the brocade. The bodice shows a combination of the faille and brocade.

Combination costumes or pattern dresses prevail among autumn novelties. Camel's hair, armure and homespun cloth in double widths have a border along one edge, either in tartan plaids, rows of narrow velvet interwoven to look as if sewed on, bands of astrakhan or *frise* stripes. Sometimes there will be Vandykes of braiding in combination with astrakhan, and the most expensive of all pattern robes has sleeves and corsage trimmings wrought on to resemble passementerie. Other wool materials are pleasantly suggestive of the bourettes so popular several seasons back. Whether as bison cloth the roughest will be more attractive than soft bourette, or camel's hair with a rough finish, is questionable, but the fabric promises satisfaction from its quality, colorings and general character.

An elegant example of the Louis XV. Jaquette is made of velvet or faced cloth and brocade. Mouse gray velvet for the jacket with rolling collar fastened just below the bust with two buttons, and a close-fitting waistcoat of silver gray brocade, over-run with a little steel and silver, is an elegant combination for this form of garment.

The waistcoat is fastened to the throat with smaller buttons than those upon the jacket, and they should be the traditional Louis XV. buttons, which are enamel paintings of beautiful female heads set in cut silver. Portfolio pockets of the velvet are placed on the waistcoat so as to show half beyond the coat-fronts, and the jacket has close sleeves with deep cuffs of the brocade. A full jabot or double cascade of lace is added to the throat and falls just below the bust.

It is rather early to look for shades which are most beautiful under artificial light, yet there is no lack of rich and novel colors designed for the trying light of day. The most of these are classified and graded, too, saving the eye and the judgment from confusion. Red is now a popular hue, and the shades in use are many, including Magenta, Solferino, Eiffel, Frontin, a brilliant cherry, salvia, dahlia, and the fuchsia reds, so much admired, which are heavy and have a purple overcast.

New pinks are topaz, a tint advised for brunettes; flamingo's wing, a red pink, pomegranate, old rose and trocadero, a pale shade. The browns are Sienna, golden russet, marron, a pale chestnut, and a new whitish brown, called cocoanut. Greens this season include forest green in changeable tints, and the mallard hues called canard and canette. Cresson green has blue tints. There are also Egyptian

BOX COAT.

green, a dull, muddy tint, spinach and willow, a pale tint. The yellows own an Egyptian or dull porphyry color; tunis, which has a reddish overcast, and imperial, a brilliant hue. Tonquin and oriole are also brilliant, while jonquil and primrose are delicate evening shades. The favorite blues are mazarin, marine, azure, king's blue and French ultra-marine, known also as St. Cyr. Grays are especially the favorites of fashion, and display mouse, steel, granite, acier, with a blue cast; iron gray, trusperelle or turtle-dove and seagull—in fact, the shades of gray are almost numberless.

Among the odd tints there are fumee, a smoke color bordering on brown; *poussiere de coral*, or coral dust, citron, poppy, petunia and capucine.

All fawn and almond, mignonette and mastic shades remain with us, as also do the copper and currant tints, the garnets, blue plum and bronze shades. Evening colors show the same pale tints already familiar, but another month will bring out novelties for later fall and winter, which, with those already mentioned, will make a very choice variety from which to select.

The novelties in fall gloves are the gray shades which Parisian women call "sad" and "tender," and which importers offer in preference to the long-favored tan colors. The latter are still admired, however, and begin at a yellowish russet shade, with dull chamois and ecru for the lightest tints. Of the new colors suggested for street wear, pearl gray shades with black stitching and in glace kid are the ultra in style. The latest novelties in Parisian gloves are displayed in a Broadway window, and a recent addition to the list is a blue, of that peculiar shade found only in the wing of a Brazilian butterfly. Flowering almond is the fashionable tint in pink, and oat-straw the selected shade of yellow, for gloves worn with tull-dress toilettes.

L'ETOILE.

### Barred Out.

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St. Peter—Do you belong to the Celestial Harp Tuners' Union or the Hale Repairers' Mutual Aid Association?

New Spirit—N—o.

St. Peter—They don't allow scabs in here. Good-bye. Fan department on the left.—*Life.*

### The Flush Made Him Flush.

Gazley—Fledgely must be quite well off with the world's goods.

Gazzum—I've never had that impression. Why do you think so?

Gazley—He showed me a handful of diamonds last evening.

Gazzum—Do you mean it?

Gazley—Yes, I do; and he won the pot with them.—*Jewelers' Circular.*

## JOURNALISTIC PLUMS.

RECENTLY a mother and two daughters in New York State all gave birth to twins on the same day.

A NEOSHO County, Kan., farmer sent this mixed order to a Chanute merchant: "Send me a sack of flour, five pounds of cofe and one pound of tee. My wife gave birth to a big baby boy last night, also five pounds of corn starch, a screwdriver and flytrap. It weighed ten pounds and a straw hat."

A *Boston young man, clerk in a retail dry-goods store,* was granted a fortnight's vacation, and amused himself by daily visiting the store for half an hour, marching up and down, and pleasantly nodding to his associates. When asked for an explanation, he replied that he had felt for a long time a desire to be able to do as he pleased in the store, and he had now been able to do so.

A SHORT courtship is reported from Maine. Deacon Marvin, one of the early settlers of Buckfield, one day mounted his horse with only a sheepskin for a saddle, rode in front of the house where Betty Lee lived, and, without dismounting, requested Betty to come to him. On her coming he told her that the Lord had sent him there to marry her. Betty, without much hesitation, replied: "The Lord's will be done."

THE New York Tribune tells of a fastidious lady who drove to her butcher's and told that individual that whenever he or his assistants spoke to her through the telephone they must wash their hands and put on a coat. "It is highly indelicate," she said, "for you to speak to a lady with unclean hands and in your shirt sleeves, and unless you cease doing so I shall have to trade with the other butcher person."

IT's an obliging world, sure enough. A New York woman mailed a letter to Baltimore. It had a paper pocket sewed on the outside of the envelope with white thread. On the pocket was a message to the postmaster that it contained ten cents and that the writer desired the postal authorities to buy a special delivery stamp for the letter and deliver it as soon as it reached there. The injunction was obeyed and the letter promptly forwarded.

A CITIZEN of Lee County, Georgia, tells the following story: "Last spring I planted a lot of English peas. One day the chickens got in the garden, scratched them up and ate them. I didn't have time just then to send to town after more pea seed to plant, so I decided to cut the chickens' craws open, take the seed out and plant them. I did that; then I sewed up the craws with a common needle and thread. I never saw a finer crop of English peas than I raised last spring, and I think those chickens were the best I ever tasted, for, be it known, the chickens lived and grew to be of good size."

A CURIOUS story of burglary comes from London. It was at a grocer's shop. At a very early hour in the morning before the inmates sleeping three stories above were awake, a man, ostensibly a grocers' assistant, unlocked the door from outside, and, putting on an apron, started with a brisk air of business to take the shutters down. As he was so engaged a cart with two other men drove up, and by and by the three were busily removing a dozen chests of tea from the stores into the street and loading the cart. Having completed their task they drove off, no one then suspecting that any thing was wrong. The robbery was an adroit one, and the thieves were not caught. It appeared, later, however, that their booty was only some chests filled with sawdust and used as dummies in the window.

## RULERS GREAT AND SMALL.

THE Czar of Russia is so strong in the fingers that he can tear a pack of cards to pieces, fifty-two cards at a time.

QUEEN VICTORIA is very tenacious of the rule that she shall hear at least once a week from members of her family absent in other lands. She likes letters.

THE Empress of Austria, a London correspondent declares, buys some costumes without being measured for them, and is to be "seen in the streets wearing ready-made gowns." This is, indeed, harrowing news, but it is comforting to remember that, otherwise, her Majesty is an excellent woman.

QUEEN MARGARET, of Italy, is given to making unannounced visits to charitable institutions, particularly those devoted to the care of children, and is kindly critical about their management. This makes things lively for the attaches, but usually the inmates are correspondingly the gainers.

THE Czar's personal body-guard of private police consists of fifteen specially-picked Corsicans, mature and tried men, chosen and trained by M. Celertin Pietri, nephew of Napoleon III.'s Minister of Police. These men have to keep watch in the kitchens and private apartments, while some of them act as assistant cooks. It is intended gradually to increase the corps as suitable men can be found.

THE Sultan of Lahore is black as a coal, and his idea of feminine beauty is that a real Juliet must not weigh less than four hundred pounds. A lady who apparently weighed more than that was presented to him recently, and the Sultan was so enraptured with her corpulent charms that he proposed to cover her broad beauty with diamonds, much to the horror of his treasurer, who knew that the subsidy of one million dollars received from the British Government could not stand such drains.

THE Queen of Roumania, who was in London recently, is, at the age of forty-seven, still a beautiful woman. She is tall, with an extremely good figure, and but for the silvery lines which have dimmed the brightness of her golden hair still retains most of the beauties of her youth. Her eyes are quite bewitching, being large and blue, with a delicious dreamy look; she has a really classical mouth, exquisitely white, regular teeth, a finely cut nose, and small, well-shaped hands and feet. She is an indefatigable worker and rises every morning before it is day. She is firm in her refusal to allow her maid to attend her, but lights her own lamp and sits down at her table to spend an hour or two over her MSS.

## IN AND AROUND ASIA.

THE Japs administer the oath by cutting the witnesses' finger and taking blood to seal the swear.

WHEN the railway across Siberia is completed it is estimated that the tour of the world in fifty days will be feasible.

THE total annual home consumption of opium in China has lately been reckoned to be about 41,000,800 pounds.

THE oldest newspaper is the Pekin Gazette, which was first issued in the year 911 of the Christian era, and has been regularly published since 1351. It is the official organ of the oldest empire of the world, and the Chinese contemplate it with reverence and awe.

THE large sums of money that the Government of India devotes annually as rewards for the destruction of snakes has brought about an unexpected result. The snakes are being bred and reared by the natives for the purpose of obtaining the usual head-money offered.

A CURIOUS industry in Japan, handed down from father to son, is the systematic dwarfing of forest trees until they are mere plants of two feet or less in height. In the Tokio exhibit at the Paris Exposition was an eighty-year-old maple only twenty inches high, and several pines of twenty-four inches, which were one hundred and fifty years old.

THE Japanese ladies are in a worry. Some years ago European dress began to come into vogue in Japan, but a reaction has set in. The Japanese women are not satisfied with the ordinary dress styles of civilization, but they are unwilling to return to their old dress, and hence they are now considering "rational dress" advocated by the various feminine dress reformers.

A WRITER in the North China Herald, of Shanghai, asserts that the climate of Asia is growing colder, and its tropical animals are slowly retreating southward. In proof of this he quotes evidences, historical and referential, of the former existence of elephants, tigers and leopards in China. Tigers and leopards are, however, not yet extinct in China, and are common enough in Corea. The bamboo, it is said, formerly grew naturally in parts of the country where it now has to be taken care of.

THE British Consul at Port Said says that the traffic through the Suez canal has been decidedly increased since the vessels began to use electric lights, as is shown by the fact that in 1887, 395 steamers used the light; in 1888, 1,611, and in 1889 the list rose to 2,445. The time of passing through the canal has been also reduced by the same means. Twenty-two and a half hours is now the average time; but a passage has been made under exceptional circumstances in fourteen and three-quarter hours.

THE Japanese books begin where ours end, the word finis coming where we put the title page; the foot notes are printed at the top of the page and the reader puts in his marker at the bottom. In Japan men make themselves merry with wine before dinner, not after; the sweets precede the roasts. A Japanese mounts his horse on the right side instead of on the left. The mane of the animal hangs on the left side instead of on the right; the horse stands in the stable with his head where his tail ought to be. Boats are hauled upon the beaches stern first. The Japanese saw the plane toward them instead of away from them. Keys turn in instead of out. The best rooms of a Japanese house are always at the back, and architects, when building, begin with the roof.

## SMACKING JOKES.

"GIVE me a kiss, Tot," said her papa, as he seated himself by her side at the table. "It isn't time for dethert," replied the little miss, pouting out her lips, which, indeed, looked as tempting as strawberries.

BACON—"A man never steals any thing but he lives to regret it." Egbert—"You're wrong there, my boy. Didn't you ever steal a kiss from your girl in your younger days?" "Yes, old man, I did. But didn't I marry the girl?"

HE—"Here are your caramels, and now I suppose I will take those kisses you promised me." She—"Did I promise you any kisses?" He—"Of course you did, darling—great Scott! I've got you mixed up with my other girl!"

"MAY I take a kiss before I go, dearest?" said George, as he prepared to depart. "You may borrow one," said Jennie, "but you must not take one, for mother has repeatedly cautioned me against giving kisses to any one." So George was obliged to borrow.

SHE—"How reckless of you to kiss me on my nose, and with such a smack, too." He—"I beg your pardon. I meant to kiss you on the mouth. But you know that love is blind." She—"Yes; this light is too dazzling. Perhaps I had better turn the light down."

HE—"My dear cousin, I assure you I would never dare rob those sweet lips of a kiss." She—"Oh! you hypocrite, didn't you make an attempt of that character the other day?" He—"Never. Far from having any intention of robbing you of a kiss, I was trying to give you one."

THERE is told an anecdote of a Scotch minister, who, when he had been engaged to a girl for some years, said timidly, one day: "D'ye think, lassie, we might tak' a kiss?" The damsel looked as if she thought they might. The minister folded his hands, asked a blessing, took the kiss and gave thanks. Very soon he whispered: "Eh, lassie, but its verra guid. D'ye think we might tak' anither?"

A MAN was brought before a justice of the peace charged with the offense of kissing a young lady "by force and violence and against her will." The young lady, who was very handsome, gave her testimony in a modest and straightforward manner, after which his honor gave the following decision: "The court, in this case, sympathizes with the defendant, and will therefore discharge him without fine, imprisonment or reprimand, because the court, while this case has been in progress, has been obliged to hold on to both arms of his chair in order to keep from kissing the complainant himself!"

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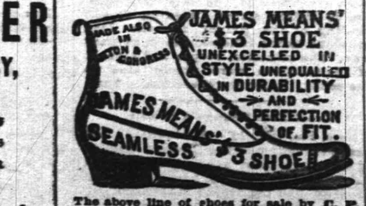


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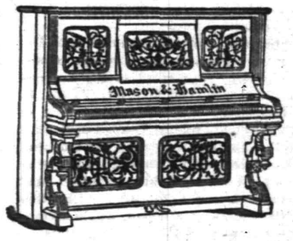


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| 3d do | 9.15 | do | 9.32 | do |
| 4th do | 10.00 | do | 10.37 | do |
| 5th do | 11.00 | do | 11.24 | do |
| 6th do | 11.45 | do | 12.06 P. M. | do |
| 7th do | 1.45 P. M. | do | 2.15 & 2.36 P. M. | do |
| 8th do | 2.45 | do | To the Post Office. | |
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| 10th do | 5.00 | do do | 5.39 | do |
| 11th do | 5.45 | do do | 6.07 | do |
| 12th do | 6.45 | do do | 7.03 | do |

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A full line of tickets are on sale, and sleeping car accommodations can be secured at the ticket office at Elizabeth.

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**Central Railroad of New Jersey.**
Station in New York foot of Liberty Street. Time Table in effect, June 22, 1890.

PLAINFIELD AND NEW YORK.

Leave Plainfield 3 37, 5 24, 5 38, 6 29, 6 59, 7 26, 7 30, 7 56, 8, 8 15, 8 31, 8 57, 9 32, 10 05, 11 09, 11 39, A. M., 1, 1 41, 2 07, 2 30, 3 12, 3 31, 5 08, 5 31, 6 07, 6 54, 7 05, 8 31, 9 28, 10 12, 11 29 P. M. Sundays—3 37, 5 24, 8 01, 8 52, 11 02, 11 16 A. M., 12 33, 1 33, 3 36, 5 16 7 01, 7 10, 8 23, 8 32, 10 02 P. M.

Leave New York from foot of Liberty street, 4 30, 5 45, 7, 7 45, 8 45, 10, 11, A. M., 1, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4, 4 30, 5, 5 15, 5 30, 5 45, 6, 6 15, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 8, 9 30, 10, 11, 12 00 P. M., 12 15 night. Sundays—4 30, 7 8 30, 9 30, A. M., 12 M., 1, 1 15, 4, 5 30, 6, 7, 9 00, 10 00 P. M., 12 15 night.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield 5 38, 6 29, 6 59, 7 30, 8, 8 37, 9 33, 10 06, 11 09, 11 39, A. M., 1, 2 07, 2 30, 3 12, 3 51, 5 08, 5 31, 6 07, 6 54, 7 05, 8 31, 10 12, 11 28 P. M. Sunday—6 05, 8 52, 11 02, 11 16, A. M., 12 33, 1 33, 3 30, 5 16, 7 01, 7 10, 8 23, 8 32, 10 02 P. M.

Leave Newark 7 10, 7 50, 8 55, 10 10, 11 05 A. M., 1 05, 1 35, 2 30, 3 40, 4 02, 4 35, 5 05, 5 30, 5 55, 6 15, 7 15, 7 35, 8 20, 9 35, 11 25 P. M. Sundays—7 20, 8 40, 9 05, 9 50, A. M., 12 05, 1 10, 4 10, 5 40, 6 25, 7 05, 9 25, 10 20 P. M.

Passengers for Newark change cars at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7, 8 07, 9 42, 11, 11 58 A. M., 1 59, 2 32, 3 45, 4 34, 5 20, 5 34, 6 20, 6 38, 7 09, 7 12, 8 20, 9 43, 11 12, 12 43 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 15, 9 48, A. M., 2 03, 2 30, 5 14, 6 35, 10 15, 11 14 P. M.

Leave Somerville, 6, 6 30, 7 03, 7 35, 7 48, 9 05, 9 47, 11 15 A. M., 12 35, 1 15, 1 48, 2 05, 3 12, 4 40, 5 12, 5 35, 8 05, 8 50, 11 05, P. M. Sunday—8 25, 10 35 A. M., 12 08, 105, 4 50, 6 40, 8 03, 8 05, 9 30 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7, 8 07, 9 42, A. M., 1 59, 4 34, 5 20, 6 38, 8 20 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 15 A. M., 2 03, 6 35 P. M.

Leave Easton 6 05, 8 44, 10 A. M., 12 32, 4 09, 6 49 P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 02, A. M., 6 40, 7 30 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 9 42 A. M., 5 20 P. M.

### WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

LEAVE PLAINFIELD.

5 45 A. M. for Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

7 A. M. for High Bridge Branch and Easton.

8 07 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 42 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Nanticoke, Drifton, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c.

1 59 P. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, &c.

4 34 P. M. for D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

5 20 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch Schooley's Mountain, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, &c.

6 20 P. M. for Flemington.

6 38 P. M. for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg.

8 20 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8 15 a. m. Sundays for High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, &c.; 2 03 p. m. Sundays for High Bridge Branch Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua and Pottsville. 6 35 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

For Atlantic City, 9 37 a. m. 1 p. m.

**Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c.**

Leave Plainfield 3 37, 8, 11 09, a. m., 5 31, p. m. Sundays—(except Ocean Grove) 5 05, a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 38, 8, 10 05, 11 09 a. m., 1, 3 31, 5 31, 7 09 p. m. Sunday—8 52 a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8, 10 05 a. m., 1, 3 31, 5 31, p. m.

**ROUND BROOK ROUTE.**

Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia, 1 17, 9 48, 8 29, 9 48, 11 58* a. m., 1 59*, 2 32*, 4 08, 5 34*, 6 38*, 8 20*, 9 20 p. m. Sundays—1 17, 9 48, a. m., 2 30*, 4 08, 5 14*, 6 55 p. m.

For Baltimore and Washington at 1 17, 9 48, 11 58* a. m., 2 45, 4 08, 5 34* p. m. Sundays—1 17, 9 48 a. m., 2 47, 4 08, 5 14* p. m.

RETURNING—LEAVE PHILADELPHIA,

Ninth and Green streets, 7 30*, 8 30*, 9 30, 11 05 a. m., 12 45, 1 30, 3 15, 5 15, 6 15, 8 02, 9 45, 12 p. m. Sundays—9 a. m., 12 00, 3 10, 5 15, 6 10, 8, 12 p. m.

From 24th and Chestnut—8 10, 8 20*, 11 08, a. m., 12 02, 3 20, 6 18, 8 05, p. m. Sundays—3 10, 6 25 a. m., 12 02, 2 30, 5 18, 8 05 p. m.

Leave Trenton, Warren and Tucker sts., 7 20, 4 09,7*, 8*, 10 10, 11 55 a. m. 1 28, 2 10, 3 40*, 5 18, 6 55, 8 47, 10 p. m. Sundays—1 20, 4 09, 9 56 a. m., 1 28, 4, 5 55, 7, 8 47 p. m.

Plainfield passengers by trains marked * change cars at Round Brook.

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We bought before the advance in Linen, 100 doz. Fine Dinner Napkins; value $2.00 per doz. Our price $1.25. Cheap they are.

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## MANGLED IN CHURCH

### A Wild Rush Caused by a Blaze at the Altar.

### WOMEN START THE STAMPEDE.

One Boy Killed and More Than Fifty Persons Badly Hurt.

**The Fire Quickly Extinguished—Over 10,000 in and Around the Church—Little Ones Crushed in Their Efforts to Escape—The Injured Children all Poles. Origin of the Catastrophe.**

CHICAGO, Ill., Oct. 18.—A fire panic in the Church of St. Stanislaus Koiska, at the corner of Noble and Ingraham streets, at 8 a. m., caused the death of one boy and the fatal injury of half a dozen others. More than fifty persons were badly hurt.

There were 1,500 children ranging in age from five to fifteen years in the church at the time, and a panic among them ensued.

All the efforts of the sisters of Notre Dame, who have charge of the children, to check the stampede proved of no avail.

The children rushed toward the door and rolled down the stone steps, followed by the crying and screaming women that were also in the church.

The children that came out first were the ones that were the most injured. They were trampled upon by the children and women following them, who seemed utterly without reason or presence of mind.

An alarm of fire was sent in and the noise of the approaching engines, with the ringing of bells, made the panic still worse.

In less than five minutes after the alarm was sent in over 10,000 people assembled around the church, while the panic was at its height.

At Korsakowsky's drug store, 690 Noble street, several physicians were kept busy attending the injured children.

The fire was quickly extinguished, only a small damage being done. It will not exceed $100.

A patrol wagon from the Rawson street station arrived and the police, with the aid of the fire department, restored order after working over half an hour. At first they met with very little success. It seemed as if everybody for a mile around was at the place, and the crowd was so dense that a passage could only be made with the greatest difficulty.

The injured children were all Poles. The list as far as can be ascertained is as follows:

Frank Dzewizski, 11 years old, 690 Noble street, will die.

Frank Diamtkow, 7 years old, 114 Clever street, will die.

Josef Zeizik, 26 Wade street, will die.

Unknown boy, will die.

Unknown girl, who was taken home by her parents, will die.

About a dozen others are more or less seriously injured.

### FIGHTING A CRAZY MAN.

**Desperate Struggle With a Lunatic on a Railroad Bridge.**

PITTSBURG, Pa., Oct. 18.—A young grocer clerk, Mack Andrews, of the West End, had a desperate fight during the day with a madman known as "Crazy Pete." The encounter took place on the railroad bridge which spans the Ohio River at the West End. Mr. Andrews was walking on the bridge, which is 100 feet above high water, when he met Pete returning from the Allegheny side.

He spoke to Mr. Andrews, and the latter answered him rather gruffly. This angered the crazy man and he jumped at Andrews. The grocer's clerk started to run, but Pete was too quick for him and grabbed him by the throat and swore he would throw him off the bridge. After a desperate struggle on the narrow railroad track Mr. Andrew finally broke loose and climbed down the iron supports of the bridge, with Pete after him in a perfect fury, but Andrews escaped.

**The Auxiliary Engineers.**

PITTSBURG, Pa., Oct. 18.—The grand International auxiliary to the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers held a public meeting in Allegheny. The meeting was held with a view to making known the objects and work of the organization. The Grand Secretary, Mrs. Harry St. Clair, of Logansport, Ind., gave a description of the advantage to be gained from membership in the organization. The Grand President, Mrs. W. A. Murdoch, of Chicago, also made a speech. John Brunton, of Pueblo, Col., an engineer, told what benefits had been derived from the auxiliary in Denver.

### NOVEL POINT OF LAW.

**A Woman Restrains Her Husband from Disposing of His Property.**

PITTSBURG, Oct. 18.—The decision given by Judge Ewing in the County Court yesterday decides a point of law that has never been decided in this State.

Tessel Mozersky asked that her husband be restrained from disposing of his property. Judge Ewing granted a temporary injunction.

Papers in divorce proceedings were filed by the woman last week on the ground of cruelty, alleging that her husband called her a witch.

The couple were married in Irelienki, county of Wasilcoft, State of Kief, Russia. They were political exiles, and 20 years ago were forced to come to America. She had an inheritance of 1,000 roubles, and on this her husband began to speculate in real estate here, and was so successful that he is now worth over $30,000.

### KILLED HIS MAN.

**A Policeman Fires His Revolver With Deadly Effect.**

PITTSTON, Pa., Oct. 18.—John W. Davis, a retired hotel keeper of this place, was shot dead last night by William Weathers, a police officer, who also received injuries which may prove fatal.

Davis, who was intoxicated, became involved in a fight in front of the Eagle Hotel. Weathers attempted to arrest Davis, but the latter resisted so stoutly that another officer had to be called. Davis broke away from both officers and drew a "black jack" from his pocket. With this he struck Weathers several terrific blows, felling him to the ground.

As Weathers lay prostrate he drew his revolver and fired four shots at Davis, two of which took effect, and Davis dropped.

Both men were carried to the corridor of the hotel, when Davis died in a few minutes. Physicians think that Weathers also will die. Both men are well known here and the excitement is intense.

### NO MORE BODIES FOUND.

**But Many Think There are Charred Remains in the Syracuse Hotel Ruins.**

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Oct. 18.—Very little has been done toward clearing away the wreck of the Leland Hotel fire, and no new names have been added to the list of the dead. The work of removing the debris is being done by the city.

Mary Doyle and Mary Padden, servants, of this city, are missing. No trace of them has been found, and it is supposed that their bodies are buried under the ruins.

It is the opinion of many that more charred remains will be found in the wreck.

Of the persons injured in the fire it is feared that at least four, all of them servants at the hotel, will die.

**Poisoned the Stock for Spite.**

UNIONTOWN, Pa., Oct. 18—In July last the Moore girls, living at New Salem, lost a cow and thirty-two sheep by poison. Some unknown person had placed blue vitriol mixed with salt in the field where the stock was pastured. Two more cows and a horse have died from the same cause, the fiend having this time given the poison mixed with chop feed. The girls are orphans, and their stock is now reduced to a cow and a calf. The guilty party is suspected to be a young man whose attentions one of the young ladies refused.

**Bismarck's Name Hissed.**

BERLIN, Oct. 18.—The Emperor William evinces deep interest in the Socialist Congress at Halle, and is reported to have said that the Socialists must prove themselves worthy of liberty or they would again be deprived of it. Prince Bismarck, on the other hand, is said to have declared that the Empire had admitted an enemy within its borders more dangerous than the French. The name of Bismarck is everywhere hissed by the Socialists.

**Stanley's First Lecture Here.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 18.—It has been decided to sell at auction the seats for Henry M. Stanley's lecture at the Metropolitan Opera house on Tuesday evening, November 11, in aid of the Summit Convalescent Home. The sale will take place at 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon, November 1. Mr. Stanley will be introduced by Chauncey M. Depew, and there will be on the platform a large and representative reception committee.

**Drowned by a Collision.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 18.—The tug J. A. Garfield, owned by the McCalden Bro.'s., of 79 Broad street, was run into off Pier 6, East River, by the tug Amos Barstow and sunk. On the Garfield at the time were seven men, among them being one of the members of the firm. All perished with the exception of Jones Robbins, a ship carpenter, who was rescued with difficulty and taken to a hotel.

**Will Increase its Plant.**

LAWRENCE, Mass., Oct. 18.—The Washington mills, worsted manufacturers, will at once increase the plant to an extent that will give employment to 750 more operatives. New improved machinery will be put in and production largely increased. The Arlington will also increase its plant and give employment to 500 more operatives.

**McGonegal Gets a Stay.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 18.—Charles Brooke, counsel for Dr. McGonegal, has just obtained a stay from Judge Barrett until Tuesday, when counsel will move for a new trial on the same grounds urged upon a similar motion made before Judge Fitzgerald in General Sessions. This order was granted.

**President Caldwell's Sudden Death.**

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 18.—Stephen A. Caldwell, President of the Fidelity Trust and Safe Deposit company, and at one time one of the receivers of the Philadelphia and Reading railroad, died suddenly at his residence in this city at 2 a. m.

## PARTIALLY AVENGED

### An Italian Suspect Shot by a Newspaper Carrier.

### EXCITEMENT IN NEW ORLEANS.

A Deathbed Confession About the Assassination Interrupted by a Priest.

**Funeral of the Chief of Police—Over Fifty Persons Arrested on Suspicion of Being Connected With the Crime—The Feeling Against the Dagos Very Bitter.**

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 18.—The excitement occasioned by the assassination of Chief of Police Hennessy was intensified by the the shooting of Antonio Scoffidi, one of the suspects arrested.

Over forty arrests have been made so far in connection with the assassination, chief of whom are Antonio Scoffidi, Lonetto Seconetti and Antonio Bognetti, who are directly charged with the shooting, and John Matranga, arrested as an accessory. Bostitio Incardino, one of the chief suspects, was one of the Matranga party in the wagon which, it was claimed, was fired upon by the Provinzano faction. These, with the Caruso faction, have occupied the attention of the police and the courts of the city for years. It was the purpose of the Provinzano faction to bring Chief Hennessy as an important witness in their case with the Matranga faction. This fact and the chief's thorough knowledge of the inner workings of the secret organization known as the Mafia were no doubt the causes of the edict issued for Hennessy's death.

At noon, Thomas H. Duffy, a newspaper carrier and brother of prize fighter John Duffy, called at the Parish prison and asked to see Antonio Scoffidi, one of the prisoners arrested in connection with the murder of Chief Hennessy, for the purpose, he said, of identifying him. A keeper brought Scoffidi in the corridor, when, quick as a flash, Duffy drew a pistol and shot the prisoner in the neck, inflicting a mortal wound. Duffy was arrested and Scoffidi was conveyed to the hospital. At 1:30 Scoffidi was in the act of making a confession or dying declaration at the hospital, and had got as far as: "We knew that Chief Hennessy and the Provinzios were friends, and we and Matranga"—when a Catholic priest, Father O'Neill, was announced. That cut short the confession, and the dying man and priest were left together.

Deputy Sheriff Andry was standing within three feet of Duffy when he fired the shot, and behind him were standing Deputy Sheriff Fortier and Officer Freitag. Duffy was grasped by these three men and disarmed, while Deputy Dwyer attended to the wounded man.

**Willing to Hang.**

The ambulance was summoned, and pending its arrival Duffy was removed to the station, which is situated in the parish prison. Duffy said if Scoffadi died he would be perfectly willing to hang. He had seen the coffin of Chief Hennessy, and decided that his murder must be avenged and had forthwith determined to slay one of the murderers.

Among those expressing sympathy for the family of the deceased Chief are William A. Pinkerton, British Consul de Nouditanques, John L. Sullivan, Duncan Harrison, Inspector Byrnes and many others. The feeling against the "dagoes" is so intense that the Times-Democrat and the Picayune this morning have editorials, urging that the law be allowed to take its course, and discouraging any general demonstration against this class of people because of the assassination, as 15,000 or 20,000 of them live in New Orleans, many of whom are among its best citizens; and heartily denounce and deplore the terrible tragedy.

The remains of Chief Hennessy lay in state in the Council Chamber today, thousands of people viewing them. The funeral took place during the afternoon and was an immense affair, all organizations of the State and city, the firemen, military, etc., participating.

**W. L. Scott Convalescing.**

ERIE, Pa., Oct. 18.—Wm. L. Scott is far from the condition reported by the Washington correspondents. He is convalescing rapidly, and is able to be driven up to his farm. He eats game and has a good appetite. His attending physician expects to take him to Washington in a week or so with the hope of a speedier recovery.

**The Woman Affirms and the Man Denies.**

SALT LAKE, Uath, Oct. 18.—Charles Thomas, a Temple Pilot, who shows visitors about the Mormon Temple block, has been arrested for unlawful cohabitation. He gave bonds before a Commissioner for his appearance. Charles Hawley was held by a Commissioner yesterday in $1,000 bonds for unlawful cohabitation. It is a case where the woman affirms and the man denies.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—U. S. Gov't Report, Aug. 17, 1889.

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

### WALTON'S MURDER.

**Several Important Clews Unearthed by the Danbury Police.**

DANBURY, Conn., Oct. 18.—Several important clews have been unearthed in the Walton murder case and one man had been arrested. This man, Thomas McCoy by name, is locked up to await the action of the Coroner. McCoy bears an unsavory reputation and three witnesses have been found who swear that they saw him with Walton on Saturday afternoon.

Walton was intoxicated and had the appearance of having been "done up," as one of the witnesses explained. It was then about 1:30 o'clock. The police are detetmined that the murderers shall be brought to justice. A prominent city official said that if necessary the city would raise the money needed to hunt down the men who had committed one of the foulest murders in the history of the State.

It is now an almost established fact that the blow that caused Walton's death was received in a drunken quarrel. If this be so, Walton must have wandered about with his fractured skull and bruised body from that time until he reached the tramps' rendezvous late at night. His dazed condition was due to the effects of the blow and not to intoxication, as was then supposed. The most prevalent theory now is that he died during the night, and that the tramps became frightened and fled.

### CABINET MEETING.

**Discussing Gen. Barrundia's Killing and Minister Mizner's Connection With It.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 18.—An important session of the Cabinet was held from noon until 2 p. m. It is understood that the Central American affairs were discussed at considerable length.

The whole matter of Gen. Barrundia's killing and Minister Mizner's connection with the affair were gone over in detail.

Members of the Cabinet are reticent as to the result of the conference.

**Honoring a Bishop.**

BROOKLYN, N. Y., Oct. 18.—A reception in honor of the golden jubilee of the Right Rev. John Loughlin, Bishop of Brooklyn, was held in the rink on Clermont Green last night. It is estimated that 8,000 people were present, including the Catholic clergy of Brooklyn and New York. Addresses were made by Cardinal Gibbons, Archbishop Corrigan, of New York; Bishop Loughlin and others. The Bishop was presented with a purse of $21,000, contributed by the laity of his diocese, and a number of other valuable gifts.

**Reception to the Engineers.**

PITTSBURG, Pa., Oct. 18.—The reception in honor of the delegates of the twenty-seventh annual convention of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, tendered by the Pennsylvania Railroad Department of the Young Men's Christian Association last night was largely attended. Mr. Robert Pitcairn, general agent and superintendent of the Pennsylvania Railroad presided. Addresses were made by Superintendent Pitcairn, Grand Chief Engineer Arthur and several other prominent persons.

**A Theatrical Man Arrested.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 18.—Charles G. Locke, of the theatrical firm of Locke & Davis, managers of the American Opera Company, DeWolf Hopper, Minnie Palmer and other theatrical ventures, was arrested at Herrman's Theatre last night, charged with passing bogus checks. The warrant on which he was arrested was procured by James Barton Key, proprietor of the Amusement Bulletin.

**Ships in Distress.**

NANTUCKET, Mass., Oct. 18.—A gale of forty-five miles an hour is blowing. The United States Coast Survey steamer Bache is in a precarious condition about a mile off shore and dragging. Assistance has gone to be ready in case of disaster. A four-masted shooner is laboring heavily near Tuckernuck Shoal.

**Raising the Price of Beer.**

BUFFALO, N. Y., Oct. 18.—The Brewers' Association has notified its patrons that owing to recent prices of raw material and the increased duty on Canadian barley and European hops, the price of beer will be, from and including October 20th, $7 per barrel, net, and all discounts and other expenditures on the part of the brewers will be discontinued.

**Sandbagged by Chicago Toughs.**

CHICAGO, Oct. 18.—In less than an hour after he arrived in town last night George H. Bott of Watertown, Wisconsin, who is gray haired and feeble, was sandbagged, robbed of $500 in cash, a certificate of deposit for $8,000, and despoiled of his overcoat, hat and satchel. His assailants are unknown.

**The Ellenberger Murder Trial.**

ELMIRA, N. Y., Oct. 18.—All the evidence in the sensational Ellenberger murder case was finished last evening. The case was summed up for the prisoner by Jacob Schwartz, and for the prosecution by United States Marshal Baxter. The Judge's charge was delivered this afternoon. The jury is now out.

**Reception to the Comte de Paris.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 18.—A reception in honor of the Comte of Paris was given last evening by Alexander S. Webb, at his residence. Among the 300 guests present were General Sherman, Chauncey M Depew, Gen. Wm. L. James, of Philadelphia; Cyrus W. Field, Fitz-John Porter and Gen. O. O. Howard.

**Umpire Kelly Liberated.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 18.—John Kelly, the baseball umpire and saloonkeeper, who was arrested Thursday night for having a gambling house over his saloon on Sixth avenue, was discharged by Justice O'Reilly in the Jefferson Market Court for lack of evidence.

## EXCITED SOCIALISTS

### A Member Drops Dead While Delivering a Speech.

### PROVIDING FOR NEWSPAPERS.

A Press to Enlighten Workingmen and Inspire Them With Confidence.

**Balfour Speaks at Newcastle—Presented With a Number of Addresses—A Recommendation to Canada About the McKinley Bill—Horrible Butchery of a Mother and Three Children in Berlin.**

HALLE, Oct. 18.—Much excitement was caused among the delegates to the Socialist Congress by the sudden death of one of their number. The Congress was engaged in discussing means to improve the position of the Socialist press. Herr Baumgarten, one of the delegates from Hamburg, was taking a part in the debate. He was in the midst of an argument, in presenting which he had become very much excited, when he was seen to stagger. Those close to him rushed to his aid, but before they could reach him he fell to the floor dead. The cause of his death is not known, but it was probably due to either heart disease or apoplexy.

After the body of Herr Baumgarten had been removed from the hall and the excitement had subsided the debate was resumed. A resolution was finally adopted declaring that the Socialist press cannot fulfil its mission unless its means of existence are assured, and urging the members of the party to promote the circulation of the chief Socialist organ and the non-periodical literature of the party. The resolution also urges the Socialists above all things to support the already existing press in their various localities and to prevent the press from being made an object of private speculation.

The first and chief duty of the press, the resolution declares, is to enlighten workingmen and to inspire them with confidence in themselves as a class. The press must not suffer through consideration for private interests. The resolution recommends the utmost care in establishing new party journals, which, it says, should not be started until the party is convinced that the enterprise is able to maintain itself from its own resources and that it possesses the necessary intellectual and technical material.

### CHOPPED TO PIECES

**A Berlin Builder Mutilates and Kills His Wife and Three Children.**

BERLIN, Oct. 18.—The city is excited over a horrible tragedy just discovered by the police. A builder by the name of Schaaf, living in Reinckendorf, a suburb of Berlin, horribly mutilated and killed his wife and three of his children with a hatchet, and terribly injured two others of his five children, who may die.

Schaaf was a builder who grew wealthy during the recent boom in real estate in Berlin. He got into financial difficulties, losing nearly all of his fortune, and was hard pressed by creditors. Fearing proceedings in bankruptcy, he became nearly insane, and of late had shown signs that he was out of his mind. In this condition he suddenly attacked his wife and children. Their cries for help were unheard by their neighbors. Schaaf has disappeared.

**Speculating on the Tariff Bill.**

LONDON, Oct. 18.—Right Hon. A. J. Mundella (Liberal), M. P., formerly president of the Board of Trade, speaking at Sheffield, said he believed the McKinley Tariff bill would disappoint its framers and prove oppressive to American consumers, especially the farmers. Austria, Germany, Belgium and France would suffer the most severely of European nations. England, however, would undoubtedly be able to overmaster the dear labor of America. If the Canadians should proclaim free trade they would be masters of the situation.

**Balfour's Address.**

LONDON, Oct. 18.—Mr. Balfour, Chief Secretary for Ireland, spoke at Newcastle, opening the campaign for the Government. His address consisted mainly of a general statement and defense of the Government's Irish policy. He declared that the condition of Ireland was improving. The country was increasing in material prosperity, and the respect for law was becoming more widespread.

**The Irish Fugitives.**

PARIS, Oct. 18.—Messrs. Dillon and O'Brien passed the day in visiting. They called at the offices of several newspapers and related the circumstances of their voyage and explained the situation in Ireland. The press is paying a great deal of attention to the matter. Mr. O'Brien remains at his father-in-law's residence. He discourages further interviews with reporters.

**Recommends Free Trade.**

LONDON, Oct. 18.—The Times says that if Canada desires to make the McKinley tariff a source of benefit instead of loss, the most likely method will be to adopt frankly and freely the policy of free trade. It would be best for her to begin with the mother country. She will not be able to loose all her commercial fetters at once. It will suffice for the present if the direction and aim are right.

**The Papal Encyclical.**

ROME, Oct. 18.—The newly issued Papal encyclical to the Italian bishops strongly protests against the Government's violating the liberty and rights of the Papacy and of Catholicism. It accuses the Free Masons of reversing modern society, and closes by an appeal to the faithful for their prayers.

### FAVORS RETALLIATION.

**A Movement for a Higher Tariff Agitated by Canadians.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 18.—According to intelligence received from Ottawa Government officials, indications from the various provinces show that there is a strong feeling among business men in the country in favor of Canada adopting a higher tariff in order to practically exclude American products both raw and manufactured.

The Dominion last year imported meats, grain, flour and other food from the United States at a cost of over $11,000,000. By adopting prohibitory duties Canada, leading Conservatives assert, will create a home market for her own farmers.

The Cabinet Ministers will not talk, but the utterances of the Hon. Mr. Foster, Minister of Finance, at St. John, N. B., indicate that the duties on manufactured articles will, if necessary, be further increased in order to protect the Canadian manufacturers.

### MISS DAVIS NOT MERCENARY.

**Mr. Wilkinson Says So and Adds That He Had to Submit.**

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Oct. 18.—Mr. Alfred Wilkinson of this city, who was to have married Miss Winnie Davis, says in a card that the reasons for breaking off the engagements were "matters purely personal." He says:

"It is ridiculous to suppose that political or financial reasons had anything to do with it. The imputation of any mercenary motive to her is false. Furthermore, Miss Davis has known for a year or more that I was poor. The burning of our house, though a serious loss, had nothing to do with her decision, for she had decided to terminate our engagement before that happened. When a lady decides the gentleman has nothing to do but submit."

**Captain Slocum's Little Boat.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 18.—The little boat "La Liberdad," in which Capt. Joshua Slocum and his family made a voyage from Brazil to the United States, has been presented to the National Museum.

**Committee on Irish Distress.**

LONDON, Oct. 18.—At a meeting of the National Liberal Club a provisional committee on Irish distress was appointed.

### NEWS OF THE DAY.

Baron Wissmann leaves for Africa October 25.

Persistent rumors are afloat that the strike in Sydney, New South Wales, has been settled.

Archdeacon Farrar of Westminster has accepted the Chaplaincy of the House of Commons.

Dom Pedro, ex-Emperor of Brazil, has taken up his residence at Versailles, in the Villa Brechignac.

The net earnings of the Pullman Palace Car company for the year amounted to $2,398,130.97.

Burglars stole a package of registered letters and a sum of money from the postoffice at Belmont, W. Va.

Wellington Brown of Baltimore, Ohio, was held up on the public square at Lancaster, Ohio, and robbed of $500.

For four hours a conference between the representatives of the two Cleveland Baseball clubs was in progress last night, but the consolidation question was not settled.

A case of undoubted leprosy has been discovered in the Penitentiary at Walla Walla, Washington. The leper is Thomas Burke, who was in the Hawaiian Islands until last June, when he came to Port Townsend, and was sentenced from there.

John Dixon, the prosperous farmer of Allegheny County, N. C., who shot Marshall Halsey, whom he caught in a compromising condition with his wife, and afterward killed Halsey's brother in a duel, has not yet been arrested and the people say if he is they will tear down the jail and release him.

The tornado that passed through a section of country North of Roberson county, North Carolina, Thursday night did more damage than was first reported. Several houses and barns were wrecked and fives lives have been reported lost. As the district is far from railroads and telegraph definite newsis hard to secure.

**Weather Indications.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 18.—For New England: Fair weather; westerly winds; warmer to-morrow.

For Eastern New York: Slightly warmer; fair weather; westerly winds.

For New Jersey: Slightly warmer; fair weather; westerly winds.

For Western New York: Slightly warmer; fair weather; westerly winds.

### NEW YORK MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Oct. 17.—Money on call to-day 4 and 5 per cent.

BONDS.

| | Closing Yesterday. | Closing To-day. |
|---|---|---|
| 4½s, 1891 Reg. | 104¾ | 104¾ |
| 4½s, 1891 Coup. | 104¾ | 104¾ |
| 4 s, 1907 Reg. | 123½ | 124 |
| 4 s, 1907 Coup. | 124 | 124 |

STOCK MARKET.

| | Closing Yesterday. | Closing To-day. |
|---|---|---|
| Canadian Pacific | — | 70 |
| Central Pacific | — | 30¾ |
| Chicago, Bur. & Q. | 91¾ | 92 |
| Delaware & Hudson | 136¾ | 136¾ |
| Del., Lack. & Western | 145¾ | 146¾ |
| Erie | 21¾ | 21¾ |
| Erie pref. | — | — |
| Lake Shore | 106¾ | 107¾ |
| Louis. & Nash. | 77¾ | 78¼ |
| Michigan Central | — | 97¾ |
| Missouri Pacific | 68¾ | 67¾ |
| New Jersey Central | 110¾ | 113 |
| Northwestern | 106¾ | 107¾ |
| Oregon Navigation | — | — |
| Pacific Mail | 39¾ | 41¼ |
| Reading | 37¾ | 37¾ |
| Rock Island | 75¾ | 76¾ |
| St. Paul | 78¾ | 80¾ |
| Union Pacific | 50¾ | 51¼ |
| Western Union | 81¾ | 81¾ |

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## BY THE WAY.

—"Cut" prices to-night at Edsalls. He claims to sell the better class of goods at the same prices as the poor cheap articles.

—Elsewhere Prof. Segadlo announces his plans for the formation of classes in dancing, in this city, for the coming season.

—The Democratic Executive Committee of Somerset county, will meet at Somerville, Monday afternoon next at two o'clock.

—The annual meeting for the election of officers of the Women's Temperance Aid Society will be held Thursday, October 23, at 3 P. M.

—Sebring Bros., the Park avenue clothiers, are selling a fine business suit for ten dollars. See announcement in our advertising columns.

—The Directors of the Plainfield Building and Loan Association will hold their regular monthly meeting in Jackson & Codington's office, Monday evening at eight o'clock.

—The Twilight Social Club of this city will give a Hallow e'en ball at Amphion Hall, West Second street, Friday evening, October 31. O'Reilly will furnish the music, and Messrs Joseph Blimm, E. C. Searing, James Loughlin, Wm. Blimm and F. Moore constitute the committee of arrangements.

—The ladies of the First Unitarian Society will hold a fair in the house formerly occupied by Dr. Utter, at the corner of Broadway and Sixth street, Wednesday and Thursday afternoons and evenings of next week. There will be a New England supper served each evening. Specimens of Gay Head pottery will be on sale.

—The crazy paper says that Miss Mather, who is to perform at Music Hall, Monday evening, will appear "in a production of John Tobin's famous tragedy, Romeo and Juliet." Shades of Shakespeare! Is this the latest effort of the Donnelly-Bacon party, or is it simply a proof of the necessity of compulsory education?

—The Young Stars, a local base ball aggregation, are in high glee over a game they played this morning, when they defeated the Young Dukes by the score of 27 to 15. Ered Winn pitched for the Stars, and Pete Fleming caught him. The Dukes tried three pitchers, Perrine, Dodge and Pierson, but could not save the game. Cavalier was their catcher.

## PARTICULAR MENTION.

Dr. and Mrs. Chas. R. Thiers have returned from their wedding trip.

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Hegeman of Washington Park, are at Washington, D. C.

Gerome Pack, of 31 Park avenue, who has been seriously ill, is slowly improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. A. Coddington are home from a wedding trip spent in New England.

Miss Mary Demler of Washingtonville is visiting her relatives the Ackens at Millington.

L. Warren Randolph will lead the meeting at Washingtonville chapel, at 7:30 o'clock to-morrow evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Wright Stover are home from their wedding trip. Their reception days will be Tuesdays, the 21st and 28th insts, at 49 East Ninth street.

Herbert J. Bolsterle has returned to his home at 38 Chatham street, North Plainfield, after a absence of seven months at Spokane Falls, Washington.

The Rev. Charles B. Mitchell will hold a temperance meeting in his church, tomorrow evening. His subject has been announced to be: "What Shall We Do Next?"

Thomas Winckler, the Asbury Park confectioner, with Miss Bridge of Long Branch, drove to Plainfield yesterday. They are spending a few days with the former's father, Augustus J. Winckler, of Park place.

Funeral services over the remains of the late Lucy Myers, who died at Colorado Springs some week ago, were held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Myers, East Front street, at half-past one o'clock this afternoon. The Rev. W. R. Richards, pastor of the Crescent Avenue church, and the Rev. Dr. John C. Bliss, of the Washington Heights Presbyterian church, New York, officiated.

### Westfield Wants a Hack at Plainfield Again.

Captain Howland of the Westfield foot ball team has called out all his men for practice today at 3 o'clock, at Drake's Park. The grounds are being put in first-class order. Every one interested in foot ball will be welcome, and the presence of any old player is especially desired. Next Saturday, October 25, a regular game will be played. Negotiations are already opened with the teams of the Corinthian Athletic Club, Staten Island; the Tabernacles, Jersey City; the Plainfield team and other prominent clubs.

*Hires' Root Beer is here again*, and we think it time to call the attention of our readers to that well-known brand. It is made from the genuine roots, barks and berries. Not like a great many others that are doctored imitations of it. One 25 cent package makes five gallons. No trouble to make. Directions simple, and, if followed, the most sparkling, cooling and refreshing drink in the World yet produced. It is time to lay in a stock, and we recommend an order from your wholesale house at once.

## A BAD DEFEAT FOR LEAL.

### Plainfield's Foot-Ball Team Lose a Game, and Two of Their Players Are Seriously Hurt.

The Leal foot-ball team opened the season disastrously in a game against the Pingry boys at Elizabeth this morning. The Pingry team had some players who had become expert at such institutions as Stevens' at Hoboken, and the Leal boys were somewhat afraid, and couldn't tackle them with their usual success. Before the Leal players could score a point the Pingry team had secured four touchdowns, counting five each, and had kicked one goal, counting two, and the score therefore stood 22 to 0 when an accident brought it to an abrupt close. One of the players had just been tackled on a brilliant play, and a magnificent run terminated in an ignominious tumble to the ground. Instantly everybody piled together in a heap and fought for the possession of the coveted ball. There was a sharp groan of pain, and a cry, "Somebody's hurt." Most of the players scrambled to their feet, but one of them, Frank Reynolds, lay helpless on the ground, suffering from what seemed to be a fracture of the leg, while another, John Bowman, nursed a broken nose. Both of the injured players were Leal boys, and it didn't require but a moment to decide that the game would have to be forfeited. The Plainfielders returned home on the first train they could catch. Bowman went to the home of his father, James Bowman, 46 East Sixth street, and had his nose put in shape. Raynolds was taken home by two comrades in a hack. He is the son of George S. Raynolds, of 40 Jackson avenue, North Plainfield. The cords and muscles of his leg were terribly strained, and he will not play football again in a long time.

### Runaway Horses Cause Much Excitement.

A runaway which spectators thought would result in loss of life occurred in this city at ten o'clock this morning. Wm. Conger and Fred Huff had driven from Westfield on the fore wheel-truck of a wagon used by Contractor Hoffman on the county roads. Just as they were passing under the Park avenue bridge of the Central Railroad a train went thundering overhead, and the horses, frightened at the unaccustomed sound, sprang forward and galloped wildly up the street. As usual, Park avenue was crowded with vehicles, but Conger was a skillful driver, and succeeded admirably in avoiding collisions. One carriage, however, containing a lady and two children, he could not steer clear of, and in an instant not only the carriage but the horse attached to it was completely overthrown. None of the occupants, however, were injured. One of the little girls laughed; the other was considerably frightened and was given restoratives in Reynolds' Pharmacy. The carriage, which was owned by Fred Obitz, had the shafts broken, and was otherwise damaged.

The runaway horses continued up the street. Fred Huff was thrown from the truck and fell on his side under a group of wagons. Luckily he escaped harm. Conger clung pluckily to the reins. His feet were tangled around the axle and in the frame-work of the vehicle, and the horses' hoofs were flying wildly about his head. Everybody thought his legs would be fractured and his brains kicked out, but he guided his mad animals with remarkable skill, safely turned the Front street corner, and by hard and continuous tugging at the lines brought the steaming horses to a halt in front of the First Baptist church. Huff then came up and held the animals while Conger went into Randolph's City Pharmacy and had his numerous scratches, bruises and cuts dressed.

The same horses ran away a few days ago, near Westfield.

### Not a Change for the Better.

The people will regret to learn that Margaret Mather's manager has wired the Music Hall management here that she will appear on Monday evening as *Juliet* instead of *Juliana*. "The play's the thing," and when THE PRESS announced that she would give John Tobin's "Honeymoon," the prospect of a good house was apparent. To most people most of Shakespeare's plays are most tiresome, and "Romeo and Juliet" especially so.

Yet a good acting of it, Monday evening, is assured. With his usual enterprise Arthur B. Chase has, since his taking the management of Margaret Mather, worked many reforms, and he put into operation a pet scheme when he surrounded his new star with a company so complete and artistic in all its parts that the performance resembles that of the famous Saxe-Minegin troupe. Every actor is a star actor and every part falls into efficient hands. No more powerful company has ever been seen here. The leading man is Otis Skinner, five years with Daly, and two seasons leading man with Edwin Booth and Lawrence Barrett; John Malone, formerly leading man with Salvini and a product of the Irving School; Henry E. Walton, the leading New York "Heavy" who has created parts under the greatest masters; Gile Shine, last year with Downing in leading roles, and a famous comedian. Maida Craigen, late leading lady with Edwin Booth and Madam Modjeska, has, however, been displaced by Emma Hinckley.

—The Corporation Counsel acting upon instructions from President Moffett of the Council, has issued a notice to the Postal Telegraph Company that they shall not erect a single pole within the city limits.

## LAMP LIGHT TO GO.

### The Mayor and Council of North Plainfield Make a Three-Years Contract with the Edison Company to Illuminate the Borough Streets with Electricity.

At the adjourned meeting of the North Plainfield Council, last evening, there were present Mayor Place, Councilmen Buckle, Needham, Sebring and Smalley, Borough Attorney Reed and Clerk Brokaw. Councilmen Hegeman and Emmons were absent and paired. The particular business of the meeting, it was understood, was to be the making of a contract with an electric company to light the streets of the Borough. And it was rumored that the power was to come from Councilman Sebring's mills.

The meeting opened with an introduction by Councilman Smalley of Mr. Herring of the N. Y. & N. J. Globe Gaslight Co., that had lighted the Borough streets for the past three years. He thanked the Council for their kind permission to talk, and took the opportunity to make a bid himself. He said his company had put a street lighting plant in the Borough under certain difficulties and at much expense. He thought therefore they should have been given notice that they were to be thrown out, and given an opportunity to make a proposition. Mr. Herring said his company had a system of electric lighting that was the equal if not the superior of any other.

"You Councilmen," he continued, "don't know what you are going to get from the company I understand you are thinking of making a contract with. You have never seen their system in operation in any city or town for any length of time. You may see it at Roselle now where three lamps are bunched together to make one light and that doesn't even illuminate the pole it is attached to. In Paterson the lights that were put in operation by this company, have been, and are, so poor, that the city has refused to pay all bills for them."

At the request of Chairman Sebring, of the Committee on Fire, Water and Lamps, the contract drawn up by the Borough Attorney with the Edison Electric Light Company, under direction of the Council and the committee, was read twice. It provided for 200 25-candle power lamps, lighted from sunset to sunrise for three years, from Jan. 15, 1891 to Jan. 15, 1894, at $3,600 per annum, and every additional lamp at $18 each. In answer to a question from Councilman Needham, Attorney Reed said it was a "stronger contract" than the one the city had with the other company.

Councilman Smalley thought all the Council should be present, although the company required all the time possible for the erection of the plant by the time specified. Councilmen Sebring and Buckle advised action at once, as the time was short and the contract with the Globe Gaslight Company expired on Jan. 14, 1891.

Mr. Hughes, the representative of the Edison Company present, said that frost was possible before the next meeting of the Council, and as there were 800 poles to set and 15 miles of wire to stretch, the delay would not only cause extra expense but it would be impossible to complete the work by the time specified in the contract.

Councilman Needham wanted inserted in the contract, a clause giving the Borough the privilege of eventually purchasing the plant at a reasonable price. Attorney Reed said there was no need of such a clause, as any company was ready to sell at a "reasonable" price, at any time.

On motion of Councilman Sebring, seconded by Councilman Smalley, it was resolved that the terms of the contract be ratified and the Mayor and Clerk of the Borough be authorized to execute the same. All present voted aye. The amount of the required bond for the faithful performance of the contract, was fixed at $10,000.

On motion of Councilman Smalley, Messrs Emmons and Lunger were awarded the job of building a borough lock-up.

Attorney Reed stated in relation to the Peace street extension project, that according to existing laws it was a matter outside of the Borough Council's jurisdiction. It was the Township's business, he thought; but whether it was or not, the Council had no right in the matter in anyway. It could accept streets that had been opened and properly graded, but it could not make streets. The Council then adjourned.

### Officers of the Relief Association for the Ensuing Year.

At the 12th annual meeting of the Plainfield Relief Association, held at their rooms Monday, the 6th inst., reports of the good work done during the year were read. These will be published in THE PRESS of Monday next. The following officers were elected:

President—Mrs. E. L. Goddard.
Vice President—Mrs. VanNest Talmage.
Treasurer—Mrs. W. W. Myers.
Secretary—Miss E. R. Leonard.
Board of Managers—Mrs. Rowland Cox, Mrs. B. A. Hegeman, Mrs. C. W. McCutchen, Mrs. E St. John, Mrs. M. W. Tyler, Mrs. J. E Tracy, Mrs. C. E Ryder, Mrs D J. Yerkes, Mrs. J. K. Myers, Mrs. P. Wyckoff, Mrs. H. P. Reynolds, Mrs. A. M. Rhees, Mrs. C. C. Coketair, Mrs. A. H. Lewis, Miss C. B. Webster.
Executive Committee—Mrs. G. P. Dupee, Mrs J. M. Myers, Mrs. W. L. Patton, Mrs. F. A. Pike, Mrs. J. P. Mason, Mrs. S. Huntington.

### A Big Cut.

We want to sell more goods on Saturday than we ever have yet; and to do it we will put five cases of Misses ties, patent leather tip, at 25c., one-third of their cost; also a lot of Ladies' ties, in larger sizes, at the same low prices. We also have some shoes that are soiled a little, that we shall make a great cut on. Don't miss this chance! ROGERS BROS., cash shoe dealers.

### She Preaches no Doctrine But Christ Crucified.

Mrs. Whitney, the Evangelist, of New York, who is holding a series of meetings at Reform Hall, under the auspices of the Women's Temperance Aid Society, spoke with a power of eloquence last night on "Short Beds and Narrow Covering," portraying the different beds chosen by many—moral, political, etc.—but contending that none other than that taught by the crucified and risen Jesus would be the safe one at the end.

Her audiences are on the increase, and give rapt attention to her discourses. Those who do not hear her will miss great spiritual help. Mrs. Whitney gives a Bible reading every afternoon in Reform Hall parlors, which is well attended.

### Better Than Chicago.

For skill in breaking nuptial ties
Chicago now the fame is wearing,
And people who are counted wise
To Collier's go for good repairing.

"THE THREE GRACES"
FOR THE BREAKFAST TABLE ARE
"REXWHEAT" MUSH,
"REXWHEAT" GEMS,
"REXWHEAT" GRIDDLE CAKES.

REXWHEAT
FURNISHES
MEAT FOR THE POOR,
DAINTIES FOR THE RICH,
HEALTH FOR ALL
Unequalled in Flavor, Wholesomeness, and Ease of Preparation by any other cereal.
AT ALL GROCERS
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### Arrival and Departure of Mails.

NEW YORK MAILS.
*Arrive*—7:30, 8 40, A. M., 12:15, 3:20, 5:30 P. M.
*Close*—7:30 and 9:30 A. M., 1:45, 5:30 and 8 P. M.
SOMERVILLE AND EASTON MAILS.
*Arrive*—8:40 A. M., 2:40, 6:30 P. M.
*Close*—7:30 A. M., 4:30 P. M.

Direct mail to Trenton and Philadelphia at 4:30 P. M.

SUNDAY MAILS.
Office open from 9:30 to 10:30 A. M.
Mail closes at 6:30 P. M.

E. R. POPE, P. M.

Assignee's Sale.

Wm. M. Stillman, assignee of Carney Bros., plumbers, will sell at public auction, at the store and premises known as No. 9 Somerset street, now occupied by said Carney Bros., on

Tuesday, October 21st,

next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, a lot of stoves, ranges, boilers, heaters, refrigerators, pumps, water-backs, and other plumbing and tinning material, being a part of the stock in trade of said Carney Bros., to be sold for the benefit of their creditors.

Sale absolute. Terms made known on day of sale.
WM. M. STILLMAN, Assignee.
T. J. GILLIES, Auctioneer. 10 14 w

BROWN & HILL,
Shaving and Hair Cutting Parlors,
[FORCE'S HOTEL,] No. 5 North Avenue.
Special attention paid to
Children's Hair Cutting.
2-26-tf

ISAAC BROKAW & SON,
FIRE INSURANCE.
OFFICE—30 DUER STREET,
NORTH PLAINFIELD, N. J.
2-4-tf

P. AGNEY,
KINDLING WOOD.
Yard—Mountain Avenue.
P. O. Box 307. NORTH PLAINFIELD.
Orders attended to promptly in city and Borough.
3-6-tf

Valuable Building Lots for Sale,
On Grove street and Craig place, North Plainfield. This plot is one of the most desirable in the Borough, and is offered for sale at a reasonable price and on easy terms. Will be sold in quantities to suit. Apply to Owner, at 26 Craig place.
3-14-tf

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WINCHENDON, MASS., Feb. 19, 1890.
*F. E. C. Medicine Co.:*
I had been afflicted for a long time with a severe kidney trouble. I was so bad I was unable to work more than three months in the year. Had used a good
YOU
many medicines but failed to get any relief. At last, about two years ago, I commenced using the F. E. C. Kidney, Blood and Liver Remedy. From the first
LIFT
it commenced to help me, and with the use of three bottles *I was cured* and am now well and able to do the heaviest kind of work. My business is moving pianos
A PIANO.
and heavy boxes. To any one suffering with Kidney trouble, I say, by all means try the F.E.C. Remedy. LORING GALE.
The F. E. C. Remedy is taking the lead of all others, wherever introduced. It is the *only remedy for Sour Blood.* Send for circulars. All druggists; $1 per bottle; six for $5.

BEWARE OF PARALYSIS!
Dr. Comfort's little "Compilis" are a sure preventative. Do you have dizzy spells or a feeling of numbness, or want of circulation? Do not delay; get "Compilis." They are made from roots and herbs. If not kept by your druggist, send 25 cents to the F. E. C. Medicine Co., Rochester, N. Y., and the "Compilis" will be sent by mail.
For sale by R. J. SHAW, Druggist, Sole Agent
cod

WILL LEAVE SOON.
CLAIRVOYANT
Mrs. DR. EDWARDS,
Having fully recovered, will remain for a Few Weeks Longer, before she leaves for the South. She can be seen from 9 to 9 o'clock, as usual, at the *CITY HOTEL, ROOM 4.* Call at once, as this is your last opportunity.
Mrs. DR. EDWARDS, the greatest and the most celebrated CLAIRVOYANT in the World, and is known in this country from Maine to Mexico. She was born with the wonderful gift of second sight, and with a veil. She is the seventh daughter of the seventh daughter. She reveals every mystery; tells you if the one you love is true or false. She removes every grief, settles lovers' troubles, and causes speedy love marriages. She gives reliable information to gentlemen in all business transactions, and informs them how to make profitable investments and acquire speedy riches. She tells lucky lottery numbers. She has an Ostris Egyptian Talisman, which is noted a 1 the world over, as a specific charm for the unlucky. All who are in trouble or sick, should call without delay.
Ladies 50c to $1. Gentlemen $1.
10 15 w

Dancing & Aesthetic Body Culture.
PROF. SEGADLO
Will reopen his classes in Plainfield, N. J., providing he can secure the proper number of scholars.
For this purpose a subscription list is now open at Park's Music Store, East Front St. All those wishing to take lessons, or of sending children to the class, are requested to enter their address, stating number of pupils.
The day of commencing, and place of holding the class, will be afterwards made known.
For terms, etc., address
L. P. SEGADLO,
22 West Park street, Newark, N. J.
10 18 2w

The Home Building & Loan Ass'n
Will open its Sixth Series at the next meeting, October 20, 1890, in the W. C. T. U. rooms, 79 West Front street
The present condition of the outstanding series is:

| Series No. | Amount paid. | Earned value. |
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| 1 | 30 | $33 20 |
| 2 | 24 | 25 00 |
| 3 | 18 | 19 07 |
| 4 | 12 | 12 48 |
| 5 | 6 | 6 12 |

F. R. STRUTHERS, Sec'y.
10 15a18

"CUT!"
PRICES again to-night.
New and desirable goods will be opened for this SPECIAL SALE.
We sell the better class of goods at the cheap prices.
Come in to-night and examine the articles we have ticketed out in plain figures.
A little money will go a good ways in trading at
EDSALL'S, 20 West Front St.

### WANTS AND OFFERS.

*Advertisements under this heading, one cent for each word each insertion.*

STRAYED from 112 Rock View avenue, one red Irish setter dog and one white bull terrier dog. Liberal reward if returned at once. 10 18 tf

PART of a house seven rooms to let, furnished or unfurnished. 151 W. Front st. 10 18 2

ELEGANT palms, ferns and ferneries at Denton's Hillside Avenue Greenhouses.

BARGAIN—Upright piano for sale, in first-class order. Address "B. B.," postoffice. 10 18 2

A FINE lot on Front street. Will exchange for horse carriage and harness. Real Estate Trust, 39 North avenue. 10 18 3

WANTED—2 or 3 rooms for light housekeeping near depot. Address C. D, PRESS office.

THE UNION COUNTY STANDARD, Westfield, N. J., inserts "Want" advertisements at one cent a word. 10 18 2w Tw

WANTED—A bright young man of pleasant address and good education; one with some experience in grocery business preferred. Reference required as to character. Apply after 6 P. M., to Wm. W. Wilson, 246 W. 3d st. 10 18 2

FOUND—A strayed young Alderney cow at 87 West 3d street last evening about 8 o'clock. Owner can have the same by paying for her keep and this advertisement.

ON account of my retiring from coal business, I will sell my team of grey horses, 5 and 6 years old; sound, kind and gentle, and not afraid of cars. Walter L. Hetfield.

WANTED—A girl for general housework. Apply at THE PRESS office. 10 18 2

STOVES, cheap. One Parlor Base Burner, and two Cylinder Stoves; but little used. Address T., PRESS office. 10 17 2

WANTED—Stout boy or man to assist in milking, and make himself generally useful. Apply at PRESS office. 10 16 tf

WANTED—First-class colored waiter. Van Court Inn, Roselle, N. J. 10 15 w

FOR SALE—Horse, 5 years, harness and phaeton, cheap. Box 42, Dunellen. 10 15 4

WANTED—Good laundress; permanent place, good wages. VanCourt Inn, Roselle, N. J. 10 15 w

COLUMBIA Safety Bicycle for sale. Call at PRESS office. 10 15 tf

FOUR houses to let. Inquire City Mills, Somerset street. 10 14 tf

TRUCK farm for sale; eleven acres, with good house and barn, 2 miles from Plainfield. Apply to W. C. Butler, 1 E. Front street. 10 13 tf

ROOMS, with or without board. 21 West 2d street. 10 9 12

LADIES doing their own dressmaking or employing plain seamstress, can secure perfect fit and pattern for future use. Taylor system. Miss A. T. Buckley, 27 West 4th street. 9 22 tf

STORAGE for furniture in separate rooms. Apply to C. Frank French, 69 somerset st. 9 2 tf

WANTED—Jobbing at painting, glazing kalsomining and roof painting. Address Isaac Kennedy, 55 East Front street. tf

WANTED—Work cleaning Vaults and Cesspools. Satisfaction guaranteed. City Odorless Excavating Works, 206 Broadway. Mrs. David Jones, Proprietor. No connection with JOHN & CO. 6-11-tf

OUR MOTTO.—LOWEST PRICES CONSISTENT WITH GOOD QUALITY AND HONEST QUANTITY
The choicest Creamery Butter that can be produced
Apollinaris Water; pints, $1.50, quarts, $2 dozen; Belfast Ginger Ale, $1.40 dozen.
Excelsior Sugar Cured Hams are the best—12c.
The finest Java and Mocha coffee in town, and the prices are right. Won't be undersold for same quality of goods. F. M. DEMAREST.
25 PARK AVENUE.
3-5-t

M. H. A.
MUSIC HALL.
MONDAY, OCTOBER 20.
Special engagement of America's greatest actress, Miss Margaret Mather, supported by Mr. Otis Skinner and a powerful New York Company,
AS JULIET.
Special scenery, new and beautiful costumes.
PRICES—35, 50, 75c., and $1.00.
Seats on sale Friday. 10 15 td

M. H. A.
MUSIC HALL.
Thursday, October 23, 1890.
William Gillette's
HELD BY THE ENEMY.
Greatest of all War Dramas.
Performed over 300 nights in New York, and 250 nights in London.
Strong cast, and car load of special scenery.
PRICES—35, 50, 75c., and $1.00.
Seats on sale Tuesday. 10 17 td

MUSICAL
AND
Literary Entertainment
Given by the "Whatsoever Circle of King's Daughters," of Plainfield, N. J., at the Y. M. C. A., Rooms,
Friday Evening, October 24,
At 8 o'clock.
The popular and talented young favorites Mr. and Mrs. Firth Wood, in their original and characteristic recitals, besides first-class home talent, vocal and instrumental.
TICKETS 50 CENTS.
For sale at Reynolds' and Randolph's pharmacies. 10 17 w

AMPHION HALL.
Grand week of attraction. Commencing
MONDAY, OCT. 20.
Saturday Matinee 2:30 Sharp.
The Great
LEONZO BROS.,
Dramatic and Comedy Co., combined with the World's greatest Dramatic Trained Dogs Tiger, Lion and Panther, and the Great Human Face Dog, SPOT.
Change of bill nightly.
Popular Prices—10, 20 and 30c.
Seats now on sale. 10 18 7

The Ladies of the First Unitarian Society of Plainfield, will hold a
FAIR
At the House corner Broadway and 6th street, during the afternoon and evenings of
Wednesday & Thursday, Oct. 22 & 23, '90.
A NEW ENGLAND SUPPER will be served each evening.
Admission, Adults, 10c. Children, 5c
10 18 4

AYERS & TOTTEN,
CITY EXPRESS.
Freight and Baggage delivered to any part of the city Satisfaction guaranteed. Charges reasonable. Orders may be left at W. F. Adams' 10 Park avenue.
W. S. AYERS. JAS. E. TOTTEN
(Late with Adams Ex. Co.) 10 13 w

LYMAN & ANTHONY,
REAL ESTATE
AND INSURANCE AGENTS,
61 NORTH AVE., opposite Depot.
3-25-y

HOUSE AND FRESCO
PAINTING,
Nos. 10 and 10 1-2 PARK AVENUE.
MARSH & AYERS.
Jobbing promptly attended to First-class work guaranteed. Prices reasonable. Estimates promptly furnished.
CALL AND SEE US. 5-26-y

The Reina Victoria Segar
Is an *ELEGANT* 10c *SEGAR.*
I SELL IT FOR 5 CENTS.
Call at
At the Crescent Parlor,
23 NORTH AVENUE. 11-26-y

BOOTS AND SHOES
LOW PRICES.
At C. W. FORCE'S.
FALL AND WINTER GOODS.
11 West Front Street.

HOAGLAND'S
EXPRESS.
OFFICE—39 North Avenue
Opposite Railroad Station.
8-15 tf

ARNOLD,
THE GROCER!
92 Somerset St., opp. Emily,
NORTH PLAINFIELD.
4-15-tf

J. BARTON KLINE. JAS. W. DAVIS.
DEALERS IN
Coal, Wood, Hay, Feed,
Straw and Grain.
TELEPHONE CALL, 58.
Yards—Corner of Front St. & Grant Ave
BRANCH OFFICE—North Ave., opposite Station.
The *BEST GRADES OF EVERYTHING* at the *MOST LIBERAL PRICES.*
9-6-t

PECK'S CORNER.
THOSE
Dainty Ruchings
WERE BOUGHT AT
PECK'S!

SEBRING'S
Business Suits,
$10, $12 AND $15.
FINE TAILORING.
27 PARK AVENUE.
12-6-y

Opening of Fall and Winter Millinery,
Wednesday, October 1.
We will have on exhibition a large assortment of
Artistically Trimmed Hats, designed by a First Class New York Milliner,
Whose services we have secured for the season. Also, a well-selected line of Untrimmed Hats and Bonnets, Feathers, Tips, Birds, &c.
New line of Jackets, Reefers, Capes, Plush Cloaks and Jackets.
New line of *FALL DRESS GOODS.*
*CARPETS, OIL CLOTH, MATS and MATTING.* LARGE STOCK and LOW PRICES.
LEDERER'S,
9 WEST FRONT ST.
9 29 3m

NEW GOODS!
JARDINIERE'S, CRACKER JARS,
FANCY POTTERY, ARTISTIC LAMPS,
FINE GLASSWARE, DECORATED CHINA.
GAVETT'S, 15 E. FRONT ST.
10-25-tf

FURNITURE, BEDDING, UPHOLSTERY.
Large Assortment!
New Goods!!
Low Prices!!!
—Manufacturing and Repairing a Specialty.—
GARRET Q. PACKER,
Nos. 23, 25, 27, and 29 PARK AVE.
1-3-tf

SEA FOOD!
Scale and Shell.
ROGERS' MARKET,
42 WEST SECOND STREET.
3-13-tf

FALL IS HERE
And I am ready for it with a full line of
Dress Goods, Underwear,
Blankets and Comfortables.
NEW STYLES of Ingrain, Tapestry, and Body Brussel Carpets, Oil Cloths, Etc., at the *LOWEST PRICES*, to which I invite your attention.
H. A. POPE,
Corner FRONT and SOMERSET STS.
The old reliable Dry Goods, Carpet, and Notion House. 11-13-y

First Annual Clearing Out Sale of WALL PAPER!
The purpose of which is to dispose of our entire stock and renew it exclusively with the new patterns of the coming season. 25 Points worth considering:
FIRST—Our stock is very large, carefully selected, and all this season's goods.
SECOND—The first customers will have a larger stock to select from, and will get the choicest bargains.
THIRD—Prices will be the lowest ever offered—bargains being offered daily below cost. Sale closes September 1.
A. D. VANSCIVER, 47 NORTH AVE.,
Opposite Depot. (Chotola Building), Plainfield, N. J.
N. B.—*ALL BRANCHES OF PAINTING A SPECIALTY.* 1-10-t

COAL LUMBER
And
Builders Supplies
LOOMIS & RICE
49 B'DWAY

## "ONLY A FARMER."

**But He is the Man Who Will be Elected.**

THE PRESS is indebted to the Somerville *Democrat* for some facts regarding W. J. Keys, the Democratic nominee for Senator of Somerset county, and a gentleman loved and honored by all who know him. About six years ago he purchased a farm near South Branch, his present place of residence. He immediately moved his family there and commenced improvements on his place, spending about $16,000 in this manner. Although a man of means, he is just as sociable, just as common with his neighbors, as though he was as poor as the poorest.

He has a large, open heart, and is always looking out to do favors for those with whom he comes in contact. Mr. Keys was born at Dobb's Ferry, N. Y., April 13, 1838, making him now 52 years of age. He started out to earn his own living when 13 years of age, and from that time to this he has been a hard working man. For twenty-five years he carried on the produce business in Washington Market, and in that way was in constant contact with farmers. He thus learned of their needs, and this experience would be worth much to him in the Senate. He has always desired to be a farmer, and when he finally purchased his place at South Branch, it was with the intention of ending his days on this, the place of his choice.

Mr. Keys did not want the nomination for Senator. It was pressed upon him. The office sought the man, not the man the office. He accepted of the same because urged to do so; because he was told that it would settle all factional fights; because it was thought he would carry his party to victory, and we believe he will.

Mr. Keys never turns a poor man away who applies to him for help. Even the poor tramps are always supplied when they apply for work. His neighbors say that he is one of the kindest-hearted men in that vicinity. They cannot say too much in his favor. Although now he has means, yet he is one of the most social and common men in his manners that you often came across. He always says: "I am only a farmer, the same as my neighbors."

**Married Fifty Years.**

The fiftieth anniversary celebration of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Barclay Dunham, the parents of Daniel H. Dunham, Vice President of the Firemen's Insurance Company, of Newark, and Oscar W. Dunham, of the Newark City Bank, took place at their home on Sixth street, Wednesday evening. There is one other son, Charles B. Dunham, who resides on the old Daniel Heath homestead near Basking Ridge, under whose roof the couple were united in marriage half a century ago; also two daughters living at home.

The invitation was confined to the near relatives, who numbered about sixty. There are four grandchildren, all being present. "Aunt Sally" Heath in her one hundred and second year, although enjoying fair health, was unable to attend There are but two other persons living who were at the wedding, one of them being present Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Dunham are seventy-five years of age and in good health. At the anniversary their former pastor, the Rev. John C. Rankin, D. D., of Basking Ridge, made some appropriate remarks and prayer was offered by him and the Rev. Mr. Richards, their present pastor. An original poem which is appended was read by David McCoy, of Orange. A number of appropriate presents were received and all had an enjoyable time.

1840. GREETING. 1890.

October leaves were rustling,
In rustic home was bustling.
Just fifty years agone;
All for a happy two,
To seal their vows as true,
Their lives in unison.

The years have come and ended,
But still their hearts are blended,
Entwined in love's first glow;
The leaves may fall and wither,
But true souls knit together,
In sacred union grow.

Eastward life's shadows lengthen,
With faith and hope to strengthen
The homeward path they take;
Forward the golden portal,
To join the band immortal,
And of its bliss partake.

**Wrecked Her Wheel, but Escaped Harm Herself.**

Miss Emma L. Adams, Public Librarian, had a narrow escape from being trampled under a horse's feet this afternoon. She was riding her bicycle along Eighth street and turned into Central avenue directly in front of a horse driven by T. O. Doane, Chief Engineer of the Fire Department. The horse was reined in an instant, but too late to prevent a collision. The fore-wheel of the machine was wrecked, but she was saved from bodily injury.

—Fifty-seven students attended the short hand classes of the Y. M. C. last evening.

**Pure Brandy.**

We call our readers attention to the following testimonial from undoubted authority on the excellence and purity of Speer's P. J. Brandy:

NEW YORK.

MR. SPEER:—I congratulate you on a recent unsought testimonial as to the purity of your brandy. Lady Duffus Hardy, of London, England, an old acquaintance of mine, on testing from the bottle of brandy we brought from Passaic the other day, immediately asked me to get a like one for her, which I did this morning. The English aristocrats, you know, male and female, are pretty good judges of brandy.

Wishing you every success in your really good work, I remain yours truly,

PRENTICE MULFORD,
Editor N. Y. Graphic.

## EX-PRESIDENT KIEB MAKES

**A "Suggestion" to the Members of the Plainfield Crescent League.**

Although the subject of politics is not mentioned in the Constitution and By-Laws of the Plainfield Crescent League as one of the athletic pursuits of the League, yet it would be well, perhaps, for some of the older members, the originators of the Club, so to speak, to remember the action of the Republican candidate for Assembly, George Kyte, in a certain proceeding in the Fanwood Club on charges brought by C. C. Burnett, and defeat him, for incompetency, untrustworthiness, unreliability, not to say unscrupulousness.

It is hardly necessary to set forth in detail the minor incidents of that trial, except upon challenge, when the writer of this article will cheerfully respond. The members of the Plainfield Crescent League, who were then members of the Fanwood Club, and who resigned their membership in consequence of the impartial (?) action of George Kyte, as President of the Club, should now use their influence with their fellow-members, friends and neighbors, to obtain votes for A. B. Cook of Rahway, who is an honorable gentleman, and a sharp, shrewd business man, entirely fitted, mentally and physically, to represent our district in the State Assembly.

Every member of the Club should make this a personal matter, and use his utmost endeavor to elect Mr. Kyte to remain at home.

ERNEST C. KIEB.

## SUNDAY SERVICES.

*Brief notices* will be inserted under this head free of expense, but must be delivered at this office not later than eleven o'clock on Saturday morning to insure publication.

Crescent Avenue church, the Rev. Wm. R. Richards, pastor. Services to-morrow at 10:30 A. M., and 7:30 P. M. Sabbath school at 2:30. Seats free at the evening service.

The masses in St. Mary's church to-morrow will be at 8:30, 9:45 and 10:45 A. M. Vespers will be held at 8 o'clock in the evening. Sunday school at three o'clock P. M.

Services will be held to-morrow in the German Reformed church on Craig place, North Plainfield, at 10:30 A. M. Sunday school at 2:30 P. M. No service Friday evening.

German Lutheran services will be held to-morrow at 10:30 in the forenoon at the W. C. T. U. rooms, No. 73 West Front street. Sermon by the Rev. P. Jubelt, of Greenport, N. Y.

Grace church, to-morrow: Early celebration at 7:30 A. M. Morning service and sermon by the Rector on Sunday School Work. Sunday school at 3 P. M. Even song 4:30 P. M.

Services will be held to-morrow, as usual, in the Trinity Reformed church at 10:30 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. The pastor, the Rev. Cornelius Schenck, will preach both morning and evening. A welcome to all.

Services in the Park Avenue Baptist church, to-morrow. Preaching by the pastor, the Rev. Asa Reed Dilts, at 10:30 A. M. and 7:45 P. M. Morning theme: "Work and Warfare." Evening theme: "The Dance."

It will pay the men of Plainfield to hear what Mr. LaBoyteaux has the say to young men at the Y. M. C. A. hall, Sunday at 4:15 P. M. There will be specially good singing, short talks and a hearty welcome to all.

St. Saviour's church, Netherwood. S. P. Simpson, rector. Services to-morrow: Holy Communion, 7:30 A. M.; morning prayer, litany and sermon, 11 A. M.; Sunday school, 3 P. M. Evening prayer, with choir, 3:45 P. M.

The Church of the Holy Cross, the Rev. T. Logan Murphy, rector. Early celebration of the Holy Communion, to-morrow, at 8 A. M. Sunday school at 9:45 A. M. Morning prayer and sermon at 11 A. M. Even Song at 4 P. M.

Methodist Episcopal church, the Rev. Chas. B. Mitchell, pastor, will preach at 10:30 A. M., and 7:30 P. M. Sunday school at 2:30 P. M. Epworth League at 6:45 P M. Temperance meeting at 7:30. Subject—"What Shall We Do Next?"

At the First Unitarian church, Second place, to-morrow. The Rev. Henry Woude of Newburgh, will preach. Subject for morning "By Unknown Ways," and in the evening, "The Sure Things of God." The services will begin at 10:30 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sunday school at 11:45 A. M.

Warren Mission Sunday school to-morrow at 2:30 P. M. Praise service at 7:30 led by M. M. Dunham; and regular service at 8 o'clock at which D. M. Moore will preside. Young People's meeting Tuesday evening at eight o'clock. Come and see us. You will be made welcome.

The First Church of Christ will meet at Vanderbeek's Hall, Park avenue, to-morrow morning and evening. The Lord willing J. B. Cleaver will preach. Morning theme will be, Acts I, 5. The evening theme will be Romans, XV, 6-7. Sunday school at 2:30. Prayer meeting, every Wednesday and Friday at 7:30, to which all are welcomed.

The doors of Reform Hall will be open to-morrow for the welcome admission of all attenders, at the hours of 9:15 A. M., 4 and 7:30 P. M. In the evening the well-known platform speaker, Samuel A. Haines, of Netherwood, will discourse on "Facts: What Shall We Do with Them?" A large audience should embrace the opportunity of hearing Mr. Haines.

Women's Temperance Aid Society meetings for to-morrow. Prayer and experience meeting in Reform Hall parlors at 9:15 A. M., led by Mrs. Whitney. Gospel meeting at 4 P. M. in main auditorium also conducted by Mrs. Whitney. Those who have heard Mrs. Whitney in the meetings during the past week will be glad to hear that she has consented to stay over the Sabbath.

**A Dish of New P's.**

P stands for Pudding, for Peach and for Pear,
And likewise for Poetry and Prose;
The Parrot, the Pigeon that flies in the air,
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**The Leonzo Brothers to Open Amphion Hall.**

The new manager of Amphion Hall will open Monday evening with the Leonzo Brothers and their capable company, in "Brother Against Brother." The press say of the play that it is a drama well adapted for the purpose of giving the Leonzos an opportunity to show to advantage their well trained dogs, Tiger, Lion, and Spot, and add an increased interest and excitement to the performance. Mr. Victor Leonzo is, of course, the life of the play and with his recognized vocal abilities and natural talents as an actor, he is entitled to the cordial reception that he received throughout the representation of Carl, the German. He is surrounded by a company of deserving people. Mr. Harry Leonzo and Mr. W. D. Corbett were such capital villains that the "gods of the gallery" might well be pardoned for their scowls and hisses. They were true to nature. Mr. Al. Hensley's conception of Sir Francis Bell was good and he sustained the reputation of the author. The quarrel scene between the brothers was a fine bit of acting. Mr. J. H. Taylor was an amusing Dodge and generous with his cards. Messrs Evans and Carleton assumed their roles in a satisfactory manner. The female part of the cast was up to the average. Miss Wells was captivating as Louisa Midland and many in the audience envied Carl his happy relationship. Miss Carrie Grandville left a good impression by her pleasing appearance and taking manners, and Miss Taylor was motherly-like in her representation of Mrs. Carl. Miss Laziola was affectionate in the character of Florence Rollins and her elegant costume won the admiration of the ladies.

**Pilgrims Delayed by Cholera.**

LONDON, Oct. 18.—Cholera still continues to prevail along the Syrian and Arabian coasts. The pilgrims from British India to Mecca were delayed in quarantine so long that when they were released the sacred ceremonies were over and they had to return without accomplishing their pilgrimage.

**Fought Thirteen Rounds.**

BUFFALO, N. Y., Oct. 18.—John Van Heest, of Ashland, Wis., defeated "Mickey" Coburn, of England, in a rattling 13-round "go" in a Tonawanda sporting resort at an early hour. Van Heest received very little punishment while Coburn was completely knocked out.

**Charged With Stealing.**

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 18.—Adolph Raubitschecck was arrested by a detective on a requisition charging him with the larceny of $1,500 worth of diamonds from Jacob Morch, an importer at 130 Broadway, Brooklyn, whither he will be taken to-day.

**Dynamite Explosion.**

BURLAN FALLS, N. H., Oct. 18.—A charge of dynamite was exploded under the house of E. J. Bennett at 4 a. m. badly shattering the front of the house but not seriously injuring any member of the family. Bennett is a liquor prosecutor.

**A Clergyman Sentenced to Prison.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 18.—Albert F. Vedder, formerly a Presbyterian clergyman, was sentenced to five years in State Prison by Recorder Smyth, in General Sessions Court, for abducting 15-year-old Mary McCann.

**Appointed by the President.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 18.—The President has appointed the following postmasters: Ermina I. Evans at Ashburnham, Massachusetts; G. H. Spall at Stratford, Connecticut; S. H. Polley at Osawattomie, Kansas.

**Petty Outrages in Ireland.**

DUBLIN, Oct. 18.—Reports from the West of Ireland state that the moonlighters are unusually active and many petty outrages are perpetrated, the criminals usually evading the police. A more serious issue is the murder of a man named Nolan, near Castlebar, County Mayo. His body was found on the roadside, bearing evidence of brutal violence. There is no clew to the perpetrators.

**A Catholic Church Burned.**

MANCHESTER, N. H., Oct. 18.—At midnight St. Mary's Church was discovered to be on fire and was soon a total loss. The loss on building and furniture is estimated at $9,000. Rev. Father Hevey lost $2,000 in rare vestments. The cause of the fire is unknown. The loss is partly covered by insurance.

**Miners' Wages Advanced.**

PITTSBURG, Pa., Oct 18.—W. L. Scott, the millionaire coal operator, has voluntarily given his miners in this vicinity an advance in wages of two cents per ton, beginning November 1st. The rise will affect about 2,000 miners.

## FIRESIDE FRAGMENTS.

—Gold Feather Cake: One and a half cups sugar beaten to a cream with half a cup of butter, half a cup of cold water, two cups of sifted flour, one and a half teaspoons of baking powder, three eggs. Flavor with one teaspoonful of lemon extract.—Boston Budget.

—Peach Float: Cut and sugar enough ripe peaches to cover well the bottom of a deep glass dish. Make a custard and thicken it a little with corn starch. Pour it over the peaches at once, so they will not turn. Cover with whipped cream when ready to serve. — Good Housekeeping.

—Irish Moss is prepared by soaking one ounce in a little water till soft, then boiling it with one pint of milk, and sweetening it to taste, giving it any flavor preferred by means of essences. It is now, we understand, little used, gelatine having superseded it.

—Cream Soda: Loaf sugar, one pound; water, one quart. Warm gradually. Good rich cream, one pint; extract vanilla, one-fifth ounce; tartaric acid, one-fourth ounce. Just bring to a boil. If corked too long it will crystalize. If you have no fountain use three or four teaspoonfuls and a little over one-fourth spoonful of soda to a glass.—Housekeeper.

**Will Join Dillon and O'Brien in Paris**

LONDON, Oct. 18.—Messrs. T. D. Sullivan, Timothy Harrington and T. P. O'Connor will join Messrs. Dillon and O'Brien in Paris and sail with them for America on the 25th inst.

**Will Not Receive Nationalists.**

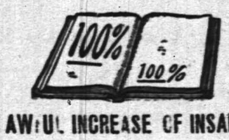
LONDON, Oct. 18.—The Standard's Rome despatch states on authority direct from the Vatican that the Pope would decline to receive Messrs. Dillon and O'Brien if they should visit Rome.

**Instantly Killed.**

NORRISTOWN, Pa., Oct., 18.—Thomas Slavin, a railroad employe, was struck by a train on the Philadelphia and Reading Railroad, near Mageetown, and instantly killed.

**Son of Admiral Case Drowned.**

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Oct. 18.—Augustus Case, a son of Admiral S. Ludlow Case, U. S. N., was drowned off Pappoose Point, at Bristol.


## AN AWFUL INCREASE OF INSANITY

The Record for 1890 is 100 Per Cent Greater Than for 1889.

**Are We Rushing on to a Niagara of Lunacy?**

Did you ever go into a lunatic asylum? Or hear the wild, demoniac shriek of the senseless mind? Or read the awful "tale of woe" in a madman's restless eye? Short of Dante's Inferno there is nothing so justly fearful as such a *place*, such a *sound*, *such a sight!*

And yet, think of it! In the city of New York—a city whose activities and responsibilities and *nerve consumption* are typical of the entire United States—in this great city the mortality from insanity for the first three months of 1890 was about 100 per cent. greater than in 1889.

*"What was the cause" do you ask? Never mind that just now. Let us look at the facts! The cause will soon enough appear then.*

Paresis, next to pneumonia, the greatest dread of the day, we are told by learned medical authorities is becoming rational, universal that it prevails most among self-made, moderately educated persons, that it is wasting and decay of the brain tissue, and that it is caused chiefly by the every day wear and tear of the roaring, rushing, frenzied, anxious to be quickly rich, ceaseless toil and struggle characteristic of American life!

We live on our *nerve!* When that is gone we are hurried into a lunatic asylum or plunge into the maddest method of the suicide! The *Nerve* is the life!

**Are you going crazy?**

**Is the mad Niagara's roar in your ear?**

**Have you groundless fears, hallucinations?**

**Do you look ahead with increasing fears?**

**Is your sleep restless?**

**Do you feel better as night comes on?**

**Are you moody and melancholy?**

**Do you weep easily and without cause?**

If you do, listen!! The awful cataract is ahead!

It is for you *now, today,* to say whether your mind will take its place with demons of dementia, in whose ears the only welcome music is the shriek of despair!

Do you shudder at such a *fate,* and would shun it, *get a new nerve!*—renewed vitality and power of nerve. That is the *only course* open to you! You must adopt it *promptly,* too, or it will be *fatally late!*

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# RELIGIOUS MATTERS.

## THE LORD DOES CARE.

"Casting all your care upon Him, for He careth for you."—I. Peter v., 7.

What can it mean? Is it ought to Him
That the nights are long and the days are dim?
Can He be touched by the griefs I bear,
Which sadden the heart and whiten the hair?

Around His throne are eternal calms,
And strong, glad music of happy psalms,
And bliss unruffled by any strife.
How can He care for my poor life?

And yet I want Him to care for me,
While I live in this world where the sorrows be
When the lights die down on the path I take;
When strength is feeble, and friends forsake;
When love and music that once did bless,
Have left to silence and loneliness;
And life-song changes to sobbing prayers—
Then my heart cries out for a God who cares.

When shadows hang o'er me the whole day long;
And my spirit is bowed with shame and wrong;
When I am not good, and the deeper shade
Of conscious sin makes my heart afraid;
And the busy world has too much to do
To stay in its course to help me through,
And I long for a Saviour—can it be
That the God of the Universe cares for me?

Oh, wonderful story of deathless love!
Each child is dear to that heart above;
He fights for me when I can not fight;
He comforts me in the gloom of night;
He lifts the burden, for He is strong;
He stills the sigh, and awakens the song;
The sorrow that bowed me down He bears,
And loves and pardons, because He cares.

Let all who are sad take heart again.
We are not alone in our hours of pain;
Our Father stoops from His throne above
To soothe and quiet us with His love.
He leaves us not when the storm is high,
And we have safety, for He is nigh.
Can it be trouble which He doth share?
Oh, rest in peace, for the Lord *does* care.
—The Christian.

## A CHRISTIAN EXAMPLE.

**Let Not the Hand of Sorrow and Affliction Ruffle Your Spirits.**

In no form does Christian example seem more attractive and win more honor to the Christian name and character than in patience under severe trial and suffering. It is one of the latest and fairest fruits of the Spirit. It can not be acquired by self-culture. Unsaved people are destitute of it, and are deeply impressed by the exhibition in others of a grace that they are unable to exercise themselves; in so-much that the manifestation of patience under sore trial and provocation is to them the most convincing proof of a genuine Christian character. When such people wish to know whether a man is a Christian they do not inquire what is his creed, or what are his professions, but if he endures the injuries and contradictions which they find it impossible to bear with serenity and patience. Nor are they satisfied with a placid and saintly deportment in prosperity. They must see how he bears himself in adversity, under injustice and unprovoked abuse, and if he endure these things with patience he is regarded as a follower of Christ in deed and in truth. And a healthy man can be patient and cheerful in prosperity, when he has few or no crosses and losses to bear; but touch him in his dearest earthly interests, bow him down under affliction, add to that insult and injury, and if he then maintains an unruffled, forbearing, forgiving spirit, and manifestly dwells in inward peace and quietness, there is no room for doubt or caviling. He who bears the ills of life patiently and clothes them with cheerfulness, furnishes the most conclusive proof of the power of the Christian religion to save and bless humanity.

Now it is the duty and privilege of every Christian to be just such a witness for Christ; to endure trial of every kind with Christ-like serenity and patience. By so enduring it he greatly weakens its force, and may even be happy in the midst of it; not, of course, on account of it or because of it, but in spite of it, and because of the sustaining grace of God. For He hath said: "As thy days, so shall thy strength be;" "My grace is sufficient for thee;" and "In Me ye shall have peace." It is not merely for its spectacular effect, or to furnish an exhibition to an unbelieving world of the saving, sustaining power of faith in Christ that Christian patience is divinely given. Another and equally important reason for patience is that it is necessary in order to receive the benefit from our trials which God intends they shall minister. "Ye have need of patience, that after ye have done the will of God ye might receive the promise." We are called to endure tribulations with patience, because much endurance yields a precious harvest of moral excelence, strength and purity. The great object of life, and the ultimate purpose of all our Heavenly Father's dispensations, is the development in us of a character fashioned after the model of the Lord Jesus Christ. This is indispensable to our greatest usefulness in time and blessedness in eternity, and requires a constant discipline of occasions—crosses, hardships, tribulations. It is in enduring these in the spirit of Christ, and by the help of grace which He imparts, that we attain to the spiritual symmetry of perfect manhood in Christ Jesus. Hence it is written: "Count it all joy when ye fall into divers temptations, knowing this, that the trial of your faith worketh patience; and let patience have her perfect work, that ye may be perfect and entire, wanting nothing."

This, then, the faithful Christian may believe without any shadow of doubt—and it is his greatest incentive to patience—that all hardships, injuries, sufferings, will be occasions for magnifying the grace of God in him, for developing in him that likeness to Christ, which is the supreme end of our earthly existence; will increase that treasure which is within and indestructible, and goes far toward making the true Christian superior to any outward calamity. Thus he will be enable to say with the apostle: "We glory in tribulation, knowing that tribulation worketh patience;" and "Our light affliction, which is but for a moment, worketh for us a far more exceeding and eternal weight of glory; . . . "For I reckon that the sufferings of this present time are not worthy to be compared with the glory that shall be revealed in us."—N. W. Christian Advocate.

## A BURDENED LIFE.

**The Pathetic Story of the "Elephant Man"—An Illustration of the Beauty of Christian Pity.**

The strange story of a poor man who recently died in England illustrates the beauty of Christian pity, and its power to alleviate human distress, even in its most repulsive forms.

The subject of this sketch was not one of that class so morally low that they never dare to "look themselves in the face," but a physical affliction made that phrase literally true to him. His personal deformity so separated him from his fellow-men that Job's sorrow must often have furnished him words: "They abhor me, they flee far from me. * * * I am a brother to dragons. * * * Wherefore is light given to him that is in misery, and life unto the bitter in soul."

By one of the "cruelties of nature" Joseph Merrick was born with an elephant's head; and yet, strange as it seems, this misshapen being had the gift of speech, was intelligent, learned to read and write, and grew to maturity. By whose care or under what circumstances he reached the full age of understanding and feeling, with such an intolerable affliction upon him, this is no place to inquire; but whatever sufferings he endured in childhood could bear no comparison with his later experience, when he met everywhere, and *could realize*, the neglect and aversion of mankind.

All homes and all employments were shut against him, and at last starvation drove him to hire himself to a London penny show. Here Dr. Frederick Treves found the "elephant man," spoke kindly to him, and undertook to arrange a home for him in the London Hospital. Neither this or any other hospital would receive him. With a pathos hardly to be matched, the poor creature begged that he might be put in a blind asylum.

The London police prohibited his exhibition by showmen, on the ground of public decency, and this took away his one means of support. His only alternative was to pick up his living like a wild beast.

After a few months, thanks to his friend, the doctor, Merrick's case reached the public through the Times. The Prince and Princess of Wales, Mrs. Kendall and Mr. Gladstone interested themselves in a subscription for his benefit, and with the money thus secured an apartment was built for him in a remote wing of the London Hospital.

Here, surrounded by books, flowers and gifts of kindness and taste, he passed between three and four years in privacy and comfort. The friends who had helped him came now and then to see him, and he sincerely loved them all, but best of all good Dr. Treves, the man who, as he said, gave him the first kind word he ever had in his life.

Many persons would think it little worth their while to develop the soul, or even to attend largely to the bodily comfort of a "freak;" but to the humane surgeon of London Hospital the charity of a quiet retreat, and even of mental, moral and religious culture to sweeten the solitude of poor, repulsive Joseph Merrick, was neither a useless task nor a sentimental notion.

The "elephant man" loved to read the hymns of Doctor Watts, and sometimes wrote verses himself, verses which occupied his time, and often—like the following lines—expressed the gratitude he felt:

I thank the pitying friends who cheered,
My days with kindness true,
When the rude world despised and feared,
And called me monster too.

I thank the sheltering walls that hide
In peace, unshamed, unknown,
This face so dire to others' sight,
And hateful to my own.

I thank the Lord, Whose eye of love
Can look from Heaven and see
A real human soul within
A hideous thing like me.

And soon this body loathed of men,
This life so hard to bear,
Will perish at His word—and then
His touch will make me fair.

Joseph Merrick died before he was quite twenty-eight years old. His life was long enough for the bearing of such a burden. And we can believe that his hope is fulfilled, and God's touch has made him fair.

They who shrink from unattractive objects of benevolence may well envy the joy of the benefactors who brightened and blessed the last days of one who was a human brother, though he scarcely wore the human form.—Youth's Companion.

## CHOICE EXTRACTS.

—Every duty we omit obscures some truth we should have known.—Faith and Works.

—The plan of salvation requires that the wicked must not only give up his way, but his thoughts also.—Ram's Horn.

—If, to-day, this world would but stop and edd its rebelion against God, whose every law is holy, just and good, what a world this would be.—The Advance.

—"Stir up the gift of God which is in thee," is Paul's exhortation to Timothy and all believers. If the many gifts of God to His people were properly used by them, the church would do far better service.—United Presbyterian.

—Any duty neglected prepares us for a new disobedience—any sin committed paves the way for fresh transgressions; but duties done and temptations resisted fit us for new victories in the fight of faith, and the greater advances in the heavenly course.—Christian Union.

—The moral character of Jesus is harmonious in all its parts. It is a miracle of celestial beauty, blending the innocence of the lamb with the dignity of God, sweet in its benevolence, and intense and strong in its aversion to sin, and without a blemish or a fault. It has in all ages commanded the universal tribute of human thought. The most arrogant infidelity forgets its sneer in the presence of this character.—N. Y. Independent

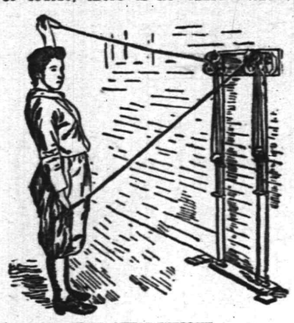
# THE HOUSEHOLD.

## MUSCLE TRAINING.

**Some Sensible Hints Concerning Gymnastic Exercises for Women.**

S long ago as 1860, Louisa M. Alcott wrote, in that serio-comic way of hers: "This amiable town is convulsed just now with a gymnastic fever, which shows itself with great violence in the schools and young societies generally. Dr. Lewis has 'inoculated us with the disease,' and it has 'taken finely;' for every one has become a perambulating wind-mill, with all its four sails going as if a wind had set in. The city fathers approve of it, and the city sons and daughters intend to show that Concord has as much muscle as brain. Abby, the Meg of 'Little Women, 'and I are among the pioneers."

Much the same interest is shown now, and so great is it and so widespread, that skeptical folk term it but a "fashionable fad." If it be a fad, it is the most sensible one that has yet arisen, and, unlike such fickle fancies, has come to stay and will not be blown aside by any newer thing that arises. What are its purposes, its benefits?—for, of course, there is no cause without



THE CHEST WEIGHT.

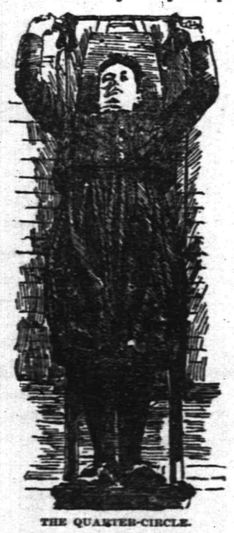
some good or bad effect, and no woman would take gymnastic exercise and heartily indorse it unless she was sure of some good in the end for the time and effort put forth.

Those who understand and have tested the grand results of gymnastic exercise divide the methods and apparatus used to attain the latter into heavy and light gymnastics. The ends reached by light gymnastics are not as tangible, not as plainly observed nor so soon, though of equal importance, as the results obtained by heavy gymnastics. Their value and application to daily life will be discussed in a succeeding article.

When a woman or young girl enters a gymnasium she undergoes a physical examination. Her heart and lungs are tested, her lifting capacity—that is, bodily strength—ascertained, all parts of her body measured and compared with a standard, questions put to her regarding any inherited or acquired disease, deformities or immature growths noted; in short, a thorough insight is obtained of her physical being. Very much as on entrance to mental work some knowledge must be gained by her instructor of her attainments in the three R's. This examination of her physical structure is submitted to the physician in attendance, and a line of exercise planned out based on her individual needs, discovered by her personal examination. Perfectness, as applied to the physical structure of women, is a lost quantity. And right here is where gymnastics are of the greatest value—to make perfect, or as nearly as can be, the unperfected frame.

Every gymnasium contains special pieces of apparatus, each designed to counteract and cure defects of the body. The main result is to promote symmetrical bodily development, but curved spines can be straightened, projecting shoulder-blades drawn down, advancing chins pulled back or uneven hips and shoulders corrected.

Suppose, then, your examination discloses the fact that you may have partly



THE QUARTER-CIRCLE.

known, that your lungs are not as strong as they should be, that you stoop a little, wear braces which are not a particle of use, and you learn that the upper part of your body is not as well proportioned as the lower. These are *common defects, so common* that ninety-nine per cent. of women can claim them.

The first thing in the gymnasium to be tried—for all can be overcome and cured—is that most useful of all pieces of apparatus—the chest weight. Its good results can never be numbered. Every muscle in the trunk of the body by its use can be called into action and made to perform its true service, which in the ordinary routine of life it fails to do. The course as laid out for use of the chest-weight is such that the chest broadens, the lungs grow stronger, the muscular force of the arm increases and the delicate, weak-lunged woman begins soon to feel the rich possession of health, an added force which permits her to lift, and an increase in flesh that at one time she deemed it impossible to acquire. Curvature of the spine is cured; kidneys and lungs have to do more active work to get rid of the waste products; the heart beats more vigorously in order to carry more blood to the tissues, and disease, lurking in various parts of the body, is sent to the right-about-face by the persistent use of the chest-weight.

Another machine, with which the gymnasium could not part, is the quarter-circle. Here, too, the chest is expanded, the breathing capacity of the lungs deepened. Every one stoops more or less, as their daily work pulls the shoulders over. To overcome this, the gymnasium has the quarter-circle exaggerating the backward position of both head and shoulders. For consumptively-inclined persons, no better advice could be given than a daily use of the quarter-circle. Lying flat on the machine, with it weighted to the amount prescribed by the directress, the pupil extends the arms over the head, pulls the weights down as far as the arms will allow, and repeats this as many times as instructed. For dyspeptics this exercise has proved beneficial, particularly in cases of stomach or intestinal dyspepsia.

The value of rowing as an exercise can never be told too many times. It reduces corpulency, produces perspiration, develops the arms and wrists, gives strength, color and fresh blood into the veins, in short does wonders to the body. And recognizing its worth, the rowing machine plays an important part in the well-equipped gymnasium. When time and place and weather will not permit of the actual oar being taken in hand, its substitute gives the same results.

For the pianist the gymnasium has the finger machine, a strengthener of the muscles she needs to span and slide over the keys of her instrument. The singer and elocutionist can improve the voice by another machine built especially for breathing, while for the worker who demands a wrist that never tires, there are the wrestling and wrist machines, which develop the muscles of the wrist principally, but reach in a measure nearly all the muscles of the body, legs and arms.

To be able to lift the weight of her own body is one of the conditions of a perfect physique in a woman. The appliances known as traveling-rings and flying-rings accomplish this and add dexterity and grace. The vaulting-bar gives these, too, to say nothing of an increase in courage, but at the same time, like the parallel-bars, strengthens the muscles of the legs, back and arms.

The appliances enumerated by no means complete the list, but are those

THE ROWING MACHINE.

in common use, and such as remedy common defects. But there is no limit to what can be done in benefitting the body by the use of gymnastic apparatus. The body, like the tree from the spring of life to its autumn, grows as bent. If not straight, strong and supple, it can be made so. Long years of experience has proved that exercise is requisite for the best health and the longest. If it can not be taken out of doors, it can in, by modern methods, and the gymnasium in its perfection of apparatus will give the same benefits.

Light gymnastics make a woman dexterous and nimble with her feet, her hands and her head. It helps a heavy, flesh-burdened woman to rid herself of superfluous avoirdupois, permitting her in time to move easier and more speedily. And courage is also added, for it requires some forgetfulness of that innate timidity and dread of criticism inherent in woman to attempt exercises with clubs, to jump across a vaulting-bar or to climb rope ladders hand over hand. It does a woman good to be taken out of herself, to forget how she looks; prepares her for great or trifling emergencies, gives her an exhilaration of spirit and a pleasure, which makes the exercise a delight and enables her to do more work with less weariness than before.

One bit of necessary advice. Follow all gymnastic exercises with a cold water bath, taken quickly. Cold water is the better; but to those not used to it, tepid water baths can be taken at first, gradually lessening the heat until the body accustoms itself to water of a lower temperature. Give the body a vigorous rub with a Turkish towel. Send the blood tingling from top to toe. All danger of cold is thus avoided, and the body reaps the highest benefits. With gymnastics, as with every thing else, care must be followed so far as moderation and proper treatment of the body is concerned after the exercise.—Ellen Le Garde, in Ladies' Home Journal.

**A New Antidote to Cholera.**

According to the British Medical Journal, M. Roux has tried to cultivate the cholera microbe of Koch in an infusion made from the refuse of malted barley left after extraction in the brewing of beer. It is a liquid in which nearly all other microbes grow well, except the one above mentioned. This not only will not thrive in it, but when immersed in it is quickly killed. He has therefore suggested to the Societe des Sciences Medicales, of Lyons, that the infusion might be of use in the treatment and prophylaxis of cholera.

## MISCELLANEOUS.

—A Benton Harbor man has a musket which used to kill Frenchmen 200 years ago, and a powder flask older by a century.

—It is estimated that the amount of gold in the world is about 613 cubic yards, and it would fit in a room twenty-four feet each way, if in a solid cube.

—In London, recently, a large collie dog saved a girl's life by seizing her dress and swinging her aside just as she was about being run down by a horse.

—The craze for passing floral tributes over the footlights to stage favorites seems to have reached its height at Boston recently. A minstrel performer received a life-size floral image of himself seated in a chair and playing the banjo.

—Some writer has said that the average number of hairs on the human scalp varies from 90,000 to 120,000. A single hair can support a weight of two ounces, and is so elastic that it may be stretched to one-third of its entire length and then regain its former size and condition.

—A remarkable proceeding is reported from Chicago, where a father, Jacob Lanfield, was arrested for not taking out a theatrical license for a little theater which his children ran in the cellar, charging five pins admission. He was arrested on a warrant sworn out by a policeman.

—The old light-house which stands at the entrance of New Haven harbor has been abandoned by the Government and orders have already been received for its destruction. It has been a familiar landmark for many years and was a favorite visiting place for New Haven people.

—Flounders replenish the ocean at a very rapid rate. In a season one flounder produces many millions of eggs, scattering them broadcast through the water. The sole produces 1,000,000 eggs, a plaice not less than 2,000,000, while a turbot has been credited with the deposition of 11,000,000 or 12,000,000 ova.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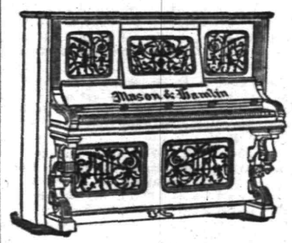

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Leave Plainfield 3 37, 5 24, 5 38, 6 29, 6 59, 7 26, 7 30, 7 58, 8, 8 15, 8 31, 8 37, 9 32, 10 05, 11 09, 11 39, A. M., 1 41, 2 07, 2 30, 3 12, 3 51, 5 08, 6 07, 6 54, 7 03, 8 31, 9 29, 10 12, 11 28 P. M. Sunday—3 37, 5 24, 8 01, 8 52, 11 02, 11 16 A. M., 12 33, 1 33, 3 30, 5 16, 7 01, 7 10, 8 23, 8 32, 10 02 P. M.

Leave New York from foot of Liberty Street, 4 30, 5 45, 7, 7 45, 8 45, 10, 11, A. M., 1, 2, 3 30, 3 45, 4, 4 30, 5, 5 15, 5 30, 5 45, 6, 6 15, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 8, 8 30, 9 15, 10, 11 30 P. M., 12 15, night. Sunday—4 30, 7, 8 30, 9, 9 30, A. M., 12 M., 1, 3 15, 4, 5 30, 6, 7, 9 00, 10 00 P. M., 12 15 night.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield 5 38, 6 29, 6 59, 7 30, 8, 8 37, 9 32, 10 05, 11 09, 11 39, A. M., 1, 2 07, 2 30, 3 12, 3 51, 5 08, 5 31, 6 07, 6 54, 7 03, 8 31, 10 12, 11 28 P. M. Sunday—8 01, 8 52, 11 02, 11 16, A. M., 12 33, 1 30, 3 30, 5 16, 7 01, 7 10, 8 23, 8 32, 10 02 P. M.

Leave Newark 5 10, 7 50, 8 55, 10 10, 11 05 A. M., 1 05, 1 35, 2 50, 3 40, 4 02, 4 35, 5 05, 5 30, 5 55, 6 15, 7 15, 7 35, 8 20, 9 35, 11 45 P. M. Sunday—7 20, 8 40, 9 05, 9 50, A. M., 12 05, 1 10, 4 10, 5 40, 6 05, 7 05, 9 25, 10 30 P. M.

Passengers for Newark change cars at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7, 8 07, 9 42, 11, 11 58 A. M., 1 52, 2 32, 3 45, 4 34, 5 20, 5 38, 6 30, 6 38, 7 10, 8 17, 8 34, 8 20, 9 43, 11 13, 12 43 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 13, 9 48, A. M., 2 03, 2 30, 5 14, 6 35, 10 15, 11 14 P. M.

Leave Somerville, 6, 6 30, 7 03, 7 25, 7 53, 7 48, 9 05, 9 47, 11 15 A. M., 12 35, 1 15, 1 48, 2 05, 3 2, 4 40, 5 12, 5 35, 8 05, 8 50, 11 05, P. M. Sunday—8 25, 10 35 A. M., 12 08, 105, 4 50, 6 40, 8 03, 8 35, 9 30 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7, 8 07, 9 42, A. M., 1 59, 4 34, 5 20 6 38, 8 20 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 13 A. M., 2 03, 4 35 P. M.

Leave Easton 6 05, 8 44, 10 A. M., 12 32, 4 00, 6 49 P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 02, A. M., 6 40, 7 30 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 9 42 A. M., 5 20 P. M.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.
LEAVE PLAINFIELD.

5 45 A. M. for Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

7 A. M. for High Bridge Branch and Easton.

8 07 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 42 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, D L & W R R, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Nanticoke, Drifton, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c.

1 59 P. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, &c.

4 34 P. M. for D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

5 20 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch Schooley's Mountain, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, &c.

6 20 P. M. for Flemington.

6 38 P. M. for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg.

9 20 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8 14 a. m. Sundays for High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, &c., 2 05 p. m. Sundays for High Bridge Branch Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua and Pottsville. 6 35 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m. 1 p. m.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c.

Leave Plainfield 3 37, 8, 11 09, a. m., 2 51, 5 31 p. m. Sundays—(except Ocean Grove) 8 52, a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 38, 8, 10 05, 11 09 a. m., 1, 3 51, 5 31, 7 03 p. m. Sunday—8 52 a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8, 10 05 a. m., 1, 3 51, 5 31, p. m.

ROUND BROOK ROUTE.

Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia, 1 37, 6 45, 8 29, 9 48, 11 58 a. m., 1 59, 3 32, 4 08, 5 34, 6 30, 6 38, 7 10, 8 17, 8 34, 8 20, p. m. Sundays—1 17, 9 48, a. m., 2 30, 4 06, 5 14, 6 55 p. m.

For Baltimore and Washington at 1 37, 9 48, 11 58, a. m., 2 45, 4 08, 5 34, p. m. Sundays—1 17, 9 48 a. m., 2 47, 4 08, 5 14 p. m.

RETURNING—LEAVE PHILADELPHIA.

Ninth and Green streets, 7 20, 8 30, 9 30, 11 05 a. m., 12 45, 1 30, 3 15, 5 15, 6 15, 8 02, 8 45, 12 p. m. Sundays—9 a. m., 12 00, 3 10, 5 15, 6 10, 8, 12 p. m.

From 24th and Chestnut—8 10, 8 20, 12 08, a. m. 12 52, 3 20, 6 18, 8 05, p. m. Sundays—3 10, 9 35 a. m., 12 52, 3 20, 6 18, 8 05 p. m.

Leave Trenton, Warren and Tucker sts., 1 30, 4 00, 7, 8, 9, 10, 10 10, 11 55 a. m. 1 20, 2 10, 3 40, 5 55, 6 30, 8 47, 10 p. m. Sundays—1 30, 4 00, 9 55 a. m., 1 20, 4, 5 55, 7, 8 47 p. m.

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## ARRESTING ITALIANS

### New Orleans Citizens Bound to Break Up the Mafia.

### SEVERAL SUSPECTS IN JAIL.

Threatening Letters Received by the Man Who Identified the Criminals.

He Appeals to the Mayor for Protection. The Whole Police Force Actively at Work—An Important Arrest Made—It is Believed That the Man Who Fired the Gun Has Been Captured.

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 20.—The Citizens' Committee of Fifty met last night in the Council chamber. Very little is known of the action taken beyond the fact that the public is called on to subscribe a fund to assist the committee in its work of ferreting out the instigators of the Hennessy assassination and breaking up the Mafia.

While the committee was in session P. L. Peeler, who identified Scaffido, Bagnetto and Incanardo as the Italians who fired the shots that killed Chief Hennessy, called on Mayor Shakespeare and asked for protection, stating that he had received a number of threatening letters and that his life was in danger. He lives near the corner where the shooting occurred.

The tickets for the benefit of Andy Boyen, the fighter, are said to be stamped with Mafia symbols. He will be called on to explain by the police. The whole force are actively at work, and have to-day arrested twenty-seven more suspects, one of whom is said to have been of the party that did the killing.

The Italians that have been arrested are among the most ignorant, sullen and treacherous of their race and concealed upon the person of every one of them was found dangerous weapons of some kind. They seem to understand the laws thoroughly regarding the right of the authorities to hold them on suspicion and are indifferent and refuse to say anything at all. It is plain to see that they have been well drilled by more cunning heads and have undoubtedly been informed that if they keep their mouth closed no evidence can be secured against them.

An important arrest was made last night in the person of Manuel Polatek. The police claim to have positive information that he fired the gun that did such fatal execution on the night of the murder. The assassin who fired the gun at the discharge of which Hennessey fell, stumbled as he ran off and came in contact with the gutter curbing. Polatek's right ear is badly mangled, as by a fall, and his arm is seriously bruised. Officer Cooper, who pursued the assassins some distance, positively identifies Polatek as the man who fell down while running away.

### JUSTIN'S DYNAMITE SHELL.

Another Attempt Will Be Made to Fire It from a High Powered Gun.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Oct. 20.—The new gun for Dr. Joel Justin's dynamite experiment has arrived from Boston and is being placed in position in the Perryville gorge. Weather permitting, the trial of Dr. Justin's shell in the gun will be held week after next.

An experimental shell has been made to be fired from the gun. This shell has been fitted with a mechanical contrivance which, when the shell is fired from the gun, will measure and record the exact temperature within the shell, the amount of cushioning and the resistance of the inner shell.

An earth butt, ten feet high, six feet wide and thirty feet deep, with a backing of four feet of logs held in place by long piles firmly driven into the ground, has been erected thirty yards from the mouth of the gun, and into this barricade the experimental shell will be fired. It is expected by this means to determine the exact condition of the shell when it leaves the gun and strikes the target.

As a safeguard against all possible accidents Dr. Justin has surrounded the gun with a banking of solid earth many feet in thickness.

A large number of military experts will be present at the trial.

### Conley Awarded the Fight.

DALLAS, Tex., Oct. 20.—A fight took place in the rink between Mike Conley of New York and Dick Sullivan of Colorado, which was witnessed by 1,000 persons. The fight was for a purse of $1,250. In the first round Sullivan fouled Conley and the referee gave Conley the fight, but the latter said he was willing to go on. In the second round Sullivan repeated the offense and the referee awarded the contest to Conley. Sullivan's backers lost heavily. Frank Vaquelin of New Orleans will challenge Conley.

### Struck by Lightning.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Oct. 20.—Several unusually heavy rain and electrical storms occurred here yesterday, during one of which the public library building was struck by lightning, tearing off a quantity of the roofing. Reports of heavy rain and thunder storms are received from Waterbury and other points in the State. The house of Thomas Derwin, at Brooklyn, Conn., was struck by lightning and the occupants severely shocked.

### A Veteran Editor Dies Suddenly.

DENVER, Col., Oct. 20.—Captain L. W. Cutter, editor and proprietor of the Field and Farm of this city, died suddenly at Salida, Col., yesterday. He was born in Genesee county, N. Y., in 1828. He was at one time associate editor with Horace Greeley on the New York Tribune, and served in that capacity for several years. He was a veteran of the Mexican war and came here in 1860.

### POLITICAL EXCITEMENT.

The Situation in South Carolina Very Bitter Over the Race Question.

CHARLESTON, S. C., Oct. 20.—The situation in South Carolina, from a political standpoint, is decidedly peculiar. Everybody is talking politics, and the people are wrought up to a high pitch of excitement. The excitement is confined to no class nor to any particular section of the State. It is general throughout the whole State and affects both races.

The few days now remaining before the general election in November bid fair to be days well filled with bitterness and even bloodshed. The leaders of the opposing factions are hard at work, and neither side will leave a single stone unturned to insure victory.

There are many who regret that such a state of things has come, but on the other hand there are others who welcome the breaking of old party lines. All recognize the fact that the negro vote will be used, and many admit that the negro will be the deciding factor in the fight between the whites.

A great many bewail this recognition of the negroes' right to vote, and declare that the result will be that in the next four years the blacks will have control of the State. The other side retort that it is the part of wisdom to recognize the fact that the negro vote cannot be suppressed much longer, and to take charge of it now and get control of it. They say that recognition of the negro vote is but a question of time, and that, too, of a very short time, and that if they did not use it their opponents would use it two years hence to keep themselves in office.

### COLLISION ON THE RAIL.

A Baggage Master Prevents Great Loss of Life on the Lake Shore Road.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Oct. 20.—A Lake Shore freight train, loaded with cattle going east, broke in two on a heavy grade three miles east of Silver Creek in the morning. The rear section started backward and crashed into another freight loaded with beef going east, smashing several cars and killing a large number of cattle, and throwing two cars in the path of the fast limited express, which collided with the obstruction, smashing the engine and baggage cars, and tearing the side out of two coaches.

No one was killed, and but one was injured—a lady passenger, who had two ribs broken. Both tracks were blocked for some time. The baggage master saw the obstruction and notified the passengers to get on the other side of the car, thereby preventing great loss of life.

### An Old Painting.

DETROIT, Mich., Oct. 20.—Dean Wagner of Windsor is exhibiting a painting at the Windsor exhibition which was sent him recently at the dying request of the Mother Superior of the Ursuline Convent at Prague, Austria, and which is believed to have a very interesting history to art connoisseurs. The painting is "The Crucifixion." The heavy coloring has become somewhat faded and shows signs of great age. The Dean believed his painting to be from the hands of one of the old masters and was supported in his views by several local artists. It has just been ascertained that the picture is without doubt one that has been searched for vainly for over 200 years. It is reasonably certain now that it is "The Crucifixion" painted by Hans Memmling early in the fifteenth century, and from which the celebrated Van Dyke copy was made.

### Believed to Have Been Murdered.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Oct. 20.—It now looks as William B. Hakes, who died near Holly on Saturday, was murdered. He was known to have had $120 in his pocketbook on Friday night. He slept alone. On Saturday morning the hired man found the back door of the house forced open and the contents of Hakes' pockets strewn about the floor, with the pocketbook empty and the money missing. It is supposed that Hakes was chloroformed, as there were no marks of violence on his body. An inquest is in progress.

### An Old Law Put in Force.

BALTIMORE, Md., Oct. 20.—A great crowd of the best German citizens were last night excited and very indignant over the action of the police in stopping the lecture which was to have been given at German Mannerchor Hall by Arthur Koebner, of New York. For some reason an old law was resurrected yesterday and last night the authorities stated that no entertainment of any sort, for which an admission price was demanded, could take place in Baltimore on Sunday if any one should object thereto. The crowd denounced the decision and the authorities. The statute has been practically dead so long that even the District-Attorney knew not of its existence until yesterday.

### Compelled to Close the Schools.

KINGSTON, N. Y., Oct. 20.—The public schools at Orford, Blooming Grove and other villages in that section of Orange County have been closed owing to the prevalence of a malignant type of diphtheria.

## WASHINGTON TOPICS

### Guarding Against Fire in the White House.

### EXTRAORDINARY PRECAUTIONS.

The Repairs to the Building Exposed Its Tinder-Like Condition.

Department Clerks Preparing to Go Home to Vote—The Postmaster-General's Annual Report—Admiral Porter's Condition—He Passed a Restless Night—A Big Week for Horsemen.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 20.—Considerable anxiety has been caused of late to government officials and others who visit the White House daily in regard to the possible danger of fire to the historic old structure and its occupants arising from the placing of electric light wires throughout the building. The recent renovations and repairs to the building have disclosed more than ever the tinder like condition of the entire structure.

There is not a joist or timber comprising a vital point in the structure which is not half rotten and decayed and highly inflammable. The space between the ceiling of the rooms and the floor of the rooms above is filled with half decayed timbers and a stratum of fine dust, which would act like a train of powder in communicating a flame from room to room with lightning-like rapidity. Between the ceilings of the upper floor and the roof of the house is a space three feet high, something like an attic, where the joists and timbers are exposed, and being very difficult of access, a fire could get a start here sufficient to make the destruction of the building a certainty.

Workmen have about completed the placing in position of the wires which will furnish electric light to the mansion. Each wire has been insulated with rubber, not a naked wire will be strung and extraordinary precaution has been exercised that no wire should cross another; but even then a fire is not out of the range of possibilities where an electric wire comes in proximity to inflammable matter.

### WILL GO HOME TO VOTE.

Department Clerks Preparing to Cast Their Ballots at the Coming Election.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 20.—There has been great political activity among Department clerks here for the past twelve months, and the probability is that four or five thousand of them will go home to vote at the coming elections. A score or more of State associations have been organized and their members will probably go home en masse to vote.

Never was greater activity and energy put forth in getting every qualified voter home for the November elections, and the exodus promises to be something unusual. Thousands of votes will be polled in distant States, that have not been cast before in years. So great does this exodus promise to be, that the railroads have reduced the rates for one round trip to a half fare rate to all points East of New York and West of Chicago; these rates being allowed only to voters holding certificates of membership in some State association.

Maryland being close to the National Capitol will probably attract the largest number of visitors of her native sons and voters on election day. Five hundred members of the Maryland State Association promise to go home and vote. The New York State Association promises to send 600; Pennsylvania, 500; Ohio, 300; Virginia, 500, and other States proportionately as well.

### The Washington Races.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 20.—Nothing but good weather is needed to insure eight days of good sport at the fall meeting of the Washington Jockey Club at Benning's, which opens to-morrow. About 200 horses have already arrived, representing the best stables in the country. There will be little surplus stock on the ground, as all the horses are here to race. The club has arranged a good programme of five or six races each day, with a steeplechase race every other day. Massilon, of Blunt's stable, became lame at his work Saturday and very probably will not be started this meeting.

### Admiral Porter's Condition.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 20.—The condition of Admiral Porter was not so favorable to-day. He was very restless last night and did not secure much sound sleep. His physician says there is no immediate danger of death.

### The Engineers' Convention.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Oct. 20.—One of the grand officers of the locomotive engineers said that either Minneapolis or Atlanta, Ga., will be selected as the place for holding the next annual convention.


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### CAPTIVATED BY A BIGAMIST.

Mr. Crawford and His Matrimonial Adventures in Two States.

KINGSTON, N. Y., Oct. 20.—Harry Mortimer Crawford, 38 years old, a man of pleasing address, has been indicted for bigamy, and was arraigned for trial to-day. Crawford came to Port Ewen, near this city, about a year ago. By his engaging manners he soon gained the confidence of leading citizens in that village and captivated some of the belles of the town. Among them was Miss Lena Dubois, an attractive young woman.

Contrary to the wishes of her parents Miss Dubois after short acquaintance was married to Crawford. He secured a position with S. Staples & Co., cracker bakers, of Rondout, as a traveling salesman. He was not long in commanding a good trade and a corresponding increase of salary. All went smoothly until a week ago, when a woman appeared upon the scene and claimed to be Crawford's wife. She hailed from Newark and said her maiden name was Laura A. Lane and that she was married to Crawford three years ago. In less than a year he became involved in a crooked transaction and was forced to leave New Jersey.

From Newark Crawford went to Newburg, where he became engaged to an estimable young lady who was only saved from him by her brother, who wrote to Newark and learned Crawford's true character. Crawford suddenly left Newburg. His present arrest came about in a peculiar way. He made application for membership in an Odd Fellows' lodge of Rondout. Some of the members, being suspicious, instructed the secretary to communicate with persons in Newark, where Crawford alleged that he had been a member of the order. Miss Lane had an uncle who was an Odd Fellow, and thus Crawford's whereabouts were learned. Sensational developments are expected at the trial.

### MISSING SINCE THE FIRE.

M. H. Hartwell Supposed to Have Perished at Syracuse.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Oct. 20.—Mrs. M. H. Hartwell, of Westchester County, N. Y., is in this city looking for her husband, M. H. Hartwell, who was a guest at the hotel on the night of the fire. Mrs. Hartwell came here Wednesday night to meet her husband, who intended to finish a trip here, and they were to go home together.

She was stopping here with a friend on Harrison street, where her husband visited her on Wednesday evening. He was slightly under the influence of liquor, and so she persuaded him to return to the Leland Hotel for the night. That was the night of the fire, and Mrs. Hartwell has not seen or heard from him since. Hartwell traveled for a Providence, R. I., firm.

### Morgan and the Widow Missing.

SYRACUSE, Oct. 20.—Charles C. Morgan, son of the late Gen. Morgan, and Mrs. William Emerick, a pretty grass widow, are missing from the village of Elbridge, in this county. It is believed that they have eloped. Morgan is the nephew of Gen. Slocum, and Mrs. Emerick is his sister-in-law. The two were together very much and were very affectionate. Morgan is a graduate of West Point. He married nine years ago and leaves his wife destitute. Morgan and Mrs. Emerick left town together ostensibly to visit relatives in Auburn, and have not been heard from since.

### Sunday School Children Parade.

NEW YORK, Oct. 20.—A parade of Catholic Sunday school children took place in Brooklyn in honor of the jubilee of Bishop Loughlin. Over 22,000 children turned out and marched past the episcopal residence, where they were reviewed by the Bishop, Cardinal Gibbons, the visiting bishops and clergy and many prominent citizens. There were no bands of music, but the children sang hymns as they passed the bishop. They were two hours in passing the stand.

### Denounced Mrs. Frank Leslie.

CHICAGO, Oct. 20.—The Socialists held a big meeting last evening, the feature of the day being a lecture by Mrs. Woodman denouncing Mrs. Frank Leslie, who was reported in an interview last week as stating that "the Socialists should be shot down like dogs." The Socialists passed resolutions denouncing the world in general and Mrs. Leslie in particular. Mrs. Leslie is credited by the Socialists with being the mouthpiece of the New York's Four Hundred and representative of the plutocracy of the east.

### Fire in a Telegraph Office.

BOSTON, Oct. 20.—About 6 o'clock last evening an electric light wire became crossed with a Western Union Telegraph wire, causing a burning out of the wires running from the tower to the switchboard in the operating room. The wood work of the tower caught fire, but the flames were put out without damage. The loss of the wires completely isolated the Boston office and communication was not restored until after 10 o'clock, when one or two wires to New York were obtained.

### Became Suddenly Insane.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Oct. 20.—Mrs. John S. Miller, wife of a Grand avenue saloon keeper, became suddenly insane while entertaining company at her home. She secured a pistol, and before any one discovered her condition, began firing at her husband and the company. She fired four shots, but fortunately hit no one. She then turned the weapon on herself and sent a bullet through her brain.

### A Boy Commits Suicide.

NEW YORK, Oct. 20.—Preston Turple, a youth 14 years of age, committed suicide by hanging himself in his father's house. He was an inveterate reader of dime novels, and it is supposed that his mind had become affected.

## LATE NEWS BY CABLE

### An Appeal to the Men of Tipperary for Assistance.

### LABOR TROUBLES IN SYDNEY.

The Employers Tell Why They Will Not Confer With the Strikers.

Nationalists Hold a Big Meeting in Ireland—An Invitation to David Dudley Field—Several Persons Drowned in Italy—Liberals and Socialists Carry the Elections in Belgium.

DUBLIN, Oct. 20.—A printed appeal, signed by Father Humphreys and other clergymen, has been posted in Tipperary, addressed to the "Men of Tipperary, the heart and pulse of the nation and the centre of Ireland's hope," calling upon them to give generously next Sunday to show America that they are not asking help for men unwilling to help themselves.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Oct. 20.—A large and enthusiastic meeting was held during the afternoon under the auspices of Branch 403 of the Irish National League, at which encouraging reports were submitted by the committees appointed to solicit subscriptions for suffering Ireland. It is predicted that a large amount will be turned over to Messrs. Dillon and O'Brien when they visit Buffalo.

### LABOR TROUBLES IN SYDNEY.

The Employers Tell Why They Will Not Confer With the Strikers.

SYDNEY, N. S. W., Oct. 20.—The employers' representatives have written a letter to the Lieutenant-Governor, who sought to arrange a conference between the employers and the strikers, in which they decline to meet the strikers.

They say the strikers broke their agreement and coerced the free men, to whom the employers owe a debt of gratitude, but, while refusing to dispense with the free men, as the unionists demand, they express a willingness to forget bygones and to receive the strikers back on the terms in vogue before the strike in order to restore the commerce of the colony. This offer involves no animosity toward the men's unions, the employers themselves having unions. Being convinced that the strikers made an unhappy mistake the majority are willing to resume work. The letter asks the Governor's influence to settle matters.

### The Boulanger Funds Exhausted.

PARIS, Oct. 20.—M. Naquet, a former lieutenant of General Boulanger, publicly states that the resources of the Boulangist party have become exhausted through the extravagance of the General. The Royalists who were secretely supporting the Boulangist movement, collected a fund amounting to 5,000,000 francs, which it was their intention should be devoted to secure the election of Boulangist candidates for the Chamber of Deputies—one half of the fund, according to M. Naquet, was contributed by the Count of Paris. Of the whole amount given by the Royalists, the Boulangist party secured only 1,300,000 francs, the remainder being diverted by Gen. Boulanger from the uses to which the subscribers meant it should be devoted.

### Balfour's Newcastle Speeches.

LONDON, Oct. 20.—Mr. Balfour's speeches at Newcastle have disappointed a section of the Conservatives, who hoped that the secretary would throw over Colonel Caddell and admit that the police of Tipperary exceeded their duty in attacking the members of Parliament. His refusal to make scapegoats of the police has, however, pleased the out-and-out Tories, who form the bulk of the government's supporters.

### City Employes Strike.

VIENNA, Oct. 20.—The employes of the tramways of this city are out on strike. The service is entirely suspended. The conductors struck for an increase of wages, and the other employes quit work in order to support the demand. The police are in possession of the tramway premises, and troops are under arms in the barracks, ready to act in case of public disturbance.

### Big Meeting of Nationalists.

LONDON, Oct. 20.—The Nationalists held an enormous meeting near Waterford, Ireland. Bands and banners were numerous, and much enthusiasm was displayed. Several members of Parliament were among the speakers. The police were out in force, but contented themselves with watching the proceedings and taking copious notes of what was said.

### David Dudley Field Invited to Speak.

LONDON, Oct. 20.—A committee of leading "fair-traders," who believe in tariff retaliation as a national policy, have asked Mr. David Dudley Field to deliver an address next month on the subject of customs reprisals. The "fair-traders" are making many converts as a result of the McKinley tariff and its effects upon British exports.

### Ordered to Make War.

LONDON, Oct. 20.—The British Admiral at Zanzibar has been ordered to destroy Vitu, and make unsparing war on the inhabitants, unless all the murderers of the German traders are surrendered, to be turned over to the Germans for punishment.

### Several Were Drowned.

ROME, Oct. 20.—The fears that an Italian torpedo boat had been lost while on a trip from Naples to Spezza have been realized. It is learned that the boiler of the boat burst, causing the vessel to founder. Three officers and fifteen sailors were drowned.

### THE BASEBALL SITUATION.

Everybody Scheming, but Nothing Definite Arrived at as Yet.

NEW YORK, Oct. 20.—While friendly relations exist between the National League and the Players' League, the difficulty is by no means settled. They have met and talked matters over and, in fact, each organization has committees at work trying to arrive at an agreement which will prove satisfactory to all concerned.

Postmaster Cornelius Van Cott, the president of the New York Players' League Club, said that something would have to be done, but, owing to the pressure of his official business he had left the whole matter in the hands of Messrs. Talcott and McAlpin, his associates in the club. He said that this matter had only been talked over in a general way, but no matter what conclusion they arrived at the players would surely be protected.

J. Earl Wagener, of the Philadelphia Players' League Club, was in this city yesterday accompanied by Mr. Francis Richter, the editor of Sporting Life. Mr. Wagener said that the Brotherhood people would make a firm stand, and that the Players' League would be in existence next season even if they would have to drop the New York Club. It was his opinion that the only sign of weakening was in this city, and he expressed surprise at the action of Mr. Talcott and his associates.

Mr. Talcott refused to talk upon the subject further than to state that there would be a special meeting of the Players' League Club at the Fifth Avenue Hotel to-morrow, when the matter would be fully discussed, and then those concerned would have a far better idea of the situation. Buck Ewing, who was also present, seemed to be of the opinion that a compromise of some sort was absolutely necessary, and that it would at least be no harm to hear what the National League people had to say in the matter, even if nothing was accomplished. His idea is to have a prominent player of each one of the clubs present at the conference.

### King of the Stallions.

RICHMOND, Ind., Oct. 20.—Nelson goes from here to his Pine Tree State home to-night to rest the remainder of the season, without lowering his record as the king of the trotting stallions of the world, but the horsemen who saw him get his mark of 2:11¼ at Terre Haute, say his mile Saturday was the greatest feat, considering the conditions, as he went while the wind was blowing a regular hurricane. He made the quarters as follows: first, 0:32½; second, 1:08; third, 1:45; fourth, 2:14¼. Some horsemen declare it equal to 2:09 under favorable circumstances, and Nelson's owner thinks it equal to 2:10.

### Requested Their Pastor to Resign.

BOSTON, Oct. 20.—Rev. Dr. Emery J. Haynes, the well known Baptist pastor of Tremont Temple, has resigned at the request of the trustees. The trustees objected to the doctor's course in giving so much of his time to literary work, to his "unclerical behavior, possessing and driving a span of horses noted for their speed," to his leaning toward Unitarianism and to his entering in a speculation which nearly bankrupted him.

### Unconstitutional and Inoperative.

CEDAR RAPIDS, Iowa, Oct. 20.—Judge John F. Stoneman of the Superior Court of this city, has rendered a decision in three liquor cases brought under the Iowa prohibitory statute, amounting to a declaration that the Iowa statute is unconstitutional and inoperative.

### Shot His Sister by Accident.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Oct. 20.—While shooting at a mark at Waterloo yesterday William Leslie, the eight-year-old son of Norman Leslie, shot his six-year-old sister just below the heart. She is expected to die. The boy was using a small rifle.

### Jewish Students Become Christians.

ODESSA, Oct. 20.—Two hundred Jewish students in this city have renounced the Jewish faith and become Christians to avoid expulsion from their universities in accordance with the enforcement of the anti-Jewish law.

### Failure in the Glass Trade.

MIDDLETOWN, N. Y., Oct. 20.—Samuel Wickham, proprietor of the Middletown glass works, has made an assignment, Liabilities, $23,000, with assets about the same.

### NEWS OF THE DAY.

Semi-official papers in Rome deny that the Italian Minister at Washington has been recalled for selling decorations.

Washouts are reported from several points along the Massachusetts coast. The wind blew forty miles an hour there yesterday.

The lace manufacturers of Calais reopened their factories to-day. It is doubtful whether the employes will resume work until the wages dispute has been settled.

Peekskill and Sing Sing, N. Y., are jubilant at being classed by the Census Bureau as cities. The former has 10,026 and the latter 10,060 inhabitants. They will ask for city charters from the next Legislature.

The deposed body of Mrs. Sophie Stahl, of Peoria, Ill., 64 years old, was found in her home yesterday. The woman lived alone and had been dead five days. Her only relatives are two brothers, living in Syracuse, N. Y. A Coroner's inquest will be held.

The ministers of Elizabeth, N. J., have again begun a crusade against race tracks. A circular signed by Bishop Scarboro, Dr. McCosh, of Princeton; Dr. Gale, of Rutgers; and 200 other clergymen was read in all the churches yesterday.

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## BY THE WAY.

—The Young Stars, a juvenile base ball team, defeated the Cuban Giants, Jr., by a score of 9 to 0.

—W. D. Murray will meet his class as usual at the Young Men's Christian Association rooms to-night.

—Wm. M. Stout will pay a suitable reward for the return of his bull terrier pup, *lost from his home at 169 East Front street.*

—Carpets made and lined free of charge for the balance of this month with a big lot of new Fall styles to select from at Edsall's.

—The Leal foot-ball team will play against the Pingry boys of Elizabeth, by whom they were defeated Saturday, in this city Nov. 1.

—At Amphion Hall, to-night, Leonzo Brothers, with their dramatic company and performing dogs, may be seen in their romantic drama, "Brother against Brother."

—Classes in mechanical drawing will begin work at the Young Men's Christian Association rooms to-morrow evening. Full information will be given at the rooms.

—The trial to be held under the auspices of the Young Mens Auxiliary of the Young Men's Christian Association, will take place to-night instead of to-morrow evening.

—The Gesang & Turn Verein fair will be continued this and to-morrow evening, and the goods left over will be auctioned off. There will also be dancing each evening.

—The picture for the benefit of an exempt firemen at A. Titsworth's store, will be drawn for on Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Tickets can be had at 28 North avenue.

—The clerks association will hold an important meeting at the rooms of the Jr. O. U. A. M., Front street and Park avenue, to-morrow evening, by order of the President, Jeremiah Moore.

—Wetumpka Commandery, No. 54, Knights of Honor, will meet in Wetumpka Lodge rooms, Wednesday evening. Members of the order initiated at this meeting will be enrolled as charter members.

—The *Temperance Gazette* says the Prohibition Executive Committee of Somerset County has secured the famous "Joe" English to speak in Somerville, Bound Brook, Raritan, North Plainfield, Martinville and Neshanic during the campaign.

—Margaret Mather will appear at Music Hall, this evening, as *Juliet*. Her representations of the daughter of the Capulets have passed through 2,700 performances, and been given 100 consecutive nights in New York, a feat which was never before performed by an actress. Her leading support, Otis Skinner, is a protege of Edwin Booth, and besides supporting that tragedian was for six years a favorite with Daly's combination.

## WATCH, BONDS AND MONEY MISSING.

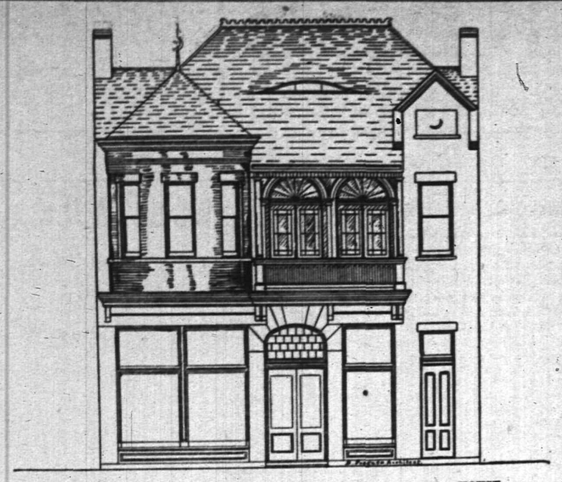
**A Plainfielder Has an Interesting Experience, and Reports a $5,000 Robbery to the Police.**

A well-known citizen whose home is in a fashionable part of the city, and who is now keeping bachelor's hall because his family is out of town, was taken ill, a few days ago, and hired a man who gave the name of Bill Farley to take care of him. William was to give medicine to the patient, at stated hours, and the sick man loaned him a handsome watch to time the doses. Presently the one gentleman fell asleep, and while he slumbered the other gentleman, William, absented himself. The patient awoke, after a refreshing nap of several hours, and found himself neglected and deserted. There was no watcher by his bedside, and the valuable watch, too, was gone with the nurse. Investigation showed that bonds and notes on which nearly $5,000 could be collected were also missing, besides from $80 to $90 in cash. The first act of the sick man was to declare himself well; his next was to send word to New York to have payment on the missing papers stopped. Then he went on the trail of his erewhile nurse, and found that he had been spending the hours in pool playing, drinking and other riotous living, in a place on East Front street. He had parted company with the watch, and the ex-invalid had him and a companion named Gray arrested. The two were given a hearing before City Judge Codington Sunday morning, and as there was no criminating evidence against either both were discharged. It was shown that the watch was taken from Farley "for safe keeping," and that he had not tried to dispose of it unlawfully. There was nothing to show that he had taken the other missing property.

**Backsliding.**

*(From the Westfield Standard.)*

A Plainfield man who gave up drinking, and joined the Plainfield Reform Club, and mixed with men of the church, and became President of the Plainfield Reform Club, and fought in that relation, not only the saloon but his appetite for liquor, now, after having fallen back again, charges the men of the church who vote saloon license tickets with being the principal stumbling block in the way of Reform. Is the Christian man who votes to legalize the saloon a modern Cain?



THE PLAINFIELD CRESCENT LEAGUE'S NEW CLUB HOUSE.

## TO COST ABOUT $6,000.

**A Handsome Home to Rise From the Ashes of the Old.**

The new club house of the Plainfield Crescent League, the front of which, as outlined in the plans of the architect, pictured above, is to be one of the handsomest and most complete buildings of its kind in the State of New Jersey. The plans were only fully completed Saturday, yet THE PRESS gives a picture and a description of it all today.

The exterior is to be 31 feet front by 99 feet deep. The full height of the front will be 38 feet. A general entrance from Second street will be constructed at the centre of the building, and a private entrance will also be provided, as shown in the cut. At the second story will be two towers—one, at the left corner, round; the other at the right corner, square. Between the two will be a spacious balcony.

The material of the front will be Martinville stone, mounted by a French roof. A marble slab at the apex of the square tower will contain a crescent, the club symbol, and the round tower will be surmounted by a crescent finial.

The balcony will be approached by two pair of double glass doors, with circular colored-light transoms above.

The first floor will contain one clear story with not a column in it, and covering the extensive span 97x28 feet. This will be devoted entirely to four bowling alleys, of the best workmanship, and as level and smooth as man's handiwork can devise. Aside from the alleys will be two private conversational rooms, with commode, cloak and toilet rooms.

The second floor will have a handsome billiard room 28x48 feet without a column in it. This will contain billiard and pool tables to the number of four. Adjoining, and connected by sliding doors with the billiard room and two front parlors, will be a large parlor 17x27 feet. The parlors across the front will each open on the balcony, which will have a floor-space of 6 feet by 12.

Convenient to the parlors on the second floor, will be a ladies' dressing-room, which will be complete in every particular.

Every room in the building will be well lighted, and arranged so that every comfort and luxury may be provided, and the League's desire for a perfect club home consummated. The lower story front will contain handsome windows of plate glass. Open fire-places of handsome design will adorn the billiard room and parlors. The toilet rooms of both floors will be finished in marble.

The League, which has approved all the designs submitted, considers itself fortunate in securing B. Fosgate as an architect, he having been the architect of other handsome club houses, and creditable buildings in this city, among them the Love building at the corner of North avenue and Peace street, and being well-known as the architect of residences here. Judge Ulrich, who for his mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Ulrich, owner of the property, has been looking after the matter of rebuilding the club house, is highly pleased with the plans, and says that the Crescent League will have one of the nicest club homes he ever saw. The building will occupy the site of the one burned, on Second street, near Park avenue.

**Followed Her Offspring and Broke Her Neck.**

A calf owned by Chas. Leland, of West Fourth street, wandered away from its mother during Thursday night, and the cow, trying to follow its offspring in the darkness, fell, broke her neck, and died at ten o'clock Saturday morning.

**W. T. A. S. Annual Meeting.**

The annual meeting of the Woman's Temperance Aid Society, will he held at Beform Hall, Thursday afternoon at three o'clock. The anniversary exercises will occur in the evening at the hall at 7:45 o'clock. A cordial invitation is extended to all to attend these meetings.

**Mr. Haines Makes a Splendid Speech.**

An appreciative audience in Reform Hall last evening listened with marked attention to the very able and instructive address of Samuel A. Haines, of Netherwood, who presented against the liquor traffic an arrary of startling facts and figures; by comparing the official returns of various States, counties and cities wherein the license system exists with those under prohibition, he showed the vast decrease in crime, misery and taxation and a corresponding increase in health, order and happiness, where liquor selling is forbidden by law.

Mr. Haines is both forcible and eloquent, and posseesses the rare faculty of rendering even statistics attractive hearing. He closed with a grand peroration on behalf of individual total abstinence and legal prohibition.

President Harper presided, and Mrs. Whitney in an impressive manner conducted the devotional services, and Mr. Vanderbeck's choir rendered the music.

## PARTICULAR MENTION.

The regular meeting of the Plainfield Camera Club will be held to-morrow evening at eight o'clock.

Miles Ross Price, grandson of the Hon. Miles Ross, has been visiting Hervey Kinch Doane of West Fifth street.

Leo Daft and family are in their home on Putnam avenue, again, after an enjoyable season at their Lake George cottage.

Judge Arnold, of the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania, with Mrs. Arnold spent Saturday and Sunday with his old friend, John F. Wilson, of "Tunlaw," on the Greenbrook road.

Mrs. E. T. Tomlinson, President of the Plainfield Woman's Christian Temperance Union, left today for Atlantic City to attend the annual convention of the W. C. T. U. of New Jersey.

The annual meeting of the Presbyterian Synod of New Jersey will begin at Atlantic City to night, and will continue through Thursday. The delegates from this city are the Rev. Dr. K. P. Ketcham, the Rev. W. R. Richards and the Rev. W. E. Honeyman, pastors, and Samuel Milliken and F. C. Lounsbury, laymen.

J. Marc Martin, whose serious illness was noted in THE PRESS last week, died yesterday at his home on Park avenue. He had been a resident of Plainfield many years, and had a large insurance business in New York. He leaves two sons, Frank L. C., captain of the Plainfield Bicycle Club, and Howard, besides two daughters, all children of a former wife, and a young son of his widow. The funeral services will take place Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock, from his late residence 135 Park avenue. Interment private.

**A Palace of Pharmacy.**

People passing through Park avenue across Fourth street, this morning, were stopped by the unusual sight of a new store that had opened on the corner, and curiosity impelled all to take a look inside. They found within a pharmacy that though still incomplete in its furnishing, was more elegant than any they had seen before.

George E. Williams, the well-known pharmacist, of Asbury Park, who has long been the owner of the store at Kingsley street and Second avenue, and who has just purchased another in the same city, is the proprietor of this handsome new place, which he has entitled the "Crescent Pharmacy." The fixtures are of solid mahogony, handcarved, and the drawers mounted with oxydized silver handles. The show cases are also very handsome. Art glass panels and hanging tapestry separate the prescription department from the main store. These fixtures were manufactured by Bangs, of Boston, who has no equal in his line. They cost about $3,000.

G. H. Macon, a graduate of the Philadelphia College of Pharmacy, is chief clerk. Mr. Williams, who is also a graduate of the same college, has been in the business eleven years. Consequently he knows how to please the people, and proposes to do it. The most elegant soda fountain in the State is now being manufactured for the Crescent Pharmacy, by Puffer, for next season. Imported cigars, the choicest colognes and extracts, and fine toilet articles, will be specialties at the Crescent Pharmacy.

—James O'Neill had a dispute in Mc Vey's restaurant Saturday night, and was arrested for disorderly conduct. He was tried today, and decision was reserved.

**The Little Seed.**

A little seed lay in the carter's path;
A little shoot bowed in the strong wind's wrath;
A little shrub grew, by its roots held fast;
Then a stout tree braved all the Winter's blast.

A little cough started—'twas only light;
A little chill shivered the hours of night;
A little pain came and began to grow,
Then consumption laid all his brave strength low.

Be wise in time. Check the little cough, cure the little chill, dispel the little pain, ere the little ailment becomes the strong, unconquerable giant of disease. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, taken in time, is a remedy for these ills.

## HIS ANNUAL REPORT.

**The Postmaster-General Reviews His Work for the Past Year.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 30. — The annual report of the Postmaster-General is almost completed but, of course, will not be made public until it is presented to Congress.

The report will show that during the present year there have been more new postoffices established than during any year since 1866. In that year the postoffices throughout the South which had been necessarily abandoned by the Government during the war, were re-established, so that during that particular year the record for new postoffices established exceeded all previous years.

The number of new offices estab lished during the last fiscal year was 4,427 of which the vast majority were established in the Southern States.

The largest number of new offices in any one State was 250 created in Pennsylvania, but with the exception of that one Northern State, the South secured the greatest number.

Thus, Texas received 208 new offices, North Carolina 203, Virginia 202, Kentucky 99, Alabama 107, Georgia 196, Tennessee 187, Missouri 170, West Virginia 160, Arkansas 141 and Mississippi 124.

Of the northern States in which more than 100 new offices have been established, after Pennsylvania, came Ohio with 137, Washington with 132, California 115 and New York 101. Wisconsin has an even 100.

There are no less than 122 new offices established in the Indian Territory.

**A Farmer Hangs Himself.**

UTICA, N. Y., Oct. 20.—Alfred Snyder, a highly respected farmer living four miles from Carthage, Jefferson County, committed suicide by hanging himself in his barn. No cause is assigned for the act. He was 40 years old and leaves a widow and three children.

**Stamboul's Fast Time.**

NAPA, Cal., Oct. 20.—The stallion Stamboul trotted against time and made a mile in 2:11¼, lowering his own and Axtell's record.

**Liberals Successful in Belgium.**

BRUSSELS, Oct. 20.—The municipal elections in Belgium resulted generally in favor of the Liberals. The Socialists were successful in many places. Second ballots will be required in Brussels.

**Tried to Shoot the Czar.**

LONDON, Oct. 20.—The Chronicle's Warsaw special reports that a futile attempt has been made to shoot the Czar. The story has not been confirmed.

**Valuable Building Lots for Sale,**

On Grove street and Craig place, North Plainfield. This plot is one of the most desirable in the Borough, and is offered for sale at a reasonable price and on easy terms. Will be sold in quantities to suit. Apply to Owner, at 25 Craig place. 3-14-tf

**Arrival and Departure of Mails.**

*NEW YORK MAILS.*
*Arrive*—7: 30, 8 40, A. M., 12:15, 2: 30, 5: 30 P. M.
*Close*—7: 30 and 9: 30 A. M., 1: 45, 5: 30 and 8 P. M.

*SOMERVILLE AND EASTON MAILS.*
*Arrive*—8: 40 A. M., 2: 40, 6: 30 P. M.
*Close*—7: 30 A. M., 4: 30 P. M.

Direct mail to Trenton and Philadelphia at 4: 30 P. M.

*SUNDAY MAILS.*
Office open from 9: 30 to 10: 30 A. M.
Mail closes at 6: 30 P. M.

E. R. POPE, P. M.

## DEATHS.

MARTIN—At Plainfield, N. J., on Sunday, Oct. 19, J Marc Martin, in the 57th year of his age. Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend the funeral services at his late residence, 135 Park ave., on Wednesday, Oct 22, at 2 P. M. Interment private. 2t

## WANTS AND OFFERS.

*Advertisements under this heading, one cent for each word each insertion.*

RESPECTABLE colored girl wants place as nurse. Call for two days at 96 Manning ave.

FOUND—A brown overcoat and derby hat. Owner can obtain property by paying cost of advertisement, at office of Chief of Police.

A YOUNG man with some experience, wants a situation in a grocery store. Address Honest, Press office.

LOST—An Irish bull terrier pup; brown and a white, lower jaw protrudes, pink eye-lids. Answers to the name of Eddie. A suitable reward will be paid for his return to Wm. M. Stout, 169 East Front st. No questions asked. 10 20 2

A GOOD laundress wishes to go out by the day. Can do cleaning or cooking. Call at Hatfield's butcher shop corner of Park ave and 2d street. 10 20 2

STRAYED from 112 RockView avenue, one white bull terrier dog. Liberal reward if returned at once. 10 20 tf

SITUATION wanted as chambermaid and waitress in small family. Address M. C, 123 Duer street. 10 17s20

PART of a house seven rooms to let, furnished or unfurnished. 151 W. Front st. 10 18 2

BARGAIN—Upright piano for sale, in first-class order. Address "B. B.," postoffice. 10 18 2

A FINE lot on Front street. Will exchange for horse, carriage and harness. Real Estate Trust, 39 North avenue. 10 18 3

WANTED—A bright young man of pleasant address and good education; one with some experience in grocery business preferred. Reference required as to character. Apply after 6 P. M., to Wm. W. Wilson, 246 W. 2d st. 10 18 2

WANTED—A girl for general housework. Apply at THE PRESS office. 10 18 2

WANTED—Stout boy or man to assist in milking, and make himself generally useful. Apply at PRESS office. 10 16 tf

WANTED—First-class colored waiter. Van Court Inn, Roselle, N. J. 10 15 w

WANTED—Good laundress; permanent place, good wages. VanCourt Inn, Roselle, N. J. 10 15 w

FOUR houses to let. Inquire City Mills, Somerset street. 10 14 tf

TRUCK farm for sale; eleven acres, with good house and barn, 2 miles from Plainfield. Apply to W. C. Butler, 1 E. Front street. 10 13 tf

ROOMS, with or without board. 21 West 2d street. 10 9 12

LADIES doing their own dressmaking or employing plain seamstress, can secure perfect fit and pattern for future use. Taylor system. Miss A. T. Buckley, 27 West 4th street. 9 22 tf

STORAGE for furniture in separate rooms. Apply to C. Frank French, 69 Somerset st. 9 2 tf

WANTED—Jobbing at painting, glazing kalsomining and roof painting. Address Isaac Kennedy, 55 East Front street. tf

WANTED—Work cleaning Vaults and Cesspools. Satisfaction guaranteed. City Odorless Excavating Works, 206 Broadway. Mrs. David Jones, Proprietor. No connection with JOHN & Co. 6-11-tf

**Amusements.**

M. H. A.

MUSIC HALL.
TO-NIGHT!
Special engagement of America's greatest actress, **Miss Margaret Mather**, supported by Mr. Otis Skinner and a powerful New York Company,
AS JULIET.
Special scenery, new and beautiful costumes.
PRICES—35, 50, 75c., and $1.00.
Seats on sale Friday. 10 15 td

LELAND T. POWERS,
IMPERSONATOR AS
David Copperfield,
AT THE
Crescent Avenue Chapel,
Saturday Eve'g, October 25.
ADMISSION, - - - 50 Cts.
10 20 6

*PLAINFIELD*
Gesang and Turn Verein,
Will have their FAIR open
Monday Evening.
On TUESDAY EVENING will Auction off the goods that are left over.
Dancing Every Evening!
10 20 2

M. H. A.
MUSIC HALL.
Thursday, October 23, 1890.
William Gillette's
HELD BY THE ENEMY.
Greatest of all War Dramas.
Performed over 300 nights in New York, and 250 nights in London.
Strong cast, and car load of special scenery.
PRICES—35, 50, 75c., and $1.00.
Seats on sale Tuesday. 10 17 td

MUSICAL
AND
Literary Entertainment
Given by the "Whatsoever Circle of King's Daughters," of Plainfield, N. J., at the Y. M. C. A., Rooms,
Friday Evening, October 24,
At 8 o'clock.
The popular and talented young favorites, **Mr. and Mrs. Firth Wood**, in their original and characteristic recitals, besides first-class home talent, vocal and instrumental.
TICKETS 50 CENTS.
For sale at Reynolds' and Randolph's pharmacies. 10 17 w

AMPHION HALL.
Grand week of attraction. Commencing
MONDAY, OCT. 20.
Saturday Matinee 2:30 Sharp.
The Great
LEONZO BROS.,
Dramatic and Comedy Co., combined with the World's greatest Dramatic Trained Dogs, Tiger, Lion and Panther, and the Great Human Face Dog, SPOT.
Change of bill nightly.
Popular Prices—10, 20 and 30c.
Seats now on sale. 10 18 7

The Ladies of the First Unitarian Society of Plainfield, will hold a
FAIR
At the House corner Broadway and 6th street, during the afternoon and evenings of
Wednesday & Thursday, Oct. 22 & 23, '90.
*A NEW ENGLAND SUPPER* will be served each evening.
Admission, Adults, 15c. Children, 5c.
10 18 4

"BIG LOT!"
NEW CARPETS will be opened in a day or two, and in order to "Boom" the trade a little we will *MAKE AND LINE FREE!* for the rest of this month.
No better opportunity to buy Carpets to such good advantage will occur again in years to come.
Our House is offering some more bargains in Cheap Dress Goods.
Remember, we sell the better class of goods at about the same price as the poor, cheap articles are usually sold for.
EDSALL'S, 20 West Front St.

OUR MOTTO—LOWEST PRICES CONSISTENT WITH GOOD QUALITY AND HONEST QUANTITY.
The choicest Creamery Butter that can be produced
Apollinaris Water; pints, $1.50, quarts, $2 dozen; Belfast Ginger Ale, $1.40 dozen.
Excelsior Sugar Cured Hams are the best—15c.
The finest Java and Mocha coffee in town, and the prices are right. Won't be undersold for same quality of goods. P. M. DEMAREST,
25 PARK AVENUE. 9-6-t

WILL LEAVE SOON.
CLAIRVOYANT
Mrs. DR. EDWARDS,
Having fully recovered, will remain for a **Few Weeks Longer**, before she leaves for the South. She can be seen from 9 to 9 o'clock, as usual, at the *CITY HOTEL, ROOM 4*. Call at once, as **this is your last opportunity.**
**Mrs. DR. EDWARDS**, the greatest and the most celebrated **CLAIRVOYANT** in the World, and is known in this country from **Maine to Mexico.** She was born with the wonderful gift of second sight, and with a veil. She is the seventh daughter of the seventh daughter. She reveals every mystery; tells you if the one you love is true or false. She removes every grief, settles lovers' troubles, and causes speedy love marriages. She gives reliable information to gentlemen in all business transactions, and informs them how to make profitable investments and acquire speedy riches. She tells lucky lottery numbers. She has an **Osiris Egyptian Talisman**, which is noted all the world over, as a specific charm for the unlucky. All who are in trouble or sick, should call without delay.
Ladies 50c to $1. Gentlemen $1.
10 15 w

LAUNDRY.
Having purchased of C. A. Brown the business known as the
AMERICAN STEAM LAUNDRY,
**14 East Front St.**, I desire to inform the public that I will endeavor to serve them in the best possible manner, and respectfully solicit their patronage. Orders promptly called for and delivered, upon notice by postal.
H. W. MARSHALL, Prop'r.
10 20 y

Dancing & Aesthetic Body Culture.
PROF. SEGADLO
Will reopen his classes in Plainfield, N. J., providing he can secure the proper number of scholars.
For this purpose a subscription list is now open at **Park's Music Store, East Front St.** All those wishing to take lessons, or of sending children to the class, are requested to enter their address, stating number of pupils.
The day of commencing, and place of holding the class, will be afterwards made known.
For terms, etc., address
L. P. SEGADLO,
22 West Park street, Newark, N. J.
10 18 2w

Assignee's Sale.
Wm. M. Stillman, assignee of Carney Bros., plumbers, will sell at public auction, at the store and premises known as No. 9 Somerset street, now occupied by said Carney Bros., on
Tuesday, October 21st,
next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, a lot of stoves, ranges, boilers, heaters, refrigerators, pumps, water-backs, and other plumbing and tinning material, being a part of the stock in trade of said Carney Bros., to be sold for the benefit of their creditors.
Sale absolute. Terms made known on day of sale. WM. M. STILLMAN, Assignee.
T. J. GILLIES, Auctioneer. 10 14 w

BROWN & HILL,
Shaving and Hair Cutting Parlors,
[FORCE'S HOTEL,] No. 5 North Avenue.
Special attention paid to
Children's Hair Cutting.
2-25-tf

LYMAN & ANTHONY,
REAL ESTATE
AND INSURANCE AGENTS,
61 NORTH AVE., opposite Depot.
3-25-y

HOUSE AND FRESCO
PAINTING,
Nos. 10 and 10 1-2 PARK AVENUE.
MARSH & AYERS.
Jobbing promptly attended to. First-class work guaranteed. Prices reasonable. Estimates promptly furnished.
CALL AND SEE US. 5-25-y

The Reina Victoria Segar
Is an *ELEGANT* 10c *SEGAR.*
I SELL IT FOR 5 CENTS.
Call at
At the Crescent Parlor,
23 NORTH AVENUE. 11-26-y

BOOTS AND SHOES
LOW PRICES.
At C. W. FORCE'S.
FALL AND WINTER GOODS.
11 West Front Street.

HOAGLAND'S
EXPRESS.
OFFICE—39 North Avenue
Opposite Railroad Station.
8-15 tf

ARNOLD,
THE GROCER!
92 Somerset St., opp. Emily,
ORTH PLAINFIELD.
4-15-tf

ISAAC BROKAW & SON,
FIRE INSURANCE.
OFFICE—30 DUER STREET,
NORTH PLAINFIELD, N. J.
2-4-tf

P. AGNEY.
KINDLING WOOD.
Yard—Mountain Avenue.
P. O. BOX 307. NORTH PLAINFIELD.
Orders attended to promptly in city and Borough. 5-6-tf

J. BARTON KLINE. JAS. W. DAVIS.
DEALERS IN
Coal, Wood, Hay, Feed,
Straw and Grain.
TELEPHONE CALL, 56.
Yards—Corner of Front St. & Grant Ave.
BRANCH OFFICE—North Ave., opposite Station.
The *BEST GRADES OF EVERYTHING* at the *MOST LIBERAL PRICES.* 9-6-t

PECK'S CORNER.
THOSE
Dainty Ruchings
WERE BOUGHT AT
PECK'S!

SEBRING'S
Business Suits,
$10, $12 AND $15.
FINE TAILORING.
27 PARK AVENUE. 12-6-y

LEDERER
Will sell his CLOAKS, CAPES, JACKETS and FURS, until disposed of, at the OLD PRICES, notwithstanding the recent advance.
Good value in *DRESS GOODS.* One-half dozen pieces 35 inch All-Wool Tricot FLANNEL, in stripes only, at 40c—value 50c.
The most extensive line of *HOSIERY* and *UNDERWEAR* in Plainfield. All grades and prices for Ladies, Men and Children.
*MILLINERY DEPARTMENT.*—Trimmed and Untrimmed Hats and Bonnets, Feathers, Tips, Birds, etc. The increased sales in this department is a guarantee that my prices are right.
As large a stock of BLANKETS and COMFORTABLES, as all others in Plainfield combined. Comfortables from 69c up; Blankets from 95c up.
Special in INGRAIN CARPET. A fair quality at 25c., same as is sold in some places at 35c. Blabous' No. 1 OIL CLOTH, the best made, at 48c per square yard. Cheaper grades in proportion.
LEDERER'S,
9 WEST FRONT ST.
9 29 3m

NEW GOODS!
JARDINIERE'S, CRACKER JARS,
FANCY POTTERY, ARTISTIC LAMPS,
FINE GLASSWARE, DECORATED CHINA.
GAVETT'S, 15 E. FRONT ST.
10-25-tf

FURNITURE, BEDDING, UPHOLSTERY.
Large Assortment!
New Goods!!
Low Prices!!!
——Manufacturing and Repairing a Specialty.——
GARRET Q. PACKER,
Nos. 23, 25, 27, and 29 PARK AVE.
1-3-tf

SEA FOOD!
Scale and Shell.
ROGERS' MARKET,
42 WEST SECOND STREET.
3-13-tf

FALL IS HERE
And I am ready for it with a full line of
Dress Goods, Underwear,
Blankets and Comfortables.
NEW STYLES of Ingrain, Tapestry, and Body Brussel Carpets, Oil Cloths, Etc., at the *LOWEST PRICES*, to which I invite your attention.
H. A. POPE,
Corner FRONT and SOMERSET STS.
The old reliable Dry Goods, Carpet, and Notion House. 11-13-y

First Annual Clearing Out Sale of WALL PAPER!
The purpose of which is to dispose of our entire stock and renew it exclusively with the new patterns of the coming season. Points worth considering:
FIRST—Our stock is very large, carefully selected, and all this season's goods.
SECOND—The first customers will have a larger stock to select from, and will get the choicest bargains.
THIRD—Prices will be the lowest ever offered—bargains being offered daily below cost. Sale closes September 1.
A. D. VAN SCIVER, 47 NORTH AVE.,
Opposite Depot. — (Chotola Building), —Plainfield, N. J.
N. B.—*ALL BRANCHES OF PAINTING A SPECIALTY.* 1-10-t

COAL LUMBER
And
Builders Supplies
LOOMIS & RICE
49 B'DWAY

## ITS 12TH YEAR OF CHARITY.

**How the Plainfield Relief Association has Lived up to Its Name—The Poor Succored, the Sick Helped Until Work Could be Resumed, and the Willing Assisted to be Self Supporting—Some Touching Instances and Convincing Figures.**

*To the Officers, Members, and other friends of the Relief Association:*

The work of the Association's twelfth year has been no exception to the rule of usefulness and prosperity that has characterized its career throughout. There has been the same demand as heretofore for money, and time, and thought to carry on the good work of helping the poor to help themselves, and the same cordial response from the pocket-books and brains of our generous friends; and this year we have had the co-operation of other benevolent societies in a greater degree than ever before. The Children's Home and Muhlenberg Hospital, as usual, lightened our responsibilities by their active charity; and furthermore we have been much aided of late by the hearty sympathy of several bands of King's Daughters. These circles have in a number of instances procured for beneficiaries assistance which our limited means and the urgent needs of others prevented us from giving them. The physicians, editors, merchants, and express companies also have rendered us material aid, and our sincere thanks are due them.

THE FAMILIES HELPED.

The following reports will indicate the general outline of the year's work. On Oct. 1, 1889, sixteen families were being aided either by employment furnished them, or, in case of illness, by food given gratuitously. Since then the names of sixty-two others have been added to the roll, making a total of seventy-eight families who have at some time during the year received help.

Of these seventy-eight families, twenty-four may be classed as receiving continuous aid either from the city poor fund, or from the Relief Association; thirty-four as needing only temporary help from us until work could be resumed; and twenty as needing permanent work only to be self-supporting. The number of *ineligible* applicants has been very small, a fact that would seem to indicate that the unworthy poor have for the most part discovered the difficulty of imposing upon an institution for organized charity.

TOUCHING INSTANCES.

It may be well to notice here one or two of the touching cases which have been brought to our notice during the past year. Early in the Autumn there came to us an appeal from a young woman whose husband was ill, and who, far from well herself, sought to support her four children by sewing. They were thrifty people, and though the father had earned only an artisan's wages, had managed to live for seven months on their previous savings before they applied to us. The past year has been one long history of hardship and suffering for them. At one time the mother became so ill that she had to be removed for treatment to the hospital; and during the weeks of her absence the chief responsibility of the household devolved upon the twelve-year-old daughter who cared for her sick father and baby brother with the courage and self-devotion of a heroine. Even now the health of neither father nor mother is fully restored, though they have for some time dispensed with the aid which during the period of their greatest suffering they would consent to receive only as a loan.

Another instance of persistent struggle against continued misfortune, is the case of an Englishwoman, who, deserted by her husband, was forced to depend upon her own exertions for bread for herself and little children. Through the private charity of one of our members, she was provided with a small stock of goods and a little store, and for a time was able to eke out the small income derived from that by sewing and by caring for a baby whose mother paid board for it. But now her eyesight is failing, so that she can hardly see to count correct change for costumers, and as if to fill to the brim her cup of misfortune, her little eight-year-old daughter has during the last few months been distressingly ill with heart disease. It is under such circumstances as these that we feel justified in giving food gratuitously.

Several of the poor, tired mothers have during the past Summer been sent with their husbands for a breath of invigorating air to the sea-shore. It is the custom of one of our benefactors to give each year a certain sum to be devoted to thus procuring for them a day's change and refreshment after the year's monotonous round of work. Would that others might follow her example.

SEVENTY-ONE DINNERS.

Thanksgiving Day was as usual a red-letter day to the poor people, and by our friends' generosity seventy-one families were provided with bountiful dinners.

The report of the Employment Bureau is as follows:

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| Number of families aided | 78 |
| Number of persons represented | 220 |
| Nationalities represented: | |
| American | 35 |
| Irish | 13 |
| Colored | 11 |
| German | 9 |
| English | 7 |
| French | 1 |
| Hungary | 1 |
| Swedish | 1 |
| Scotch | 1 |
| Amount of sales from ordered work | $ 24.29 |
| " " " beneficiary | $152.72 |
| Total amount of sales | $176.99 |
| Number of women who have received sewing | 30 |
| Number of garments made | 831 |
| Number of parcels of clothing given gratuitously | 101 |

It is in this department of work that the advantage of the organized, over the individual administration of relief is most clearly exemplified. In private charity it is often difficult and well nigh impossible to arrange a plan by which the applicant can earn the money, which it is so much easier to bestow as an alms. And so, many charitably-disposed and well-intentioned persons are aiding by their indiscriminate alms-giving to create a dangerous class of paupers in the community. But in an organization like the Relief Association it is possible in a great measure to supply employment to the needy which shall be at once the test of their sincerity and the means of their obtaining food and clothing without losing independence and self-respect. Too much cannot be said of the benefit which the society and its beneficiaries would derive from orders for plain sewing from outside friends. There are upon our list of those who need employment the names of several good seamstresses fitted to do plain sewing of all sorts in a satisfactory way, and it is greatly to be desired that this branch of industry should be more widely known and patronized.

THE SEWING SCHOOL CLOSED.

The Warren Mission Sewing School for girls thrived as usual during the past Winter. 250 pupils were enrolled in twenty-one classes, with an average attendance of 136. But at the end of the term a general feeling prevailed among the officers and teachers that some changes in the organization and methods of the school were greatly to be desired. Accordingly at the May meeting of the Board of Managers a committee of three was appointed to consider the matter of reorganization, and to determine, if possible, the best method of effecting the necessary changes. At a special meeting of the Board called on September 25, the committee proposed that the sessions of the school be discontinued for one year, since after careful investigation it seemed to them that such a period of inactivity would facilitate reorganization on a new and more advantageous basis. After prolonged discussion of the advisability of the measure, it was unanimously voted that the school be closed during the coming year. But we trust that in the Autumn of '91 the work which for the past seventeen years has been of so great value to Plainfield, will be resumed under new and more favorable conditions. Unless—that which is still more to be desired—the public schools take into their own hands the work which is of right theirs, and by the adoption of industrial training into their curriculum make good their high reputation.

THE MOTHERS' MEETINGS.

The Mothers' Sewing Class has continued its successful weekly meeting, though the severe storms and prevalent illness of Winter made the attendance smaller than usual, only fifteen names being enrolled. Forty-nine garments were made, and about twenty pounds of carpet rags were cut and sewed to complete the carpet for the board room of the Relief Association. The Superintendent, Mrs. Gill, writes—"A very pleasant spirit has pervaded the class, and a marked improvement in the manners of one or two of the rugged matrons."

One unfortunate fact there is to be chronicled—the failure of the public evening schools opened by the Board of Education at the solicitation of the Relief Association, and so remarkably successful during the Winters of '88-'89. The teachers who had charge of the classes last Winter missed the co-operation of their able principal, Miss Bulkley, who had been so heartily interested in the work during the previous year; and the attendance gradually diminished until the trustees considered themselves no longer justified in keeping the schools open. But it is encouraging to anticipate in this connection the good that will doubtless be accomplished among the poor boys of the town by the recently organized Boys' Club, in which many of our members and patrons are actively interested. Here the young men and boys who are obliged to work all day will find in the evening those means for harmless pleasure and that opportunity for self-improvement which the Relief Association has been so long seeking for them.

LITTLE BANK ACCOUNTS.

The Provident Savings Committee reports a year full of success. No branch of our Association has met with more cordial encouragement both from those whom it is endeavoring to help and from those whose assistance is required in carrying out its plan. To the benefit of any who are not familiar with this kind of work it may be well to state its objects and methods. It aims to encourage the poor, often dragged so low by thriftlessness and improvidence, to lay by each week some portion of their earnings and place in the hands of the Committee, by whom it is invested at interest for them. As soon as the deposit of any individual amounts to five dollars, the saver is put into direct communication with the bank by the opening of a private bank book. When the last annual report was presented, this Committee could be looked upon only as an experiment; but the remarkable success of the past year has placed it upon the firm footing of an established institution. There are 160 deposits ranging in amounts from $181 to 03. Since the beginning in June, 1889, the entire amount collected has been $2,276.87, while only $883.73 has been withdrawn. The number of individual bank accounts is 53, representing the sum of $1,180.30. We feel that this is one of the best methods for awakening self-respect and self-dependence, and there is ample assurance of the good accomplished in the increasing thrift of the savers and their interest in the enterprise

Thus the year's work has prospered in all its branches, and we ought, I think, heartily to congratulate ourselves on its results. But we cannot help wishing that our power for good might be still further broadened and extended, for we find our endeavors in many instances sorely crippled by lack of means. If other new helpers and benefators could be brought to us through the efforts of our present supporters, how greatly might our value to the community be increased. For our opportunities are always larger than our capacities, and the more support our friends give us, the wider and more far-reaching will be our usefulness.

Respectfully submitted,
EDITH R. LEONARD, Secretary.
Oct. 6, 1890.

## ANECDOTES OF DECATUR.

**The Gallant Naval Hero's Sympathy for the Common Sailors.**

The gallant Decatur was a sailor to the heart's core, and loved to tell anecdotes of the common sailors, one of which follows: In one of the actions before Tripoli, while fighting hand to hand with the captain of a gun-boat, Decatur came near being cut down by a Turk, who attacked him from behind. A seaman, named Reuben James, who was already wounded in both hands, seeing the risk of his commander, rushed in and received the blow of the uplifted saber on his own head. Fortunately the honest fellow survived to receive his reward. Some time afterward, when he had recovered from his wounds, Decatur sent for him on deck, expressed his gratitude for his self-devotion, in presence of the crew, and told him to ask for some reward. The honest tar pulled up his waistband and rolled his quid, but seemed utterly at a loss what recompense to claim. His messmates gathered around him, nudging him with their elbows and whispering in his ear:

"He has all the world in string and can get what he pleases;" "the old man can deny him nothing," etc. One advised this thing, another, that; "double pay," "double allowance," "a boatswain's berth," "a pocket full of money and a full swing on shore," etc. Jack elbowed them all aside and would have none of their counsel. After mature deliberation, he announced the reward to which he aspired; it was—to be excused from rolling up the hammock-cloths! The whimsical request was, of course, granted; and from that time forward whenever the sailors were piped to stow away their hammocks, Jack was to be seen loitering around and looking on with the most gentleman-like leisure.

The devoted fellow always continued in the same ship with Decatur. "I could always know the state of my bile by Jack," said the commodore. "If I was in good humor, and wore a pleasant aspect, Jack would be sure to heave in sight, to receive a friendly nod; and if I was out of humor, and work, as I sometimes did, a foul-weather physiognomy, Jack kept aloof and skulked among the other sailors." It is proper to add that Reuben James received a more solid reward for his gallant devotion than the privilege above mentioned, a pension having been granted him by the Government.

On another occasion Decatur had received at New York the freedom of the city as a testimonial of respect and gratitude. On the following day he overheard this colloquy between two of his sailors:

"Jack," said one, "what is the meaning of this 'freedom of the city,' which they've been giving to the old man?"

"Why, don't you know? Why, it's the right to frolic about the streets as much as he pleases, kick up a row, knock down the men, and kiss the women."

"*That's* something worth fighting for!" remarked the other.—N. Y. Ledger.

## SELF-MADE CRANKS.

**Men Who Feel Their Feebleness in the World of Practical Affairs.**

One can not help believing that there is a variety of this gentry who are self-made cranks—cranks because they want to be. They seek some social disproportion whereupon they can posture with effect. The pleasures of conformity are humdrum; nonconformity is piquant and startling. Such a man is not a crank from abundance of virtue, as he would have you believe, but rather because he feels his feebleness in the world of practical affairs and is soured thereby. If he pose as an advance philanthropist, we suspect that his love of mankind has some side glances at personal profit. If facts be against him, he does not hesitate to invent them, and visits with arrogant abuse those who would expose his falsities. He is especially angry with those halting disciples who accept his scheme as something ultimately possible, and then humbly inquire what they are to do provisionally as a practical approximation to the distant good. If he be a rhetorician, he has no scruple in administering the electric shock of paradox, and seeks the levity of assent that may be caught by the sudden spring of a false analogy. No doubt this reckless shooter occasionally hits the mark. Pope describes the talking bird who berates the passers-by with epithets which well-conducted periodicals have ceased to print. But the poet confesses that, though sometimes struck with the extreme felicity of these characterizations, he had never been able to extend his admiration to the speaker whose entire stock in trade consisted of this very limited and abusive vocabulary.—J. P. Quincy, in Atlantic.

—Chicken Patties: Crop the chicken meat free from gristle, season with salt, pepper and a little celery or sage, place a little of the meat on pieces of puff paste, press the edges together, making small turnovers, place them in a shallow pan and bake a nice brown, serve with drawn butter or a gravy made from the liquor in which the chicken was cooked.—Indianapolis Sentinel.

**Notice of Dissolution of Co-partnership.**

Take notice that the co-partnership heretofore existing by the subscribers under the firm name of Hetfield Bros., has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. John M. Hetfield will continue the business, and will pay all outstanding debts of the said firm, and will receipt for all monies due the said firm.

Dated October 9, 1890.

WALTER L. HETFIELD,
JOHN M. HETFIELD.
10 16 6 oaw

1890.

# TAXES.

Notice is hereby given to the Taxpayers of the **City of Plainfield**, that the Taxes assessed in said city for the year 1890, are now due and payable, and that if the said Taxes be not paid by the **20th day of December next**, the names of the defaulters, with their respective taxes, will be returned to the City Judge for prosecution.

The Commissioners of Appeal in cases of taxation, will meet in the Council chamber on the *Fifth TUESDAY in November next*, (the 25th), and sit from 2 o'clock P. M. until 5 o'clock P. M., or longer if found necessary, to dispose of all cases submitted to them for consideration.

JOHN JOHNSON,
Collector of Taxes.

Dated Plainfield, N. J. Oct. 1, 1890. 9 30 oaw td

## Notice of Attachment.

*UNION COUNTY CIRCUIT COURT.*

The Hockanum Company, Pl'ff. vs John F. Plummer, Albert T. Plummer and William S. Darling, Def'ts. | On Contract. On Attachment.

Notice is hereby given that a writ of attachment at the suit of The Hockanum Company against the rights and credits, moneys and effects, goods and chattels, lands and tenements of John F. Plummer, Albert T. Plummer and William S. Darling, non-resident debtors, for the sum of Four hundred and fifty thousand dollars, issued out of the Union County Circuit Court on the twelfth day of May, A. D., 1890, returnable and returned into Court duly executed by the Sheriff of the County of Union, on the second day of June, A. D., 1890.

Dated July 2nd, 1890.

JOHN L. CROWELL, Clerk.
Bac.t & Record, Atty's for Pl'ff, No. 1 Montgomery Street, Jersey City. 10 1 10 oaw

## Notice of Attachment.

*UNION COUNTY CIRCUIT COURT.*

The New England Company, Pl'ff. vs John F. Plummer, Albert T. Plummer and William S. Darling, Def'ts. | On Contract. Attachment.

Notice is hereby given that a writ of attachment at the suit of the New England Company, against the rights and credits, moneys and effects, goods and chattels, lands and tenements of John F. Plummer, Albert T. Plummer and William S. Darling, non-resident debtors, for the sum of Three hundred thousand six hundred and twenty-eight 22-100 dollars, issued out of the Union County Circuit Court, on the twenty-tieth day of June, A. D., 1890. Returnable and returned into Court, duly executed by the Sheriff of the County of Union on the first day of July, A. D., 1890.

Dated July 2nd, 1890.

JOHN L. CROWELL, Clerk.
Bacot & Record, Att'ys for Pl'ff, No. 1 Montgomery street, Jersey City. 10 1 10 oaw

## Notice of Attachment.

*UNION COUNTY CIRCUIT COURT.*

John C. Payne, Pl'ff. vs John F. Plummer, Albert T. Plummer and William S. Darling, Def'ts. | On Contract. On Attachment.

Notice is hereby given that a writ of attachment at the suit of John C. Payne, against the rights and credits, moneys and effects, goods and chattels lands and tenements of John F. Plummer, Albert T. Plummer and William S. Darling, non-resident debtors, for the sum of Twenty thousand dollars, issued out of the Union County Circuit Court on the third day of July, A. D., 1890. Returnable and returned into Court duly executed by the sheriff of the County of Union, on the fourteenth day of July, A. D., 1890.

Dated July 17th, 1890.

JOHN L. CROWELL, Clerk
Bacot & Record Att'ys of Pl'ff, 1 Montgomery Street, Jersey City. 10 1 10 oaw

## Valuable Real Estate at Public Auction.

Wm. N. Pangborn, Auct'r, will sell at public sale to the highest bidder, in order to settle up the estate of Frazee Lee deceased, on **THURSDAY, OCT. 23, 1890**, at 2 o'clock P. M. on the premises, the following valuable improved real estate situated in the city of Plainfield, N. J.

House and Lot, 206 Broadway; 1st 65 ft. front, 200 ft deep, inside fence. House contains 10 rooms, bath room, heater, etc.

House and Lot, 17 Lake street, in rear of the above. Lot 75 ft. front 155 ft. deep. House 10 rooms. Barn on premises.

Terms—10 per cent. on day of sale; part of purchase money can remain on bond and mortgage for a term of years

DANIEL HETFIELD,
O. M. HETFIELD, Heirs.
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At the corner of Front St. and Park Ave.

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Paint your roofs with **Excelsior Metal Elastic Paint!** *WATER PROOF* and very durable, and will last years longer than any other Paint.

Orders can be left at 39 North avenue, opposite the depot with the Real Estate Trust.

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## House Numbers

At Collier's, 3 Park Avenue,

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Established, 20 YEARS. N.B.—NO BOTCHING

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## EDWARD C. MULFORD.

45 North Avenue,

*Opposite Station.*

REAL ESTATE, INSURANCE.

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NO SIR! says Rogers Bros. We bought all our Fall and Winter Shoes and Rubber goods before the great advance in prices, and we **shall continue** to sell them at **low prices**. So do not forget us when you are in want of goods in our line.

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12 West Front St.

CASH, AND ONE PRICE!

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## STILL WAITING.

### How Stubbs' Landing, Me., Clings to Its Last Straw.

**A Picture of the Fate That is Overtaking Many a Down-East Town—Stockings Once Filled by West India Trade Are Now Emptied.**

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When I first saw Stubbs' Landing, Me., I supposed that the place had been so named because nobody but Stubbs had ever been fool enough to land there. Later, however, I discovered that a considerable number of people had followed Stubbs' unfortunate example, and thus there had grown up a thriving village. On second thought I will withdraw the adjective, and call it just plain village. I would like to please the inhabitants, but I can not tell a lie.

Stubbs himself does not live there now. It fact, it was about 1780 when he arrived, and he went away very early in this century. The village had begun to grow at that time, owing to the West India trade, and Stubbs was one of those

THE LANDING OF STUBBS.

men who can not stand prosperity. Nature produces a certain number of such men for the purpose of securing settlements in places which are not fit to sustain life. Just as soon as Stubbs found that his Landing was getting popular, and there was a chance for him to make a little money by cheating Indians in the fur trade, he grew uneasy, and moved on to Goose Falls, where the conditions were less favorable. By and by something like trade showed itself in Goose Falls, and Stubbs folded his tent and withdrew to Clam Cove, which promised eternal desolation if ever a place did. But, before long, somebody got to digging clams and selling them for bait; then somebody else started a store; and all this activity grated on poor old Stubbs. He couldn't think of a worse place than Clam Cove, and he was getting rather old to move, anyway, so he died.

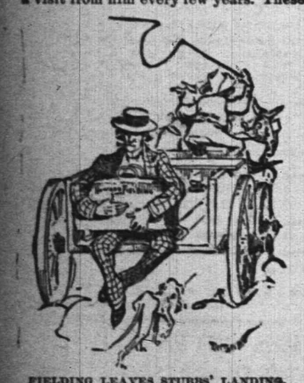
But to return to Stubbs' Landing. The town boasts of a very broad, deep harbor which doesn't freeze over in the coldest winter, so that vessels of the largest size could come in at any time if there were any thing to bring or take away. But there isn't. The West India trade is dead, leaving no signs but the half obliterated lettering on a few old stores, and an inherited liking for Jamaica rum in the inhabitants.

If anybody supposes, however, that

ARTHUR'S MAP AMAZES THE CITIZENS.

there is no progressive spirit in Stubbs' Landing he is much mistaken. The question of building a railroad has been discussed there for over thirty years; and will be discussed for thirty years more, so far as I can see. I really think that a branch line had one chance in ten thousand of being built there about twenty years ago, but the people wouldn't have it that way. They wanted to be a terminus. They were quick to see the remarkable terminal facilities of Stubbs' Landing. A railroad would simply have to terminate there unless the company should decide to bridge the Atlantic Ocean.

The first time I ever landed in the place where the immortal Stubbs grounded his bark and the hopes of his posterity, was in the summer of 1880. No rails were laid in 1880, nor in 1885, when I visited Stubbs' Landing again, but in each of these years considerable railroad excitement had been stirred up by a young man named Blake, who was born in the town but escaped from it at an early age. Blake's exact place of residence is unknown to the townspeople, though they have the advantage of a visit from him every few years. These



FIELDING LEAVES STUBBS' LANDING.

are the times when, in his remote indefinite abiding place, visions of his dear old home steal upon the sensitive soul of Blake, and show him the great possibilities of the town and the advantages it would derive from a railroad. Then he talks it over with his intimate friends, all of whom are capitalists, and having interested them in the project, he comes down to the landing and stirs things up. His arrival never fails to make talk. When he drives up in the stage, imaginative people fancy that they hear locomotive whistles blowing back in the woods.

Then Blake (who is familiarly called "Arth" because his front name is Arthur), throws out a few hints about the railroad, including the mention of vast sums of money, and thus acquires an importance in the eyes of the people, which seems to make him feel good. I can't find that he has any other object in his railroad talk.

"Arth" turned up again last August while I was at the Landing, and he made the wheels of "the keers" rumble louder than ever before in the ears of the inhabitants. He had brought little maps of Maine, whereon Stubbs' Landing and its harbor, and the adjacent territory occupied a space proportionally far greater than nature has allotted. Also the name of Stubbs' Landing was printed in large letters, while Portland and Bangor were typographically out of the race. The map further showed how easy it would be for the Canadian Pacific to locate its principal seaport at the Landing. There was a picture of an ocean steamer sailing out of the harbor, which was palpably a very natural thing for an ocean steamer to do, as quickly as possible, if she ever sailed into it.

These maps made quite a flutter, which grew to a real sensation when it was learned that "Arth" had asked the landlord of the little hotel to be ready at twenty-four hours' notice to serve a dinner to four capitalists, and afterwards provide them with a private room for a session with plugged keyholes.

I heard all about this from the barber. He was so interested in the subject that he drew a map of the proposed road on my lathered face with his thumb nail, and while I was finding out that he wasn't using his razor for that purpose I worked up quite an interest too. Afterwards I asked him to shave me with that thumb nail instead of with his razor, because I thought it was sharper. But he hacked away just the same, talking about the railroad all the time; and I grew to wish more and more that it would come, and come soon, and that he would be run over by a freight train of seventeen cars, and thus get some idea of how it feels to be shaved by a man who doesn't know his business.

"I tell ye, it would be goldarned handy to have a railroad here," said the barber. "I want to go some'rs 'most every year, and I 'spose there's others 't feels the same way. Ye can't stay allers in a little place like this, an' it ain't handy to take the stage or go 'crost the bay in a bo't. 'Arth' told me yesterday, kind o' confidential, but I guess 'taint no harm tellin' you, that there was only two questions to be decided now. One was whether the road could be built for $25,000 a mile, and the other was whether they'd put an $80,000 bridge across the Penobscot river."

The railroad had not made its appearance when I left, so I took the stage and eventually reached a place which had some communication with the outside world. The driver talked railroad into my ear all the way. He said that it would be the "ruination" of the place. I told him that I didn't believe it ever would.

All over the country there are men who have got out into the living world from such places as Stubbs' Landing. They can not wholly sever the ties of sentiment which bind them to their birthplace, and they watch the advance of its ruin with real sorrow. But if any mother's son of them knows what to do to check it, I am not he.

HOWARD FIELDING.

### Mixed Motives.

Pete Jacksing—No, 'pon my word, I won't steal no moah of Kurnel Austin's chickens.

Rev. Paul Johnson—Dat's right, Pete; I hope my sermons hab made an impreshun on you, my fren!

Pete Jacksing—Oh, yes! 'deed dey has; an' besides, Mistah Hocks's chickens are better eatin' den de Kurnel's.—Light.

### On an Express.

Philadelphian (on railway train)—So you are from Chicago? Ah, yes. I have heard of Chicago. It's in Illinois, I believe, and quite a sizable place, I understand. Is this your first trip East?

Chicago Man—Yes. I am going to Philadelphia; and, by the way, I must hurry forward and see if the conductor will slow up at Philadelphia so I can get off.—N. Y. Weekly.

### One of the Workers.

Moneybags—But I'm told you are very idle, Mr. Newstyles.

Cholly Newstyles—I assure you that that's not true, dontchewknow. I do a great deal of very hard work.

Moneybags—What work?

Cholly Newstyles—I smoke fifteen packages of cigarettes every day.—West Shore.

### Well Done.

Mr. Manners (to his hostess, who is carving the roast beef)—O! Mrs. Grayvey, does your husband allow you to do the carving?

Mr. Grayvey—Yes; you see I did not do it well enough for her.

Mr. Manners (as he receives the outside cut)—But some do not like it well done!—Puck.

### A Determined Man.

Johnson—When are you going to paint that fence for me, Uncle Rastus?

Uncle Rastus—Well, sah, I reckon I'll do it Saturday, if de Lawd's willin'; or if not, I'll do it Monday, any way, suah.—West Shore.

### In a Chicago Restaurant.

Customer—Look here, waiter, I asked you five minutes ago for a napkin.

Waiter—Yes, sah; I heerd ye, sah; but de gent at de next table isn't through wid it yet, sah.—Judge.

### A Neglected Opportunity.

"I see," remarked one Minneapolis man to another, "that Salt Lake City has doubled its population in ten years."

"Is that so? Why didn't we introduce Mormonism here?"—The Jays.

## SECRET SOCIETIES.

### Masonic.

The annual reunion of the Masonic veterans at Chicago in the latter part of this month will be the most noteworthy event of the kind that has happened in this country since these hoary craftsmen became formally organized. General John C. Smith, president and Past Grand Master of the State, has prepared a most unique invitation, which will cost several hundred dollars, and will no doubt bring together the most distinguished Masonic gathering ever seen in Chicago. Several prominent English, German and Canadian craftsmen will attend, and interesting communications will be read from the Prince of Wales, Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of England, and from the Duke of Abercorn, Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Ireland.

The Acacia Club of Chicago, the most exclusive Masonic club in the country, is preparing an elaborate reception for the Grand Master of Illinois, which will be given toward the end of the month.

### Odd-Fellows.

The Sovereign Grand Lodge, at the late session, very wisely left the saloon question to be dealt with by members of the order at the ballot box in the subordinate lodges. This is where the question properly belongs in all the orders.

No more National conventions of the Daughters of Rebekah are to be held. The Grand Lodge sat down on the Rebekah's as heavily as it did on Past Grand Sire Underwood. The former will live and thrive, however, while the epitaph of the latter is being written in all the fraternity journals in the land.

The fortieth anniversary of Remembrance Lodge No. 77, at Bloomington, Ill., was celebrated last week by an entertainment given at the opera-house. Members of the order from every part of the State crowded the house. The address of the occasion was delivered by Hon. John M. Scott, ex-Chief Justice of the State Supreme Court, who is the only surviving charter member of the lodge.

### Knights of Pythias.

The circular recently issued by Sam Houston Lodge, of Paris, Tex., asking for contributions to assist in the defense of certain members charged with crime at that place, has been declared illegal by the Grand Chancellor of that jurisdiction, and lodges through the country will do well to disregard the appeal for such aid until it receives the sanction of the Grand Chancellors of the respective jurisdictions.

The exemplification of the amplified third rank by the united lodges of Indianapolis, and the banquet and reception tendered the lodges of Cook County, October 4, is by far the most noteworthy event of the kind that has occurred in Pythian history. The costumes, paraphernalia, and dramatic effects used in the ceremonies are of the most elaborate kind, and over a thousand knights were seated at the banquet tables.

### Ancient Order United Workmen.

The order in every part of the country are preparing to celebrate the twenty-second anniversary of the founding of the order, October 27. In some of the States the Grand Masters have issued proclamations directing the observance of the day, but no special programme has been provided and each lodge is left to decide for itself the form of the observance.

Only five deaths were reported in Illinois during September, and as there have been but sixteen assessments levied for deaths occurring during the current year, it does not now seem probable that the State will be compelled to ask relief from the Supreme Lodge for some time.

### Chosen Friends.

A double assessment was called by this order during September, for the purpose of providing funds to pay all matured and maturing claims within sixty days. Hereafter all death losses will be paid within sixty days from date of filing proper proofs.

Applications have been filed for new councils at Madison, Wis., and Des Moines, Ia. The order is not represented to any extent in the latter State owing to restrictions imposed by the State; but an effort is to be made this winter to establish the order there.

### Grand Army.

A new post is about to be mustered in Chicago which promises to be the most exclusive Grand Army organization in the country. It will be composed of war veterans who are now prominent business and professional men in that city. The muster fees are to be $50, and the annual dues $25, which is likely to ensure a silk-stocking membership.

Commander-in-Chief W. G. Veazey visited Chicago last week, and was entertained by General Thomas Post, which is one of the largest posts in the country with one exception, having over eleven hundred members. A banquet was served and some eloquent addresses were made around the camp-fire.

### Independent Order of Owls.

Nest No. 9 of this nocturnal order was built and feathered last week with great pomp and ceremony at Chicago. A flock of about one hundred and fifty hooters from the St. Louis nest attended, and brought with them all the valuable costumes, paraphernalia and implements for nest building, and in a few hours the nest was constructed, and one hundred and fifty-five of Chicago's prominent Masons were made full fledged Owls. There were also about three hundred of the feathered tribe present from Terre Haute, Ind., who participated in the ceremonies and the sumptuous feast that followed.

### The Mystic Shrine.

The Medinah Temple of Chicago held the first regular meeting of the season September 26, and conducted forty-nine weary pilgrims across the burning sands in safety, who, for their courage and bravery, were duly invested with the order of nobility. When the pilgrimage ended the skins were pressed and the banion juice distributed to nearly three hundred followers of the prophet.

### Red Men.

The tribes on the Chicago reservation have been doubling up and consolidating during the past year to such an extent that, of the nineteen tribes in that city in 1889, only seven now remain. Those remaining have been very materially strengthened by the additions from the disbanded tribes.

### The Elks.

Columbus Lodge, No. 37, celebrated its fifth anniversary recently by a brilliant social session, to which all the wits and bon-vivants in the country were invited. The occasion was made memorable by the number of humorous speeches, recitations and character sketches delivered by prominent members of the dramatic profession.

McDOUGALL.

## SCIENCE CLIPPINGS.

THE caterpillar feeds with two sawedged jaws, working transversely, and uses them to such good advantage that he eats three or four times his own weight every day.

TWENTY-ONE horses tied to a wire fence at a funeral in Missouri the other day were knocked down by a streak of lightning which was traveling over the wire. Four of them were killed.

BLACKSMITHS can start a fire by pounding violently a rod of soft iron, first spreading on the anvil a layer of powdered coal dust. This is a good illustration of the conversion of force into heat.

STONES similar to the famous traveling stones of Australia, have recently been found in Nevada. They range from the size of a pea up to six or seven inches in diameter, and when placed within a few feet of each other, upon a flat surface, they will at once begin traveling towards a common center, where they will huddle together. They are always to be found in heaps at the bottom of natural basins in that section. Scientists say that their attraction is a magnetic one, the material of which they are composed being a kind of lodestone.

THE temperature of snow at different depths has been investigated by Signor Christoni. He finds that the variations in temperature of the lowest layer, next to the ground, are extremely small, while the uppermost layer has often considerably higher temperature. The temperature minimum of the air layer next the snow was always lower than that of the uppermost snow layer, while an air layer about twenty inches above the snow had a higher temperature than the layer 1.2 inches above the snow.

### Electricity in the Printing Office.

A new use for electricity has been found at the Cook publishing house. In the office of the superintendent ten electric lamps are arranged in separate compartments of a frame or box, somewhat similar in appearance to the annunciators seen in hotel offices. The lamps are concealed from view, apertures in front of the compartments being covered with colored glass, each having its distinguishing color. The lamps are connected by means of electric wires with the automatic counting machines on the ten large printing presses located in an adjoining building. When the presses are in operation, the electric circuit is opened and closed by the working of the counting machines, causing quick flashes of light in the lamps. Thus every sheet of paper printed in the establishment telegraphs its record to the office, where the operation of each machine can be seen and its speed or delays noted.

In this connection it may be interesting to note that the speed of the large perfecting press is so great that it was found necessary to record each two sheets printed instead of single sheets, and even then the flashes of its lamp are almost continuous in appearance, showing that while the press is not quite as quick as lightning, it is too fast for the eye to follow.

It is believed that this is the first application of electricity to purposes of this kind, and may serve as a valuable hint to managers of large establishments who wish to be enabled to see the operation of their machinery while working at their desks.—Elgin (Ill.) Daily News.

### Waste of Water.

The Review and Record, a paper devoted to real estate matters over in Brooklyn, concludes that few people have any conception of the amount of water which escapes from faucets left running during cold weather where there is danger of freezing over night. In the annual report of the Zanesville (O.) water works, recently issued, there is a table published which is sufficient to astonish the unthinking who indulge freely in the water waste business. The table given gives various sizes and pipes, head and pressure, and commences with an aperture the diameter of which is one sixty-fourth part of an inch, equivalent to that of a cambric needle. Under a head—we will say of 150 feet—equivalent to a pressure of almost 65 pounds to the square inch, the quantity of water which would escape during the year, if always open, would reach 26,280 gallons, or through an orifice the size of a pin, equal to one thirty-second of an inch, the quantity escaping in the same time and under the same pressure will be 115,632 gallons. Where so large a quantity as that will escape from a small orifice it is only a question of figures to ascertain how much water is lost through the winter months during the prevalence of frost.

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| 4th do | 10.00 | do | 10.17 do |
| 5th do | 11.00 | do | 11.34 do |
| 6th do | 11.45 | do | 12.08 P.M. do |
| 7th do | 1.45 P. M. | do | 2.15 & 2.25 P.M. do |
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| 9th do | 3.30 | do | meet 3 51 P. M. train. |
| 10th do | 5.00 | do | do 5.39 do |
| 11th do | 5.45 | do | do 6.07 do |
| 12th do | 6.45 | do | do 7.03 do |

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Leave Plainfield 3 37, 5 24, 5 38, 6 29, 6 59, 7 26 7 50, 7 58, 8, 8 15, 8 31, 8 37, 9 32, 10 05, 11 09, 11 39, A. M., 1, 1 41, 2 07, 2 30, 3 12, 3 51, 5 08, 5 31, 6 07, 6 54, 7 05, 8 31, 9 28, 10 15, 11 28 P. M. Sunday—3 37, 5 24, 8 01, 8 52, 11 02, 11 16 A. M., 12 33, 1 33, 3 20, 5 16, 7 01, 7 10, 8 23, 9 32, 10 02 P. M.

Leave New York from foot of Liberty street, 4 30, 5 45, 7, 7 45, 8 45, 10, 11, A. M., 1, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4, 4 30, 5, 5 15, 5 30, 5 45, 6, 6 15, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 8, 8 30, 9 15, 10, 11 30 P. M., 12 15, night. Sunday—4 30, 7, 8 30, 9, 9 30, A. M., 12 M., 1, 1 15, 4, 5 30, 6, 7, 9 00, 10 00 P. M., 12 15 night.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield 5 38, 6 29, 6 59, 7 26, 8, 8 37, 9 32, 10 05, 11 09, 11 39, A. M., 1, 2 07, 2 30, 3 12, 3 51, 5 08, 5 31, 6 07, 6 54, 7 05, 8 31, 10 12, 11 28 P. M. Sunday—8 01, 8 52, 11 02, 11 16, A. M., 12 33, 1 30, 3 30, 5 16, 7 01, 7 10, 8 23, 9 32, 10 02 P. M.

Leave Newark 7 10, 7 50, 8 55, 10 10, 11 05 A. M., 1 05, 1 50, 3 50, 5 40, 4 02, 4 35, 5 05, 5 50, 6 55, 7 15, 7 35, 8 20, 9 35, 11 25 P. M. Sunday—7 20, 8 40, 9 05, 9 50, A. M., 12 05, 1 10, 4 10, 5 40, 6 05, 7 05, 9 25, 10 20 P. M.

Passengers for Newark change cars at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7, 8 07, 9 42, 11, 11 58 A. M., 1 50, 2 22, 3 45, 4 34, 5 20, 5 34, 6 20, 6 38, 7 03, 7 12, 7 34 8 20, 9 43, 11 15, 12 43 P. M. Sunday—8 45, 8 13, 9 46, A. M., 2 08, 2 30, 5 14, 6 35, 10 15, 11 14 P. M.

Leave Somerville, 6, 6 30, 7 03, 7 25, 7 35, 7 48 9 05, 9 47, 11 15 A. M., 12 35, 1 15, 1 48, 2 05, 3 2 4 40, 5 12, 5 35, 8 05, 8 50, 11 05, P. M. Sunday—8 25, 10 35 A. M., 12 08, 105, 4 50, 6 40, 8 05, 8 05, 9 50 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7, 8 07, 9 42, A. M., 1 59, 4 34, 5 20, 6 38, 8 20 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 13 A. M., 2 03, 6 35 P. M.

Leave Easton 6 05, 8 44, 12 A. M., 12 22, 4 09, 6 49 P. M. Sunday—7 15, 10 05, A. M., 6 40, 7 30 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 9 42 A. M., 5 20 P. M.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

LEAVE PLAINFIELD.

5 45 A. M. for Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

7 A. M. for High Bridge Branch and Easton.

8 07 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 42 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Nanticoke, Drifton, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c.

1 59 P. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, &c.

4 34 P. M. for D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

5 20 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch Schooley's Mountain, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, &c.

6 20 P. M. for Flemington.

6 38 P. M. for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg.

8 20 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8 13 a. m. Sundays for High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, &c., 2 03 p. m. Sundays for High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua and Pottsville. 6 35 p. m Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m. 1 p. m.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c.

Leave Plainfield 3 37, 8, 11 09, a. m., 3 51, 5 31, p. m. Sundays—(except Ocean Grove) 8 52, a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 38, 8, 10 05, 11 09 a. m., 1, 3 51, 5 31, 7 09 p. m. Sunday—8 52 a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8, 10 05 a. m., 1, 3 51, 5 31, p. m.

ROUND BROOK ROUTE.

Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia, 1 17, 5 45, 8 29, 9 48, 11 58* a. m., 1 59*, 2 32*, 4 08, 5 34*, 6 39*, 8 20 p. m. Sundays—1 17, 9 48, a. m., 2 30* 4 08, 5 14*, 6 55 p. m.

For Baltimore and Washington at 1 17, 9 48, 11 58* a. m., 2 45, 4 08, 5 34* p. m. Sundays—1 17, 9 48 a. m., 2 47, 4 08, 5 14* p. m.

RETURNING—LEAVE PHILADELPHIA,

Ninth and Green streets, 7 30*, 8 30*, 9 30, 11 05 a. m., 12 45, 1 30, 3 15, 5 15, 6 15, 8 02, 8 45, 12 p. m Sundays—8 a. m., 12 50, 3 10, 5 15, 6 10, 8, 12 p. m.

From 24th and Chestnut—8 10, 8 20*, 11 08, a. m. 12 52, 3 20, 6 18, 8 05, p. m. Sundays—3 10, 5 35 a. m., 12 52, 3 20, 6 18, 8 05 p. m.

Leave Trenton, Warren and Tucker sts., 1 30, 4 00, 7*, 8*, 9*, 10 10, 11 55 a. m., 1 28, 2 10, 2 40*, 3 30, 5 55 6 59, 8 47, 10 p. m. Sundays—1 30, 4 09, 9 55 a. m. 1 28, 4, 6 55, 7, 8 47 p. m.

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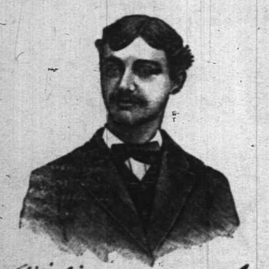

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**The Late Justice Miller's Widow Without Adequate Means of Support—Admiral Porter's Condition Improved. Masons in Session Confer Important Orders—Revenue Officer Appointed.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 21.—A. B. Mullett, who was Supervising Architect of the Treasury from 1865 until 1873, committed suicide at his home here last evening, by blowing out his brains with a pistol. Melancholia, with suicidal intent—the result of business reverses of late years, coupled with ill-health, undoubtedly led up to the rash and fatal act.

Mr. Mullett was born in England 56 years ago. He came to this country when a boy and was appointed to a clerkship in the Supervising Architect's office by Secretary Chase in 1862. Subsequently he was promoted to the position of Supervising Architect, a position he held until 1873, when on account of dislike to Secretary Bristow he resigned.

Mr. Mullett designed the War, State and Navy Department buildings in Washington, as well as a number of other public buildings in New York, St. Louis, Cincinnati, Portland, Maine, and other cities.

### A PAINFUL PROBLEM.

**Justice Miller's Entire Estate Was the House in Which He Lived.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 21.—A somewhat painful problem presents itself in connection with the death of the late Associate-Justice Miller as to what is to become of his widow. She has no son to support her. There are two married daughters, one widowed, and herself without adequate means of support.

It is stated as a positive fact by those in a position to know that the wife of the great jurist, Abraham Lincoln's friend, will either have to keep a boarding house or rent or sell her homestead to make a living. Justice Miller left no other property of any amount except his house on Massachusetts avenue.

**Action on the Death of Justice Miller.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 21.—A meeting of the Bar of the United States Supreme Court was held in the Supreme Court Chamber to take action on the death of Justice Miller. S. F. Phillips was elected chairman and James H. McKenny, secretary. After a committee of fourteen, with Senator Evarts as chairman, had been appointed to draft resolutions commemorative of the deceased justice, the meeting adjourned until December 6 next, when the committee will report.

**Important Masonic Gathering.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 21.—The Supreme Council of the Thirty-third degree of the Ancient Scottish Rite of Free Masonry for the southern jurisdiction of the United States, styled the Mother Supreme Council of the World, is holding its regular biennial session at the House of the Temple, corner Third and E streets. The Royal Order of Scotland was conferred on a number of prominent Masons, including among others, Rev. Canon Carmichael and Hon. Henry Stockdell.

**Appointed Revenue Collector.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 21.—The Secretary of the Treasury has made the following appointment in the Internal Revenue Service: Wm. H. Bowman, Lancaster, Pa.

**Admiral Porter Better.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 21.—Dr. Wales, Admiral Porter's physician, says that the admiral is better and continues to improve.

### INDUSTRIAL REFORM PARTY.

**Labor Organizations in Connecticut Nominate a State Ticket.**

HARTFORD, Conn., Oct. 21.—Delegates from labor organizations in this State met here to form the Industrial Reform party. Resolutions were adopted favoring substantially Henry George's idea of land taxation, and demanding the Australian system of voting, a shorter working day, abolition of convict labor, a national banking system, and government control of railroads, telegraphs and telephones.

An attempt was made to postpone until another year the nomination of a State ticket but it failed, and the following nominations were made: For Governor, Henry C. Baldwin, of Naugatuck; Lieutenant-Governor, George A. Saunders, of Hartford; Secretary of State, H. H. Lane, of New Haven; Comptroller, George C. Sheldon, of Griswold; Treasurer, Charles Corning, of New London.

**Two Attempts to Wreck Trains.**

NORWICH, Conn., Oct. 21.—Two attempts were made last night to wreck trains on the Norwich & Worcester Railroad near Alexander Pond, in the town of Killingly. A large rock was put on the track in front of the freight which is due here at 7:20 p. m. The locomotive struck it and knocked it from the track. The train was stopped and the engineer went back to find the obstruction, and when returning to his train was surprised to find that a tie had been laid on the track by the villians in the hope of wrecking the passenger train due in this city at 7:37. This obstruction was removed, but the wreckers who did the work were not captured.

### A STRANGE CASE.

**The Body of a Girl found in a Box Sent to Her Home.**

LANCASTER, Pa., Oct. 21.—A box bearing a weird label was delivered at New Holland, a little village twelve miles from Lancaster, on Sunday morning. It came by express from Mt. Vernon, O., and was addressed to Mrs. Caroline Settley. Those who saw it were startled at reading above the address the following inscription: "Suicide."

Hastily the lid was removed and as soon as the affrightened workers approached the strange object they saw that what apparently lay before them was the corpse of Helen Settley. Drs. Bushong and Kohler were at once summoned and they noticed that the evidence of death were not there, not a sign of decomposition. So instead of being wrapped in the clothes of death, the girl was placed in a bed and a closer examination made. It was found that the hands were warm and a slight flush appeared on the cheeks. Restoratives were applied, but to no avail. These conditions were the same throughout the night and all next day. To-day the mother is watching by the bedside of her girl, not knowing whether a corpse lies between the sheets or whether there is life in the motionless form.

### AN OLD MURDER MYSTERY.

**A Crime Committed Nearly Thirty Years Ago Just Cleared Up.**

BOSTON, Oct. 21.—A few nights before Thanksgiving Day, 1863, Abel Hawkins, a cabinet maker of Dorchester, was found in his shop with his skull crushed, and he died soon afterward. George Hall, a fellow-workman, was suspected of being his murderer, but at the coroner's inquest he proved an alibi.

News has just reached Dorchester that a man who had recently died in Canada, confessed that he killed Hawkins. The alleged confessor is said to have been in Dorchester at the time of the murder, and was supposed to have enlisted, since which time nothing has been heard of him until now.

**Did Birchall Fire the Shot?**

WOODSTOCK, Ont., Oct. 21.—Mrs. West Jones had an interview with Birchall a day or two ago. They conversed about the case; and, in answer to pressing questions put by her, Birchall declared as emphatically as he could that he did not fire the shots which killed Benwell, leaving her to suppose that he had a confederate. He has stuck to this story from the start—it is the only story he has stuck to—but a great majority of the people hereabouts still believe that he alone committed the crime.

**Carl Schurz in Boston.**

BOSTON, Oct. 21.—The Hon. Carl Schurz addressed the members of the Massachusetts Reform Club last night at the Brunswick. He spoke for two hours on tariff legislation, and characterized the McKinley bill as the most monstrous bill ever enacted by Congress. He denounced the Lodge bill and the course of Speaker Reed. An incidental mention of Mr. Cleveland's name was greeted with wild applause. There was a large attendance.

**Praise for Johns Hopkins.**

BALTIMORE, Oct. 21.—Prof. James Bryce, M. P., addressed the students of Johns Hopkins University in the historical seminary. He congratulated them on studying at an institution renowned the world over for its thoroughness in the vast unexplored fields of original research, the worth of its literary productions and the value of its additions to science and art.

**Want No Fair on Sunday.**

READING, Pa., Oct. 21.—The Eastern Synod of the Reformed Church in the United States resumed its sessions here. A petition was signed protesting against the opening of the proposed World's Fair at Chicago on Sunday and asking all members of the Reformed Church to assist in preserving the sanctity of the Sabbath.

**Won by Tommy Warren.**

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 21.—Tommy Warren picked up $900 easily here last night by defeating Ernest Bescher before the Columbia Athletic Club. The fight lasted a round and a half when Warren landed his left over Bescher's heart and his right on the jaw and Bescher was out. Warren wants to fight Ike Weir or Cal McCarthy.

**Sentenced for Assaulting a Reporter.**

BOSTON, Oct. 21.—John R. Ryan, stroke oar of the Bradford Boat Club, of Cambridge, was sentenced to six months in the House of Correction for an assault upon Nelson J. Innes, of Boston, a reporter. Ryan is alleged to have pushed Innes overboard from the club house float. Ryan appealed.

**Will Strike To-Day.**

ROCKLAND, Mass., Oct. 21.—It is understood that the machine operators, stichers and finishers, and all members of the Boot and Shoe Workers' Union, will be ordered out of Wright & Richards' shop some time to-day, to force the firm to come to terms with the striking hand sewers.

## NINE MEN DROWNED

### The Steamer Annie Young Burned on Lake Huron.

### THIRTEEN OF THE CREW SAVED.

### The Vessel Carried a Cargo of Coal and Merchandise.

**Numerous Disasters to Shipping at Lynn, Mass.—Wreckage of Every Description Strewn Along the Beaches—Fearful Gale at Highland Light—A Philadelphia Captain and Ten of His Crew Lost.**

PORT HURON, Mich., Oct. 21.—The steamer Annie Young caught fire during the morning. The captain and crew took to the boats, nine going in one boat and thirteen in the other. The thirteen were picked up by the steamer Edward Smith, but the other boat was upset and all its occupants drowned. Among those lost were George McMannus, of Port Huron, who only shipped in the morning; J. Connelly, J. Crosby, T. Gallagher, George Connelly, and four deck hands.

The young left Detroit at 6:15, wind blowing a fresh breeze from the northeast. She had a cargo of coal and merchandise.

The boat was built in Detroit in 1869. She was of 693 tons burden and valued at $30,000.

The mate was very badly burned about the face and hands. He is in care of the Marine Hospital.

The Young was bound from Gladstone to Buffalo. Amount of insurance unknown.

### NUMEROUS DISASTERS.

**The Beaches from Swampscott to Marblehead, Mass., Strewn With Wreckage.**

LYNN, Mass., Oct. 21.—There were numerous disasters to vessels here. The small fishing schooner Vapor, of Swampscott, went ashore on King's Beach and was completely wrecked. There was no one aboard of her. Near the same point, an unnamed white lap-streak sloop, about twenty-five feet long, came ashore and was badly strained.

The catboat Wanda, owned by Royal E. Robbins, treasurer of the Waltham Watch Company, drove ashore on the rocks, wrenching her keel, breaking her rudder and being otherwise damaged. At West Lynn, the sloop yacht Flying Yankee is ashore on Old Cow point in a bad condition. The yacht Plover and a small sloop owned by Thomas Gard went ashore on the Marshes, but were not much injured. A black sloop is high and dry on Sand Point, and the sloop Saucy, of the West Lynn Yacht Club, is ashore on Little Nahant Beach.

The beaches from Swampscott to Marblehead are strewn with wreckage of every description.

**Twelve Lives Lost.**

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 21.—A private cablegram from China received in this city stated that Captain Fownes, his child and ten of his crew were drowned when his ship Lizzie C. Troop went ashore on the Loo Choo Islands, while bound from Philadelphia via Shanghai to Puget Sound. The captain's wife, the mate and the balance of the crew were saved and are safe at the Loo Choo Islands.

**Storm-Delayed Steamers.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 21.—A fleet of storm-tossed vessels is overdue at this port and the gale of Friday last has caught several of the liners. The overdue ships are the France from London, the Pocasset from Gibraltar, the St. Asapath and the St. Dunstan, both from London. The new North German Lloyd steamship Spree, which was due here on Sunday last, also has not arrived.

**Terrific Gale on the Coast.**

HIGHLAND LIGHT, Mass., Oct. 21.—The terrific gale which began here Sunday is slightly moderating. A fearful sea is still sweeping the coast, driving the life saving patrol inland at every full tide.

**A Wrecked Schooner Goes to Pieces.**

CHATHAM, Mass., Oct. 21.—The gale continues here. The wrecked schooner Asa Pervere has gone to pieces.

**Terrific Boiler Explosion.**

PITTSBURG, Pa., Oct. 21.—While a shifting engine on the Monongahela Connecting railroad was pushing a train of empty cars along a side track near the casting house of the Eliza furnace on Second street, her boiler exploded with terrific force. Engineer Flaherty was blown from the cab into the Monongahela river, a distance of 300 feet. Fireman Thomas McGuff was hurled against the brick side of the casting House and was instantly killed. Conductor James Foraker was perhaps fatally scalded about the face. Joseph Ferris was frightfully cut and scalded about the head and shoulders but may recover. Thomas Clark, a laborer, had his legs broken and back injured.

### PLOTS OF THE MAFIA.

**New Orleans Police Informed of a Scheme to Kill the Mayor.**

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 21.—The hatred of the Italians in this city is very strong—so strong, in fact, that the business of the fruit and other industries run by the Italians is almost demoralized. The haul made by the police at the grocery of Carlo Graffiro, at which forty Italians were taken in, is believed to be an important catch. It is thought that through this the actual murderers will be discovered. The police officers noticed a large number of Italians dropping into the place in twos and threes, and, believing that something was wrong, forced their way in and found a man addressing the crowd present in Italian. Charging that it was an unlawful assembly, all persons present were arrested and carried to the jail.

Information was brought to police headquarters during the day that the Mafia has decided upon putting out of the way Mayor Shakespeare, Captain William Connors and Secretary George Vandervoort. The informant stated that he overheard a conversation to this effect among some Sicilians.

Tony Matranza and Vincent Garuso have been rearrested. Both are on crutches, the result of an Esplanade street ambush by the Provenzanos. Machetes, arrested yesterday, declines to make a statement by the advice of his attorney.

A telegram has been received from W. A. Pinkerton stating that he will come to this city at once to assist in the search for the murderers of Chief of Police Hennessy.

### END OF THE JUBILEE.

**Catholic Dignitaries Present at the Banquet to Bishop Loughlin.**

BROOKLYN, N. Y., Oct. 21.—The celebration of the Golden Jubilee, commemorating fifty years' service of Bishop Loughlin, was brought to a fitting conclusion last night by a banquet tendered by the laity and served in the Assembly rooms of the Academy of Music at which over 800 guests were present.

James McMahon, the chairman of the jubilee committee, presided. At his right sat the Bishop and Mayor Chapin. On his left were Cardinal Gibbons and Archbishop Corrigan. Archbishop Elder of Cincinnati, Bishop Keane of the Washington University and other dignitaries of the church were present.

Cardinal Gibbons responded to the toast "His Holiness, Leo XIII;" Bishop Loughlin to "Our Guest;" Bishop Keane to "The United States;" Archbishop Corrigan to "The Catholic Church of America;" and Mayor Chapin to "The City of Brooklyn."

**Personal Taxes of the Money Kings.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 21.—During the session of the Fassett Senate Committee it was brought out that the personal tax assessment made on the Vanderbilt property was $40,000,000 and that Mr. Chauncey Depew, counsel for the Vanderbilts, said that if necessary he would so arrange matters as to place all the personal property beyond reach of the Tax Department. A compromise was finally made and the sum of $8,000,000 fixed upon as the amount upon which the Vanderbilts would pay a personal tax. Jay Gould paid a personal tax on $500,000, the estate of Helen Gould on $200,000 and George J. Gould on $100,000.

**Banquet to the Count of Paris.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 21.—The veteran commanders of the Army of the Potomac gave a banquet last night, at the Plaza, Hotel, to their old comrade, the Count of Paris. General Sherman welcomed the guests of the evening, and toasted the President of the United States. General Butterfield, General Scofield, General Howard, Admiral Braine and the Count of Paris also spoke. An Army of the Potomac badge was presented to the Count by General Slocum.

**Mahopac Falls Mines Suspend.**

ALBANY, N. Y., Oct. 21.—The Mahopac Falls mines, which were once the most prolific iron ore center in the State, apparently have become exhausted within the past few weeks and work has been suspended. There was ore available in these mines until a big cave-in occurred. The cave-in carried down with it several thousand dollars' worth of valuable machinery.

**Dropped Dead of Heart Disease.**

BATH, Me., Oct. 21.—William Fisher, U. S. Shipping Commissioner for this port, dropped dead of heart disease. He was born in Arrowsic, 58 years ago, and was engaged in the lumber business. He was for several years a member of the city government and was appointed shipping commissioner by President Harrison. He leaves two children.

**Fell Seventy Feet Into the River.**

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Oct. 21.—Andrew Andrews, a workman employed on the construction of the bridge across the Genesee at the lower falls, fell from the false work which supports the iron span to the bed of the river, seventy feet below. His skull was fractured and death immediately followed. He was 30 years of age.

**Dempsey Will Fight.**

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 21.—Jack Dempsey has signed articles of agreement to fight Bob Fitzsimmons for a purse and the middle weight championship of the world before the Olympic Club, in this city, about the middle of December. A telegram from Dempsey says the articles are on the way by mail.

**An Old Soldier Killed.**

UTICA, N. Y., Oct. 21.—Peter Lampson, aged 83 years, a mail carrier and old soldier, stepped in front of a light engine on the New York Central road at St. Johnsville, and was instantly killed. It is supposed that he did not see or hear the engine's approach and started to cross the track.

## FIRED AT THE CZAR

### Particulars of the Attempt at Assassination.

### GLADSTONE'S TRIUMPHAL TOUR.

### Cheered by Large Crowds all the Way to Edinburgh.

**William O'Brien Talks About His Visit to America—Fever Cases from Eating Diseased Potatoes—Engagement of Minister Phelps' Daughters—The Conservatives' Latest Move Against Parnell.**

WARSAW, Oct. 21.—The report of another attempt to kill His Imperial Majesty the Czar, while he was returning to St. Petersburg from West Russia, has not been contradicted.

The train containing His Majesty stopped at the station of Porjetcha, near Grodno, and a passenger fired at the Czar, but his aim was not true, and he failed in his attempt to slay the ruler of all the Russias.

### GLADSTONE'S TOUR.

**He Delivers His First Address This Afternoon at Edinburgh.**

EDINBURGH, Oct. 21.—Mr. Gladstone's journey from Hawarden to this city has been a triumphal tour. The popular demonstrations at every place where an opportunity to greet him was afforded were so remarkable as to draw expressions of surprise from the Grand Old Man himself, accustomed as he is to crowds and applause.

Much of this enthusiasm, no doubt, is evoked by admiration for Mr. Gladstone's personal qualities and the desire to do homage to a great Englishman, soon, in the course of nature, to pass away; yet the Liberals are confident that it also indicates an increased popularity of the political platform which their leader represents.

Mr. Gladstone delivers his first address this afternoon. He speaks in the Corn Exchange, which will hold about 4,000 people. The acoustic properties of the hall are defective, but they have been remedied by stretching large wires across the hall to break the echo.

### MR. O'BRIEN TALKS.

**He Feels Certain of the Support of Irishmen in America.**

PARIS, Oct. 21.—Mr. O'Brien was interviewed to-day and said that he attached no importance to the reports of contentions in the United States. He remarked that such reports were always rife just before the setting out of an Irish mission to that country.

Members of the delegation, he said, would take no part in rivalries of any kind; they went as the representatives of Mr. Parnell and the entire party in Ireland, and he felt certain they would have the support of the Irishmen in America, and that of the whole American people.

OTTAWA, Ont., Oct. 21.—Sir John Thompson, Minister of Justice, in an interview about the contemplated visit of O'Brien and Dillon to Canada, states that he is not certain as to English statutes bearing on their case and until he has studied up the case he will not venture an opinion as to whether or not they could be arrested in Canada. There are certain offenses that may be committed which can be followed up and the guilty party arrested in any part of the British Empire.

**Latest Move of the Conservatives.**

CORK, Oct. 21.—Several thousand names have been stricken from the voting lists of this city by order of the Conservatives, thus disfranchising nearly the same number of Liberals. This is a savage blow at Mr. Parnell, who is one of the city's representatives in Parliament. It is apprehended in Home Rule circles that the same plan will be tried in other sections of Ireland, with a view of getting rid of opposition majorities.

**The American Escapes.**

EDINBURGH, Oct. 21.—The American, Stephen Smith alias Holmes, said to have formerly been a Chicago barber, who was arrested in London, in July, for stealing the Duke of Edinburgh's jewels last May, while His Royal Highness was conducting the opening ceremonies of the Edinburgh Electrical Exhibition, was tried, and a verdict of "guilt not proven" was rendered.

**Clergymen in the House of Commons.**

LONDON, Oct. 21.—At the coming session of Parliament a bill is to be introduced enabling clergymen in holy orders to sit as members of the House of Commons, from which they are now excluded, although large numbers of prelates sit in the House of Lords. Lord Coleridge declares himself opposed to the change.

**German Spies Arrested in France.**

PARIS, Oct. 21.—A man named Dietrich and his sister, German spies, were arrested at Belfort. Plans of the forts and other military works of the city were found at the house occupied by Dietrich. The brother and sister had an accomplice, a Hanoverian spy, named Stahl.

**Dented by Portugal.**

LISBON, Oct. 21.—The Government denies the statement published here and emanating from a correspondent at Berne that the United States is about to send a fleet of warships to Lisbon to demand the payment of the claims for damages arising from the seizure of the Delagoa railway.

**Minister Phelps' Daughters.**

BERLIN, Oct. 21.—It is announced that the eldest daughter of United States Minister Phelps is engaged to be married to Lieutenant Van Reuter, and that the youngest daughter is engaged to Baron Witzleben. Both gentlemen are officers in the Imperial Guards.

## TRADES UNIONS IN COUNCIL.

**Important Meeting of the Federation of Labor at Harrisburg.**

HARRISBURG, Pa., Oct. 21.—Representatives of many of the trades unions throughout the State are in session today in the House of Representatives.

The convention has been called at the instance of the Central Labor Union of Erie, for the purpose of organizing a State branch of the American Federation of Labor, the object being to secure the union of all the trade organizations in Pennsylvania under a central jurisdiction.

A series of resolutions will be adopted setting forth the purpose and aims of the Federation of Labor. Some important legislation will also be discussed. It is the purpose of the convention to appoint a Legislative Committee to guard the interests of the trades unions before the coming session of the Legislature.

"Politics will be ignored," said one of the leading delegates, "and any attempt to introduce anything of the kind will be downed."

Among the prominent trades unionists in attendance are John S. Kirchner, of Philadelphia, and Daniel Kramer, of Erie, two of the national organizers of the Federation of Labor; J. W. Bisbing, of Philadelphia, general organizer of the Cigarmakers' International Union; Prof. T. H. Garside, of Philadelphia, representing the Federation of Jewish Trades Unions, and others. There were between sixty and seventy delegates present at the opening session.

It is probable the convention will be in session two days. This evening Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, will address a mass meeting. There will also be other speakers.

**Willie Sprague's Funeral.**

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Oct. 21.—The body of Willie Sprague arrived at Canonchet from Seattle, Wash., and the funeral took place from St. Peter's by the Sea, Narragansett Pier, at noon. The body will be laid away in the family's big vault at Swan Point, on the shore of the Seekonk.

**Another Victim of the Fire.**

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Oct. 21.—Mary Tynan, one of the victims of the Leland fire, died at St. Joseph's Hospital. She was a domestic at the hotel and jumped from a window. She was also badly burned.

### NEWS OF THE DAY.

A slight shock of earthquake was felt in Lisbon.

Governor Hill has gone to Ohio on a stumping tour.

The French Chamber of Deputies has resumed its sessions.

The Episcopal Council opened its session in Pittsburg to-day.

Hon. Isaac Holden, M. P. of England, has donated £1,000 to the fund of the Irish National Liberalists.

The report that Gov. Campbell will retire from the Gubernatorial office of Ohio is denied by that gentlemen.

Baron Wissman, of Berlin, has had a farewell audience with the Emperor prior to his departure for East Africa.

Isaiah S. Emery, of Rochester, N. Y., labor candidate for Congress, committed suicide by taking chloroform and opening an artery in his wrist.

Burglars at Nielsonville, Pa., broke into the office of a lumber firm, sandbagged, gagged and bound the watchman, and robbed the safe of $2,000.

William Taylor, convicted at Albany, N. Y., of killing his mother near West Troy in the spring of 1889, was sentenced to life imprisonment in Dannemora.

Mr. Balfour, Chief Secretary for Ireland, seems to be one of fortune's favored sons. He has just been offered $1,000,000 for his shooting preserves in the north of Scotland.

The report of the death of Jere Dunn, the gambler, in Texas, received from Chicago, is without foundation in fact, as he was in New York yesterday in good health.

It is rumored in theatrical circles in New York city that the McCaull Opera company had become financially embarrassed, and would return to that city. A continued run of poor business is the chief cause of the trouble.

Peter Jackson, the pugilist, will arrive in this country again November 6 for a tour of the States under the management of Parson Davies. Jackson's reception in Australia was enthusiastic. He will star with Jem Corbett, the Parson accompanying them

**Weather Indications.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 21.—For New England and Eastern New York: Cloudiness and intermittent showers: diminishing northerly winds: warmer by to-morrow morning.

For New Jersey: Rains, followed by fair weather: winds becoming variable; warmer by to-morrow morning.

For Western New York: Showers, followed by fair weather: variable winds and warmer by to-morrow morning.

### NEW YORK MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Oct. 20.—Money on call to-day 4 and 5 per cent.

BONDS.

| | Closing Saturday. | Closing To-day. |
|---|---|---|
| 4½s, 1891 Reg | 104¾ | 104¾ |
| 4½s, 1891 Coup | 104¾ | 104¾ |
| 4 s, 1907 Reg | 123¼ | 124 |
| 4 s, 1907 Coup | 124 | 121 |

STOCK MARKET.

| | Closing Saturday. | Closing To-day. |
|---|---|---|
| Canadian Pacific | — | 76 |
| Central Pacific | — | — |
| Chicago, Bur. & Q | 91¾ | 92¾ |
| Delaware & Hudson | 130¼ | — |
| Del., Lack. & Western | 145¾ | 144¾ |
| Erie | 21½ | 22¼ |
| Erie pref | — | — |
| Lake Shore | 109¾ | 107½ |
| Louis. & Nash | 77¾ | 76¾ |
| Michigan Central | — | 94¾ |
| Missouri Pacific | 68¼ | 69¾ |
| New Jersey Central | 110¾ | — |
| Northwestern | 106¾ | 106¾ |
| Oregon Navigation | — | — |
| Pacific Mail | 30¼ | 31¼ |
| Reading | 37¾ | 37¾ |
| Rock Island | 72½ | 72¾ |


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## BY THE WAY.

—The foot-ball team of the Westfield Athletic Club will tussle with a team from Plainfield election day.

—Boehm of 7 West Front street, is offering a line of dry and fancy goods unexcelled in this or any other city, and his milliner is noted for the good style and brilliancy of her trimmed hats and bonnets.

—The Home Building and Loan Association opened its sixth series, last evening, with satisfactory subscriptions. Loans to the amount of $4,700, were sold at a premium above twenty-five cents per month.

—After the play, last evening, the police were a little anxious because of the number of men that had assembled around the entrance to Music Hall. It was rumored that they had gathered there to lynch the clarionet player.

—The drama at Amphion Hall all of this week in which the Leonzo Bros., their company of actors and actresses, and their trained dogs appear, certainly deserves praise. They opened to a big house last evening, and everybody present was remarkably well pleased.

—The Y. M. A. has fortunately been able to secure the services of Ezra Loomis as instructor of a class in book-keeping and penmanship. The class will be organized on Monday evening next at 8 o'clock. A $2.00 membership in the Association entitles to this and other privileges of the Association.

—Only two or three handfuls of people were present at Music Hall, last evening. As THE PRESS of Saturday said, to change the play from "The Honeymoon" as first advertised, to "Romeo and Juliet," was a mistake. The company was a specially good one, and besides Miss Mather, John Malone, as *Mercutio*, and Otis Skinner, as *Romeo*, deserve particular mention.

—The usual Tuesday evening meeting under the auspices of the Christian Endeavor Society of Warren Union Mission, will be held this evening, commencing at 7:45 o'clock with a service of song. The Rev. Mr. Cubberly, pastor of the New Market Baptist church, will have charge of the devotional exercises. All are welcome. The society will hold its next sociable on Thursday evening of this week.

—The fair arranged by the ladies of the Unitarian church for the benefit of the building fund, will open to-morrow afternoon at two o'clock, at 91 Broadway, corner of Sixth street. There will be lots of fancy, useful and miscellaneous articles; flowers, candies, chocolate and dolls. A New England supper, which includes baked beans, brown bread and pumpkin pie, will be served at seven o'clock each evening, Wednesday and Thursday.

## PARTICULAR MENTION

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Griffin, of Washington Park, are visiting relatives at Springfield, Mass.

Dr. W. C. Boone leaves to-morow for a three weeks visit in the Shenandoah Valley. He will take a gun and tackle.

Recent arrivals at Van Court Inn, Roselle, include Miss Edith Hyde of Plainfield, and Miss Daisy Shepard of Fanwood.

Dr. M. S. Simpson, while returning from a visit to a patient, last evening, stepped into an excavation that was carelessly left uncovered, and badly sprained his right knee-joint.

A number of Plainfielders attended a highly enjoyable golden wedding at New Dover, near Rahway, last Friday, when Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Woodruff celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of their marriage. The ceremony of a half-century ago occurred at the residence of James Thorn, a brother of the bride, in this city, October 17, 1840. The maiden name of the bride was Martha E. Thorn.

Miss Maude Agnes Bowers has been secured to lend additional attraction and tone to the programme of the entertainment that has been announced to take place at Seminaary Hall, Friday of next week. Marshall P. Wilder will recite, and Miss Murphy, Mrs. George C. Evans, William M. Sanders and Walter McGee, will appear in the farce, "A Bilious Attack." The entertainment is under the auspices of the Guild of the Holy Cross church. A limited number of tickets will be issued to those leaving their names at Reynolds's pharmany.

### Caught By An Amateur Policeman.

An unidentified man who was begging from door to door in the borough, this morning, and picking up whatever was in his reach, was subsequently caught by A. W. Demarest and turned over to Constable Conover. Young Demarest saw the man go into L. M. French's house empty handed, and come out with an umbrella. Then he grabbed the thief. The latter had a silver napkin ring that he had stolen from somewhere, and which he was offering for sale.

### For the Starving Poor in Ireland.

A letter from Bishop Wigger was read in all the Catholic churches and throughout the diocese of New York, ordering that a special election be taken up next Sunday at every mass in all churches of the diocese for the starving poor of Ireland. Bishop Wigger calls upon Catholics to be as generous as possible in this emergency.

### Killed Three Deer in One Minute.

Albert V. Nolen, of Broadway, when about starting on a pleasure trip recently with sport in his eye, asked Counselor W. K. McClure, his neighbor, where was the most likely place for him to shoot a deer. The Counselor said the surest place to shoot them was just behind the fore shoulder. But Mr. Nolen wanted to know the best location of country to find the game in.

Mr. McClure therefore gave him credentials of admittance to the premises of the Megantic Club, way up in Canada, where Messrs McClure, Brower and Livingston of this city, are members. Mr. Nolen arrived on Saturday, spent Sunday looking for a church, and started out with a guide on Monday. The two arrived at the lake they started for, about noon, and sat down to luncheon not expecting to find any game in broad daylight. The guide, however, discerned some deer feeding across the water and paddled Mr. Nolen as near as he dared. Raising his rifle when he saw he could get no nearer, Mr. Nolen fired and one of three deer that were browsing on the lily pads at the edge of the lake, dropped dead. The two others, who were yearlings, were so startled that they stood stock still. There were two more sharp reports from Mr. Nolen's repeating rifle, and the three deer lay dead, side by side.

### Good Racing at the Driving Park.

A number of interesting events took place at the Gentlemen's Driving Park Saturday. The first race was between the Woodbrook Farm "Senator" and J. Fosher's "Amboy." "Senator" won the first heat in 2:54, and "Amboy" the second and third in 2:48 and 2:45.

Compton C. Vail's "Frank S." and J. Fosher's "Frank F." were the competitors in the second race. "Frank S." won. Time 2:30½ and 2:33. Frank S. was driven by Owens, and "Frank F." by Mr. Marsh.

John Hayes' "Andy" and Philip Jenner's "Blanche Warwick" ran the third race. "Andy" won in 2:45.

Charles Brower drove M. Quinn's "Kitty Pilot" in 2:49.

"Kitty Pilot" won the blanket and hood in the four-year-old race, making the fastest time in a race. She has been in training about three weeks.

Edward Campbell drove the bay mare "Idlewild," owned by E. A. Campbell, in 2:48½, and repeated in 2:43. There will be racing next Saturday.

### Local Real Estate Changes Hands.

Among the recent real estate transfers in this city are recorded the following:

Frederick F. Glasby, Sheriff, to Mary Neighbor, of Plainfield, land on Front street, Plainfield, $4,500.

Emma Faulhaber to the Catholic Young Men's Lyceum of Plainfield, land corner Fifth and Liberty streets, Plainfield, 64 x 181, $3,100.

Eleanor B. Jones to Charlotte M. Arnold, all of Plainfield, land on north side of Third place, and Charlotte M. Arnold corner, Plainfield, 2 x 129, $1.

Andrew Lutkins and wife, of North Plainfield to Cornelia C. Terwilliger, of Plainfield; let on Lee place, 150 feet south east of South avenue, Plainfield, 150 x 50 feet, $400.

William J. Davis, of Newark, to John K. Van Ness, of Plainfield, land on Front street, 50x1271 feet, $1,000.

Jeremiah Manning and wife, William M. Sandford and wife to John B. Mills, of Plainfield, land on Sandford avenue, Plainfield, 770 feet north west of East Front street, 198 x 50 feet, $1,250

### What a Plainfield Navy Chaplain Got.

There are twenty-four chaplains in the United States Navy. There are only two or three of them really at sea, a number of them serving at the navy yards and receiving ships.

A chaplain in the navy ranks as a lieutenant and for the first five years is paid $1 500 while on shore, $1,800 while at sea, and $1,200 while "waiting orders." After being in the service five years, the chaplains get $2,800 a year. The position is for life, and the pay increases as the years "roll by."

There are a few upon the superannuated list. The late Joseph Stockbridge, of this city, had been fifty years in the service. The record shows that he was seven years at sea, preached ten years and spent thirty-one years "unemployed." He ranked as Commodore when he died and got $3,750 a year.

### Local Amateurs Also on the Programme.

In connection with the appearance of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Firth Wood, at the Y. M. C. A. Hall, Friday evening, under the auspices of the Whatsoever Circle of the King's Daughters, there will be instrumental and vocal music by well-known local talent.

Robert Gorton and Bethuel Barnes will sing solos, with a double quartette consisting of Messrs Stevens, Randall, Van Arsdale, Teal, Gordon, Smith, Freeman and Barnes. Miss Lilian Force and Miss Lizzie Vanhart, will give piano selections.

### Cut a Piece of Lead Out of His Eye.

Dr. D. C. Adams successfully performed a delicate operation, yesterdy, by cutting from the eye-ball of T. O, Doane, Jr., a piece of lead that had been imbedded in it for about five years. The lead had recently been scratching into the eyelid from beneath, causing much pain. The doctors in a New York clinical college, however, told Mr. Doane that it was nothing but a little inflammation. Dr. Adams knew better and removed the cause with great delicacy and success.

## THE VOICE OF "THE VISITOR."

**The Rev. Mr. Mitchell's Methodist Episcopal Church Paper, Greets His People This Month With the First Number of its Third Volume.**

Mrs. Susan Collins is visiting her son, who is in poor health, at Leipsic, Germany.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Griffin are away among New England hills enjoying their Autumn vacation.

Mrs. J. C. Pierson, of West Front street, has been enjoying a visit from her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Baker, of Asbury Park.

The pastor and wife spent two delightful weeks in August at Maplehurst, the beautiful country-seat of Mr. P. Minturn Smith, located in Sullivan county, N. Y.

Mr. Geo. C. Mahon and family have returned from their cottage at Asbury Park. Mrs. Mahon has been much improved during her stay at the sea-side.

Rev. Herbert Welch and wife, of Bedford, N. Y., recently visited their parents here, Mr. and Mrs. James McGee. We hope soon to exchange pulpits with Mr. Welch, thus affording our people another opportunity of hearing our talented young friend.

Mr. Harry D. French, of Willow avenue, is enjoying a brief visit from his parents, who reside in Cincinnati.

The Rev. Mr. Hyde, of the New England Conference, has recently moved here with his family from Boston. His home is on the corner of Madison avenue and West Sixth street. We welcome these good people to our church, and hope that Mr. and Mrs. Hyde may find this locality as healthy as they have been led to hope. Ill-health is the cause of Mr. Hyde's temporary rest from ministerial work.

The following were united in marriage by the pastor: July 5, George Robert Devine to Fanny Elizabeth Pfeiffer; Sept. 11, Joseph Frederick Wharton to Alice Conover Gleason; Sept. 15, John B. Sharp to Josephine Talliant; Sept. 24, William R. VanCleve to Johanna Schenck; Sept. 24, John F. Kulp to Augusta Voehl.

The pastor rejoices that so many of our young people are anxious for a higher education. This year Miss Clara Burt is at Wellesly; Frank Cokefair and his cousin, Abram Albertson, are in Columbia; Clifford McGee is at Yale; Charlie Hurlbut is in Wesleyan University; Minnie French is at the Woman's College, Baltimore, and Harry Jenkins soon goes to Wyoming Seminary.

Work is progressing rapidly on the Monroe avenue Chapel building. The plan, prepared by Architect Teale, is very beautiful and convenient. A few have already contributed very liberally toward the enterprise, but the most of our people have not yet given anything. Each should take some stock in this good enterprise. Give your subscription to the pastor, or either of the committee, James McGee and J. W. Jackson. More money is needed at once. Let each do his part and the load will not be heavy.

The pastor was gratified to learn that a majority of our local church voted for the admission of women to the General Conference. Those who compose two-thirds of our church membership, who are most active in all helpful ways to the pastors, and who are already in the councils of the local church and the Electoral Conferences, have a right to be in the councils of the law-making body of the church; and we cannot but regard their rejection from the General Conferences as an impertinence and an insult to womanhood. The church has already decided that a woman may be a Sunday school superintendent, a class-leader a steward, or a trustee. As such they are members of the Quartely Conference, can vote for delegates to the Electoral Conference, may be elected to the Electoral Conference, and it is an insult to their character and intelligence to say that they can be useful in the above capacities, but are disqualified to sit in the General Conference. Only two of our church papers are opposing the women. Miss Willard was one of the strongest candidates for the place now occupied by the editor of one of those two papers.

—There will be a Democratic mass meeting in Gesang Hall, over the brook, Thursday evening. Gov. Abbett is expected to be present. Seats will be provided for fifteen hundred people.

$1,000.

For Value Received, we promise to cure any case of Kidney Disease, Female Derangement, Back-ache, or any ailment caused by SOUR BLOOD, with the F. E. C. Remedy.

(Signed), F. E. C. MEDICINE CO.

Our new treatise on "Sour Blood," its cause and cure, sent free by addressing above company.

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FOR THE BREAKFAST TABLE ARE
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And will leave
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CLAIRVOYANT
She can be seen from 9 to 9 o'clock, as usual, at the CITY HOTEL, ROOM 4.
Mrs. DR. EDWARDS.
Mrs. DR. EDWARDS, the greatest and the most celebrated CLAIRVOYANT in the World, and is known in this country from Maine to Mexico. She was born with the wonderful gift of second sight, and with a veil. She is the seventh daughter of the seventh daughter. She reveals every mystery; tells you if the one you love is true or false. She removes every grief, settles lovers' troubles, and causes speedy love marriages. She gives reliable information to gentlemen in all business transactions, and informs them how to make profitable investments and acquire speedy riches. She tells lucky lottery numbers. She has an Osiris Egyptian Talisman, which is noted all the world over, as a specific charm for the unlucky. All who are in trouble or sick, should call without delay.
OFFICE HOURS from 9 A. M. to 9 P. M
Ladies 50c to $1. Gentlemen $1.
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At Collier's, 3 Park Avenue,
WATCHMAKER, JEWELER AND ENGRAVER.
Established, 20 YEARS. N.B.—NO BOTCHING
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Opposite Station.
REAL ESTATE, INSURANCE.
1-2-y

Valuable Building Lots for Sale,
On Grove street and Craig place, North Plainfield. This plot is one of the most desirable in the Borough, and is offered for sale at a reasonable price and on easy terms. Will be sold in quantities to suit. Apply to Owner, at 25 Craig place.
5-14-tf

### Arrival and Departure of Mails.

*NEW YORK MAILS.*
*Arrive*—7: 30, 8 40, A. M., 12:15, 2: 30, 5: 30 P. M.
*Close*—7: 30 and 9: 30 A. M., 1: 45, 5: 30 and 8 P. M.
*SOMERVILLE AND EASTON MAILS.*
*Arrive*—8: 40 A. M., 2: 40, 6: 30 P. M.
*Close*—7: 30 A. M., 4: 30 P. M.

Direct mail to Trenton and Philadelphia at 4: 30 P. M.

*SUNDAY MAILS.*
Office open from 9: 30 to 10: 30 A. M.
Mail closes at 6: 30 P. M.

E. R. POPE, P. M.

## DEATHS.

COX—In this city, Oct. 20, of membraneous croup, Launcelot A., son of Andrew and Emma Cox, aged 7 years, 8 months and 22 days
Funeral services from the residence of his parents, 68 West 5th street, to-morrow (Wednesday) afternoon, at half-past one.

MARTIN—At Plainfield, N. J., on Sunday, Oct. 19, J Marc Martin, in the 57th year of his age
Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend the funeral services at his late residence, 135 Park ave., on Wednesday, Oct 22, at 2 P. M. Interment private. 2R

## WANTS AND OFFERS.

*Advertisements under this heading, one cent for each word each insertion.*

WANTED—A three-quarter pool table. Address Box 87, Dunellen, N. J. 10 21 3

HOUSE wanted, cheap for cash; about 9 rooms; plenty ground. Full particulars to R., DAILY PRESS office.

LOST—A ring dog, answering to the name of "Budge." A reward will be paid by returning to 69 West 7th street.

LOST, on Monday, a pocketbook containing a sum of money. Finder will be rewarded by returning it to M. Quinn's blacksmith shop, East 4th street.

LOST—An Irish bull terrier pup; brown and white, lower jaw protrudes, pink eye-lids. Answers to the name of Eddie. A suitable reward will be paid for his return to Wm. M. Stout, 169 East Front st. No questions asked. 10 20 2

STRAYED from 112 RockView avenue, one white bull terrier dog. Liberal reward if returned at once. 10 20 tf

A FINE lot on Front street. Will exchange for horse, carriage and harness. Real Estate Trust, 39 North avenue. 10 18 3

WANTED—Stout boy or man to assist in milking, and make himself generally useful. Apply at PRESS office. 10 16 tf

WANTED—First-class colored waiter. Van Court Inn. Roselle, N. J. 10 15 w

WANTED—Good laundress; permanent place, good wages. VanCourt Inn, Roselle, N. J. 10 15 w

FOUR houses to let. Inquire City Mills, Somerset street. 10 14 tf

TRUCK farm for sale; eleven acres, with good house and barn, 2 miles from Plainfield. Apply to W. C. Butler, 1 E. Front street. 10 13 tf

ROOMS, with or without board. 21 West 2d street. 10 9 12

LADIES doing their own dressmaking or employing plain seamstress, can secure perfect fit and pattern for future use. Taylor system. Miss A. T. Buckley, 27 West 4th street. 9 23 tf

STORAGE for furniture in separate rooms. Apply to C. Frank French, 69 Somerset st. 9 2 tf

WANTED—Jobbing at painting, glazing kalsomining and roof painting. Address Isaac Kennedy, 55 East Front street. tf

WANTED—Work cleaning Vaults and Cesspools. Satisfaction guaranteed. City Odorless Excavating Works, 206 Broadway. Mrs. David Jones, Proprietor. No connection with Jones & Co. 8-11-tf

Amusements.

LELAND T. POWERS,
IMPERSONATOR, AS
David Copperfield,
AT THE
Crescent Avenue Chapel,
Saturday Eve'g, October 25.
ADMISSION, - - - 50 Cts.
10 20 6

PLAINFIELD
Gesang and Turn Verein,
Will have their FAIR open
Monday Evening.
On TUESDAY EVENING will Auction off the goods that are left over.
Dancing Every Evening!
10 20 2

M. H. A.
MUSIC HALL.
Thursday, October 23, 1890.
William Gillette's
HELD BY THE ENEMY.
Greatest of all War Dramas.
Performed over 300 nights in New York, and 280 nights in London.
Strong cast, and car load of special scenery.
PRICES—35, 50, 75c., and $1.00.
Seats on sale Tuesday. 10 17 td

MUSICAL
AND
Literary Entertainment
Given by the "Whatsoever Circle of King's Daughters," of Plainfield, N. J., at the Y. M. C. A., Rooms,
Friday Evening, October 24,
At 8 o'clock.
The popular and talented young favorites, Mr. and Mrs. Firth Wood, in their original and characteristic recitals, besides first-class home talent, vocal and instrumental.
TICKETS 50 CENTS.
For sale at Reynolds' and Randolph's pharmacies. 10 17 w

AMPHION HALL.
Grand week of attraction. Commencing
MONDAY, OCT. 20.
Saturday Matinee 2:30 Sharp.
The Great
LEONZO BROS.,
Dramatic and Comedy Co., combined with the World's greatest Dramatic Trained Dogs, Tiger, Lion and Panther, and the Great Human Face Dog, SPOT.
Change of bill nightly.
Popular Prices—10, 20 and 30c.
Seats now on sale. 10 18 7

The Ladies of the First Unitarian Society of Plainfield, will hold a
FAIR
At the House corner Broadway and 6th street, during the afternoon and evenings of
Wednesday & Thursday, Oct. 22 & 23, '90.
A NEW ENGLAND SUPPER will be served each evening.
Admission, Adults, 15c. Children, 5c.
10 18 4

Dancing & Aesthetic Body Culture.
PROF. SEGADLO
Will reopen his classes in Plainfield, N. J., providing he can secure the proper number of scholars.
For this purpose a subscription list is now open at Park's Music Store, East Front St. All those wishing to take lessons, or of sending children to the class, are requested to enter their address, stating number of pupils.
The day of commencing, and place of holding the class, will be afterwards made known.
For terms, etc., address
L. P. SEGADLO,
22 West Park street, Newark, N. J.
10 18 2w

"BIG LOT!"
NEW CARPETS will be opened in a day or two, and in order to "Boom" the trade a little we will MAKE AND LINE FREE! for the rest of this month.
No better opportunity to buy Carpets to such good advantage will occur again in years to come.
Our House is offering some more bargains in Cheap Dress Goods.
Remember, we sell the better class of goods at about the same price as the poor, cheap articles are usually sold for.
EDSALL'S, 20 West Front St.

OUR MOTTO:—LOWEST PRICES CONSISTENT WITH GOOD QUALITY AND HONEST QUANTITY
The choicest Creamery Butter that can be produced.
Apollinaris Water; pints, $1.50, quarts, $2 dozen; Belfast Ginger Ale, $1.40 dozen.
Excelsior Sugar Cured Hams are the best—15c.
The finest Java and Mocha coffee in town, and the prices are right. Won't be undersold for same quality of goods. P. M. DEMAREST.
25 PARK AVENUE.
8-9-t

LAUNDRY.
Having purchased of C. A. Brown the business known as the
AMERICAN STEAM LAUNDRY,
14 East Front St., I desire to inform the public that I will endeavor to serve them in the best possible manner, and respectfully solicit their patronage. Orders promptly called for and delivered, upon notice by postal.
H. W. MARSHALL, Prop'r.
10 4 m

Valuable Real Estate at Public Auction.
Wm. N. Pangborn, Auct'r, will sell at public sale to the highest bidder, in order to settle up the estate of France Lee, deceased, on THURSDAY, 6TH. INST. 1890, at 2 o'clock P. M., on the premises, the following valuable improved real estate situated in the city of Plainfield, N. J.:
House and Lot, 206 Broadway; let 65 ft. front, 200 ft. deep, inside fence. House contains 10 rooms, bath room, heater, etc.
House and Lot, 17 Lake street, in rear of the above. Lot 75 ft. front 155 ft. deep. House 10 rooms. Barn on premises.
Terms—10 per cent. on day of sale; part of purchase money can remain on bond and mortgage for a term of years
DANIEL HETFIELD,
O. M. HETFIELD, Heirs.
10 16 6

For all the Latest Styles and Shapes in
Ladies Oxford Ties
AND
Men's Patent Leather and Russett Shoes,
Everybody goes to
KENNY'S,
At the corner of Front St. and Park Ave.
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BUY
PERFECT PARLOR STOVES
AND
Othello Ranges.
Choice Timothy Seed.
Furnaces Cleaned and Repaired.
Hot Water, Hot Air and Steam Fitting.
A. M. GRIFFEN
13 East Front Street.
TELEPHONE CALL 3.

ROOFING!
Paint your roofs with Excelsior Metal Elastic Paint! WATER PROOF and very durable, and will last years longer than any other Paint.
Orders can be left at 29 North avenue, opposite the depot with the Real Estate Trust.
Dr. W. H. BELL, City Hotel.
10 11 10

BROWN & HILL,
Shaving and Hair Cutting Parlors,
[FORCE'S HOTEL,] No. 5 North Avenue.
Special attention paid to
Children's Hair Cutting.
2-25-tf

LYMAN & ANTHONY.
REAL ESTATE
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61 NORTH AVE., opposite Depot.
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PAINTING,
Nos. 10 and 10 1-2 PARK AVENUE.
MARSH & AYERS.
Jobbing promptly attended to. First-class work guaranteed. Prices reasonable. Estimates promptly furnished.
CALL AND SEE US. 5-26-y

The Reina Victoria Segar
Is an ELEGANT 10c SEGAR.
I SELL IT FOR 5 CENTS.
Call at
At the Crescent Parlor,
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At C. W. FORCE'S.
FALL AND WINTER GOODS.
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OFFICE—39 North Avenue
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THE GROCER!
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FIRE INSURANCE.
OFFICE—30 DUER STREET,
NORTH PLAINFIELD, N. J.
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DEALERS IN
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TELEPHONE CALL, 38.
Yards—Corner of Front St. & Grant Ave
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The BEST GRADES OF EVERYTHING at the MOST LIBERAL PRICES. 9-6-t

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THOSE
Dainty Ruchings
WERE BOUGHT AT
PECK'S!

SEBRING'S
Business Suits,
$10, $12 AND $15.
FINE TAILORING.
27 PARK AVENUE.
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LEDERER
Will sell his CLOAKS, CAPES, JACKETS and FURS, until disposed of, at the OLD PRICES, notwithstanding the recent advance.
Good value in DRESS GOODS. One-half dozen pieces 35 inch All-Wool Tricot FLANNEL, in stripes only, at 40c—value 50c.
The most extensive line of HOSIERY and UNDERWEAR in Plainfield. All grades and prices for Ladies, Men and Children.
MILLINERY DEPARTMENT.—Trimmed and Untrimmed Hats and Bonnets, Feathers, Tips, Birds, etc. The increased sales in this department is a guarantee that my prices are right.
As large a stock of BLANKETS and COMFORTABLES, as all others in Plainfield combined. Comfortables from 69c up; Blankets from 95c up.
Special in INGRAIN CARPET. A fair quality at 25c., same as is sold in some places at 35c. Blabous' No. 1 OIL CLOTH, the best made, at 48c per square yard. Cheaper grades in proportion.
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FURNITURE, BEDDING, UPHOLSTERY
Large Assortment!
New Goods!!
Low Prices!!
—Manufacturing and Repairing a Specialty.—
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SEA FOOD!
Scale and Shell.
ROGERS' MARKET,
42 WEST SECOND STREET.
3-13-tf

FALL IS HERE
And I am ready for it with a full line of
Dress Goods, Underwear,
Blankets and Comfortables,
NEW STYLES of Ingrain, Tapestry, and Body Brussel Carpets, Oil Cloths, Etc., at the LOWEST PRICES, to which I invite your attention.
H. A. POPE,
Corner FRONT and SOMERSET STS.
The old reliable Dry Goods, Carpet, and Notion House. 11-13-y

First Annual Clearing Out Sale of WALL PAPER!
The purpose of which is to dispose of our entire stock and renew it exclusively with the new patterns of the coming season. Points worth considering:
FIRST—Our stock is very large, carefully selected, and all this season's goods.
SECOND—The first customers will have a larger stock to select from, and will get the choicest bargains.
THIRD—Prices will be the lowest ever offered—bargains being offered daily below cost. Sale closes September 1.
A. D. VAN SCIVER, 47 NORTH AVE.,
Opposite Depot. — (Chotola Building), —Plainfield, N. J.
N. B.—ALL BRANCHES OF PAINTING A SPECIALTY. 1-10-

COAL LUMBER
And
Builders Supplies
LOOMIS & RICE
49 B'DWAY

## DENOUNCING THE RACE TRACK.

**New Jersey Ministers Renew Their Crusade Against Gambling.**

Circulars were read in most of the Protestant churches in this and other cities of the State Sunday, warning the people that another attempt was to be made at the next session of the Legislature to pass a bill legalizing gambling at race tracks, and appealing to them to defeat at the polls any candidate for the Senate or Assembly who would not pledge himself beforehand to vote against such a measure.

The petition is addressed "To the Moral and Religious People of the State of New Jersey," and, after denouncing the race tracks, goes on to say that success in passing the iniquitous measure means that New Jersey will sacrifice the moral interests of her citizens, and surrender her deserved fame for justice in rebuking wrong.

Attached to the appeal are the name of Bishop Scarborough of the Episcopal church, Prof. McCosh of Princton, President Doolittle of Rutgers, Prof. Upham of Drew Seminary, Prof. Demarest of New Brunswick Theological Seminary, and 126 other clergymen, pastors of churches of various denominations throughout the State, including the Rev. W. R. Richards, the Rev. T. L. Murphy, the Rev. Dr. E. M. Rodman, the Rev. Dr. K. P. Ketcham, and the Rev. Dr. D. J. Yerkes, of this city.

The New Jersey Jockey Club Saturday paid $3,000 for one year's tax on the property to the City Treasurer of Elizabeth. The same property formerly paid only $116 taxes to the city.

## A FARCE THAT COST $35,232.

**Only One Precinct in the State Voted in Favor of Special Legislation.**

The election officers at the special legislation on the Constitutional Amendments have not all made their returns as yet. Twenty out of twenty-one counties have been tabulated, but in many instances the returns were improperly compiled, and they have been returned to the election officers for correction. The computation has progressed far enough to show that both amendments have been overwhelmingly defeated, and the whole election was a farce, and at the same time a heavy expense to the State.

The amendment providing for special election was defeated by a majority of over 55,000. There was a trifle over 58,000 votes cast on this amendment. There were less than 4,000 votes in favor of its acceptance, and this leaves a majority of about 55,000. There was only one voting precinct in the State that returned a majority for it, and that was in Morris county.

The election was held in the 737 precincts in the State. There were four election officers to each polling place at $6 a day, and this amounted to $19,162 The messengers that carried the returns to the Secretary of State's office received from $2 to $4 and mileage, and this item will exceed $5,000. The cost of rent of polling places was $7,370. The publication of the proclamation cost $27 in each of the 100 official newspapers in the State. This amounted in the aggregate to $2,700. The cost of printing blanks and tickets and forwarding the same was $1,000. This makes the total cost of this election, according to the estimates, amount to $35,232.

**The Country Republican Press Not All In Accord with the Postmaster General.**

The Elizabeth *Journal* accuses THE PRESS of a mess of inane twaddle about the "Republican Tariff," which winds up with this childish statment, "Here in Plainfield our factories are running night and day, but we don't say that it is due to a protective tariff, though that has been a great help."

Now THE PRESS never said a word of such nonsense. It knows as little about the bearing of the tariff on the Pond Tool works, or the Scott Press works, as the *Journal* or any other paper does, and is honest enough not to twist facts that have no bearing, into evidence one way or another.

The same paper, however, that *did* publish the item the *Journal* quotes, published this on Oct. 6: "The new tariff bill goes into effect today, and importers and wholesale dealers are announcing in their circulars advance in prices."

Even the Republican Postmaster-General makes use of the same sentiment in his advertisement of his Philadelphia shop. Here is one of them.

WORKINGMEN KEEP THIS IN MIND.

Tinware is advancing in cost, *and very soon the manufacturers will have their way and you and we will have to pay very much more.*

In view of this state of things, we made some time since a large purchase of kitchen tinware at what was a low price then, and would be far lower now *in the face of two advances in maker's price lists.*

This lot goes on sale today *at prices that will not be seen again for a long time to come.*

JOHN WANAMAKER.

**A Camp-Fire Reception for Members.**

A reception to members only will be held at the rooms of the Young Men's Christian Association, Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. A programme will be provided, and refreshments served. The special attraction for the evening will be a "Camp-fire," and the Association Hall will be made to appear as much like nature as possible. Boys under 16 years of age, while eligible to the privileges of the educational classes, cannot be admitted to this reception.

**Only Broke a Toe.**

A jack-screw fell from a wagon on the foot of S. O. Doane, Saturday, and broke one of his toes. He is able to be about, however.

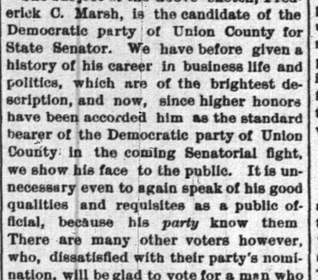
## OUR CANDIDATES.

**The Likenesses of Union County's Next Senator and Sheriff.**

FREDERICK C. MARSH.

*Born at Elizabethport, January*, 1857.

The subject of the above sketch, Frederick C. Marsh, is the candidate of the Democratic party of Union County for State Senator. We have before given a history of his career in business life and politics, which are of the brightest description, and now, since higher honors have been accorded him as the standard bearer of the Democratic party of Union County in the coming Senatorial fight, we show his face to the public. It is unnecessary even to again speak of his good qualities and requisites as a public official, because his *party* know them There are many other voters however, who, dissatisfied with their party's nomination, will be glad to vote for a man who will represent them right in legislative halls. It is to them we call the attention of the sterling worth of the young candidate for higher honors. Fred. C. Marsh is not the tool of any monopoly or corporation. The city of Elizabeth accorded him the honor of being a member of the Board of Education for two years and its President for one year. In him, the County had an able official as County Attorney for three years. In the Fall of 1888, he was elected a Member of the State Assembly from the First District by a majority of 1,708, and the following year he was returned from the 2d District by a majority of 502. His career as a legislator at Trenton during these terms was such as to call forth the highest praise both from his own party and that of his opponents. He was recognized as the leader of his party and honored as temporary Speaker of the House during the absence of Speaker Heppenheimer at the closing days of the session. Outside of all these facts, Mr. Marsh is of that character the Democratic party always endeavor to elect to office—an honest and capable man and a faithful public servant. It is the duty of every lover of representative government in Union County to vote for him.



WILLIAM H. HICKS.

Although the Democratic candidate for Sheriff of Union County is not so generally known as other candidates on the ticket, it is only necessary to say that he has excellent business qualifications, and has never aspired to any political honors. He is very popular where he is best known in business circles, Elizabethport. He was born in Warren County, of this State, in 1837, coming then to Elizabethport when but twenty years of age, where he has ever since resided. Mr. Hicks first entered the store of Lindenburg & Fishbough, dealers in shoes and general merchandise, as a clerk; but remained in such capacity for but two years only, then becoming a partner of Fishbough, the other partner having withdrawn from the firm. It was but a few years before Mr. Hicks became sole owner of the business, which he soon made that exclusive of foot wear. His store on First street is one of the best known and one of the most popular stores of the "lower wards," which clearly demonstrates what close attention to business and fair dealing will accomplish. He has a like establishment in Washington, of this State, and is also interested in a large store at Bergen Point, both of which are successfully conducted.

Mr. Hicks has from time to time had invevested interests in the boating business, which has brought him much profit.

For the past ten years he has been the honored treasurer of the Elizabethport Mutual Building and Loan Association.

Although not a full member, yet Mr. Hicks is a regular attendant of the Fulton Street Methodist Episcopal church, to the sustaining of which he is also a liberal contributor.

The poor of Elizabethport know Wm. H. Hicks but to love and respect him, for he is *one of those who do good by stealth* and blush to find it fame.

—Ground has been broken by the Lehigh Valley Railroad company, and the foundation begun, for the new station at Bound Brook.

**Mr. Powers' Method Explained.**

Mr. Powers, who is to give David Copperfield in twelve characters and four acts at the Crescent Avenue chapel, Saturday evening, opens his performance by giving the audience a short description or explanation of the story and plot of the play and the characters to be represented. Then, as if the curtain had risen upon the first act, he proceeds to impersonate the character who appears first in the scene, then when the cue arrives for the next character he instantly and completely changes to that character, and to another and another as they come on, and carries on the action and dialogue as if all the people represented were actually before the eyes of the audience; and so completely and instantaneously does he change his face, voice, carriage, and whole bodily appearance to suit each character as he takes it, that the illusion is perfect, and this too without any change of costume.

The exceeding novelty of such a performance, and the perfection and entire absence of effort with which he accomplishes what would seem an impossible undertaking, has won for Mr. Powers the renown of standing alone and unapproachable in his peculiar and fascinating art. After all is said no person will fully understand the rare charm of this truly wonderful performance until he has witnessed it.

**All Kinds of a Winter Predicted.**

A Connecticut weather prophet predicts a very severe Winter. His reasons are the big hay crop, the hard, thick shells of the crabs, and the increased industry of muskrats in building their swamp houses. This prophet is an old sea captain. But the "other" captain says that the Winter will be a mild one because the Fall rains have cleared up warm. The New York *Herald* says: "the slight increase of auroras recently reported indicates that the Winter of 1890-91 will not be as mild as its predecessor."

**They Wore Low-Necked Dresses.**

The Rev. Father Gessner of St. Patrick's church, Elizabeth, has begun a crusade against low-necked dresses. On last Friday night he ordered some female members of his congregation to leave a sociable given by the Father Mathew Dramatic Corps in aid of the church because they appeared in the, to him, objectionable attire. He won't tolerate it at any affair given by the societies connected with the church.

—Stage manager Mattox of Music Hall, has made arangements with the owners of the stage routes to New Market, Scotch Plains and North Plainfield, so that on the evenings when there are attractions at the Hall the stages will make a regular trip to and from the city for those who want to attend.

**The Little Seed.**

A little seed lay in the carter's path;
A little shoot bowed in the strong wind's wrath;
A little shrub grew, by i s roots held fast;
Then a stout tree braved all the Winter's blast.

A little cough started—'twas only light;
A little chill shivered the hours of night;
A litt e pain came and began to grow,
Then consumption laid all his brave strength low.

Be wise in time. Check the little cough, cure the little chill, dispel the little pain, ere the little ailment becomes the strong, unconquerable giant of disease. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, taken in time, is a remedy for these ills.

**The Right Man and the Right Talk.**

The voters of Somerset County begin to find out that in Mr. William J. Keys, the Democratic nominee for Senator, they have an aggressive man, and one who means to win. There is great unanimity among the Democrats over his nomination, and it is safe to say that the canvass is going to be an active one. Mr. Keys has many friends among the farmers of the County, who will vote for him in preference to his opponent, because they know his sterling worth. At the County Committee meeting at Somerville, on Monday, Mr. Keys said—"I have been reared in the school of poverty and have had to fight my way through the World step by step." "My friends have seen fit to nominate me for the high office of State Senator, without any solicitation on my part, and now that I have accepted, you may rest assured that I shall strain every nerve to lead my party to victory. I am happy to be able to tell the rank and file of my fellow-Democrats all over the county that I have made no pledges and am bound to nobody. I go into the fight as a Democrat free to act in accordance with the dictates of my conscience and best judgment, and should it be my good fortune to be elected I will represent the county to the best of my ability as a Democrat and a man." Governor Abbett will address meetings at Bound Brook and Somerville in the interest of Mr. Keys.

**A Mean Man Shoots a Dog.**

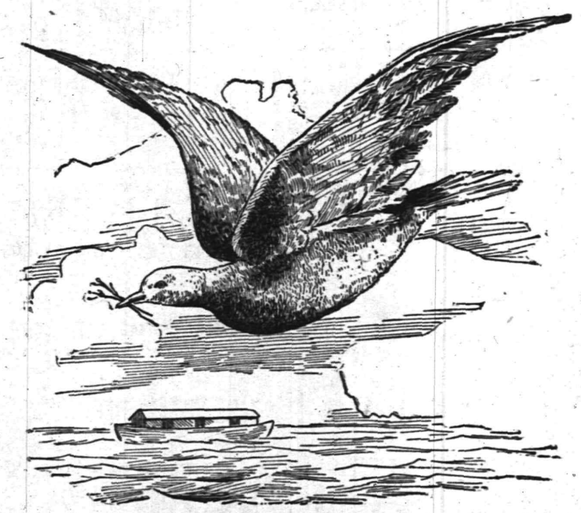
Sunday evening, shortly after 8 o'clock, while the the family were absent from the house, a young dog was shot on the premises at 24 Jackson avenue. The miscreant, whose commission of the act was witnessed by the neighbors, was a large, tall man, accompanied by a woman considerably shorter than himself. The man was heard to make remarks that indicated he was the same person who a week previous had wounded the animal. The dog was not cross, and no complaint had ever been made against him. He was inside the yard when shot. The owner of the dog thinks a person guilty of recklessly shooting on private grounds, of cowardly attacking a crippled animal, and of carrying concealed weapons, ought to be severely punished, and says that any information leading to his detection will be thankfully received.

**He Still Rides the Buckboard.**

David Vail, of the Borough, who was arrested at the instigation of Albert Brown, recently, on the charge of stealing a buckboard, says that came into possession of the vehicle honestly. His story is that he had been working for Brown, and that Brown gave him the wagon for wages due. Vail was to have had a hearing before Borough Magistrate Hardy last night, but Brown didn't appear against him, and the case was dismissed.

—The Union County Roadsters went to church at Rahway Sunday morning and in the afternoon took a run to Plainfield, parading through Fifth and other streets.

—The Boys' Mission Band, "Earnest Workers," will hold their regular meeting this afternoon at 4 o'clock, in the Crescent Avenue church parlors. A large attendance is requested.

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And mounting a moonbeam she carried me off.
To far away Ginger-bread land.

If you could have walked in those beautiful streets—
If you could have smelt what I smelt.
If you could have peeped there and seen what I saw,
If you could have felt as I felt!

There was ginger-snap slating—now would you believe!
All over a ginger-bread house,
With ginger-bread cookies for tiling below—
What a place for a boy or a mouse.

The boys and the girls were of ginger-bread, too,
And wore only ginger-bread clothes,
The trees and the bushes were bent to the ground
With ginger-nuts hanging in rows.

There were ginger-bread horses and ginger-bread dogs;
And soon, to my wonder and joy
I saw, as I looked at my hands and my feet,
That I was a ginger-bread boy.

And then I was hungry, and hunted about
For daintiest pieces to find.
You see, with such plenty on every side
I hardly could make up my mind.

But while I was waiting, the fairy was gone—
The ginger-bread went out of sight—
Alack and alack and alack!—I awoke
Before I had taken a bite!

Oh! Oh! If I only could take it again,
That journey so jolly and grand,
I surely would make better use of my time
In beautiful Ginger-bread Land.

—Sidney Davis, in Youths' Companion.

## LIFE IN AN AIR CASTLE.

**Peculiarities of An Interesting Little Insect's Life and Habits.**

While we are drowsily watching the white clouds and our thoughts are far away, they are suddenly recalled to earth by a great spider coming briskly down from the branches overhead, with every appearance of energy and contempt for the idle dreamers whose meditations she has interrupted. She, too, is building a castle in the air; but that occupation, in her case, means real work. Madam Spider takes no summer vacation. While the soft blue haze rests over the mountains and the very breezes seem to have sunk to slumber, she must toil for a living, patiently weaving, back and forth and round and round, until she has fashioned one of those delicate wheels that are so exquisite in appearance and which have proved fatal to so many a fly.

This intruder upon our quiet is large and handsome, with a black and yellow suit that fairly glistens in the sunshine as she runs up and down her slender lines. The fine silken material of which she constructs her web is all formed within her body, and drawn out through the many little tubes which form her spinneret. As the invisibly fine fibers come forth they are rolled into the thread we see, and the fabric grows like magic beneath her skillful touch. Notice the long spokes radiating from the center of the wheel to the foundation lines already laid down. These she draws out and secures at proper intervals, one by one, with a delicate precision; and, when all have been placed, returns to the center, and begins to go round and round, drawing a sticky thread after her, and fastening it to each spoke as she comes to it. When the wheel has taken perfect shape, she prepares a resting-place for herself, by giving out a little fluffy silk and laying it in a zigzag path just below the center; and, there establishing herself, awaits the result of her labors, which will presently come in the form of a fly or other winged insect.

We may well wonder at the spider's skill in constructing a real air castle like this. It is more than any of us can do; but it is not the only secret she knows. She has another bit of knowledge that would be of more use to us than web-spinning, if she would only teach it to us; but no one has ever found out how the spider knows when it is going to rain. That she does know it is evident. She does not watch the clouds, or consult the barometer, or read the "probabilities" before she begins her web, yet she never gets caught in a shower; and you may be sure, when you see her at work, that she is not running the serious risk of having it all destroyed by the beating of raindrops. She is too prudent for that, for not only would it be a great loss of time and labor, but her supply of silk might become exhausted, and she would need food before she could form any more. Then, if she had no means for setting a trap, where would the necessary meal come from? The spider will not get into a predicament like that if she can help it, and, therefore, never spins a web when there is any danger of a shower.

But the spider's wisdom does not end here. She knows how to build a very different air castle, and it may be that we can find such a one suspended among the bushes. It looks like a fairy balloon, about an inch in length, hanging upside down, and is formed of strong, closely-woven, reddish silk, that the rain can not penetrate, for it is not built for a day, like the wheel-shaped webs, and must be made differently. The spider has expended her utmost care upon this curious structure, and it no easy matter to tear it open. It contains her eggs, all fastened together in a little pink ball, the whole mass being about the size of a pea, and she has gone away, probably to die, knowing that her little ones will be safe in the strong castle she has built for them.

Are there any more air castles near us? There is one among the bushes, which, though not quite so shapely and graceful as that of our black and yellow friend, has an improvement in shape of a special apartment for its owner. She is a timid brown creature, and, though so much less conspicuous than her neighbor, does not dare display even her modest colors in the middle of the web; so she has constructed a closely-woven tunnel among the leaves and berries, and sits in this pretty bower without fear. Her mate lingers near. He is even more timid than she, and stands in some fear of his aggressive spouse, for he is a lazy fellow, that does little or no work, and is obliged to content himself with whatever food the busy little housewife lets him have. So we see that life in an air castle is not always so poetical and dreamy as it may appear.—Stella Louise Hook, in Christian Union.

## SHE SHOULD HAVE WAITED.

**The Secret of an Unhappy Day with the Green Parasol.**

It was a little changeable green silk parasol, with long, sweeping fringe, very old-fashioned and queer, but in the eyes of Matilda and Louisa Budd the most "really and truly" beautiful thing in all the world!

It had been their mother's best one, but she had bought another, and now this was kept in the upper drawer of the big bureau in the spare room, and every Sunday of the long, hot summer-time the little girls were allowed to run in and take it out to carry to Sunday-school.

Only they must take turns in the carrying.

And when it was Matilda's turn, and the little white cambric sack was drawn on, and the small straw bonnet, with its knot of daisies on top, was tied securely under her fat chin, she would race into the spare-room with all her might, tug wildly at the heavy drawer, and come out with a very red face, but an exceedingly triumphant manner, holding the precious parasol aloft, while she called loudly to Louisa to "Hurry, we'll be late!"

And Louisia would never go under the cool shade that the green silk and long fringe afforded, even on the most sultry, baking days, although kindly and persistently invited with the most patronizing air.

The sun might pour down his scorching rays so that even the birds crept gladly under the nearest leaves, the other little cambric sack and small straw bonnet with the knot of daisies on top would march sturdily by the side of unhappy magnificence, protesting with flushed cheeks that she wasn't warm a bit!

And when it came Louisa's turn, the neighbors would see Matilda stalking off as far as possible from her happy sister, as if there were not such a thing in all the world as a parasol!

"You feel so smart," said Matilda one day, peering under the long fringe into Louisa's chubby face, "an' you always have it the very nicest days, you do!"

It really seemed true that the sunniest, hottest days of all that warm summer-time did indeed fall to Louisa's lot, when she could sail off, cool and proud, an object of envy to all.

She tossed her little round head up among the spokes of the parasol, and said, with a most moral air: "You shouldn't envy folks; teacher said 'twas wicked."

"I ain't a envyin'!" declared Matilda, stalking sturdily on. "I only wish I had it!"

"Well, you can't," said Louisa, clinging to the long handle with confidence, "'cause it's mine, you see, an' we've got an awful long ways to go yet before we get to Sunday-school, too, 'Tilda!"

Matilda preserved a grim silence, but some thing dark was just at that moment passing through her mind. Why not hurry and get dressed first the Sunday it came Louisa's turn to carry the parasol, rush into the spare-room, capture the prize and run smartly off with it before the little fat sister knew a thing about it!

"She's had it all the best days," she reasoned to herself, walking on, "an' so it's fair—yes, 'tis!"

The idea grew so delightful, the more she came to think of it, that she forgot all about the next Sunday, when she should have it all to herself as a thing that fairly belonged to her.

And all the days between, over and over, at school and at home, Matilda kept planning and planning, until the time came, when—in the little white cambric sack and the small straw hat with the knot of daisies on top—she stood before the big bureau drawer.

Hastily she drew out the precious green parasol with the long fringe, and rushing out of the house, she fairly flew up the street, not breathing safely, till she turned the corner.

Then she didn't dare raise it, till she was quite sure that Louisa was not scuttling just after. And so she didn't begin to get the least enjoyment out of it, until she was nearly at the Sunday-school room.

And every step of the way each breeze that blew the sweeping fringe seemed to say: "Oh, you mean little thing you! Oh, you *me—an* little thing you!"—until she was ready to dash it into the middle of the streets, and sit down on the curbstone to cry in sheer vexation.

But she was presently obliged to sneak into her class, where she usually brought a smiling face—and tucked herself into the smallest corner.

"Where is Louisa?" asked Miss Root.

"She's—she's a-comin'," stammered Matilda, with very hot cheeks.

"Is she sick?" pursued the teacher, anxiously.

"No'm," said Maltilda, "that is—I d'no," she finished desperately.

The scholars laughed outright at that. But Miss Root looked grave, and took up her book to begin the lesson.

And just then, in walked Louisa, with her grandest air, and a most contented expression beaming from every line of her fat face. And wonder of wonders! in her hand she held in the most conspicuous position, a bright blue parasol, with a dear little bow on top, and a shining white handle.

Matilda rubbed her eyes, and stared with all her might?

"You got the great one, didn't you?" said Louisa, after getting into her seat with dignity, and glancing at her sister's side. "Oh well, it's yours now, mother's given it to you—'cause Aunt Em'ly sent me this, last evenin', only we couldn't find you to tell you. Aint mine sweet?"

*Sweet?* Well, Matilda never had one minute's comfort in what was hers now—after that. *Why hadn't she waited?*—Margaret Sidney, in Youth's Companion.

—The first piano was invented as far back as 1716.

# WANTED DESK ROOM.

## This Story Tells How They Avoided Paying for It.

**Howard Fielding Describes the Comforts of Life in an Office Full of New York Sharks Who Would Not Settle.**

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My friends told me that I ought to have an office.

"What for?" I ventured to inquire. "I haven't any business."

"That doesn't make any difference," they insisted. "Everybody in New York has an office whether he has any business or not. You want a place where you can sit down quietly and figure up how much you owe and how much more you'll have to owe at the end of the year, if you live through it."

I told them that I had hitherto managed to transact that business at my

THE COLONEL AND FRIENDS WAITING FOR MAIL.

flat, and I didn't know a place better fitted to furnish a man with data for such calculations.

"But you can't write at home," they said. "Doesn't your wife insist on running in and disturbing you? Doesn't she interrupt the flow of your thought with remarks about bargain counters, and vegetables for dinner, and things that she can't have because she was foolish enough to marry a writer? Oh, yes; we know all about that: we've suffered that way ourselves."

"I've heard those things before," said I; "they're chestnuts. I pity those fellows whose society is so agreeable to their wives. Mine isn't. A bad disposition and a strong pipe will get a man all the solitude he can use, right in his own home. I've got 'em both; and if you haven't, go spend two cents for the pipe. That will complete the outfit for most men of my acquaintance."

It was thus that I resisted the tempters at first, but they employed other snares. They said that an office would give me an apparent importance in the eyes of strangers, and make me useful to my friends. I didn't understand the last part of this till the boys began to drop in on me and borrow half dollars for lunch. This was after I hired the office. It was a hole in a building on Broadway. This hole had a window which opened on another hole which was called a ligt shaft, because it had to be artificially lighted in order to make any thing visible in it.

The boys had told me that I would not have to spend a dollar for rent. I could clear my expenses by letting desk-room. The practice is very common in New York. In fact, the stranger's first impression of this city is that all the people in it are making a living by collecting rent of esch other.

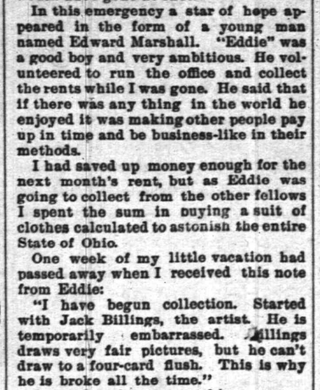
I did not have a bit of trouble in getting tenants. In a week I had so filled the place that there really wasn't room for myself, but it looked like business and I was encouraged. I figured a clear profit of sixty cents a month, making an allowance for car fare and lunches down-town. True, it wasn't much of a place to write in. Old Barrow, the real-estate dealer, used to put his feet on his desk and go to sleep. Barrow wasn't a very energetic man when he was awake, but he snored as diligently as anybody I ever knew. And then his poor old head would hang over the

RENT IS ROBBERY.

chair in fearful positions, till by and by it would droop straight backwards, and his eyes, sightless in sleep, would stare at me and give me a nightmare, too. Barrow was not beautiful in any position, but I could contemplate his countenance more calmly when it was right side up.

But the most annoying of my tenants was a man whom I scarcely ever saw. He said he didn't want an office except as a place to get his mail. He also hinted that one or two of his friends might like to have their letters come in his care. I interposed no objection because I didn't understand the situation. It wasn't long before this man's friends began to drop in to get their mail. I may as well say right here that I never saw a letter for any of them but they were always waiting for one, and they took all the chairs in the office, and when the chairs gave out the rest of the party sat on my desk. Then those that had chairs drew them up and put their feet on the desk, and a Kentucky Colonel stood at one end of it and told them stories. The Colonel smoked a clay pipe and cut his plug tobacco with a pocket knife which had a blade six inches long. While he cut the tobacco he told stories, and in the exciting parts he pounded on the desk with the handle of the knife. Every time I began a feeble remonstrance one of the Colonel's staff would say:

"Colonel, tell us about the time you cut Slim Jim Waters in two with that 'ere knife. Ef I don't disremember Jim, he favored our frien' here—'bout the



OFFICE ON RENT DAY.

under a table engaged in prayer. He said he had dropped a piece of tobacco. I didn't force matters with Davis because I wished to avoid bloodshed. If there must be any I should prefer that it would occur after your return."

Eddie is a good fellow, but his paper is subject to a heavy discount. I think I would rather have taken a sketch by Billings. Affairs were getting serious; but Eddie's next letter made them worse.

"I brought matters to a head to-day—Barrow wouldn't settle and so I got the janitor's man to put the old fellow's desk and chair into the elevator and run them down to the ground floor. When Barrow saw this he smiled like a hammer-headed shark just turning over to bite. Then he went for a lawyer, who informed me that I had given grounds for action. I asked them what they were going to do about it, and they said, nothing so far as I was concerned, because I was only your agent, but they proposed to sue you for thirteen hundred dollars. Awful sorry, old man, but thought I was acting for the best. Haven't seen old Barrow so cheerful for weeks. Don't you think you'd botter come back?"

I thought I had. The next train was none too soon for me. I reached New York about noon and hurried towards the office. Near the door I met Marshall.

"What are you going to do?" he asked.

"Going to collect that rent," I replied.

"No use," said he; "there isn't a man up there. I told 'em all yesterday that the money would have to be paid at noon to-day. When I went there I found the place as lonely as Jim Healey's grave. You remember Jim? He was blown up in a powder mill and his remains couldn't be found. That's the way with those cormorants. Go up and take a look."

I did so. There stood the desks in a row, and not a man in sight. Every desk had a sign on it. Here are some of them:

"Called away by sudden death."

"Gone to visit my grandmother's grave. Return Friday." "Please call again."

"Eddie," said I, "let's put the whole crowd out."

"Can't do it without regular papers," said he. "I've found out about it. The papers will cost seven dollars apiece and the average rent due is only five dollars apiece. I allow that it's two dollars apiece cheaper to let 'em stay than to put 'em out. How do you figure it?"

I've been figuring on it ever since. Eddie is right about the law, and, by its provisions, I can't see why those fellows aren't quartered on me indefinitely.

HOWARD FIELDING.

—The sea serpent has been rather late in appearing this year, but he has been seen, with back covered with a hard shell of a dark brown, with stripes a few shades lighter, giving it much the look of the lights and shades on a corrugated iron surface. As usual, as much as the observers desired to see the monster, they got away as fast as possible.

—A beech tree cut on the farm of William Wilkinson, at Shelton, near Middletown, Mass., disclosed near the hard white wood core the big letters "J. L." on a densely black background. They were cut forty years ago by John Leland, a sailor, and, curiously enough, had stamped themselves all the way from the heart of the tree to the bark. Though they had been overgrown by thirty-seven rings of wood fibre, it is easy to read "J. L." on the outside bark.

—A new "cure" has been invented in Germany, which may be adopted as a greater novelty than the mind cure or the faith cure. Its basis is the hardening of the human organism, which has been disastrously enfeebled by civilization. The patients imitate the noble savage or the gypsy, and the system includes going barefoot as one part of the cure. One German parish contains 1,400 patients.

—The longest parts, male and female, in the Shakespearan drama are Hamlet, with 1,569 lines, and Rosalind, with 749 lines. Of course, in acting, they are cut a great deal, but even then they are, in the odious but expressive phrase of the boards, "fat." This accounts, to a certain extent, for the professional fondness for appearing as "Hamlet" and "Rosalind." Othello must be rather a thorn in the side of the "stars," for he has only 883 lines, while Iago has 1,117.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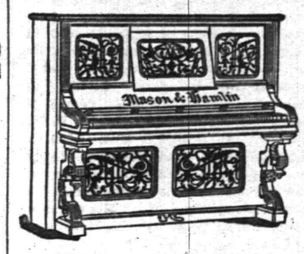


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Leave New York from foot of Liberty street, 4 30, 5 45, 7, 7 45, 8 45, 10, 11, A. M., 1, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4, 4 30, 5, 5 15, 5 30, 5 45, 6, 6 15, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 8, 8 30, 9 15, 10, 11 30 P. M., 12 15, night. Sunday—4 30, 7 8 30, 9 30 A. M., 12 M., 1, 1 15, 4, 5 30, 6, 7, 9 00, 10 00 P. M., 12 15 night.

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Leave Newark 7 10, 7 50, 8 55, 10 10, 11 05 A. M., 1 05, 1 35, 2 50, 3 40, 4 02, 4 35, 5 05, 5 25, 5 55, 6 15, 7 35, 8 20, 9 35, 11 25 P. M. Sundays—7 20, 8 40, 9 05, 9 50, A. M., 12 05, 1 10, 4 10, 5 40, 6 05, 7 02, 9 25, 10 20 P. M.

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PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7, 8 07, 9 42, 11, 11 58 A. M., 1 59, 2 32, 3 45, 4 34, 5 20, 5 34, 6 20, 6 58, 7 03, 7 12, 7 30, 8 20, 9 43, 11 15, 12 43 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 13, 9 48, A. M., 2 03, 2 30, 5 14, 6 35, 10 15, 11 14 P. M.

Leave Somerville, 6, 6 30, 7 03, 7 25, 7 35, 7 58, 9 05, 9 47, 11 15 A. M., 12 35, 1 15, 1 48, 2 05, 3 24, 4 46, 5 12, 5 35, 6 05, 8 50, 11 05, P. M. Sundays—8 25, 10 35 A. M., 12 08, 105, 4 50, 6 40, 8 03, 9 05, 9 50 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7, 8 07, 9 42, A. M., 1 59, 4 34, 5 20 6 38, 8 20 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 13 A. M., 2 03, 6 35 P. M.

Leave Easton 6 05, 8 44, 18 A. M., 12 32, 4 09, 5 49 P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 52, A. M., 6 40, 7 30 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 9 42 A. M., 5 20 P. M.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

LEAVE PLAINFIELD.

5 45 A. M. for Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

7 A. M. for High Bridge Branch and Easton.

8 07 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 42 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Nanticoke, Drifton, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c.

1 59 P. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, &c.

4 34 P. M. for D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

5 20 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Schooley's Mountain, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, &c.

6 20 P. M. for Flemington.

6 38 P. M. for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg.

8 20 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8 13 a. m. Sundays for High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, &c., 2 03 p. m. Sundays for High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua and Pettsville. 6 35 p. m Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m. 1 p. m.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c.

Leave Plainfield 3 37, 8, 11 09, a. m., 3 31, 5 31, p. m. Sundays—(except Ocean Grove) 8 09, a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 38, 8, 10 05, 11 09 a. m., 1, 3 51, 5 31, 7 08 p. m. Sunday—8 52 a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8, 10 05 a. m., 1, 3 51, 5 31, p. m.

ROUND BROOK ROUTE.

Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia, 1 17, 5 05, 8 29, 9 48, 11 58* a. m., 1 59*, 2 32*, 4 08, 5 34*, 6 39*, 8 20 p. m. Sundays—1 17, 9 48, a. m., 2 32*, 4 08, 5 14*, 6 55 p. m.

For Baltimore and Washington at 1 17, 9 48, 11 58* a. m., 2 45, 4 08, 5 34* p. m. Sundays—1 17, 9 48 a. m., 2 47, 4 08, 5 14* p. m.

RETURNING—LEAVE PHILADELPHIA,

Ninth and Green streets, 7 30*, 8 30*, 9 30, 11 05 a. m., 12 45, 1 30, 3 15, 5 15, 6 15, 8 02, 9 45, 12 p. m. Sundays—9 a. m., 12 50, 3 10, 5 15, 6 10, 8, 12 p. m.

From 24th and Chestnut—3 10, 8 20*, 11 08, a. m. 12 52, 3 20, 6 18, 8 05, p. m. Sundays—3 10, 8 35 a. m., 12 52, 3 20, 6 18, 8 05 p. m.

Leave Trenton, Warren and Tucker sts., 1 20, 4 09,7*, 8*, 9*, 10 10, 11 55 a. m. 1 20, 2 10, 2 40*, 3 58, 5 35, 6 50, 8 47, 10 p. m. Sundays—1 20, 4 09, 9 55 a. m., 1 20, 4, 5 55, 7, 8 47 p. m.

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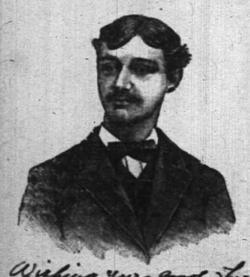

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## ASSASSINS CONFESS

### The Mayor of New Orleans Called to the City Prison.

### PANIC AMONG THE ITALIANS.

Fleeing from the City Until the Excitement Blows Over.

**The Real Murderers Said to be in Custody—News Kept Back Until After the Examination on Tuesday—The Patriotic Sons of America to Hold a Mass Meeting To-Night.**

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 22.—About 1 o'clock Mayor Shakespeare was suddenly called to the parish prison and was afterward seen coming out with a bundle of manuscript in his hand. It is said that two of the prisoners made a confession.

The police will neither confirm nor deny the truth of the report, but an attache of the Mayor's office told a reporter that the murderers are in custody, and that the alleged confession would be kept secret until the examination on Tuesday.

The panic among the Italians here continues. Dispatches from Pensacola say that in the past two days large numbers of Italians have been arriving in that city from New Orleans. They are being watched by the police, and if wanted here will be easily arrested. They are refugees who have thought it wise to leave New Orleans until the excitement blows over.

There was a secret meeting of the committee of fifty for the purpose, it is supposed, of devising means to enable them to offer a big reward.

There is a mass meeting called for to-night by the Patriotic Sons of America, an association composed exclusively of American born citizens, who will, no doubt, take some action toward assisting the authorities in capturing the entire gang engaged in the vile conspiracy.

The district attorney, on account of the disturbed state of the public mind, has agreed with the attorneys for the defense to postpone the Provenzano trial to another date. Commissioner Bearham will in all probability be appointed Chief Hennessy's successor.

### MRS. BIRCHALL'S APPEAL.

**She Asks the People of Canada to Save Her Husband from His Terrible Doom.**

WOODSTOCK, Ont., Oct. 22.—The petition for commutation of Birchall's sentence has been coolly received by the public. Only about one in every fifty appealed to will attach their signature to the document, although it has been greatly modified.

The refusal of the public to indorse this request for clemency has greatly grieved Mrs. Birchall and her sister. They hoped if not for the prisoner, at least through sympathy for them, that the business men and citizens here would do what they could to save them further disgrace. But thus far the sympathy of the public ceases when asked to sign the petition.

Mrs. Birchall has just issued the following appeal in behalf of her husband:

COMMERCIAL HOTEL,
WOODSTOCK, Ont., Oct. 22.

*To the People of Canada:* May I ask you to sign the accompanying petition for the commutation of my husband's sentence. I shall be indeed deeply and truly grateful if you will help me to save him from the terrible doom which awaits him. Yours truly,

(Signed) FLORENCE BIRCHALL.

Birchall has completed his autobiography, which makes over 200 foolscap pages, and is about closing with New York publishers for the sale of it. His price is $2,000.

**Asked that Balfour be Summoned.**

DUBLIN, Oct. 22.—During the progress of the conspiracy trial at Tipperary Counsellor Dillon, on behalf of his absent client, William O'Brien, asked that a summons be issued to compel the attendance in court of Mr. Balfour, there to state on oath what had been said by him in his Newcastle speech. During the presentation of his argument in support of the request for the issuance of a summons for Mr. Balfour Mr. Dillon's remarks were listened to with not altogether suppressed excitement. The bench refused to grant the request of counsel for the defence, saying that it could not be the medium for accomplishing anything illegal or improper.

**An Oil Suit for a Big Amount.**

PITTSBURG, Pa., Oct. 22.—An oil suit, involving $350,000, has just been decided at Morgantown, W. Va., in favor of the plaintiff, C. J. Garvey & Co., vs. E. M. Hukill. The defendant had forfeited a lease of 380 acres in the Mt. Morris oil field, which the owner leased to Garvey & Co. The latter put down several wells, which proved good, and then Hukill brought suit to regain possession of the lease. The property is valued by the plaintiff at the amount named.

**Joint Discussion Solicited.**

BOSTON, Mass., Oct., 22.—The Democratic State Committee has invited the Republican State Committee to a joint discussion of the lobby influence at the State House and party responsibility therefor, to take place between Hon. Henry Cabot Lodge and Hon. George F. Williams.

**Asked the Bystanders to Shoot Him.**

BUFFALO, N. Y., Oct. 22.—William Egan of Utica, had his legs badly crushed and was terribly injured about the head in this city. He tried to board a Belt line train and slipped under the wheels. It is thought he will die. Egan presented a sickening appearance and appealed to the bystanders to shoot him and end his misery.

### NOT A COMMON SCOLD.

**Mrs. Budiris Acquitted of the Charge by a New Jersey Jury.**

JERSEY CITY, N. J., Oct. 22.—Mrs. Magdalena Budiris of Guttenburg was tried in the Hudson County Court of General Sessions on an indictment charging her with being a common scold. Her case is the second of its kind that has ever been tried in Hudson County. The defendant is of medium height, stout, dark complexioned, has black hair and is generally attractive looking.

The principal witnesses against Mrs. Budiris were ex-Assemblyman John Dwyer and his family, who testified that the defendant used the filthiest kind of language toward them. Every time any of the Dwyers passed the door she would abuse them in a loud voice. She would call them pig, cows and thieves.

She called 17-year-old Miss Walley, according to the young lady's testimony, an "old maid," and said that George Uhl, a church deacon, was a "jay," which annoyed him considerably. Urich Benecke said she called him "an old gray-haired ass."

Mrs. Budiris, however, took the stand, and denied all the stories told about her. She said she never did annoy any one, and a dozen of her neighbors gave her a similar good character. She got the benefit of a doubt and was acquitted.

### HONORING FATHER MATHEW.

**The One Hundredth Anniversary of His Birth Celebrated in Philadelphia.**

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 22.—Under the auspices of the local branch of the Catholic Total Abstinence Union of America, the one hundreth anniversary of the birth of Father Mathew was celebrated in the Academy of Music last night. Archbishop Ryan of this city presided.

Among those present were Cardinal Gibbons, Archbishop Ireland of St. Paul, Archbishop Elder of Cincinnati, Bishop Shanley of North Dakota, and McGoldrick of Duluth.

Archbishop Ryan welcomed the visitors and Father Conaty of Worcester, Mass., delivered an oration on the life of Father Mathew. Addresses were also delivered by Cardinal Gibbons and other dignitaries.

**Philadelphia Will Have a Recount.**

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 22.—The Mayor has decided to have a police enumeration of the population of this city. Basing an estimate upon the police department's report concerning the number of houses unoccupied during the summer, and allowing for errors on the part of the census enumerators, the Mayor believes there is an omission of 100,000 persons from the late count.

**The Order of United Friends.**

BUFFALO, N. Y., Oct. 22.—The Imperial Council of the Order of United Friends is holding a three-days' convention here. Over sixty members of the Council from Maine, Massachusetts, Vermont, Connecticut, New York, Rhode Island, Pennsylvania, Ohio, and New Hampshire were present. Imperial Recorder Oliver M. Sheed of Poughkeepsie, presented his report, showing that there were over 23,000 members in the order.

**Daly Lost the Shooting Match.**

ASBURY PARK, N. J., Oct. 22.—The pigeon shooting match between Phillip Daly, Jr., of the Central Gun Club of Long Branch, and Captain Mooney of London, Eng., attracted a large crowd of sporting men to Hollywood. Mooney outshot Daly from the start, and won the match by a score of 78 to 68. The shoot was at 100 birds each, 21 yards boundary, for $1,000.

**Registration in Boston.**

BOSTON, Oct. 23.—Registration for the State election closed in this city last night. During the past two days very hard work has been done by all parties to bring out their voters, and as a consequence, it is thought, the total registration will be about 65,000, which is 2,000 less than last year, but at the same time is considered a very satisfactory showing.

**Held for His Brother's Death.**

RONDOUT, N. Y., Oct. 22. —The coroner's jury found James Morrisey of Hurley guilty of causing the death of his brother Joseph by setting fire to the bed upon which he was lying, and the prisoner will be held to await the action of the grand jury. It is generally believed that Morrisey is insane, and will ultimately be sent to an asylum.

**True Bill Against Lingo.**

CAMDEN, N. J., Oct. 22.—It is stated that the grand jury has found a true bill against the negro Lingo for the murder of Mrs. Miller, near Merchantville. This fact has not been officially announced, however.

**Twenty Bookmakers Indicted.**

ASBURY PARK, N. J., Oct. 22.—It is said that the Monmouth Grand Jury which has finished its labors, has found indictments against twenty Monmouth Park bookmakers for violating the law prohibiting gambling.

## WASTING THE MONEY

### The World's Fair Commission Warned by Mr. Windom.

### THE MEMBERS MUST GO SLOW.

The Secretary Hesitates to Approve the Large Salary List.

**Inspector-General Dumont's Report of Steamboat Accidents—245 Lives Lost the Past Year—The President Going to Maryland on a Duck-Hunting Trip—American Locomotives in Jerusalem.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 22.—Secretary of the Treasury Windom has sent an important communication to the executive committee of the National World's Fair Commission, which is causing that body to pause and think over the question where the money is to come from with which to carry on the line of policy it had mapped out.

The Secretary of the Treasury is empowered by the Act of Congress to approve the salaries of the officers of the commission and also its expense account, and his letter which was sent to President Palmer several days ago has been kept a secret until now.

The letter was a surprise to the commissioners, and hauls them up short on the money question.

Secretary Windom reviews the salaries allotted to the officers of the commission and lays down the law with reference to the expenditure of money appropriated by Congress. The Secretary says that the $200,000 appropriated for expenses for the year ending June 30, 1891, will be exhausted long before June comes around. The Secretary therefore refuses to approve the salary list, which will amount during 1891, 1892 and 1893 to one-seventh of the entire sum, outside of the cost of government buildings, fixed as a limit of expenditure growing out of the exposition.

### GEN. DUMONT'S REPORT.

**Number of Lives Lost by Steamboat Accidents the Past Year.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 22.—The report of Inspector-General Dumont of the steamboat inspection service says that during the year there were thirty-four accidents, resulting in the loss of 245 lives, a decrease of fifty-six as compared with the preceding year. Of the accidents, seventeen resulted from collisions and 102 of the lives lost were by drowning. Of the number of lives lost sixty-five were passengers and 180 were officers or persons employed on the steamers. It is estimated that fully 500,000,000 passengers were carried on steam vessels during the fiscal year.

Gen. Dumont says the experience of the past year shows the truth of his assertion in a former annual report, that "no mode of travel at the present day, whether by railway, horse car, carriage, or even the common farm wagon, presents so low a percentage of accidents as travel by steam vessels."

**American Locomotives in Jerusalem.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 22.—Henry Gillman, U. S. Consul at Jerusalem, has informed the State Department that three locomotives of American make have arrived at Jaffa for the Jerusalem & Jaffa railroad. "It is of interest to our citizens and, indeed, the entire world," said Mr. Gillman, "to know that the first locomotive ever used in this ancient land was made in the new world, in the United States of America."

**The President Going Duck Shooting.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 22.—The White House is being renovated, and in order to escape the smell of paint the President will probably go duck shooting in Maryland until the painting is finished. If he should decide to go, he will leave in a day or two and remain for the rest of the week.

**Mayor Grant's Letter of Acceptance.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 22.—Mayor Grant's letter accepting the Tammany Hall nomination for re-election to the Mayoralty, is published to-day. The letter is two columns in length and is in effect an argument to show why the voters should support his claims to re-election. The Mayor arraigns the Republican party for depriving the city of $300,000,000 which would have accrued if it had obtained the World's Fair, and for the loss of Rapid Transit legislation.

**Accused by Jealous Wife.**

NEWARK, N. J., Oct. 22.—Lizlie Kirby, a girl wife, caused the arrest of Chas. Kirby, her husband, for threatening her life. He was sent to jail. Since they were married, three years ago, he has only given her $5.

**His Body Cut in Two.**

NEWARK, N. J., Oct. 22.—A man supposed to be John Hop, a member of the firm of Sternberg & Co., 66 Gold street, New York, was run over and killed by the cars at Summit. His body was cut in two.


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### ROW IN A UNIVERSITY.

**A Faction of Freshmen Prevent an Election and Scare the Ladies.**

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Oct. 22.—The Freshmen's class of Syracuse University had an exciting time while trying to effect an organization and elect officers. Two factions have developed, and when the new comers had assembled in Professor J. Scott Clark's recitation room the weaker faction, fearing defeat, began to raise a rumpus.

Then some sophomores pounded on the doors and at empted to force an entrance. The young ladies of the class became frightened and precipitately fled from the building.

The freshmen kept up the rumpus, and some of the sophomores joined in, preventing the election.

While the disturbance was still in progress Professor Clark appeared and seized the young ruffians and put them out of the room in a summary fashion.

### MISSIONARY COUNCIL.

**Important Gathering of Episcopal Divines and Laymen of the United States.**

PITTSBURG, Pa., Oct. 22.—The first regular session of the Missionary Council of the Episcopal Church of America was held in Trinity Church.

The council is composed of a majority of the bishops, both of diocese and missionary bishops, and also many of its most eminent divines, theologians and laymen.

Rev. Joseph N. Blanchard of St. James' Church, Philadelphia, preached the opening sermon. His discourse had special reference to missionary labors.

Right Rev. Bishop Clark presided at the business meeting. The first session was occupied in reading the reports of the mission boards and of the several auxiliary boards.

**A Sheriff Removed from Office.**

ALBANY, N. Y., Oct. 22.—Governor Hill has removed from office the sheriff of Madison County, Leander W. Burroughs, and appointed in his place William T. Manchester of Hamilton. Sheriff Burroughs is a Republican as is also his successor. The removal is based on charges filed alleging the presentation to the Board of Supervisors of false, fraudulent and illegal fees exacted. In his opinion, the Governor says that he is satisfied that charges in this bill amounting to at least $3,500 are false and fraudulent, and were illegally allowed.

**Narrowly Escaped Lynching.**

TORONTO, Oct. 22.—A dispatch from Cumberland, Ont., says the jury investigating the death of the two McGonigle girls, who were found murdered and outraged on October 7, rendered a verdict that Narcisse Larocque was guilty of the crime. Immediately some one in the court room shouted, "Hang him! Hang him!" and an exciting scene ensued, the constables with difficulty getting the prisoner safely into the lock-up. If Larocque is not speedily removed, it is feared an attempt will be made to lynch him.

**Women Capture a Highwayman.**

UTICA, N. Y., Oct. 22.—While Isabella and Josephine Biert of Marcy were on their way to this city on foot, they were met by William Heine, a young man, who presented a revolver and demanded their money. Both the young ladies assumed a defiant attitude and dared the young robber to touch them. Hein thereupon became frightened and ran away, but the young ladies gave chase, and with the assistance of some railroadmen captured the highwayman. He was held in $3,000 bail.

**Ready for a Trial Trip.**

CHESTER, Pa., Oct. 22.—N. F. Palmer & Co., of this city, have notified the Navy Department that the Concord is now ready for a trial trip. Secretary Tracy has appointed the following board to test the horse power and speed of the new vessel: Capt. Casey, Commanders Batcheller and Bradford, Chief Engineers, Kiersted, Wharton and Aston, and Naval Constructor Varney. The trial will take place early next week.

**Silk Dyers Strike.**

PATERSON, N. J., Oct. 22.—A big strike has been inaugurated among the silk dyers and their helpers employed in the Weidman Silk Dyeing Company's works of this city, the largest establishment of its kind in America, due to the discharge of three of the dyers for trying to form a union among the men. Three hundred are employed in the works at Riverside, and of this number only forty remained at work.

**Oculist Yarmouth Reported Alive.**

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 22.—Mr. Elsie of West Berlin, N. J., a member of the Waterford Township Democratic Executive Committee, came from Berlin yesterday morning on the same train with E. S. Yarmouth, the oculist who was reported to have disappeared while temporarily insane. Elsie says that Yarmouth looked well, and told him that he was on his way to this city for medical treatment.

**He Kicked His Wife to Death.**

LAWRENCE, Mass., Oct. 22.—William Haight, who kicked his wife to death in this city last June, was convicted of manslaughter and sentenced to two and one-half years in the House of Correction. The prisoner surprised the court by asking that his sentence be made three years in the State prison so he could learn a trade. The request was not granted.

**Jay Gould Must Pay His Fine.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 22.—Jay Gould was fined $100 in June last for not attending to his duties as a juror in the Court of General Sessions. He has not yet paid the fine, and a notice was sent to him by the District Attorney that he would be given until Friday to pay it.

## THE GREAT LIBERAL

### A Tremendous Crush of People to Hear Gladstone.

### HIS SPEECH A GREAT SURPRISE.

The Auditors Carried Away With Admiration and Enthusiasm.

**Severe Indictment of the Government for Its Many Errors of Omission and Commission—The London Times Disappointed—Liberal Leaders in High Glee Over the Scotch Campaign.**

EDINBURGH, Oct. 22.—Mr. Gladstone delivered the first speech of his Scotch campaign in the Corn Exchange, this city. There was a tremendous crush of people eager to see and hear the great Liberal leader, and when the hall had been crowded to suffocation, thousands of disappointed persons were left outside to return home or listen to speakers of lesser note who addressed overflow meetings in the open air.

Mr. Gladstone was in fine form and his speech was a brilliant effort, showing no trace of a decline in the virility which seems to defy the advance of age in the case of this truly Grand Old Man.

**His Indictment of the Government.**

A feature of the speech which seems to have attracted the notice of nearly all the reporters was the facility with which the orator clothed the expression of old truths in novel and telling forms. His indictment of the Government for its many errors of omission and commission was couched in solemn terms, and produced a deep impression. From this grave tone of censure Mr. Gladstone turned easily to the lighter touches of ridicule and sarcasm, and again to those serious arguments in which his perspicacity and logic delight the listener.

**The Audience Carried Away.**

The auditors were carried away with admiration and enthusiasm. Never was any prediction more thoroughly belied than that of the Times, which had predicted a cold reception for Mr. Gladstone's criticisms upon Lord Salisbury's conduct of affairs.

The Liberal campaign in Scotland has been opened under the brightest auspices, and the leaders of the party in London were in high feather last night as the news of the day's proceedings in the Scotch capital drifted in to the club.

**What This Morning's Papers Say.**

LONDON, Oct. 22.—The Chronicle this morning ranks Mr. Gladstone's speech at Edinburg among his finest oratorical efforts, and say his scathing exposure of the coercion regime will tell upon the ministerial position.

The Telegraph says that even the hackneyed nature of the subject failed to render the speech dull.

The Times says that nothing duller or more threadbare could be conceived.

### WILL SEND THEIR HEADS.

**The Sultan of Zanzibar Alarmed by the Military Demonstrations.**

LONDON, Oct. 22.—A dispatch from Zanzibar says that the Sultan of Vitu, alarmed by the joint British and German military demonstrations, has offered to send to Zanzibar the heads of all those who were concerned in the murder of German traders, and that he has the murderers now in cages awaiting their fate.

**Only One of the Duellists Fired.**

PARIS, Oct. 22.—MM. Reinach and Deroulede, members of the Chamber of Deputies, fought a duel without any serious results. M. Reinach alone fired, M. Deroulede declining to do so. The affair grew out of M. Deroulede having, in the course of a heated discussion in the Chamber, declared M. Reinach to be "that lackey of all administrations."

**The Teutonic Arrives First.**

QUEENSTOWN, Oct. 22.—The steamship Teutonic passed Fastnet at 9:30 and the City of New York at 11 o'clock. This is the first time that the Teutonic has beaten the City of New York in an eastward race, and as the City of New York has only beaten the Teutonic in one westward voyage it is considered that things are about evened up.

**The Fenian Brotherhood.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 22.—It is reported that the Fenian Brotherhood, in convention in Paterson, N. J., last night decided that hereafter all proceedings of the order shall be public. This change in the system of the order is said to have been made unanimously upon the recommendation of the general secretary.

**The Overdue France Arrives.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 22.—The National Line steamship France, about which so much anxiety was felt, reached her dock last evening. The France was twenty-one days in making the passage, and was four days overdue. On board of the steamship were the lions which are to play such an important part in the production of Nero at Niblo's Theatre.

**Slate and Metal Roofers Win.**

BOSTON, Oct. 22.—Thirteen firms have granted to the slate and metal roofers the advance from $3 to $3.25 per day and eight hours' work on Saturday, and the threatened strike will not materialize.

**Died Suddenly at a Hotel.**

BALTIMORE, Oct. 22.—Mr. Charles W. Keim, brother-in-law of President Mayer of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad, died suddenly shortly after noon at the Relay House.

### WORK OF THE ENGINEERS.

**The New Executive Committee Appointed by the Brotherhood.**

PITTSBURG, Oct. 22.—It is expected that the convention of the International Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers will adjourn in about ten days, as the business is progressing quite rapidly.

The new executive committee appointed is as follows: Edward Kent of the Erie, chairman; Col. Nat. Sawyer of the New York Central, R. M. Clark, Denver, Col.; Ash Kennedy, Winnepeg, Man.; Dan Brown, Derry, Pa.; G. B. Turner, Temple, Tex.

At a meeting last night $2,076 was distributed among the widows, orphans and indigent members of fifty of the 452 divisions of the order. The amount was distributed among fifty-six persons. The committee on special charities also held a meeting, and disbursed considerable money.

A prominent delegate denied the assertion that the convention had ordered a strike on the Erie road. The subject has not been brought before the meeting.

### NEWS OF THE DAY

Mr. Balfour, Chief Secretary of Ireland, has arrived at Dublin.

H. C. R. Lawrence, a nurse at Bellevue Hospital, New York, is under arrest for assaulting a patient.

The Orrville Soap Company's works at Saco, Me., valued at $8,000, were entirely destroyed by fire. Insured.

Russian advices are to the effect that the cholera has extended from Persia to Bagdad and is destroying many victims.

Mrs. Mary McKnight committed suicide at Chester, Pa., by taking laudanum. Family troubles and drink were the cause.

Alonzo H. Laws, carpenter and builder, Boston, has gone into insolvency, owing $18,000, with no unencumbered assets.

The Union Baptist Society of Tremont Temple, Boston, unanimously accepted the resignation of Rev. Emory J. Haynes, their pastor.

The machinery of the State fair at Birmingham, Alabama, was started at noon by Mrs. Cleveland, who pressed a button at Lenox, Mass.

The famous Baby Bunting case of Campbell vs. Arkuckle was argued before the Court of Appeals at Albany, N. Y., yesterday afternoon.

Arthur Lumley, the well known artist and illustrator of New York city, has become totally blind through the growth of cataracts over both eyes.

L. F. Leiter the Chicago millionaire, denies the reported engagement of his daughter to Sir Charles Hall, the boon companion of the Prince of Wales.

Jerome Sweet, the Providence (R. I.) ice peddler, who killed his wife by pouring kerosene upon her and setting her on fire, was found guilty of murder and sentenced to State Prison for life.

Mrs. Annie Wilmarth, the daughter of wealthy parents, is a voluntary prisoner in Raymond Street Jail, Brooklyn, where she was first committed for being drunk in the street. An unhappy marriage drove her to drink.

The Government steamer Stiletto made several ineffectual attempts to recover the body of the son of Rear Admiral Case, drowned at Bristol, R. I. It was found near where the young man sank, by Captain Waters' wrecking crew from Newport.

The New York city representatives of both the Adams and United States Express Companies deny in the most positive terms that there is any truth in the report that negotiations are on foot to effect a consolidation of the two companies.

The directors of the poor of Pennsylvania are holding their 16th annual meeting at Lancaster. A large number of delegates from the various counties of the State are present. James L. Graham of Allegheny presided and Judge Livingston made an address of welcome to which L. C. Colborne of Somerset responded. Routine business occupied the morning session.

The Eastern Synod of the Reformed Church in the United States adjourned at Reading, Pa., after deciding to hold the next annual meeting in Harrisburg on the third Wednesday of Oct. 1891. The special committee on the theological seminary at Lancaster presented a report urging the necessity of the erection of a suitable building for the institution.

**Weather Indications.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 22.—For New England, Connecticut and Eastern New York: Continued cool, fair weather; variable winds.

For New Jersey: Continued cool, variable winds; fair weather; rain.

For Western New York: Fair weather; variable winds; generally easterly; stationary temperature; rains during the night.

### NEW YORK MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Oct. 21.—Money on call to-day 4 and 4½ per cent.

BONDS.

| | Closing Yesterday. | Closing To-day. |
|---|---|---|
| 4½s, 1891 Reg. | 104¾ | 104¾ |
| 4½s, 1891 Coup. | 104¾ | 104¾ |
| 4 s, 1907 Reg. | 124 | 124¼ |
| 4 s, 1907 Coup. | 124 | 124¼ |

STOCK MARKET.

| | Closing Yesterday. | Closing To-day. |
|---|---|---|
| Canadian Pacific | 76 | — |
| Central Pacific | — | — |
| Chicago, Bur. & Q. | 97¾ | 97¾ |
| Delaware & Hudson | — | 137¾ |
| Del., Lack. & Western | 144¾ | 143¾ |
| Erie | 22¾ | 21¾ |
| Erie pref. | — | — |
| Lake Shore | 107¾ | 107¾ |
| Louis. & Nash. | 70¾ | 7 9¾ |
| Michigan Central | 94¾ | — |
| Missouri Pacific | 69¾ | 69¾ |
| New Jersey Central | — | 111 |
| Northwestern | 108¼ | 107¾ |
| Oregon Navigation | — | — |
| Pacific Mail | 41¾ | 40¾ |
| Reading | 37¾ | 36¾ |
| Rock Island | 77¾ | 75¾ |
| St. Paul | 90¾ | 89¾ |
| Union Pacific | 51¾ | 51¾ |
| Western Union | 81¾ | 81¾ |

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## BY THE WAY.

—The Mayor of Bull-Frog City has returned to his old home after a long absence.

—A fair for the benefit of the Children's Home will be held at 41 East Fifth street, Saturday, from 2 to 5 P. M. The admission fee will be but three cents.

—Because of the evangelistic meetings to be held in November, the Bezaar arranged for by the Women's Christian Temperance Union, has been deferred until the 9th of December.

—The meeting to-morrow at 3:30 P. M., at 73 West Front street, will be in charge of Mrs. J. C. Fernald, and is one of the "Better Day series," which have proved so entertaining and instructive.

—The annual meeting of the Women's Temperance Aid Society will be held at Reform Hall, to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock. All the members and friends are earnestly invited to be present. The anniversary exercises have been postponed until the 30 inst, due notice of which will be given.

—Complaints are frequent of the number of boys on the streets who smoke cigarettes, and Police Captain Grant may follow the example of the chief-of-police of Cincinnati, who has because of violations of the law against selling cigarettes to boys, ordered the arrest of all children found smoking, and says they will be held as witnesses until the name of the person who sold them the goods is given.

—The formal opening of the Club House of the Democratic League, at Trenton, Tuesday evening, was a grand affair. Prominent Democrats from all over the State were present, and a reception tendered Gov. Abbett and staff. All were delighted, and the League promises to be a great benefit to the Democracy in coming and future political contests in Mercer county.

—The Plainfield Women's Christian Temperance Union have received subscriptions amounting to nearly $450 for their building fund, and have paid the money on their new lot, at the Northeast corner of Sixth street and Park avenue. The Union has now 251 paying members, and 14 honorary, is growing constantly, and is one of the largest and strongest branches of the organization in the country.

—The failure of the ice crop last Winter brought many discomforts to the citizens. It may afford them pleasure to be told that it will give them some compensation for those discomforts this Winter. The Western poultry dealers could not ship as much poultry to the market during the Summer and early Fall as usual, owing to the scarcity of ice. Consequently the ducks, chickens, and turkeys were permitted to accumulate in the barn yards of the farmers, where they are now being fattened, and an unusually large quantity of poultry will be shipped here as soon as the weather will permit the shipment of dead poultry without ice.

## PARTICULAR MENTION

A birthday party was held at the residence of Miss Lizzie Mattis, 16 Spooner avenue, last evening. Friends were present from everywhere. Refreshments were served and an enjoyable time was spent.

The Rev. Dr. K. P. Ketcham, of the First Presbyterian church, has been appointed chairman of the Monmouth Presbytery Committee on Presbyterian Records by the State Synod now in session at Atlantic City.

Mrs. J. M. MacNaughton, of Front street, and Mrs. M. C. Dobbins, of Elmwood place, are in attendance at the State Women's Christian Temperance Union Convention at Atlantic City, as delegates from the Plainfield Union.

Mrs. and Mrs. Peter Weaver, of Orchard place, celebrated the twenty-fifth anniversary of their marriage last evening by a highly enjoyable silver wedding. From sixty to seventy guests were present, each bringing a handsome gift of silver. The most cordial hospitality prevailed. In addition to the other festivities an elegant supper was served. Benjamin LaVere was master-of-ceremonies, and Frazee furnished the music.

Several months ago Seymour G. Smith, Councilman-at-large, injured his hand bowling. Since then a growth of diseased bone has resulted, causing constant pain and inconvenience. Notwithstanding this, however, Mr. Smith's love of good sport is so strong that he could not resist the temptation to indulge in live-pigeon shooting at the recent Middlesex Gun Club tournament at Dunellen. The result shows that the enthusiasm was hardly prudent, for the injury to his hand has since grown considerably worse.

### Two Calls a Minute.

The increase in the telephone business in this city under the management of Charles W. Runyon, is probably unequalled by any other place of its size. He studys to please, and his central office operators, Miss Lottie Morse, Miss Lottie Smith, and Herbert Chamberlain, are so courteous and willing that not a subscriber can name a fault with the service.

The other morning during the hour from nine to ten o'clock, the two Lotties had 116 calls to answer and connect. This is about two a minute, and it may naturally be supposed that it was an impossibility to serve so many. Yet they did it and did it satisfactorily, although it kept the switch-board very warm.

### A Young and Foolish Thief.

The young clerk of tailor Doty of North avenue is missing as well as two hundred dollars' worth of cloths, trimmings, etc. Some days ago Doty missed his watch, and could never trace it until today. It was pawned by this clerk, yesterday, for funds with which to leave the city on the 3:27 A. M., train this morning, with a big bundle of goods out of the tailor shop. Two policemen saw him go, and he will probably soon be overtaken. About five years in the State prison, will be his dose.

This young man, whose name is George Reidman, has a bright and rather handsome face, with clear black eyes and every appearance of gentleness, modesty and honesty. He first worked for VanSciver the decorator, and afterwards for Engineer Dunham and others. It is said that after he came to Plainfield some persons from New York traced him here and made him give up some things he had stolen there.

Reidman seems to be the smallest kind of a thief, and the most foolish. Wherever he has worked he has the reputation of lifting all sorts of such little things as he could get his hands on. Nothing could be more foolish than his last action. He carried off property by which he can be traced, and which he cannot dispose of without being suspected and eventually arrested.

### Editor Powell Responds to a Cold-Water Toast.

In recognition of the work accomplished in behalf of social purity by the National Woman's Christian Temperance Union, its President, Miss Francis E. Willard, was, at the annual meeting of the International Purity conference held last month in Stockholm, Sweden, appointed a member of the executive committee for the coming year. Aaron M. Powell, of this city, is also a member of this committee. Mrs. Mary Clement Leavitt was present at the meeting and writes thus of the compliment paid the total abstainers who were in attendance: "Mr. Tam, a member of the Swedish parliament, presided at the elegant dinner given the conference, and very gracefully asked that the first toast might be drank in cold water, 'out of regard to our abstaining friends.' The member from Plainfield was called on to reply to the toast, and thanked Mr. Tam most warmly for his gracious action."

### What Dr. Hurlbut Says of Leland Powers.

"It was my privilege to hear Mr. Leland Powers tell the story of 'David Copperfield,' at Chautauqua, in 1889. It was the most remarkable impersonation that I ever witnessed, passing from one character to another most different, with wonderful rapidity. I at once engaged him for three Chautauqua Assemblies during the Summer of 1890, and at each place his entertainment was received with great enjoyment. At Chautauqua, last Summer, hundreds went two hours before the time in order to obtain good seats and were not disappointed in the entertainment.

"JESSE L. HURLBUT."

An opportunity to hear Mr. Powers in "David Copperfield" will be given on Saturday evening, at the Crescent Avenue chapel. Tickets may be secured at Reynolds' Pharmacy.

### The Art of Conversation.

Mrs. Florence Howe Hall, of Scotch Plains, a daughter of Mrs. Julia Ward Howe, read a paper on "The Art of Conversation" Friday afternoon before an assemblage of ladies in the parlors of Dr. Clement Cleveland, 59 West Thirty-eighth street, New York. Besides Dr. and Mrs. Cleveland, there were present Mrs. Vincenzo Botta, Miss Jeannette Gilder, Mrs. Maud Howe Elliott, Mrs. Morris K. Jesup, Mrs. Charles DeKay, Mrs. F. A. P. Barnard, Mrs. Wm. Tod-Helmuth, Mrs. Croly, Mrs. Jennings Demarest, Mrs. Terhune, Mrs. Jenness Miller, Mrs. Henry Oakley, Mrs. Thomas Ward, Miss Julia McAllister, Mrs. Silvanus Reed, Miss Annie Brown, and Mrs. Charlotte Emerson Brown.

### A Burst of Bubbling Bellow.

The entertainment to be given by the Whatsoever Circle, King's Daughters, at Y. M. C. A. hall Friday evening, will undoubtedly receive the liberal patronage it deserves. Of Mrs. Henry Firth Wood, one of the artists who will appear, Marion Harland writes as follows:

"'The Baby's Soliloquy,' as rendered by Mrs. Wood, is an inspiration. The gradations from bewilderment and speculation to righteous wrath and an overwhelming sense of injury; and the expression of the same in an outburst of bubbling, babbling, bellow, are utterly and convulsively funny. The recitation is a unique. The appeal to the heart and memory of every mother is irresistible."

### To Discuss the Britons and the Saxons.

The programme of the next meeting of the Hurlbut Circle of the C. L. S. C., which will be held at the home of Mr. Gorton, 52 West Fifth street, will be as follows:

PRELIMINARY VIEW OF ENGLISH HISTORY.

The Britons.....Mrs. Emerson.
The Paxons and the Heptarchy....Mr. Larrabee.
The Saxon Kings.....Mr. Gorton.

Every member is invited to take part in the discussion following the presentation of the papers,

### Ratification Meeting.

Joe English, S. A. Haines and other eloquent speakers will address the prohibition ratification meeting at the Reform Hall, Thursday evening, October 23. All who enjoy good speaking are welcome to attend.

### The Remarkable Offerings for Three Months, of a Single Church.

The quarterly report of the beneficient fund of the Crescent church, is as follows:

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|---|---|
| Balance on hand July 1, 1890 | $581.58 |
| Offerings for Special Objects | 593.08 |
| " " Beneficent Fund | 272.50 |
| Evening Offerings | 84.01 |
| Special Donations | 124.69 |
| | $1,595.86 |

DISBURSEMENTS.

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|---|---|
| Board of Foreign Missions | 185.00 |
| Board of Home Missions | 185.00 |
| Board of Publication | 150 00 |
| Plainfield Relief Association | 82.47 |
| Canal Missionary | 25.00 |
| Education for the Ministry | 50.00 |
| Various Benevolent Objects | 230.91 |
| Balance, October 1 | 687.48 |
| | $1,595.86 |

### Notes from Dunellen.

That the borough of Dunellen is in a thriving condition is evidenced in various ways. Its population is constantly increasing, its provisions for educating the children and youth are becoming better every year, its roads and sidewalks are becoming the pride of the borough, its church privileges are ample, covering quite a variety of religious preferences.

The new school building on the North side of the Central railroad is a credit to the town.

The new parsonage for the home of the pastor of the Presbyterian church is a fine structure. The Rev. W. C. Stinson has already taken possession.

John F. Richters has sold his property in Dunellen and will remove to Newark.

### Interesting and Dramatic.

Good plays are so rare nowadays that when such a masterpiece as William Gillette's "Held by the Enemy" comes this way a word or two of praise in advance is neither ill-timed nor ill-advised. The piece is purely an American drama, its situations are intensely interesting and dramatic, and its characters true to life. The fourth act can be safely classed as a perfect triumph of the dramatist's art, the motive and action is so simple and the effects so thrillingly dramatic. "Held by the Enemy" will be presented here at Music Hall, to-morow evening, with as strong a company of actors and actresses as has ever visited this city.

### Catholic Young Men Incorporate a Lyceum.

The Catholic Young Men's Lyceum of Plainfield has filed articles of incorporation with the County Clerk, and announces as one of its main objects the promotion of the moral, intellectual and physical condition of its members. The trustees selected to manage the affairs of the association are W. M. Wigger, P. E. Smyth, Thomas Carty and John J. Kenney. The Lyceum has purchased of Emma Falhaber, for $3,100, as announced in yesterday's PRESS, a plot of land, 64x181 feet, at the corner of Fifth and Liberty streets, and will build itself a handsome home.

### Stanley Coming to Plainfield.

A positive engagement has been made for a lecture by Henry M. Stanley in this city. The people of Plainfield may feel very proud of this, as his stay in America is short, his lectures limited, and the largest cities are bidding against one another to secure him.

The price of tickets to see and hear him, are as high as five dollars in Boston. But those who have been able to bring him to Plainfield, will sell a course ticket at probably $3.50, which will include a seat at a talk by Bill Nye, a concert by Ollie Torbett and her company, and possibly a sermon by Talmage.

### The Official Vote on the Constitutional Amendments.

The vote cast in New Jersey on the constitutional amendments was canvassed yesterday afternoon by the State Board of Canvassers. The estimated figures already given in THE PRESS were found to be very nearly correct. The vote in favor of the special legislation amendment was 3,328, and that against 59,050. For the other amendment there were cast 16,756 and against it 45,611 votes. Essex county cast the largest majority against special legislation, and Hudson the greatest majority against the other amendment.

### Can't Go Home Much Before Thanksgiving.

The Union County Grand Jury returned a batch of indictments this morning. The Court announced that it would not dimiss the jury till after Nov. 10, and adjournment was taken till next Monday. It is surmised that the Court's desire is to have the jury at hand constantly in order to proceed against race-track offenders.

—You should see the Belgian lamp that Gavett is selling. It is the best in the market.

—Mrs. I. R. Giles, of 47 East Sixth street, reported to the police this morning that her five-year-old daughter was missing. It is thought that the little one wandered away to a neighbor's house and will speedily be returned.

### Fine and Imprisonment for a Mayor.

BROOKLYN, Oct. 22.—Judge Cullen sentenced Mayor Gleason of Long Island City, convicted of assault in the third degree for pounding and kicking Reporter George R. Crowley, to five days' imprisonment in the Long Island County Jail and to pay a fine of $250.

### Western Freight Rates Advanced.

CHICAGO, Oct. 22.—Freight rates between Chicago and northwestern points both ways, are to be raised 20 per cent., beginning November 17. This action was taken at to-day's meeting of the Western Freight Association.

### An American Arrested in London.

LONDON, Oct. 22.—An American named Wright, and two women named Condy and Irvin, were arraigned in a police court here on a charge of robbing a jeweler in Cheapside of a diamond brooch valued at $550. It is believed that the prisoners are implicated in other jewelry robberies that have recently occurred in London. They were remanded for trial.

### Another Irish Member Imprisoned.

TIPPERARY, Oct. 22—The sitting magistrates in the conspiracy trial now in progress here, sentenced Hon. David Sheehy, Member of Parliament for the Northern Division of Galway, and one of the defendants, to one week's imprisonment for contempt of court. He refused to answer questions asked by the magistrates.

### The Tariff Effects Belfast Linen.

LONDON, Oct. 22.—In a speech at Louth, Ireland, Attorney-General Webster said it was the duty of the Government, in view of the McKinley tariff, to find other outlets for British industry. The linen factories of Belfast are already beginning to slacken up, owing to the lessened American demand for this product.

### The Prince of Wales Among the Poor.

VIENNA, Oct. 23.—Among both the titled and poorer classes in this city the Prince of Wales is making himself very popular. Though indefatigable in performing social duties, he has found time to visit nearly all the charitable institutions and make liberal contributions to their funds.

### The Queen Prorogues Parliament.

LONDON, Oct. 22.—At a council held at Balmoral the Queen formally declared Parliament prorogued until the 25th of November.

The cleansing, antiseptic and healing qualities of Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy are unequalled.

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And other good speakers.

All are welcome. 10 22 2

### Arrival and Departure of Mails.

NEW YORK MAILS.
Arrive—7: 30, 8 40, A. M., 12:15, 2: 30, 5: 30 P. M.
Close—7: 30 and 9: 30 A. M., 1: 45, 5: 30 and 8 P. M.

SOMERVILLE AND EASTON MAILS.
Arrive—8: 40 A. M., 2: 40, 6: 30 P. M.
Close—7: 30 A. M., 4: 30 P. M.

Direct mail to Trenton and Philadelphia at 4: 30 P. M.

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Mail closes at 6: 30 P. M.

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*Advertisements under this heading, one cent for each word each insertion.*

LOST—An Irish bull terrier pup; brown and white, lower jaw protrudes, pink eye-lids. Answers to the name of Eddie. A suitable reward will be paid for his return to Wm. M. Stout, 169 East Front st. No questions asked. 10 22 4

TO LET—3 or 4 nice rooms, first or second floor; water convenient at side door. 222 E 2d street. 10 22 3

WANTED—Housekeeper to go in country small family. Address Box 300. 10 12 2

BARN to rent. Apply on premises, 24 East 9th street. 10 22 3

STRAYED from Percy C. Ohl's farm, a small brown bull calf; reward for its return. 10 22 2

A BAY horse strayed into the yard, 28 Plainfield avenue. Owner can have him by paying for advertisement and proving property.

BOARD wanted for gentleman, wife and child; central location and good sanitary conditions necessary. Address B, PRESS office. 10 22 2

WANTED—A three-quarter pool table. Address Box 87, Dunellen, N. J. 10 21 3

STRAYED from 112 RockView avenue, one white bull terrier dog. Liberal reward if returned at once. 10 20 tf

WANTED—Stout boy or man to assist in milking, and make himself generally useful. Apply at PRESS office. 10 16 tf

FOUR houses to let. Inquire City Mills, Somerset street. 10 14 tf

TRUCK farm for sale; eleven acres, with good house and barn, 2 miles from Plainfield. Apply to W. C. Butler, 1 E. Front street. 10 13 tf

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STORAGE for furniture in separate rooms. Apply to C. Frank French, 69 somerset st. 9 2 tf

WANTED—Jobbing at painting, glazing kalsomining and roof painting. Address Isaac Kennedy, 55 East Front street. tf

WANTED—Work cleaning Vaults and Cesspools. Satisfaction guaranteed. City Odorless Excavating Works, 208 Broadway. Mrs. David Jones, Proprietor. No connection with JONES & Co. 6-11-tf

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Greatest of all War Dramas.

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Strong cast, and car load of special scenery.

PRICES—35, 50, 75c., and $1.00.

Seats on sale Tuesday.

Scotch Plains and North Plainfield stages will run for the performance, returning when it is over 10 17 td

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The day of commencing, and place of holding the class, will be afterwards made known.

For terms, etc., address

L. P. SEGADLO,

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The introduction of the system of propelling street cars by the overhead electric wire has given an extraordinary impulse to street-railroad enterprise in and about Essex county. Ten years ago not a single line in Newark paid a dividend, although all were exempted from taxes and their stock was of dubious value. To-day this stock is "gilt-edged," and is eagerly sought for at prices that a year ago would have been deemed impossible. Stock in street railroads in Newark that some years ago was bought at 50 cents on the dollar was lately sold at the rate of $390 a share and the purchasers assumed a big mortgage debt besides.

Moribund roads in Elizabeth, Passaic, Paterson, Orange and New Brunswick have suddenly assumed value and been acquired by purchase, and will be operated at greatly reduced cost by electricity At the same time new roads are projected in all directions and franchises are eagerly sought for. As a price for granting new privileges and franchises, Newark has exacted 5 per cent. of the gross receipts, the full local tax, and the lighting of the streets with electricity. Orange has exacted a percentage of receipts and five cent fares to Newark. Formerly a street-railroad obtained exemption from taxes and the right to charge whatever fares it pleased. All that is changed now, and capitalists are eager to get franchises on the new conditions. The cheaper system of transit has made these franchises exceedingly valuable.

With the completion of roads already projected and the general introduction of electricity as a motive power, the East Jersey communities will be vastly more attractive for residence than they have been and the effect will be to draw population from New York. One great drawback to the growth of small communities has been the lack of transit facilities and now there is a prospect that these will be abundantly supplied.

East Orange, West Orange, South Orange, Orange City, Montclair, Short Hills, Summit, and other beautiful and thriving places have been almost entirely built up by New Yorkers, because they are readily reached by railroad. Plainfield has no electric street railway and until she has, the Crescent City's growth is less than it would be.

**Set Your Watch by Washington.**

At noon of each day is recorded in the observatory at Washington, a flash passes over the wires of the Western Union Telegraph company, drops the celebrated time ball in New York, and throws both hands across the figure XII on the face of the big electric clock that has just been erected in Dickinson's window at 13 Park avenue.

This clock is one of the wonderful synchronized self-winding ones recently invented. It does not obtain its motive power from electrical action, thus being subject to hindrances resulting from entire dependence on electrical currents, but instead gains the necessary force from the action of a fine spring, as does an ordinary clock. Two small cells of battery are placed in the top of the case, connected with a magnet secured to the lower part of the movement. As the centre wheel driven by the unwinding of the spring advances, a lever is raised that unlocks the armature and allows it to spring back into position ready for winding. When the lever drops the circuit is instantly closed, the spring being wound by the pawl fastened to the armature. The action of winding breaks the circuit when the winding is completed. The contacts are made so short that the action of the battery is very slight, thus enabling it to perform the work of winding for over a year without renewal or alteration.

**New Jersey's Coming Ship Canal.**

Further news of the project to construct a ship canal across New Jersey from Philadelphia and Camden to the Atlantic, details of which have already been given in THE PRESS, states that the ocean terminus will be at Tom's River, as was suggested in these columns, and that the route will for a greater portion of the way be along the natural water course of the Rancocas creek through Mt. Holly. The source of the creek, the line of whose bed will be followed, almost meets the source of a branch of the Tom's River flowing in the other direction. At no place on this entire route is there a great elevation, so that the difficulties of excavation will be few.

The opening of such a great waterway will be a vast improvement to the region through which it passes, and will add materially to the commercial interests of New Jersey.

**Postal Telegraph Wires Follow the Brook.**

The route of the New Jersey Postal Telegraph Company through North Plainfield, after crossing the mountain from Washingtonville, is from the foot of the old Washington Rock road to Green Brook, and along Green Brook to Somerset street. Thus has been settled the problem aroused by the Borough residents' opposition to poles and wires along the streets.

**Right You Are.**

We hear good news from Union county, to the effect that the outlook for the election of Mr. Marsh to the Senate looks better and better each day. If the Democrats of Union suffer themselves to be beaten with such a candidate, upon such an issue as poolselling, they will not deserve recognition from the rest of the State.—*Trenton True American.*

**George Kyte Accused of Badgering a Fanwood Postmaster Out of Office.**

TO THE EDITOR OF THE PRESS:—The inhabitants of Fanwood township have been treated to a most ludicrous exhibition of PuBahism within the last year in obtaining a postmaster.

When the present administration assumed control, and the Hon. John Wanamaker was appointed Postmaster General, it was deemed wise to appoint Mr. Badger, a most respectable citizen, and good Republican, Postmaster of Fanwood, and the bond, required by law to be filed with the Department, was duly executed and forwarded, and within a very limited period Mr. Badger should have received his appointment in writing, and he should have assumed the duties of his office. But, somehow, through the machinations of local politicians, aided and urged on by the demands of hungry satelites, whose fame does not extend beyond the confines of the township, the good intentions of the National Government were frustrated, and the appointee of the Department was not permitted to open the office, in consequence of which the residents of Fanwood were compelled daily to walk two miles to Scotch Plains and back, if they desired to get their mail. Not only was Mr. Badger prevented from performing his duty, but he did not even get back his bond, although he made frequent demands therefore.

This sort of filibustering was allowed to proceed until the indignation of the people became aroused to such an extent that Mr. Justice Kyte a leader of some of the politicians, saw plainly that further trifling would be dangerous; and being well versed in legal lore, he drew up a petition addressed to himself as "Agent of the Central New Jersey Land Improvement Company" in the signing of which the whole community was expected to *join, humbly begging, beseeching and imploring* said Kyte to intercede and obtain for them the much needed Postmaster. In justice to the good sense of the great majority of the residents of Fanwood be it said that this petition was scornfully rejected by them, and signature refused. The most natural question propounded was "What has George Kyte, as agent, to do with the appointment of a Postmaster, when there is already one in existence who has qualified?"

Another very interesting point, which really needs explanation, is by what process of jugglery A. P. Downer received the appointment, and now holds the office, while Badger, who had fulfilled all the requirements of the Department, had not signified his intention not to serve.

Our friend Kyte now comes before the public asking permission from the people whom he has wronged to represent them in the State Assembly. Will the people sit by quietly permitting such jugglery as above outlined, or will they demand an explanation of his entire disregard for the comfort of a whole community.

If the voters of the third district of Union county will cast their votes freely for Alford B. Cook at the coming election, a certain Kyte will, in an utterly demoralized and dilapidated condition, be lost to sight in the November winds.

ERNEST C. KIEB.

## TO BE ABOLISHED.

**The Rev. Mr. Robertson's "Juvenile Guardian Society" Will Probably be Wound Up.**

*(From the New York Times.)*

The gentlemen who were alluded to in THE TIMES recently as Directors of the "New York Juvenile Guardian Society" of which the Rev. David F. Robertson, of Plainfield, is manager, were, naturally enough, disturbed at the position in which they were placed by their connection with a concern whose semblance was questionable charity and whose form was a fraud. But it will be remembered that, with the exception of B. J. Sturges, their connection with Robertson was distant, consisting merely in permitting the use of their names for purposes which, when described by the enthusiastic old man who had made a living and a lifework out of them, seemed very praiseworthy.

The only fault that can be charged against them is carelessness and indifference in regard to the responsibilities they had assumed in such an off-hand manner.

On Oct. 15, Messrs Bostwick and Sturges spent two hours examining the accounts for the five months for which Dr. Guernsey's board was responsible. They found that for this period, as already estimated by THE TIMES, the accounts had been correctly and carefully kept, Robertson has also satisfactorily explained the church subscription, which has so often been the cause of insinuation against him. Mr. Bostwick concludes his report to Dr. Guernsey with a refreshing suggestion.

"It seems to me," he says, "that the question for us to determine is whether we are justified in maintaining a charitable organization requiring superintendence, rooms, and other fixed charges while it is without income and the receipts are limited and uncertain."

The concern will probably be wound up at once, for it has long outgrown its usefulness, if it ever had any. Robertson is an aged man, wholly unfit for active service, but he firmly believes after all these years of cheating his conscience that he is pursuing an honest course by becoming a recipient of charity which is meant for other ends. His Directors who are so interested in the cause of charity can do it no better service than by discontinuing this "society," even if they have to make a provision for the old man whose course has brought him to a condition of pitiful loneliness and destitution.

## SECRET SOCIETIES.

**Masonic.**

The monument to Robert Morris, the poet laureate of Masonry, which has been erected at La Grange, Ky., will be unveiled September 30. Hiram Basssett, Past Grand Master of Knights Templar, in Canada, leaves a breach in the order in that jurisdiction that can not be easily filled. For over thirty-six years he was a leader in Templar Knighthood and to his efforts and ability the prosperity of the order in Canada is almost entirely due.

The recent session of the Supreme Council of the Scottish Rite, N. J., held at Cleveland was the most successful meeting ever held by the Rite in this country from a social and public point of view. The Consistory parade, the receptions and pilgrimage to Garfield's tomb and the hospitality extended by the Cleveland members of the Rite were on a scale of magnificence seldom if ever before witnessed in this country. Considerable business of importance was transacted, and thirty-one princes received the thirty-third degree. There were present during the session about five hundred members of the Rite from the various States in the Northern jurisdiction.

Royal Arch Masonry has been making rapid strides in this country during the past twenty-five years. There are now 153,277 affiliated members reported in the United States, which is partly accounted for by the fact that in all the States none can receive the Templar order without first passing through the chapter.

**Odd-Fellows.**

The recent session of the Sovereign Grand lodge, held in Topeka, Kan., was a very important one for the order. The committee on appeals and grievances had an unusually large number of cases before them, the most important of which was that of Franklin Ellis, who was suspended from duty as Captain General of the Patriarchs Militant by the Grand Sire on the alleged ground of insubordination, and J. L. Barnum, Grand Master of Illinois, who was suspended from his office because he refused to obey a mandate of the Grand Sire which he considered illegal and improper. The controversy in Illinois arose out of the action of the Grand Master in arresting the charter of America lodge, of Chicago, for a violation of the law of the State Grand Lodge.

The lodge thereupon complained to the Grand Sire, who, upon an exparte statement ordered the Grand Master to restore the charter, which he refused to do, claiming that the lodges and members in his jurisdiction were amenable to him alone for any violation of the grand lodge regulations, subject only to an appeal to the Sovereign Grand lodge. The action of Grand Sire Underwood, in these two cases, stirred up considerable feeling in the order and contributed much toward making the recent session the most acrimonious of many years.

There now seems to be some prospect of an Odd-Fellow's temple in Chicago. A corporation has been formed for building purposes and subscription stock books have been placed in the hands of an energetic committee, with reasonable assurances of ultimate success.

**Ancient Order United Workmen.**

The celebration of the twenty-seventh anniversary of this order will occur October 27. In most of the cities and towns throughout the country active preparations are being made to celebrate the event in some appropriate manner. The order is to be congratulated on having attained such an age and being still in such a prosperous and healthy condition. Its lodges and membership are increasing almost as rapidly as they were ten years ago, and in many of the States a crisis has been passed that leaves the order on a tolerably secure footing for future contingencies.

In Illinois the assessment limit will be reached the next assessment, and the Grand lodge is now hesitating as to whether they will ask for constitutional relief or levy an extra assessment to meet the emergencies. From present indications it seems probable that the latter course will be pursued.

**American Legion of Honor.**

At the recent meeting of the Grand Council of Illinois, held in Chicago, about sixty delegates were present. The order reported 63,000 members in the State, with the prospect of considerable additions during the coming year. A special assessment of one dollar per year was levied on all the members, to create a fund for the employment of a deputy to organize new councils in the State. The officers of 1889 were almost unanimously re-elected.

MCDOUGALL.

**Dangers of Over-Eating.**

The question is asked, how are we to know when we have eaten enough? If you are of proper weight, the best rule is to eat just enough to maintain your weight. If you are too thin and your digestion and general health are adequate to building of more tissue, eat a little more so as to gain in flesh. If you have any doubts as to whether you have eaten enough or not, stop short and give your stomach the benefit of the doubt. The Persians have a proverb like this: "The ox knows when to go home from grazing, but the fool never knows his stomach's measure." Our fashion of eating in courses is bad, as it tempts to over-eating, particularly since the dainties are left for dessert. It would be much better to begin with dishes we like best, leaving those least relishable until the last, by which means much surfeiting would be avoided.—From Lecture by J. H. Kellogg, M. D.

## MISTAKES OF A DAY.

**A Sensible Lecture for Young Women Delivered by Edith Ashmore.**

When you laid your head down on your pillow at night you knew that it had been a day of blunders. The tears came into your eyes and you wondered what you had done that made every thing go wrong. My dear girl, you had made little mistakes by thoughtlessness; you had made the music of life less sweet and done your best to make that little rift within the lute that, after awhile, would make all the beautiful music of life quiet. You began the day by disputing at the breakfast table with your brother about nothing; and you ended it by saying very disagreeable things, making him feel uncomfortable and causing him to leave the table muttering; while your mother wondered why he should speak so to his sister. It was his sister's fault, for she expected everybody to give in to her ideas and felt wronged when they didn't.

Next, when you went to practice and were in the midst of a beautiful sonata, you were reminded that the dusting of the parlor was your duty; and you grumbled and did it ungraciously, and even now you can remember how hurt your mother looked as you banged things around the room and wondered why you couldn't have the same time to practice that other girls had. Then when one of your girl friends came in, you made her unhappy by telling her some disagreeable things that had been said about her, and which you thought she ought to know. There is no reason in the world why people should tell each other disagreeable things. You sent your friend away hurt, and with a curious feeling in her heart that you couldn't really be so fond of her as she thought, or else you wouldn't have made her so unhappy. At the dinner table you contradicted your father, you complained of your food, and you were as unpleasant as only a bad-mannered girl can be at the table. When somebody started to tell a little story you stopped it in the middle by saying that it had been told so often before you couldn't stand it again. After this, you dressed to go out, were ill-tempered, broke strings, sent buttons flying and complained of all your belongings. Then you went to see a girl you knew your mother didn't like you to visit. You stayed there and heard two or three scandalous stories, and came out feeling as if you had eaten something that had left a bad taste in your mouth. You forgot a book you had been told to get; you didn't care to go into a grocery shop and leave an order that would save everybody at home a great deal of trouble, and you carried your temper back with you, although God Almighty's sunshine rested on you and ought to have driven it out of your heart. You sulked all evening; you played the piano or read and managed to make things disagreeable for everybody. Now, when your head is resting on the pillow, you are thinking of this and wondering why it all went wrong.

My dear girl, you may have a hundred admirers; you may count your lovers by the tens, and your friends by the thousands, but you will never have but one mother; and when you deliberately go out of your way to hurt or neglect her, you are committing an absolute sin, one that in years to come will rise up before you and make you suffer agonies. When your own little children are about your knees you will wonder and fear if justice is shown if they will not tread on your heart as you did on hers. Try to do better to-morrow. The mistakes of to-day, it is possible, resulted from your getting out the wrong side of the bed; but be wise and see that it don't happen again.—Ladies' Home Journal.

## RAILROADS IN CHILI.

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The New York Tribune correspondent, who is exploring South America, writes as follows of railway traveling in Chili: "The Chilian capital is approached from either Valparaiso or Los Andes by the Quillota Valley opening between the Andes and the maritime range. There is a railway owned by the Chilian Government and operated on the English plan. The cars are square compartment boxes, into which passengers are crowded until no seats are reserved for the late-comers, who are compelled to sprawl over the baggage littering the floor. There is an extra tariff of a dollar for the transportation of a small trunk in the baggage-car, and consequently every native travels with his effects in portable form to avoid payment of these charges. I have counted as many as a dozen pieces of small baggage belonging to one traveler, and the average certainly is not less than seven. All this baggage is heaped up in the compartment-car, so that it is impracticable to change one's seat or even to gain one's footing when the last belated passenger, with his bundles, sachels and band-boxes, is in and the tickets have been examined by the guard. At the railway junction of Llaillai, three trains are emptied into a large refreshment room, where a breakfast is served with something of the bustle and confusion of an American railway station. On returning to the compartment-car, every passenger has to clamber over the baggage mounds and to regain, by gesticulation and argument, the seat which some other traveler, possibly one of the previous latecomers, has seen fit to occupy in his temporary absence. This is the English railway service adapted to this southern latitude, and it is operated so as to produce a maximum degree of personal annoyance and discomfort. At the end of the journey a passenger whose baggage has been carried behind the engine, where it has not been in anybody's way, is compelled to employ and fee a railway porter to hunt it up, and possibly another one to put it on a coach.

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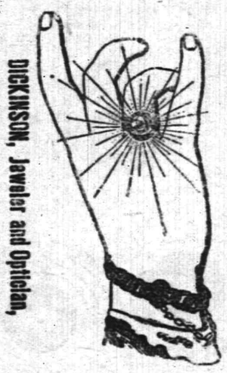

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And the noblest deeds of all
Are the deeds we have not done.

And the tenderest prayers are those
That our lips have never said;
While the saddest tears of all
Are the tears we have not shed.

Dear, the joy we found the best
Was the joy that first has flown,
And the truest loves are those
Which our hearts have never known.
—Reda Gregory Prelate, in Galveston News.

**Before and After.**

When he came to woo her,
This was what he said,
As he raised the shining tile
From his manly head:
"How is sweet Evangeline?"
Here he'd bow, polite,
"Sweetest thought, and ownest own.
How's my pet to-night?"

Now he, like a plunger,
Calls in different tone,
As he stalks about the house,
Seeking "ownest own:"
"Eva Jane McGilpin Smith,"
Shouts he in a pet,
"Where in thunder are you now!
Is supper ready yet?"
BY HIS MOTHER-IN-LAW.
—Detroit Free Press.

**Parables.**

Side by side within my garden,
Grew a flower and a weed:
Oft I watched the flower unfolding—
To the other gave no heed.
So the sun smiled and the rain fell
On them both alike, and lo!
Soon the weed's rank growth was spreading
O'er the hidden flower below.

Once, to me, was told a story
Of the sea-girt Netherland—
How the waters forced the dyke-works,
Sending death on every hand:
Yet the first rift was so tiny—
Had they noticed where it lay,
That a man's hand on the crevice
Would have held the sea at bay.

Trifles oft do make or mar us—
If to faults we give no heed,
They rise up and dwarf us—spreading
Rankly as the garden weed:
Stifling in their growth, the nobler
Instincts that our natures know,
Till, like tender flowers, uncared for,
They in dust are trampled low.
—J. Torrey Connor, in the Home.

**"Shut That Door."**

The winter time is drawing near,
The chilly season of the year
When snow knee-deep
Will wildly sweep
And blizzards loudly roar;
It won't be very long until
In voices loud and deep and shrill
The bore we'll tell
With wildest yell
To
Shut!
That!!
Door!!!

Oh, you who deal with men, beware!
If for their friendliness you care,
Take heed that you
Shall not pursue
The methods of the bore:
And mind you everywhere you go,
In calling on the high or low,
Strive with your might,
Secure and tight
To
Shut
That
Door.
—Chicago Post.

**The Woman.**

Only a little brown woman she,
Man of the world and profligate he,
Hard and conscienceless, cynical, yet
Somehow, when he and the woman met,
He saw what other there is in life
Than passion-feeding and careless strife;
There came resolve, and a sense of shame,
For she made as his motto but "Faith and Fame."

The world is foolish: we cover truth;
We're barred by the gates that we built in youth;
Two were they, surely, and two might stay,
But she turned him into the better way;
His thoughts were purified, even when
He chafed and raged at the might-have-been;
He learned that living is not a whim,
For the soul in her entered into him.

He fights, with others, to win or fall,
And the spell of the Woman is over all.
Bravely they battle, in their degree,
For—"The woman I love shall be proud of me!"
And each and woman, the one in heart,
May be buried together or buried apart,
But the strong will battle in his degree,
For—"The woman I love shall be proud of me!"
—Stanley Waterloo, in America.

**Yours Truly.**

When you write a line this way In angers, and that style For you're a Imitators all, With a super Stock of gall, Yours very truly, Jimmy Whitcomb Riley.
away, yourself give just You a mode to rile me.
—E. S. Morgan, in N. Y. Sun.

**From My Window.**

I know in yon wide, winding distance sleeps
The shallow river; in its limpid deeps
The woodland shadows, thence departing never,
In dreamy undulations sway forever.
I see its silvery gleaming here and there,
Amid the sunlit foliage of the trees;
Upon my lifted brow the kindly breeze
Breathes softly, and the coming eve 's fair.

I lift my eyes; the sun is in the West,
And o'er me like a realm of dreamy rest
Lean down—how fair! the mild and tender skies,
And in their bending deeps what mystic beauty lies!
How faint the outline of that southron fold
Of sunlit clouds, far-streaming into mist!
How high those moving Alps, snow-robed, and rolled,
Where'er the breeze's wanton fancies list!

I see the orchard shadows as they stream,
The wild birds' call I hear, the small wings' gleam
Flits by me o'er the fields of scented clover
Till lost to sight—the sweet, wild flight is over.
Over for them; to them the night, the nesting
On some high limb where moonlit foliage maketh
A walled retreat, whose towers the morning taketh
When night hath struck her thousand tents of resting.

O happy birds! Hath nature pent and fashioned
A fancy wild, an impulse all impassioned,
A heart like yours within my human breast,
That fain would fly to some far realm of rest?
Give me not, God, long years of large success,
Of gain or fame, but these—to me more dear!
A hearth my own, leal friends, a life sincere,
Each gift of Heaven that not elates but blesses.

Thou feadest birds! give me the grace to find
The foods of soul—the just and equal mind
That makes itself no rule to measure others—
The sense of limitation that e'er smothers
The sense of scorn. The wild birds on Thee call!
Let me, like them, find favor at Thy feet
That I, at least, feel not so incomplete,
But Thy Divine completeness covers all!
—Mary T. Downey, in Chicago Inter Ocean.

## HE IS A DEAD SHOT.

### What Champion Gus Zimmerman Knows About Marksmanship.

**Ten Bull's Eyes in Fifty-Seven Seconds—How to Handle a Rifle—Some Phenomenal Scores—It Is All a Question of Nerve.**

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The man who achieves success as a rifle shot will, at a very early stage of his experience, discover that a complete control of his nerves is essential to supremacy. It does not take a marksman

GUS. ZIMMERMAN.

long to find out what the limit of his possibilities is. In other amusements, such as billiard-playing for instance, incessant practice is one of the requisites. To be able to hold your own against an expert with the cue you must, as every one knows, devote years to the game no matter how thoroughly your nerves may be under command. This is not the case with the target. In a few months the novice may easily outstrip the veteran who for years has been trying to "get a line" on the bull's eye.

He is, under ordinary conditions, an excellent shot. When there is nothing at stake on his rifle he can come pretty near hitting the mark every time. If he is not in competition with anybody he will roll up a most fascinating string of bull's eyes. Shooting for fun and for fun only, he will astonish all beholders, but match him against anybody and he goes all to pieces instantly. He understands every little point that is of service to the successful shot, and yet in a match we would not dream of assigning him to duty in any buta third-rate team. As a rule he begins well. For the first four of five shots his aim is reasonably sure to be unerring. After that, signs of a collapse appear. He can do nothing with his nerves. At this stage he is not altogether incapable of hitting the bull's

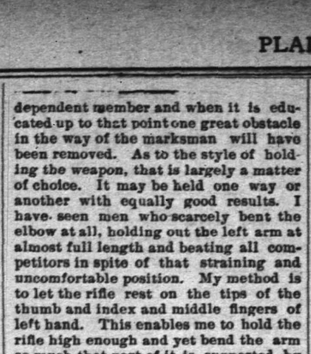
ZIMMERMAN'S METHOD OF HOLDING GUN.

eye, but his disturbance rapidly increases, and is soon practically ungovernable. The rest of his story is soon told. At the tail end of his shooting he is at the tail end of the list. He never can be persuaded to confess that the trouble is with his nerves. He makes all sorts of entirely foreign excuses, but we understand his case and accept them with grave faces. There is one phase of his failing which is as indicative as a whole sermon on marksmanship, and which is equally as amusing. If the match is one of only ten shots, he almost invariably finds a stumbling block in the ninth.

There are occasions when a rifleman feels in better trim for shooting than at other times. My own experience is, however, that these occasions come through no influence he can bring to bear upon them. He may endeavor to get himself into trim and find that, in spite of all his training, he is altogether out of gear when the time comes. And the reverse is sometimes most surprisingly the case. Let us give an illustration. I recently returned from Germany, where I had the pleasure of encountering some of the European champions. I was fortunate enough to bring back with me some prizes worth carrying across the ocean, and I think I did my share toward upholding the reputation of the United States against all comers. On the day after my arrival I went down to Creedmoor and participated in the contest for the Tiffany emblem. Some of the best shots in this country would like to have carried off that emblem, and several of them entered for it. I have a good many friends, and they welcomed me home. They proved conclusively that they were quite glad to see me. As a matter of fact my return provoked something very much like a celebration. When, at four o'clock in the morning, it came to a termination, many bottles of wine had been emptied. That the "reception," with all that it entailed, would make itself apparent on my score, any one might be pardoned for supposing in advance. It did nothing of the kind. I acquitted myself to my entire satisfaction on the first day, kept up the pace on the second and won the emblem on the third. I would not as a rule, however, prescribe celebrations as preliminaries to a match.

The finger must be trained to obey the will as though it were a completely independent member and when it is educated up to that point one great obstacle in the way of the marksman will have been removed. As to the style of holding the weapon, that is largely a matter of choice. It may be held one way or another with equally good results. I have seen men who scarcely bent the elbow at all, holding out the left arm at almost full length and beating all competitors in spite of that straining and uncomfortable position. My method is to let the rifle rest on the tips of the thumb and index and middle fingers of left hand. This enables me to hold the rifle high enough and yet bend the arm so much that part of it is supported by the body.

Some shooters seize the barrel as though the firmer they held it in the left hand the better would be their aim. That is a mistake. The mission of the left hand is accomplished when it has afforded support for the rifle and assisted the other arm in steadying it. I have been particularly fortunate in some of the scores which I have made at rapid firing. I would rather excel at that style of shooting than at any other because it certainly involves a severer test than even that of killing birds, unless, indeed, the marksman is blazing away pigeons against time. Rapid firing, even at a target, involves a tremendous strain, and, to an extent that would surprise the inexperienced, requires great dexterity and the control of almost every faculty. I use the Ballard rifle because it is so constructed that the barrel is easily unlocked and the process of unloading is simplicity itself. Some marksmen clean the barrel after every shot. I do nothing more than unlock it and blow the smoke out. When this is don the next shot clears out the barrel quite thoroughly enough for my purposes. Many a time I have used it for hours




without doing any more than this. My rifle weighs twelve pounds, but some men think that a heavier weapon can be held steadier; I do not. I use Winchester ammunition, 38-55; that is to say 38 caliber and 55 grains of powder. The bullet weighs 255 grains. For rapid firing, however, I use a ten-pound Winchester of the same caliber, because all you have to do is to draw down the lever and it is ready for the next shot. An advantage of the Ballard rifle is that you can adapt it to almost any kind of stock, and marksmen sometimes have peculiar preferences in this direction.

A few riflemen prefer what are called the paper-patched bullets, but the majority of them have settled down to the ordinary greased article. English powder is much the same as ours, but in Germany they prefer wet burning powder. It is quicker in its action than our powder. Perhaps the hardest fight I had at the targets in Germany was a match in which out of 50 shots I made 49 bull's eyes. In that contest I would have certainly made a clean score but for the fact that, after firing five shots, each competitor had to retire to give the next man a chance to fire five rounds. This involved so much delay that the shooters lost track of the changing movement of the wind. It became quite puffy toward evening, and I lost one bull's eye in consequence. Another good score was that in which out of 846 shots, I made 601 bull's eyes. This was done inside of three hours shooting. In practice I have made 10

1.—Won at Frankfort-on-the-Main.
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3.—Won at Morrisania, N. Y.
4.—Won at Frauenfeld, Switzerland.

bull's eyes in 57 seconds, which is a feat not likely soon to be surpassed. The only obstacle to perfect shooting, if you concede that a man has perfect eyesight and nerve and a perfect rifle—which, of course, he never can have—is the wind, and the breeze of the fish-tail variety is the most exasperating. That will at times upset the finest calculations.
GUS ZIMMERMAN.

**In the Pineries.**

A beautiful young tree was just about to leave, when a wood-chopper stepped up, and said: "As you have only one trunk I will take you down with a hack."—Light.

## IN ARMY AND NAVY.

TWO SQUADRONS of cavalry in the Russian army are to be formed exclusively of natives of the Caucasus.

AT L'Orient Arsenal, in France, a great iron-clad war vessel of 11,000 tons is nearly completed. It is strongly armed with immense cannon in revolving towers.

THIRTY tons of Kola nuts have been ordered for the German army, experiments having shown their utility in enabling men to endure severe and prolonged labor.

A NEW kind of lance has been introduced into the German cavalry regiments. Its peculiarity lies in the fact that it is constructed wholly of steel, the necessary lightness being secured by making the shaft hollow.

A NOVEL feature marks the English naval maneuvers this season. As each war-ship arrives at Devonport a number of officers and men are reported wounded and are speedily taken ashore, some in cots by steamers, special provision having been made beforehand for their reception in hospital.

THE introduction of a new rifle into our army, having a reduced caliber, and capable of being used as a magazine gun, is now a certainty; and as the Duponts have received an order for 100,000 cartridges with which to test small arms of thirty caliber, this introduction will hardly be long delayed.

IT is stated that the English War Department has now definitely decided to have a permanent balloon depot at Lidsing, near Chatham. The proposal is an important one for the district, as, in the first place, it means an expenditure of £9,000 or £10,000 upon buildings and afterward the maintenance of a staff there.

INSTRUCTION in agriculture and forestry has been introduced into the Belgian Army, intended for such soldiers as expect to return to the farm on retirement from military service. Land for experimental and practical purposes is acquired near garrison towns. The scheme offers the double advantage of turning out scientific farmers and providing supplies for the army.

A DOCTOR of Vienna has invented a fluid, the use of which, he claims, will minimize the horrors of war. The fluid is to be placed in a shell, which is so constructed that it will burst in falling or striking any object offering but slight resistance. The fluid, upon being released, so affects persons inhaling its odor that they immediately become unconscious and remain in that state half an hour or more.

M. GERVILLE-REACHE, an official reporter in the French Parliament, has calculated that between 1871 and 1890 England spent on her navy, 4,335,916,526 francs; France, 3,636,052,776; Germany, 1,000,724,404; Austria, 470,115,677; Italy, 1,101,165,553; Russia, 1,979,639,702. Of the whole amount expended by her, France devoted 35 per cent. to the construction of new ships; Russia, 39 per cent.; England, 41 per cent.; Austria, 44½ per cent.; Germany, 57½ per cent.

THE General Lieutenant of the Zoorjysky Regiment conceived the idea of trying the efficiency of the "Okhotniks" (a sort of athletic division) in his command. He ordered a company of sixty-seven men to swim across the Volga in a place where the river is over one and a half versts wide, with two officers at the head and one in the rear. When the swimmers had made about a third of the distance a steamer was noticed coming on them at full speed. The officer at the head of the company ordered: "Halt, with faces upward!" and was obeyed as promptly as if on the parade grounds. The company waited until the steamer passed and then proceeded until they reached the opposite shore.

## FRESH ETYMOLOGICAL FACTS.

THE word "honeymoon" is derived from the German, and has its significance from the fact that the Germans formerly drank mead—a sweet liquid made of honey—for thirty days after the wedding.

THE name "Johnny cake" is said to be derived from "journey cake," because emigrants journeying from New England to the West were obliged to bake their Indian meal cakes in the ashes of their camp fires.

MALCOLM TOWNSEND, the author of a book of "Curious Facts," says that the word Manhattan is traceable to the Spanish momas, drunkenness; monados, manadas, manatoes, a place of drunkenness. As a confirmation of this theory, Mr. Townsend says that Verrazanni, a Florentine navigator, who landed on the island in 1524, called it the Isla Manhatas because he gave the Indians lots of liquor and made them all drunk.

SOME religious journals are printing a paragraph to the effect that the late Prof. Hitchcock, of this city, held that tobacco was known to the ancients and that its name was derived from Bacchus, the god of wine, says the New York Tribune. The weed was offered to Bacchus as a votive offering, and as the dative case of Bacchus in Greek is "To Baccho," the narcotic gradually got that name. Of course any scholar will at once see that Dr. Hitchcock was too good a Grecian to have fathered such an absurd etymology. As a matter of fact the late President Hitchcock, of Amherst, made the suggestion in question as a bit of pleasantry in a humorous book which he once published.

EVERYBODY knows what a picnic is, but most people would find it hard to tell how it got its peculiar name. Yet the derivation of the word is simple enough and sensible, too. When a picnic was being arranged for, the custom originally was that that those who intended to be present should supply the eatables and drinkables. A list of these necessaries having been drawn up, it was passed round and each person picked out the article of food or drink that he or she was willing to furnish, and the name of the article was nicked, or ticked off the list. The open air entertainment thus became known as a "pick-and-nick." The custom is said to date from 1802, so that the picnic is wholly an institution of the nineteenth century.

"IF WE ONLY HAD CHILDREN!" 1 of 2

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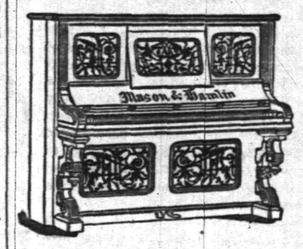


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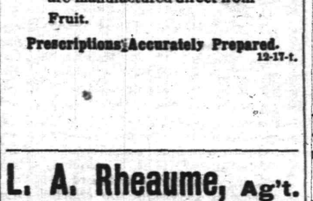


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Leave Plainfield 3 37, 5 24, 5 38, 6 29, 6 59, 7 26 7 30, 7 58, 8, 8 15, 8 31, 8 37, 9 32, 10 05, 11 09, 11 39, A. M., 1, 1 41, 2 07, 2 30, 3 12, 3 51, 5 08, 5 31, 6 07, 6 54, 7 03, 8 31, 9 25, 10 12, 11 28 P. M. Sunday—5 37, 5 54, 6 01, 8 52, 11 02, 11 16 A. M., 12 33, 1 30, 3 30, 5 16 7 01, 7 10, 8 23, 8 32, 10 02 P. M.
Leave New York from foot of Liberty street 4 30, 5 45, 7, 7 45, 8 45, 10, 11, A. M., 1, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 4, 4 30, 5, 5 15, 5 30, 5 45, 6, 6 15, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 8, 8 30, 9 15, 10, 11 30 P. M., 12 15, night. Sunday—4 30, 7, 8 30, 9, 9 30, A. M., 12 M., 1, 1 15, 4, 5 30, 6, 7, 9 00, 10 00 P. M., 12 15 night.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.
Leave Plainfield 5 38, 6 29, 6 59, 7 30, 8, 8 37, 9 32, 10 05, 11 09, 11 39, A. M., 1, 2 07, 2 30, 3 12, 3 51, 5 08, 5 31, 6 07, 6 54, 7 03, 8 31, 10 12, 11 28 P. M. Sunday—8 01, 8 52, 11 02, 11 16, A. M., 12 33, 1 30, 3 30, 5 16, 7 01, 7 10, 8 23, 8 32, 10 02 P. M.
Leave Newark 7 10, 7 50, 8 55, 10 10, 11 05 A. M., 1 05, 1 35, 5 50, 8 40, 9 05, 9 35, 5 05, 6 30, 5 55, 6 15, 7 15, 7 35, 8 20, 9 35, 11 25 P. M. Sunday—7 20, 8 40, 9 05, 9 50, A. M., 12 05, 1 10, 4 10, 5 40, 6 05, 7 02, 9 22, 10 20 P. M.
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PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.
Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7, 8 07, 9 42, 11, 11 58 A. M., 1 53, 2 22, 3 45, 4 34, 5 20, 5 34, 6 20, 6 38, 7 03, 7 19, 7 34, 8 20, 9 43, 11 15, 12 43 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 13, 9 45, A. M., 2 05, 2 30, 5 14, 6 35, 10 15, 11 14 P. M.
Leave Somerville, 6, 6 30, 7 03, 7 25, 7 35, 7 48 9 05, 9 47, 11 15 A. M., 12 35, 1 15, 1 48, 2 05, 3 2 4 40, 5 12, 5 35, 8 05, 8 50, 11 05, P. M. Sunday—8 25, 10 35 A. M., 12 05, 3 05, 4 50, 6 40, 8 05, 8 05, 9 30 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.
Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7, 8 07, 9 42, A. M., 1 53, 4 34, 5 20 6 38, 8 20 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 13 A. M., 2 05, 6 35 P. M.
Leave Easton 6 05, 8 44, 10 A. M., 12 22, 4 09, 6 48 P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 52, A. M., 6 40, 7 20 P. M.
PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.
Leave Plainfield 9 42 A. M., 5 20 P. M.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.
LEAVE PLAINFIELD.
5 45 A. M. for Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.
7 A. M. for High Bridge Branch and Easton.
8 07 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.
9 42 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, D L & W R R, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Nanticoke, Drifton, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c.
1 20 P. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, &c.
4 34 P. M. for D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.
5 20 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Schooley's Mountain, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, &c.
6 20 P. M. for Flemington.
6 38 P. M. for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg.
8 20 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.
5 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8 16 a. m. Sundays for High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, &c., 2 08 p. m. Sundays for High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua and Pottsville. 6 36 p. m Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.
For Atlantic City, 8 37 a. m. 1 p. m.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c.
Leave Plainfield 3 37, 8, 11 09, a. m., 3 51 5 31, p. m. Sundays—(except Ocean Grove) 8 52 a. m., 3 30 p. m.
For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 38, 8, 10 05, 11 09 a. m., 1, 3 51, 5 31, 7 03 p. m. Sunday—8 52 a. m., 3 30 p. m.
For Freehold, 3 37, 8, 10 05 a. m., 1, 3 51, 5 31 p. m.

BOUND BROOK ROUTE.
Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia, 1 17, 5 45, 8 29, 9 48, 11 58 a. m., 1 59, 2 32, 4 08, 5 34, 6 36, 8 20 p. m. Sundays—1 17, 9 48, a. m., 2 30, 4 08, 5 14, 9 45 p. m.
Leave Baltimore and Washington at 1 17, 9 48, 11 58 a. m., 2 45, 4 08, 5 34 p. m. Sundays—1 17, 9 48 a. m., 2 47, 4 08, 5 14 p. m.

RETURNING—LEAVE PHILADELPHIA.
Ninth and Green streets, 7 30, 8 30, 9 30, 11 05 a. m., 12 45, 1 30, 3 15, 5 15, 6 15, 8 02, 8 45, 12 p. m. Sundays—9 a. m., 12 50, 3 10, 5 15, 6 10, 8, 12 p. m.
From 24th and Chestnut—8 10, 8 30, 11 06, a. m., 12 52, 3 20, 6 18, 8 05, p. m. Sundays—8 10, 8 35 a. m., 12 52, 3 20, 8 18, 8 05 p. m.
Leave Trenton, Warren and Tucker sts., 1 20, 4 09, 7, 8, 9, 10, 10 10, 11 55 a. m., 1 25, 2 10, 3 40, 3 58, 4 05, 5 50, 8 47, 10 p. m. Sundays—1 20, 4 09, 9 55 a. m., 1 25, 4, 5 55, 7, 8 47 p. m.
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## THE BASEBALL WAR

### Serious Hitch in the New York Conference.

**BROTHERHOOD MEN BARRED OUT**

**The League Magnates Will Not Recognize the Players' Committee.**

**The Meeting a Stormy One—The Settlement of the Trouble as Far Off as Ever—The New League Insists on Representation or Will Continue the Fight Next Year.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 23.—As predicted, the conference between the National and Players' League and the American Association has fallen through, at least for the present. The Players' League conference committee made a demand that the players be represented in the conference. They persisted in their demand, and as a consequence the conference has not been held and the settlement of the baseball trouble is as far off as ever.

The representatives of the three leagues met together at 12:30. There were present, representing the National League, A. G. Spaulding, of Chicago; John B. Day, of New York, and Charles H. Byrne, of Brooklyn. The representatives of the American Association were Allen Thurman, of Columbus; Chris Von der Ahe, of St. Louis, and W. Barnie, of Baltimore. The Players' League representatives were Al. Johnson, of Cleveland; Wendell Goodwin, of Brooklyn, and E. B. Talcott, of New York; and of the players there were John M. Ward, of Brooklyn; Arthur Irwin, of Boston, and Ed. Hanlon, of Pittsburg.

The meeting between the magnates and players was a stormy one but they all survived to fight on another day. Allen Thurman was in the chair. In looking about over his committee he spied the three players, whose presence was destined to block all the proceedings which might have been taken for the salvation of the baseball cause.

Mr. Thurman declined to call the conference to order until the three players had left the room. The three players retired and the conference was called together. The communication from the Players' League was then read by the chairman. It stated that three additional members had been selected to look out for the interests of the Players' League, and asked that they be admitted to the conference.

Mr. Johnson moved that the new members be accepted, but this motion was defeated on a vote of 6 to 3, the National League and Association men voting against it.

The three representatives of the Players' League then withdrew from the conference and joined the three excluded players. They were quite emphatic in their statements that the conference was at an end for they would not confer unless the players were given a hearing.

The conference then adjourned subject to the call of the President.

John Ward says the Brotherhood is prepared to fight next year if fair play is not accorded the members.

### FOUGHT TO SAVE HER HONOR.

**Miss Thompson's Complaint Denied by Saloon-Keeper Roach.**

NEW BRUNSWICH, N. J, Oct. 23.—A complaint has been lodged against Thomas Roach, formerly a saloonkeeper, by the father of 18-year-old Johanna Thompson. The girl alleges that she met Roach, with whom she is acquainted, and accepted his invitation to take a walk. This was at 9 o'clock at night. When they were opposite a small building used as a club house, Roach caught her in his arms and carried her into the building.

The girl says she fought desperately, and her clothes were badly torn in the successful struggles she made. She was kept in the building until 4 o'clock in the morning, and then Roach gave up and released her. Roach has been arrested. He denies the charge. The house is in at hickly populated district, and surprise is expressed that the outrage could have been committed without anyone seeing or hearing of it. Thompson threatens to shoot Roach.

**A Friend of Birchall's Disappears.**

WOODSTOCK, Ont., Oct. 23.—Percy L. Wheeler, of the firm of Head & Wheeler, boot and shoe dealers, has disappeared, and Head hat assigned. A warrant has been issued for Wheeler's arrest on a charge of appropriating $1,500 with intent to defraud his creditors. Wheeler was a warm admirer of Birchall. They both came here as farm pupils in the same year, having been employed by Ford, Rathburn & Co. Wheeler, after spending a year or two on a farm near here, came to town and lived as a howling swell. He is a native of Portsmouth, Eng.

**Arrested on Suspicion.**

UTICA, N. Y., Oct. 23.—William Ward and John Thompson, aged respectively 18 and 16 years, were arrested here on suspicion of having stolen a quantity of gentlemen's furnishing goods found in their possession. They are supposed to have come from Holyoke, Mass., and the police officers of that place have been notified of their arrest.

**Found Dead in His Room.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 23. — A man who registered as H. Tryer at the hotel No. 147 Washington street, Brooklyn, was found dead in his room with a revolver in his right hand and a bullet hole in his forehead.

**La Blanche Signs for a Fight.**

BUTTE, Mont., Oct. 23.—George Kessler, champion of Montana, and George La Blanche, the Marine, signed articles for a fifteen round fight to come off in this city between November 5 and 12.

### WORKING FOR THE FAIR.

**New York to be the Headquarters of the Foreign Affairs Committee.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 23.—A joint meeting of the Foreign Affairs Committee of the World's Columbus Commission met at the Gilsey House in this city. There were also present four members of the Foreign Exhibit Committee of the local directory.

The conference was for the purpose of arriving at a general understanding of the work of the committees. Of the Chicago Committee there were present: Chairman W. F. Baker, M. A. Ryerson, J. W. Ellsworth, and T. J. Leferns. Representing the National Committee were ex-Gov. Thomas C. Waller of Connecticut, A. A. Wilson of District of Columbia, C. H. Way of Georgia, W. H. Lane of Michigan, D. B. Penn of Louisiana, and Geo. V. Massey of Delaware.

New York is henceforth to be the headquarters of the committee and this was their first meeting.

Gustavus Goward was confirmed as representative of the commission to Japan, and Romayn Hitchcock, representative to China.

The plan suggested by an official of the State Department for securing a South American exhibit was taken under consideration.

Prof. Adler, of John Hopkins University, was appointed to superintend the plans, submitted by him and approved by the commissioners, for securing a large exhibit from the Orient. The idea is to interest the merchants of the Orient to the end that they will exhibit at the Fair the manufactures of their country as well as the customs and habits of the people there.

A large number of applications were received by the commission from foreigners asking that they be allowed to represent the commission in their respective countries.

### CHASED BY TWO WIVES.

**Wronged Women on Their Way to See a Thriving Barber.**

AMESBURY, Mass., Oct. 23.—Charles Wilberforce Williams, manager of the cotton weaving mill No. 5, deserted his pretty wife Lotta and three children some years ago. He went to Utica, N. Y., and contracted another marriage. This wife he also deserted.

Wife No. 1 heard a few days ago that the man is now the proprietor of a thriving barber shop in May's Landing, N. J., and that he had recently married the beauty of the village. Wives Nos. 1 and 2 are now on their way to May's Landing, where they intend to make things warm for Charles Wilberforce Williams. Wife No. 2 is a pretty little blonde whose maiden name was Agnes Smith.

From letters received here there seems to be no doubt that the thriving barber is the same man who deserted his Massachusetts and New York wives.

### THE LELAND HOTEL FIRE.

**The Coroner's Jury Begin an Inquest—A Vote of Censure.**

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Oct. 23.—A large number of witnesses were called last night in the Leland Hotel case before the coroner's jury. The testimony went to show that the building burned quickly and collapsed completely in a few minutes.

The chief of the fire department said he had been connected with the Department since 1871 and never before saw a building go so quick. The inquiry adjourned till next Monday evening.

A vote of censure will probably be made on hotel buildings. The jury will recommend the passage of an ordinance providing that all hotels hereafter erected shall be fire-proof.

The body of a woman was found in the Leland Hotel ruins. It was dismembered and destroyed beyond recognition. It is thought to be either the body of Anna Padden or Mary Doyle, servants at the hotel.

**A Stranger's Mysterious Wounds.**

BORDENTOWN, N. J., Oct. 23.—A well dressed unknown man was found near the woods of Amos Keller, near Columbus, a few miles from here, with a bullet wound in his head and having been shot in the mouth. It is supposed that he shot himself, as a thirty-two calibre revolver was near him. No one appears to know where he came from, and he refuses to give his name and address. He now lies in a critical condition in the Burlington County Hospital at Mount Holly.

**The Murphy-Dixon Fight To-Night.**

BOSTON, Oct. 23.—No men have been in better condition than Johnny Murphy and George Dixon, who are to contest at the Gladstone Club to-night for the bantam-weight championship of the world and a $1,700 trophy. They are below the stipulated weight, 114 pounds, and are as hard as nails. Dixon is the favorite in the betting.

**Comte de Paris and Party.**

NIAGARA FALLS, Ont., Oct. 23.—The Comte de Paris and party visited all the principal points of interest on both the Canadian and American sides of the river. The party left this morning at 9 o'clock for Kingston, where they took a yacht for the Thousand Islands.

## WASHINGTON TOPICS

### An Effort to Relieve Supreme Court Dockets.

**ENORMOUS POSTAL BUSINESS**

**The Revenues of the Government for the Past Fiscal Year.**

**The President Postpones His Shooting Trip—He Will Meet the Iron and Steel Delegates Saturday—A New Pension Agent in Pittsburg—The Duty on Molasses—Demand for Small Notes.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 23.—The passage of the bill at the coming session of Congress to lessen the duties of the United States Supreme Court will very probably necessitate the appointment of an additional Assistant Attorney-General and a force of employes to handle the prosecution of United States cases before the court.

At present United States cases comprise about one-sixth of the docket, and one-sixth of the time of the court is consumed in considering those cases. About four-sixths of the docket is composed of "diverse citizenship" cases—that is, cases which come before the court not by reason of the subject matter, but because the parties to the suit are citizens of different States. One of the provisions of the bill, which will pass at the next session, relieves the court of the consideration of the "diverse citizenship" class of cases.

This, of course, will give a clearer field to the United States cases and one-half of the time of the court can be given to their consideration, thus forcing the Department of Justice to greater labor to prepare the cases for trial.

### AN ENORMOUS BUSINESS.

**Postal Revenues of the Government for the Last Fiscal Year.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 23.—The report of the Sixth Auditor of the Treasury, who has charge of the accounts of the Post Office Department, shows that the total postal revenues of the government from all sources for the last fiscal year were $60,882,097.92, an increase over the preceding fiscal year of $4,705,486.84.

Notwithstanding the increase in business, the excess of expenditures over revenue for the last fiscal year was but $548,619.19, against $521,236.06 for the year before. The total received for stamps was $57,651,724.58, an increase over the previous fiscal year of $4,698,622.75. The total amount of money transferred by money orders and postal notes was $261,993,794.20, from which the net revenue to the government was $824,220.24.

**Demand for Small Notes Increasing.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 23.—The demand on the Treasury for small notes is increasing daily and is likely to continue until the holidays are over. Some considerable relief, however, is likely to come from the issue of the new treasury notes in payment for silver bullion. So far the new notes have been issued only in denominations of ten, one hundred and one thousand dollars; but Treasurer Huston says that he will be ready to issue the new ones and fives by November 1, and the department will then begin to pay for silver bullion in small bills as much as possible.

**Duty on Molasses.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 23.—Assistant Secretary of the Treasurer Spaulding has informed the Collector of Customs at New London, Conn., that molasses withdrawn for consumption before April 1, 1891, is subject to duty under the old tariff, and the molasses withdrawn for consumption after that date will be exempt from duty without other regard to the date of importation than that required by the limitation of three years required by the new Tariff law.

**Pittsburg's Pension Agent.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 23.—A new pension agent at Pittsburg, Pa., will probably be appointed by the President to-day or to-morrow. The office at present is held by William H. Barclay, the Democratic candidate for Secretary of Internal Affairs of Pennsylvania, and who has accompanied ex-Governor Pattison on his electioneering tour.

**Workingmen in Politics.**

BOSTON, Oct. 23.— Every effort will be made by workingmen here to defeat all candidates for legislative positions who will not unqualifiedly promise to vote in the interests of labor or for such measures as shall receive the endorsement of labor and other economic associations.

**Reception to Lord Ponsonby.**

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Oct. 23.—Last night a reception was tendered Lord Oglesby Ponsonby, of London, Eng., by Mrs. J. M. B. Dwight, at her residence on Hillhouse avenue.

### SCENE IN COURT.

**The Mother of a Murdered Girl Calls Out for Justice.**

MAUCH CHUNK, Pa., Oct. 23.—When Webster H. Campbell, who was convicted of involuntary manslaughter in killing Gertie Hiskey, was sentenced by Judge Dreher to six months' imprisonment and fined $20, the aged mother of the dead girl sprang to her feet, and with arms raised on high, in a loud, shrill voice called out: "God Almighty, come down and do justice! I am not satisfied to see my dear daughter slaughtered in cold blood, and him," pointing her finger at the prisoner, "have only six months in jail. No, no! God Almighty, come into this court house and do justice to this case."

She scored the judge, attorneys for the defense and every one whom in her frenzy she thought responsible for the easy manner in which the slayer of her daughter got off. She finally sank to the floor entirely exhausted and fainted away. A cot being brought, she was placed on it and carried out of the court room.

### THE MAYOR IN JAIL.

**Long Island's Chief Executive Will Serve His Time Behind the Bars.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 23.—Mayor Gleason's first day and night in the Queens County Jail at Long Island City, in the cell once occupied by ex-Mayor Debevoise, was passed quietly. The Mayor received a few visitors. He retired shortly after midnight and complained in the morning that his rest had been disturbed by the screeching engines of the Long Island Railroad.

In the morning the Mayor read the papers and received a reporter. He said that he would rather spend five years in prison for assaulting a man in a passion than one day for stealing public money.

Mayor Gleason's cell is 10 by 20 feet, and is furnished with a cot, chair and table. Fruit in a basket was beside the cot, and Mayor Gleason offered it to his visitors. Judge Dykman, sitting at White Plains, refused a stay of proceedings in the Mayor's case. In Long Island City there is a feeling of sympathy for Mayor Gleason, but generally citizens feel the disgrace cast upon the town by its chief executive's incarceration.

### BURNED TO DEATH.

**Disastrous Fire in a Brooklyn Tenement House This Morning.**

BROOKLYN, N. Y., Oct. 23.—One man was burned to death and a policeman severely injured by a fire which broke out in the brick tenement house at No. 57 Front street at half past one o'clock this morning.

The flames had already attained such headway that the department could not prevent them from extending to the crowded tenements at No. 55 and 59 Front street, on either side of the building in which the fire originated.

The lodgers in the three buildings were panic stricken, and many of them rushed into the street clad only in their night clothing. The body of an Italian, whose name could not be ascertained, was dragged out of No. 57. He was burned to death.

Policeman McCann, of the Second Brooklyn precinct, while attempting to drag out tenants of the building, was very badly burned. He was removed in an ambulance.

**Arrest of a Suspicious Character.**

PITTSBURG, Oct. 23.—Frank W. Hall, who claimed to be from Easton, Pa., was arrested here to-day as a suspicious character. He tallied exactly with the photograph and description of Walter E. Huey, a member of the Harbor Commission of San Francisco, who is wanted in the latter city for embezzling $23,000 of public money. Hall was senfenced for thirty days to the workhouse, and meantime his case will be investigated.

**Jesse Pomeroy Tries to Escape.**

BOSTON, Oct. 23.—Jesse Pomeroy has made another attempt to escape from State Prison at Charlestown. He was in solitary confinement and had succeeded in sawing off five bolts from his iron door and had removed the angle iron which protected the bolts. He had been granted the use of a lathe, saw and other tools to manufacture a tin pencil for which he has been trying to get a patent, but had used the tools a portion of the time for a far different purpose.

**Columbia Lost the Football Game.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 23.—The Brotherhood Park grounds were in bad shape for the football game between Columbia College and the University of Pennsylvania. The attendance was small. The Pennsylvania boys were too strong for the local collegians, and after a very stormy game, won by three touch-downs, a score of 12 to 0.

**Killed in a Drunken Quarrel.**

WILLIAMANTIC, Conn., Oct. 23.—During a drunken row near the N. Y. & N. E. freight house, James Mallen, aged 45, was so badly injured that he died. Coroner Hill, of Danielson, was summoned and held an inquest. Death is thought to have resulted from a fracture of the skull and cerebral hemorrhage.

**The Advance in Express Rates.**

BOSTON, Oct. 23.—Mr. Waldo Adams, of Adams Express Company, confirmed the report that express rates were to be advanced November 1, but declined to give any details, saying that the company would notify the public just what the tariffs are before going into effect.

**Lawyer Holgate to Face a Jury.**

CAMDEN, N. J., Oct. 23.—The Camden County grand jury have found two indictments against Lawyer Florance C. Holgate for swindling Capt. Smith, a wealthy client. One indictment is for forgery and the other for obtaining money under false pretenses.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—U. S. Gov't Report, Aug. 17, 1889.

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## HOME RULE VICTORY

### Gladstone's Candidate Carries a Tory Stronghold.

**THE CONSERVATIVES ALARMED.**

**Their Defeat Extraordinary and Indicates a Change of Government.**

**The National League Sorely Pressed for Funds—Trouble Over the Tariff Bill in Sheffield—A Thrilling Rescue in Mid-Ocean—An Issue With Labor Leaders. England's Unemployed Workingmen.**

LONDON, Oct. 23.—In the Parliamentary election which took place in the Eccles division of Southeast Lancashire, Mr. Roby, the Gladstonian candidate, was returned by a vote of 4,901 to 4,696 for Mr. Egerton, Conservative.

The result is considerable of a surprise. While the Liberals had hopes of success they were not sanguine. The district has been for many years considered a Conservative stronghold. Mr. Egerton, the Tory-Unionist candidate, declined to make any promises or pledges on either the temperance or the labor issues, but personally was very popular, his family being largely interested in the mines at Walkden, and always looked to with esteem and affection as employers of the better class, having granted to the people many privileges not enjoyed by miners elsewhere.

Nevertheless, the miners have voted to support the Liberal nominee, Mr. Roby, who has the hearty indorsement of Mr. Gladstone, and has fought the battle largely on the issue of Irish home rule or English misrule.

### PRESSED FOR MONEY.

**The Home Rule Party in Ireland in Straitened Circumstances.**

LONDON, Oct. 23.—Letters and telegrams from Dublin, published in the London papers, represent the Irish National League as more closely pressed for money than had been suspected.

The special collections taken in the churches will not more than defray the ordinary expenses of the League, which are now being largely increased owing to the numerous recent and impending evictions.

It is asserted by Timothy Harrington and other prominent Leaguers that the increased activity of the landlords at this juncture is in pursuance of a concerted plan to embarrass the League at a time when it is believed to be straitened for funds, by throwing upon it for support a much larger number of evicted tenants. The number to be supported has certainly greatly increased of late, while the funds, with the closest economy of administration, admitedly hardly meet the expenditures.

Should it continue, it is said, a general election, which the Government might at any favorable moment precipitate, would find the Home Rule party disabled in advance of the encounter.

**Trouble Over the Tariff Bill.**

LONDON, Oct. 23.—Trade difficulties are arising in Sheffield out of the McKinley Tariff bill. The manufacturers are anxious to cut down wages in view of the loss of the American market, and the cutlers' unions will not consent. At Bradford, several large manufacturers who had spoken of going to America and starting establishments there, have changed their minds in the hope that the bill will soon be modified or repealed.

**Booth's Plan Not Practical.**

LONDON, Oct. 23.—General Booth's plan of relieving the poor by furnishing them with work on co-operative farms, etc., does not meet the approval of Tom Mann, the great labor leader. Mann's hobby is eight hours. He is president of the Dockers' Union, and says that the number of unemployed in England is not less than 700,000, and that an eight-hour law is the only remedy, as it would require the employment of more hands.

**Monument to Soldiers and Sailors.**

KINGSTON, N. Y., Oct. 23.—Fully 8,000 strangers from the Hudson River counties gathered here to witness the unveiling and dedication of the monument erected to the soldiers and sailors of Ulster County. There was an imposing civic and military parade, a score or more of visiting Grand Army Posts, separate companies of the State Militia from Newburgh, Poughkeepsie and Catskill being in line.

**Incendiary Fire.**

YORK, Pa., Oct. 23.—The carpenter shop of the Pennsylvania Agricultural works, owned by the A. B. Farquhar Company, and four brick dwellings, owned by Samuel Schrom, Mrs. James Spangler, Mrs. Jane Nye and A. B. Farquhar, were burned last night. Loss on carpenter shop about $70,000, partially insured. The origin of the fire was incendiary.

**Prices of Window Glass to be Advanced.**

PITTSBURG, Oct. 23.—The organization of the window-glass manufacturers includes all the factories at Pittsburg, all in Ohio and all in Indiana, except the factory of C. P. Cole at Dunkirk, that State. Prices will likely be advanced at once. Manufacturers representing 1,200 pots signed the agreement, about 300 pots remaining independent of the trust.

**Reward Offered for Fire Bugs.**

WINCHENDON, Mass. Oct. 23. — The shop of John Hancock was fired by incendiaries last evening and totally destroyed. Loss $3,000. A reward of $2,000 has been offered for the arrest of the fire bugs.

### CRASH IN A TUNNEL.

**Frightful Collision on the Cincinnati Southern Road.**

LOUISVILLE, Oct. 23.—South-bound passenger train No. 9, on the Cincinnati Southern road crashed into a freight train in the tunnel a few miles north of Somerville. All the lights in the cars were extinguished at the first crash and an indescribable scene of terror ensued. The terror stricken survivors groped around in the pitch darkness looking for a means of escape.

To add to the horror of the situation the forward cars of the passenger train took fire from the broken lamps. The express messenger and postal clerk were burned to death. They were pinned down under the debris, and their piteous appeals for help were horrifying.

The accident was caused by the freight engineer moving without orders.

Following is a list of the killed and injured furnished by the company: Killed—Postal Clerks C. L. Doegan and J. G. Gayle, and Firemen Walsh and Gould, all of Cincinnati, and Brakeman J. E. Montgomery. The injured were Engineers Pinelott and Taylor, Miss Alie Gettis, a museum freak; Arch Murphy and R. A. Wheeler.

**Diss Debar Again.**

BROOKLYN, N. Y., Oct. 23.—Ann O'Delia Diss Debar, the "spook" princess, has opened a clairvoyant establishment in this city. She proposes to devote two hours daily to an attack on Archbishop Corrigan and other ecclesiastics.

### NEWS OF THE DAY.

Cardinal Alimonda, Archbishop of Turin, is dying.

It is announced in Berlin that Count Herbert Bismarck is engaged to a Russian Countess residing at Mitau, in Courland.

The steamship Majestic of the White Star line, just arrived at New York from Liverpool, made the passage in 6 days, 1 hour and 3 minutes.

The potato crop in Vermont which promised well, is found to be seriously affected by rot, and digging has in many cases been abandoned.

The trustees for the proposed Women's Western New York House of Refuge met at Buffalo and selected Albion, N. Y., as the site for the erection of the house.

Friends of Governor Goodell of New Hampshire authorize the announcement that he will be a candidate for United States Senator at the next session of the Legislature.

The New Jersey Synod adopted the report of the Committee on Temperance which strongly favored prohibition and recommended the election of men to the General Assembly to accord with the views of the churches.

M. C. Beardsley, a young man, whose home is in Havana, N. Y., was arrested at Troy, Pa., on complaint of Henry C. Smith, Superintendent of the agencies of R. G. Dun & Co. The complaint against Beardsley is that of obtaining money under false pretenses.

Rev. Mr. Ballantine of Scottsville, N. Y., a delegate to the Presbyterian Synod, in session at Lockport, N. Y., was found dead in bed at the house of Mr. Alfred Morgan, where he was stopping, at an early morning hour. Heart disease is the supposed cause.

The principals of the New York State Normal schools are in semi-annual meeting in New York city in the Normal school. The State Superintendent of Public Instruction is present and delivered an address. The meeting will continue until to-morrow evening.

Last Friday evening a small schooner rigged yacht, containing six persons, left Fall River, Mass., for Providence Island, where the party intended to spend the next day. Yesterday the boat was found at Happy Hollow on the beach. Nothing has been heard of the occupants.

Alpheus Thomas, of Rochester, N. Y., while leaning over the coffin taking a last look at his mother's remains, was struck over the head several times with a cane in the hands of his brother George, with whom he has been at enmity for several years. Several of those present interfered and put a stop to the disgraceful scene.

**Weather Indications.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 23.—For New England: Fair weather followed by rain; slightly warmer; easterly winds.

For Eastern New York: Rain, preceded by fair in Northern portion; slightly warmer, except stationary temperature in vicinity of New York City; southeasterly winds.

For Eastern Pennsylvania and New Jersey: Cloudiness and rain; continued cool easterly winds.

For Western New York and Western Pennsylvania: Increasing cloudiness and rain, preceded by fair weather in Western New York; slightly warmer; southeasterly winds.

### NEW YORK MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Oct. 21.—Money on call to-day 4½ and 5 per cent.

BONDS.

| | Closing Yesterday. | Closing To-day. |
|---|---|---|
| 4½s, 1891 Reg | 104¼ | 104 |
| 4½s, 1891 Coup | 106¼ | 104¼ |
| 4 s, 1907 Reg | 124¾ | 124¾ |
| 4 s, 1907 Coup | 124¾ | 125 |

STOCK MARKET.

| | Closing Yesterday. | Closing To-day. |
|---|---|---|
| Canadian Pacific | — | 76 |
| Central Pacific | — | 32¾ |
| Chicago, Bur. & Q | 91½ | 92 |
| Delaware & Hudson | 137¾ | 138 |
| Del., Lack. & Western | 143¾ | 144¼ |
| Erie | 27¾ | 28¼ |
| Erie pref | — | — |
| Lake Shore | 107½ | 107½ |
| Louis. & Nash | 70¾ | 70¾ |
| Michigan Central | — | 94¾ |
| Missouri Pacific | 68¾ | 69¾ |
| New Jersey Central | 111 | — |
| Northwestern | 107¾ | 108¼ |
| Oregon Navigation | — | — |
| Pacific Mail | 40¾ | 41¼ |
| Reading | 26¾ | 27¼ |
| Rock Island | 75¾ | 77¼ |
| St. Paul | 79¾ | 80¼ |
| Union Pacific | 54¾ | 55¾ |
| Western Union | 81¾ | 82 |

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## BY THE WAY.

—Y.M.C.A. members should remember the "Camp Fire" at the Association rooms this evening.

—There are more Clarks in Westfield than any other one family. Nineteen of them are voters, and nearly all are of the family of the original Abraham.

—At the Prohibition ratification meeting to-night at Reform Hall, Joe English and S. A. Haines will be the speakers. All are invited. Opens at 7:30 o'clock.

—The "Scattered Four" have been having such success with their dances at Mt. Bethel, that they have now arranged to give a ball at Amphion Hall, Monday night, Nov. 10.

—E. L. Suffern will meet the Workers' Training Class for ladies, in the Association Hall, to-morrow at four P. M. The lesson will be a review of the Books of Joshua and Judges.

—Reform Hall having been rented to the Prohibition party for to-night, the regular Thursday evening meeting of the Reform Club will be held in the basement parlor, beginning at eight o'clock.

—Amphion Hall was crowded again, last evening, and another good play was given. To-night one of the Leonzo Bros., will make a change from a black Southern negro to a white sailor boy, in a minute.

—A meeting of the Woman's Home Missionary Society will be held to-morrow afternoon, at 2 o'clock, in the parlors of the Crescent Avenue chapel. All the ladies of the congregation are cordially invited.

—You can have a fine Swiss watch for nothing by guessing how many hours, minutes and seconds it will run after it is wound up, Oct. 31, by Rogers Bros., the shoe dealers. It can be seen in their window, 12 West Front street.

—The season for shooting ruffed grose, quail, rabbits and squirrel opens in this State Nov. 1, and continues until Dec. 15. The indications are that game will be plentiful. Woodcock shooting is now legal, but the main flight of these glorious game birds has not yet arrived.

—William W. Wilson, the grocer, 246 West Third street, is one of those go-ahead merchants that are the life of a growing city. He knows just what the people in his neighborhood want, and is offering a line of canned goods, creamery and country butter, etc, at remarkably low figures, to build up a trade. A trial order by postal card is solicted.

## PARTICULAR MENTION

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace V. Miller returned from their wedding trip yesterday, and have taken up their residence with the bride's parents.

Miss Elsie VanZandt's sixteenth birthday was celebrated at her home on Crescent avenue, by a number of invited guests, last evening. There was music, dancing and supper.

George C. Martin, Jr., the retiring Secretary of the Bicycle Club, whose residence in the future is to be Kansas City, will be given a farewell supper at the club house, this evening.

A merry evening was spent at the residence of R. P. Moore of Fanwood, yesterday, over the informal rehearsal of the minstrel entertainment being prepared by the Westfield Athletic Club.

Mr and Mrs. Milton C. Barkalew returned from their wedding trip yesterday, and were given a reception by their parents at their home, Emily and Grove streets, last evening. The house was thronged with guests, and the hours were passed very enjoyably.

A party of ladies—including Mrs. Fred S. Green and daughter, Mrs. John H. Jackson and Miss Lillian Fritts—left town on their bicycles yesterday afternoon and had a splendid run over good roads to Westfield and through the surrounding country.

Dr. H. A. Jones, of 106 East Front street, has been in Plainfield but a short time, but has already won considerable public favor, and his friends and patrons will regret to learn that he has been called away, for a time, by the serious illness of his wife, who is prostrated at Colorado Springs with typhoid fever.

The Scotch Plains Baptists are saying a great many nice things about their pastor, the Rev. Mr. Parks, about the handsome interior finish of their church, and about the recent improvement made to their property by the building of one of the finest church sheds in the State, if not in the United States. The shed is 100 feet long by 35 feet deep. The frame is of hard pine, and the roof is of slate. The ceiling of the shed is composed of Georgia pine and finished in oil. The work was done by and under the supervision of John Bornman.

**The Reappearance of a Successful Play.**

At Music Hall to-night, will be presented again "Held by the Enemy," a strong play, well filled with comedy which draws a delicious contrast to the patriotic and the sombre scenes, each being so interwoven with the other as to maintain a cumulative interest throughout. A revival of the memories of the dark days come vividly before the audience, but the conflicting interests of the Blue and Gray are so delicately and impartially treated that no feelings of animosity are created. It rather tends to bind the bonds of national brotherhood still closer.

## THE YOUNG THIEF STILL AT LARGE.

**He Evades the Police Who Follow Him to New York, Returns to Plainfield, Disappears Again, and Eludes Pursuit.**

The Plainfield police are still looking for George Beidman, the gentlemanly young clerk, who vanished yesterday morning with $200 worth of goods belonging to his employer, N. M. Doty. While the officers were out of town yesterday, searching for the gentle absconder, Beidman doubled on his tracks, after disposing of his stolen goods, and returned to this city well provided with cash. His first move was to visit a pawnbroker's establishment, where he redeemed two watches, a ring and an overcoat which may or may not have been his legitimate property. His next move, after being warned by the accommodating proprietor that the police were after him, was to hide himself from public view. This he did so successfully that the policemen watching for his departure at the various railroad stations failed to find him, and he is still keeping his whereabouts known to himself.

**The Amateurs of the Camera Club Equip Themselves to Take Portraits.**

At the regular meeting of the Camera Club, Monday evening, the members present learned with a great deal of satisfaction that that the Club had purchased a seventy-five-dollar portrait lense with backgrounds and all other accessories for the success of those members who might desire to take their friends' pictures. An extensive skylight has been completed in the Club's studio in the third story of the post office building, with a thoroughly equipped dark-room and finishing rooms furnished with all the needs for developing, printing, mounting, etc. The members are accorded the privilege of using the Club's property at any time.

Dr. F. S. Wells, of this city, and James S. Anthony, of Netherwood, were added to the membership at the last meeting. It was decided that the annual public exhibition of the work of the Club, should be held during Thanksgiving week, beginning November 24. "Open nights," which are Wednesdays of every week, have become quite a feature. All friends will find a welcome for them at the rooms, Wednesday evenings, and members present to extend the courtesies of the Club.

**Indorsed by Wellesley's Instructor in Elocution.**

The following is a strong recommendation for everybody to go, see and hear Leland Powers as "David Copperfield," in the Crescent Avenue chapel, Saturday evening.

WELLESLEY COLLEGE, MASS.

DEAR MR. POWERS:—

I want to tell you a few of the pleasant things said about the entertainment last evening. It is called by many, "the greatest success of the year;" "It was delightful;" and "Mr. Powers is so simple in his manner, and such a perfect gentleman;" "His transitions are wonderful, and his coloring fine." These and many other things; but not an adverse criticism have I heard. All want to hear you again. You may count yourself booked for next year at Wellesley College.

Very gratefully yours,
MARY A. CURRIER.
Instructor in Elocution at Wellesley College.

**For Temperance and Against Cigarettes.**

A meeting for boys was held in Warren Mission chapel last evening, for the purpose of organizing a Boys' Society with the object of helping members to fight against the evils of intemperance and cigarette smoking. Thirty-five boys signed the pledge. A movement similar to this was started in Flemington during the past year, and resulted in 121 boys signing the pledge in that town. It is hoped that the boys of Plainfield will become largely interested in this movement, and that it may result in the accomplishment of a great amount of good. The boys will hold their second meeting next Wednesday evening in Warren chapel. All boys interested are invited to be present.

**Didn't Want to Cry, but the Pain Made Her.**

The cover to a coal hole on Park avenue was left removed a considerable time yesterday afternoon, and the pitfall was guarded by only a frail peach basket. Against this slight framework several unwary feet stumbled, and presently a little girl who gave her name as Lizzie Rafferty walked briskly along, brushed the basket aside, and fell partly into the black depths underneath the pavement. She was bruised and cut so severely that in spite of her brave struggle to keep from crying, in the presence of the crowd about her, the tears flowed freely.

**Not the Same.**

The tickets of invitation are out for the musical and dramatic entertainment which Holy Cross Choir Guild will give to their many friends in the Sunday school building adjoining the church, next Wednesday evening, Oct. 29, not the 30th as at first announced. The entertainment under the auspices of the "Guild of the Church of the Holy Cross" at Seminary Hall, Oct. 31, is entirely another affair, although the similarity of names has led to much unnecessary confusion.

**Manager Schermerhorn Sets Us Right.**

To Charles Schermerhorn, the Western Union company's representative in this city, is due the credit of obtaining the special time-service from the Washington observatory by wire, that indicates twelve o'clock noon exactly on the face of the self-winding clock in Dickinson's window, 13 Park avenue.

The cleansing, antiseptic and healing qualities of Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy are unequalled.

**Many Attractions, but the Chocolate Room the Chief.**

The fair opened yesterday by the ladies of the Unitarian Society for the benefit of the church building fund is a great sucess. The handsomely decorated rooms were crowded both afternoon and evening, and promise was made of further large attendance for to-day and to-night. Among the many novelties on sale are the famous Galax leaves, which are found only in Europe and the Highlands of North Carolina. Original productions from the hand of artist Champney, perhaps better known by his signature of "Camp," also find ready buyers. The fair affords one of the finest displays of decorated chinaware ever seen in Plainfield. This ware is placed on sale in the chocolate room, where guests are served with chocolate, in Dresden china, by young ladies in "chocolatiere" costume. The Gay Head pottery, of which THE PRESS has already spoken, is eagerly bought by those who admire its odd mixture of bright-colored clays. The Albert ware from Cambridge is also a favorite. There are many other attractions which one cannot mention in detail in limited space. The chocolate room is the wonder of the affair, and to see it in all its glory is worth the price of admission.

**Progress of Presbyterianism in Jersey.**

The Rev. W. R. Richards, pastor of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church, presented to the State Synod at Atlantic City yesterday the report of his Committee on Narrative. This report was a very interesting one, embracing points of interest from all the Presbyteries of Synod, detailing the state of religion and religious work in the various cities and towns in the State, and showing a comparison in collections with other years; the work of the missionaries within bounds of Synod in the different Presbyteries. Many of the churches within the past synodical year have been remodeled and beautified, and others have had additions built and otherwise improved. This year in the Presbytery of New Brunswick has been one of great interest, and many persons have been added to the churches on confession.

**A Fine for Every Bon-Fire on the Street.**

Those who place reliance in false prophets have themselves to blame if they are deceived. A faithless adviser has announced to an inquirer that there is no regulation against burning leaves or other rubbish on the streets. Those familiar with the city ordinances know that the making of bon-fires on the streets or public ways is at all times prohibited, and that anyone violating this injunction is liable to be fined any sum not exceding twenty dollars. The ordinance is very generally violated, however, much to the annual discomfort of those who like to breathe pure air during the months of October and Nobember as well as at other times of the year.

**Fifteen Dollars for a Gigantic Jag of Joy.**

A well-behaved citizen who has for many years been an industrious worker in Scott's Printing Machine Works wandered from the path of sobriety, Sunday, and while under the influence of what he admitted was considerable of a "jag" took some friends out driving. On Broadway he became so reckless with his mustang that he nearly upset the vehicle and threw the young lady of the party heavily to the ground. He paid $15 into the city treasury, yesterday, and promised to behave himself in the future.

**A Baby Soldier Deserts the Ranks.**

The little daughter of Mrs. I. R. Giles, of 47 East Sixth street, who was missing yesterday, as told exclusively in THE PRESS, was found, after the anxious mother had been made almost ill with apprehension, contentedly playing "runaway sojer in de enemy's ranks," with a neighbor's children whose castes are military inclined, and who had decorated a pet dog with bright ribbons as their army horse.

**Hang the Expense; He Was Glad He Come.**

John Discrow, from New York State, visited his two brothers in Plainfield, yesterday, and was treated to so much liquid hospitality that by night he couldn't stand up on the street without a policeman's help. This morning Judge Codington fined him $5. Discrow said he was glad he come.

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| Armstrong, M | Hopkins, Herman |
| Armstrong, S J | Hale, Charles E |
| Bailey, Wm | James, Mrs Annie |
| Bailey, Jas E | Johnson, Mrs Sarah |
| Bassett, J F | Jones, Miss L M |
| Burnham, Geo S | Jones, Mrs L P |
| Bell, Mrs Frances (2) | Keys, Mrs Mary |
| Buckley, Mrs A E | Linaberry, Mrs T A |
| Burrell, Ellen | Muller, Miss Louise |
| Barrows, Dr A A | McNally, Lillie |
| Carter, Joseph | Murphy, Hattie |
| Clark, Mrs Amanda | Nelson, Fannie |
| Claul, Miss | Oliver, Thos A |
| Clark, Jacob A | Phillips, Mrs S M |
| Christie, Henry F | Pratt, Ethel |
| Dunham Aaron W | Pulliam, Chas |
| Drake Miss Mary | Stretch, Katie |
| Fox, J L | Swift, Maggie |
| French, Rev W C | Swartz, Mrs |
| Fuller & Johnson, | Scott, Mrs M J A |
| Greer, Miss Rosa | Sherwood, Mrs Roelta |
| Guiniard, Eugene | Shrenck, Mr S |
| Holmes, Annie | Thompson, Ellenora |
| Hall, C Eugene | VanWinkle, H C |
| Hoffman, Dory | Werhollow, Mrs E W |

Persons calling for the above, please say advertised. E. R. POPE, Postmaster.

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*NEW YORK MAILS.*

*Arrive*—7:30, 8 40, A. M., 12:15, 2:30, 5:30 P. M.
*Close*—7:30 and 9:30 A. M., 1:45, 5:30 and 8 P. M.

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*Arrive*—8:40 A. M., 2:40, 6:30 P. M.
*Close*—7:30 A. M., 4:30 P. M.

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A GOOD self-feeding parlor stove for sale cheap, for want of use. Apply at PRESS office. 10 23 2

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LOST—An Irish bull terrier pup; brown and white, lower jaw protrudes, pink eye-lids. Answers to the name of Eddie. A suitable reward will be paid for his return to Wm. M. Stout, 169 East Front st. No questions asked. 10 22 4

TO LET—3 or 4 nice rooms, first or second floor; water convenient at side door. 222 E. 2d street. 10 22 3

WANTED—Housekeeper to go in country small family. Address Box 300. 10 12 2

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BOARD wanted for gentleman, wife and child; central location and good sanitary conditions necessary. Address B, PRESS office. 10 22 2

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FOUR houses to let. Inquire City Mills, Somerset street. 10 14 tf

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All are welcome. 10 22 2

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NEW CARPETS will be opened in a day or two, and in order to "Boom" the trade a little we will MAKE AND LINE FREE! for the rest of this month.

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## LEAGUED FOR SOCIAL PURITY.

**A Plainfield Pastor and Other Good People Join Forces in a Great Work for Personal Reform.**

Among the many charitable and philanthropic societies incorporated and chartered during the past year is one known as the "Christian League for the Promotion of Social Purity," which recently came before the public by causing the exhumation of the body of Lillie Holzkamp, an inmate of the Leake and Watts Orphans' Home, and also by investigating and calling attention to the serious and distressing condition of the inmates at White Plains jail. This organization was founded by Mrs. E. B. Grannis, the editor and publisher of *The Christian Union* in accordance with a plan long advocated by the Rev. Dr. A. H. Lewis of this city, for the purpose of elevating opinion respecting the nature and claims of morality, to make its obligations and responsibilities equally incumbent upon men as upon women, and to organize the efforts of Christians in preventive, educational, reformatory, and legislative work.

This is the only society in existence whose special mission includes all these various departments of endeavor, and the work is one requiring the greatest wisdom, delicacy, and sagacity in its progenitors. Mrs. Grannis, Dr. Lewis and others have for years been cognizant of the necessity for such a movement, and prepared for its inauguration by inspection and examination of the various causes that lead to the deplorable evils that exist in reformatories, prisons, institutions, and even in schools and colleges, as well as in the World at large. Of these evils it is impossible to speak in detail, but their seriousness is such as to warrant the earnest endeavor of Christian people in their investigation and prevention.

The society is at present comparatively small in numbers, for it is the policy prescribed by its founder never to ask a person to become a member of the League, to join in the work as a duty or as a favor to any person or persons, or for financial benefit to the organization. Every Christian man or woman is eligible to membership, and may be elected a member by contributing an annual fee of $1, or $50 for life membership, the funds thus supplied being used to defray the necessary expenses of the society, which are light, owing to the kindness of Mrs. Grannis in making her house its headquarters, and after such expenses are satisfied the remainder is devoted to the assistance of needy girls and women.

Another principle of the League is never to ask for money to carry on the work from individuals directly, or to send collectors through any audience for the purpose of receiving contributions. All offerings shall be strictly voluntary, and will be expended in a most judicious manner. The officers of the League are: President, Elizabeth B. Grannis; Vice Presidents, Frances J. Barnes and M. P Buchanan; Recording Secretary, Miss H. Barcalow; Corresponding Secretary, M. Louise Thomas; Treasurer, Mrs. T. E Evans. The Executive Committee consists of the Rev. B. F. De Costa, D. D., the Rev. B. B. Tyler, Dr. Kate Bushnell, the Rev A. H. Lewis, D. D., of Plainfield's Seventh-Day Baptist church, Caroline B. Bevell, Mary A Livermore, of New Market, and Mrs. E. B. Grannis. The headquarters of the League are at 33 East Twenty-second street, and its meetings are held the last Friday of each month at 3 P. M.

The practical work of the society is of such a nature as precludes in many cases its publication, but its aim is preventive rather than reformatory. During the Summer many pitiable cases, whose circumstances may not be publicly explained, of girls' and women's need, have been relieved by the women of the League. The lack of employment, the starvation wages paid, the incapacity of women for practical self-support, all engage the attention of the League workers as serious impediments in raising the standard of womanly purity.

Several members of the League have interested themselves in the appointment of police matrons. Others have investigated and made known the immoral practices carried on in the White Plains jail, and informed themselves as to the deplorable habits frequently prevailing in schools for boys and girls. Believing that the knowledge of evil is the only safe weapon of defence against evil, the society has organized mothers' meetings for the instruction of the women in conditions as they exist, and in the duty they owe their children to prepare them for the temptations that may assail them, by imparting information and advice generally withheld.

The reticence of conservative mothers toward their children, both boys and girls, is deemed another of the great mistakes and hindrances in the elevation of the standard of purity.

It is the present purpose of the society to agitate the subject of social purity, to investigate the causes and determine the remedies for immorality of all kinds; to interest the influential in carrying out needed reforms, and to publish and circulate judicious matter which shall elevate the standard of man's social purity to the level of that maintained by woman.

A cordial invitation is extended by the League to every girl or woman to apply at its office for counsel or advice. Confidences are most sacredly guarded, and such aid is rendered as is deemed expedient and warrantable. Those interested in the work are invited to be present at the public meetings, where the objects of the organization are more fully set forth by such well-known and earnest workers as Editor A. M. Powell and Mrs. Powell, of Plainfield, Dr. DeCosta, the Rev. E. P. Twing, the Rev. Mr. Cassell, Mrs. M. Louise Thomas, and others equally interested in the well-being of women and girls.

## THEY WILL VOTE FOR KEYS.

**Counsel Reed of North Plainfield Accused of Saddling the Citizens of Bernards With Heavy Taxes.**

A Somerset county correspondent in writing of Charles A. Reed, of North Plainfield, the Republican candidate for Senator, and William J. Keys, the Democrat candidate, goes on to say that ever since Mr. Keys was nominated the Republicans have worried themselves looking about for some weak point at which to attack him; but they have given it up at last and now content themselves with the cry that Mr. Keys is not a Somerset man, because he has lived in the county only five years. That is perfectly true: and it is equally true that during the five years he has probably paid more taxes than any other individual in the county.

It is not quite so with Mr. Charles A. Reed, the Republican candidate. He is still a young man, rather young, who has dabbled in the politics of the county ever since he cast his first vote some years ago. He is a lawyer, a shrewd advocate and a pupil of one of the smartest members of the Somerset County bar. Law has been his trade, but upon his shrewdness he has always relied for success. The citizens of Bernards on election day, it is said, will show Mr. Reed by their vote how much they hold him responsible for the heavy taxes saddled upon them by his manner of conducting the railroad bonds suits. And so there are many individuals who purchased these bonds upon the information scattered broadcast by Mr. Reed and his associate in the suit. The bonds proved to be worthless, but that cannot be said to have been Mr. Reed's fault. There is an interesting story in connection with this bond suit which has never been published, although the citizens of Bernards have often heard it, especially when they applied in vain to borrow money on their lands in the township.

Those who are competent to make political predictions express the opinion that Somerset will give the largest Democratic majority she has ever given.

**The Clerical Pronouncement Against Race-Track Gambling.**

The Jersey City *Evening Journal*, in commenting on the circular issued by the ministers of the State against legalizing book-making and pool-selling on the race tracks, as told of in these columns, remarks:

The clergy have done that sort of thing before, with the very best intentions, of course, but without result. If they would do something more practical their efforts would not be wasted. As it is now, their sermons will be listened to, approved and forgotten, and their circular may be read and will also be forgotten, and persons will vote for their party's candidate, pledged or unpledged, it makes no difference to them.

It is one of the odd moral spectacles of today, this indifference of the masses to reform movements. It would be a mistake if the majority of the people of New Jersey should be classed as not moral and not religious. New Jersey's inhabitants are equal in intelligence and in allegiance to moral and spiritual obligations to the residents of any State in the Union, and if bad laws are passed they do not reflect the wish of the majority. The character of the people of a State cannot be judged by its laws, strange as it may seem.

A vigorous crusade on practical lines would be full of good results, but words and circulars and petitions alone will not suffice. There must be personal face to face work, and the leading men of the community, including the clergy, of course, must be urged to give their presence and voices to the work. When that has been done the mass of voters will forget the dictates of bosses and will vote on the moral side of a question.

**Borough Property Changes Hands.**

Recent real estate transfers in this vicinity include the following:

Jacob Retsky and wife to Henry D. Morrison, land in North Plainfield, $1,300.

Benjamin F. Champney, Jr, and wife to Newton B. Smalley, property in North Plainfield, $850.

William Uhrhahn and wife to William J. Couray, property in North Plainfield, $1,500.

Emmon K. and Abram M. Vail, executors, to Sarah S. Line, lot in North Plainfield, $10.

Sarah S. Line to Abram M. Vail, lot in North Plainfield, $5.

James F. Hubbard and wife to Rosa Vosselmann, land in North Plainfield, $200.

Mary A. Marsh and others to the Mayor and Council of the Borough of North Plainfield, land in North Plainfield, $225.

William R. Coddington and wife to Daniel L. Smalley, land in North Plainfield, $467.

**E. E. Teeple Wins the Silver Trophy.**

The fifth and final shoot for a handsome silver cake basket took place yesterday afternoon at Campbell's club house. Elmer E. Teeple, of South Plainfield, with his new Ithaca gun, was the winner, breaking 19 out of 20 blue rocks. Mr. Teeple is therefore the owner, having won it twice.

The following is the score of yesterday's shoot. E. Teeple, 19; Chas. Smith, 18; T. Brantingham, 18; A. Soper, 16; H. Campbell, 15; Forest, 14; R. Manning, 14; S. G. Smith, 12; Woodruff, 5. The former single winners were S. G. Smith, T. Brantingham and T. Kellar. Mr. Teeple's score for the entire day's shooting yesterday was 49 out of 52.

—Two years ago there was just one female tricyclist in Westfield. Today there are nearly thirty; and in addition there are young ladies who prefer the bicycle as a steed.

## AH WING'S JEWEL.

**An Alaskan Version of the John Smith and Pocahontas Romance.**

Pocahontas has been outdone by an Alaskan maiden. John Smith was only in danger of having his brains spattered over the surrounding real estate when Pocahontas rescued him with her love. The John Smith of Alaska was not only in danger of being killed, but of being eaten, when the woman in whose eyes he found favor saved him.

The Alaska John Smith, says the San Francisco Examiner, was not a titled explorer when he fell into the hands of the savages, nor was his name John Smith. He was only a common yellow-skinned sea cook. His name is Ah Wing, and there is nothing attractive about him. He is about as homely a mixture of Chinaman and Malay pirate as could be found in a day's walk. His Pocahontas answers to the name of Julie just now, but nobody knows what her Indian name was. She is a long way from being Pocahontas' equal in beauty, and the Siwash features of generations were consolidated when her face was made. Still the romance is there.

Ah Wing and Julie, now Mrs. Ah Wing, arrived here on a codfish schooner several months since, but have not gone into society yet. They reside on Ross alley, in Chinatown, and submitted to an interview yesterday. They only submitted to it, they did not take part in it, and when it came to securing the story of their love the reporter was obliged to obtain his information from a third party, to whom Wing had confided it in explanation of his off-color bride.

Ah Wing, some nine years ago, was a cook in the employ of the Navy Department, and was shipped north on the Jamestown. While on the Sitka station Wing's time expired or he deserted—just which is not quite plain—and shipped aboard a whaler. The whaler was wrecked and Wing was cast up on an inhospitable ice-floe. Julie was the daughter of a chief of a tribe of Indians, and, while hunting with her father, discovered Ah Wing, who was as near dead from starvation, cold and exposure as it was possible for him to be and retain life. For days and days Julie nursed him, and he finally recovered, to find himself the object of a great deal of attention on the part of the Indians. They could speak no Chinese or English, and Wing had no comprehension of their dialect. He was at a loss to understand the solicitude with which they fed him and the interest they took in watching the accumulation of fat on his ribs. At last the horrid truth dawned upon him—at least so he says. They were going to barbecue and eat him.

He attempted to escape, but was captured and returned to the village and put under guard. The fatal day arrived. Wing was informed by pantomime that an incision would be made in his neck and his life fluid allowed to escape into a soap-stone basin. He gave all up for lost, when he was inspired by the sight of Julie in tears. He made love to her. She comprehended and went to ask papa. The old chief was fond of his daughter and could refuse her nothing. He issued an edict against baked Wing. The remainder of the village protested, and the chief was obliged to state why he desired the stranger's life preserved. The objectors gave in and Wing and Julie were married in Indian style.

Wing lived with the tribe for some time, but never became very popular. He was not much of a hunter, and preferred to lie around the house, sewing with the women, to chasing polar bears, walruses, seals and the like.

Finally he had a chance to escape. A boat's crew came in from a schooner to trade for skins. Their cook was dead, and Wing begged them to take him away with them. Wing's father-in-law gave him leave of absence for three months and sent Julie along with him to insure his return.

They sailed away, and after much marine wandering and transferring from one vessel to another, arrived in San Francisco. Wing had a taste for the needle and secured a job of tailoring. The faithful Julie proved an adept and shares Wing's labors. They still find some difficulty in conversing. Wing knows a few words of English and a few of Indian. Julie knows a few of English and a few of Chinese.

When their discussions become animated they resort to all three languages at once, and the talk is very exciting. There is a little Wing now, and he is learning all three languages.

Julie will not live long here; she already shows signs of consumption, developed presumably by the unaccustomed foul air.

The story has been pretty well authenticated, with the exception of the intention of the Indians to eat Wing after killing him. His own countrymen do not believe this part of the story, but Wing adheres to it stoutly, and the strongest tie between him and his wife is his gratitude to her for saving him from such a fate.

Voyagers to the North state that they have heard of cannibalism among the Indians, but it has always been attributed to isolated instances of starvation's necessity, and not habit.

**Poor Country for Doctors.**

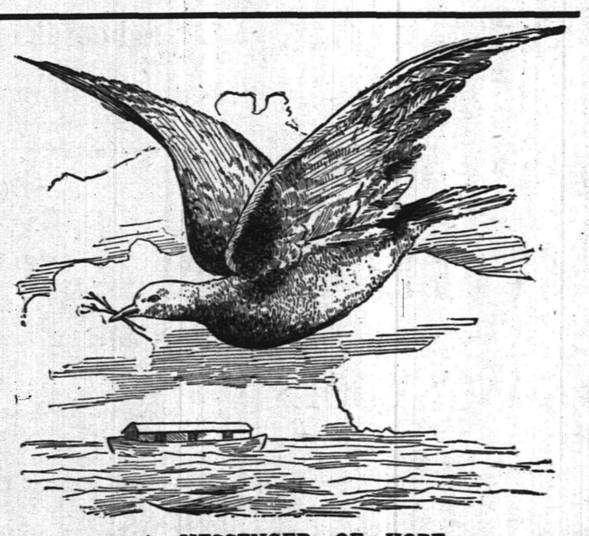
An African chief had a bad cold and sent for his family physician. This gentleman could no more cure a cold than any civilized doctor, and was as little likely to confess it. His business, of course, was to give a prescription not impossible to be made up, but a little out of the way, so as to inspire confidence and suggests anatomical study. He prescribed a little fat cut from the heart of a fat man. Unhappily (for the doctor), all the attendants of the chief were lean, but the doctor himself was fat, and the chief, being unaccustomed to wait for any thing—far less a cure for a cold—immediately put him to death and put his advice into execution.

## THE TOBACCO HEART.

**Many a Child's Health Is Smoked Away Before It Is Born.**

The tobacco habit produces physical conditions of a marked variety, particularly as relates to the heart. Men use tobacco all their lives without great apparent damage to themselves sometimes, but their sons will have decided manifestations of the tobacco heart if they try to smoke, and their daughters are nervous and hysterical. Statistics of the examiners of volunteers for the army show that one-third of all the applicants who are rejected are ruled out because of having a tobacco heart. Many of them are to all appearances strong and robust yet suffering from this constitutional defect which makes them liable to succumb to any unusual strain.

Everybody knows that there is a growing number of young men and women who are good for nothing physically. Many men and women of sixty and seventy are more hearty and vigorous than their children. It is getting to be almost fashionable to be an invalid. The school children are pale and puny. There are other causes, but tobacco must be held responsible for a large share of this. The constitution of many a child is smoked away before it is born, and thousands and thousands are suffering in various ways because their fathers have squandered their nervous energy and vitality in the use of tobacco.—From a lecture by J. H. Kellogg, M. D.



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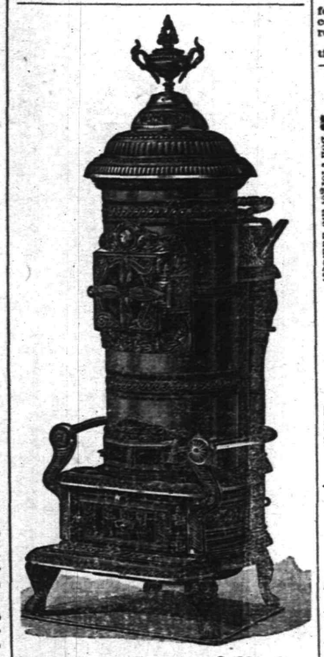

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[Special Correspondence.]

New gowns, new bonnets, and one might almost add new faces—for many are so bronzed by the summer's outing—are beginning to strew our avenues and thoroughfares

"Thick as autumnal leaves that strew the brooks
In Vallombrosa,"

and again it seems as if it had never been before, when autumn suggests warmth of color and richness of tone. In all that is new there is a decided touch of French grace and originality, and yet it is claimed that American women are not half as keen about French fashions as formerly, that they are growing more English in their

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dress every year. However, to dress well it is necessary to "feel the pulse of fashion," which means to know what French people are making and selling and wearing. Undoubtedly the aorta of the whole arterial system of fashion is located in Paris, and every pulse throb is felt throughout the universe.

To be fully convinced of this fact, one need only to pass behind the scenes of any of our large importing houses, and inspect the novelties from the leading Paris designers, and which can be designated by nothing less exalted than "creations."

Elaboration is carried out most extensively in tea-gowns or house-gowns, which are becoming more popular every day. They are so graceful and hide so many deficiencies. One beautiful example among a few fresh things that have just arrived, is a tea-gown rich as regards materials, but quite simple in shape. It is in old rose bengaline, and the front displays a pretty drapery of creamy lace gathered into a pointed band of gold embroidery at the waist. The bodice in front is fashioned after the manner of the zouave.

The zouave, like the poor, we have always with us; but it is so jaunty and becoming that it is difficult to let go easily.

Another pretty house-gown of Paris make is illustrated, and is most artistically draped in pale pink flowered silk, with crepe de chine front in Greek style, and revers of plain silk of a slightly deeper rose tint. This also lines the robe, and is again evident in

A MORNING GOWN.

the wide open sleeves, giving such an easy, comfortable aspect to the gown.

Our summer hats have played many parts, and their tumbled appearance bears testimony of the trying conditions of moisty weather under which they have performed their duties. Out of respect to their departed freshness, we relegate them to the oblivion of their boxes, and let retrospection write the epitaph of their charms, while the bent of our energies is turned upon the new comers.

One of the latest models in hats, which we illustrate, is a shape that will be reproduced in felt and velvet, for it is particularly pretty and becoming. The crown of fancy spotted velvet is puffed and draped, then encircled by ribbon velvet, which, brought to the front, forms an upright bow, and from the back is brought down to form strings. *Suivez moi* plumes are arranged at the back.

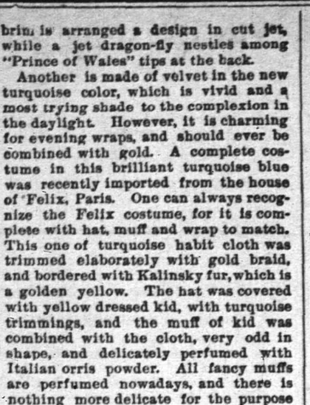
The quaint little hats, which resemble an inverted butter-ladle more than any thing else, are becoming more and more popular. They are generally covered smoothly with velvet, edged with feather trimming, and a few birds or a bunch of small tips pose at the back. One little shape of brilliant red velvet is edged with black, and upon the front brim is arranged a design in cut jet, while a jet dragon-fly nestles among "Prince of Wales" tips at the back.

Another is made of velvet in the new turquoise color, which is vivid and a most trying shade to the complexion in the daylight. However, it is charming for evening wraps, and should ever be combined with gold. A complete costume in this brilliant turquoise blue was recently imported from the house of Felix, Paris. One can always recognize the Felix costume, for it is complete with hat, muff and wrap to match. This one of turquoise habit cloth was trimmed elaborately with gold braid, and bordered with Kalinsky fur, which is a golden yellow. The hat was covered with yellow dressed kid, with turquoise trimmings, and the muff of kid was combined with the cloth, very odd in shape, and delicately perfumed with Italian orris powder. All fancy muffs are perfumed nowadays, and there is nothing more delicate for the purpose than Italian orris, which is less oppressive than the flower sachets.

Among the list of charming gowns which Mrs. Kendal has brought over for her American tour is an exquisitely pretty day dress in the new turquoise color. The material is crepe de chine, and the skirt is plain, save for a flounce around the hem. A zouave of gold and turquoise stones sets off the bodice, and there are high, puffed-up sleeves.

A fitting accompaniment to the new and dainty muffs are the showy embroidered mouchoirs of crepe lisse. They are in all possible shades and are embroidered on the edges in floral designs, like the one illustrated. Strong contrasts are the rule, such as a border of purple pansies on a nasturtium-pink center, heliotrope upon pale green, mignonette on old rose, and the like.

To look at the display of handkerchiefs upon the shop counters and in the establishments where they are made and sold as specialties, one is slow to realize that a century and a half ago a certain royal family possessed only two. There are also very beautiful white



AN AUTUMN HAT.

linen cambric handkerchiefs, with borders wrought in colors; but the elegant and thoroughly genteel pocket-handkerchief is either lace bordered or hand-embroidered in white.

It would be hard to improve upon the variety of exquisite materials already received for evening gowns. Beaded net, with broad stripes of velvet, is a novelty, but jeweled nets will be the most favored in the way of drapery this winter. Pretty gowns for young ladies will be made of *colle* in bright colors, with satin-striped borders such as we find on our gauze vails. They will simply be made over slips of silk to match in color. A girlish gown in white crepe is festooned around the hem with a wreath of white rose petals, and the bertha and sleeves are trimmed in the same way.

The newest model of a bridal gown made by a leading couturiere abroad, is simple in design yet exquisitely elegant. As usual with bodices, no fastening is visible; the train which follows full and gracefully, is hooked on to the corsage at the back, and the corsage in front is finished with a drapery of lace. The sleeves and Medici collar are also of lace, and a simple cluster of orange blossoms nestles at the throat—for the long sprays and chatelains of flowers are no longer the height of fashion. Two volants, or flounces of lace are headed with orange blossoms. The vail is arranged *not* to cover the face.

With gentlemen it is the fashion to wear less jewelry than formerly, which is a turn in the right direction.

The new grape jewelry recently introduced in London, is beautiful, and looks quite seasonable now. The fruit is beautifully modeled and colored and of the natural size. It doesn't look heavy or clumsy as one would suppose who hadn't seen it. A brooch consists of three or four green or purple grapes, and the stalk of the fruit is imitated in gold. There are watch chains and bracelets ornamented with the same fruit. Jewelers are trying to find a substitute for moonstones, as they have grown a trifle monotonous. One of the newest and most brilliant ornaments for fastening in the folds of an evening gown, is the "rising sun" in diamonds. The ultra-fashionable woman nowadays has diamonds for morning, diamonds for afternoon and diamonds for evening wear. A diamond coronet which may be converted into a necklace is a popular head ornament.

An imported novelty in fur is a stole-collar with flat boa ends which reach to the feet. It is made of cinnamon bear fur, and is very elegant. L'ETOILE.

### A Joke That Failed.

Newspaper Man (at a new place)—Well, John, are your eggs of the latest edition?

John (with asperity)—We never has no crittercism on de eggs, sah.

Newspaper Man—So? If they are as fresh as you are they don't deserve any.—Judge.

### A Modern Fable.

Wiggins—I see, Jack, that although the Trees are Leaving, your Winter Clothes are Not.

Poor Jack—No: I am one of the Ever Green, who have no Change in the Spring.—Texas Siftings.

# OUR YOUNG FOLKS.

## ABOUT THERMOMETERS.

**Boys and Girls Who Want to Learn Something Should Read This Article Very Carefully.**

Have you ever noticed what an important instrument a thermometer is? How frequently do we hear one person complaining of the excessive heat of a room, and another saying: "Do you think so? I do not find it uncomfortably warm."

How often do they refer to a little instrument hung up on one of the walls, which tells them at once whether the heat of the room is greater than it should be or not?

Yet few are aware of the physical laws which enable the little instrument to impart such valuable and trustworthy information to them: fewer still know how it has been constructed.

It is an every-day, commonplace thing; useful, cheap, and to them uninteresting. Attention may perhaps be drawn to the artistic, carved frame in which it lies, but the work-a-day, plain little thermometer comes in only for so much attention as is compelled by discomfort or curiosity.

FIG. 1.

Let us find out what the thermometer does by first taking a short lesson in calories. Supposing you took three basins, one having very hot water in it, the second ice water and the third moderately tepid water.

Now, if you placed your right hand in the cold water, and your left hand in the hottest water, and after holding them there some time, put both your hands in the tepid water, to the right hand it would feel warm, to your left hand it would feel cold.

Which hand are you to believe?

Assuredly there is a failing somewhere, and it lies in the fact that you can not be sure of the previous temperature of your hand before feeling a body.

Now the thermometer is not to be deceived in any way by sensation; it will always give the same record for the same

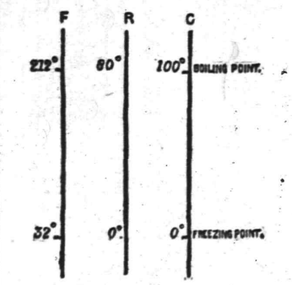



FIG. 4.

degree of heat. And I must caution you not to confuse "degree" with "amount" of heat.

If you had a large basin full of boiling water, and took a cupful away, the cup would contain water of the same "degree" of heat, but there would be very much less heat in the cup as regards "amount."

Perhaps you already know that inanimate objects are divided into "solids," "liquids" and "gases."

Now the effects of heat on solids are twofold. Bodies are said to be made up of elementary particles called atoms, and, roughly, these atoms are in the closest proximity in solids, less in liquids, and least of all in gases.

The first effect of the application of heat to a solid, such as iron, is to separate its atoms further from one another, and so make it larger. In other words, it expands. If heating be carried on to a greater degree the solid becomes liquid—i. e., adopts the shape of any vessel it may be in, having no shape of its own; and, lastly, if the heating be carried on still further, the liquid becomes a gas.

The principle of the thermometer depends on the expansion of bodies exposed to the varying conditions of heat. You know that when a thermometer encounted a high temperature the mercury rises in the tube and occupies more space.

I dare say that many of you have noticed thermometers which had in them a reddish fluid instead of mercury. This is colored alcohol, and we shall consider the comparative merits of this form of thermometer with the ordinary mercury one later on.

I shall now tell you how these little thermometers are made, but, before doing so, let me refer to an experiment figured in Fig. 1.

This is called Gravesand's experiment: *a* is an iron ball, which will go through the circle *c* with ease; *a* is subjected to heat, and after awhile it is found that it will no longer go through *c* as it did; *a* is therefore left resting on *c*, and as it cools it falls through.

This serves very aptly to show the expansion of a body with heat, and its subsequent contraction on cooling. Of course, bodies which absorb moisture do not expand in heating—e. g., wood—they rather contract.

It occurred to scientific men that as certain things expanded under the influence of heat, the amount of expansion might be made to represent the degree of heat applied. Solids change in too slight a degree to lend themselves to purposes of measurement of fine gradations of temperature; gases, on the other hand, are too much affected by variations of temperature to be useful for practical purposes.

Liquids, however, present the happy means, and of these mercury is the liquid metal which expands most constantly equally for equal degrees of heat. How, then, are these little instruments made? I will tell you.

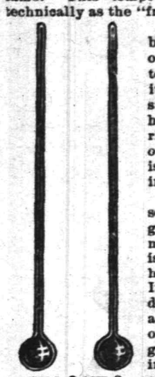
A tube, having a fine bore, known as a capillary bore, from the Latin "capilla," a hair, is taken, and at one end of this a small bulb is made by means of a very hot flame; at the other end a funnel is made; into this funnel mercury is placed, and the bulb is heated. Some of the heated air rushes out through the mercury, and on cooling some mercury is forced into the tube to take the place of the air which has escaped.

This mercury finds its way into the bulb and is in its turn heated. It becomes volatile, and the whole tube being full of mercury and mercury vapor, all the air is driven out, and, on cooling, the tube fills with mercury from the funnel.

The whole thing is again heated, and while hot the funnel is removed, and the upper end of the tube is sealed, presenting the appearance seen in Fig. 2.

On cooling, of course, the mercury contracts, and leaves above it a perfect vacuum, the tube presenting now the appearance seen in Fig. 3. Our thermometer is now made, but we have to graduate it.

Now it has been discovered that the temperature of melting ice is a constant one—that is to say, it is always the same. This temperature is known technically as the "freezing-point."



FIGS. 2 AND 3.

The first thing to be done, then, with our thermometer is to see at what level its freezing-point stands, i. e., how high the mercury rises when the bulb of the thermometer is plunged into melting ice.

This point is scratched on the glass with a diamond; but this fact is not enough to have ascertained. It has also been demonstrated that, at a certain pressure of the air, steam given off from boiling water is always of a constant temperature. It is necessary to obtain these conditions to ascertain what is called the "boiling-point" of our thermometer. A special apparatus is used, which is so devised that the whole of the thermometer as well as the bulb is enveloped in steam. Of course the mercury rises to a certain height, and this level also is recorded on the glass tube in the same way as the "freezing-point."

Thus we have two fixed points from which to take a start in making our thermometer; but our own sensations are acute enough to distinguish between freezing and boiling, in the general acceptance of those terms, so we must subdivide the distance between the freezing and boiling-point in our thermometer, and we may do so in various ways.

I dare say that many of you have noticed on the thermometer at home that the scale, as it is called, is printed on the frame of the thermometer, and the letter F. is placed at the top or bottom of the scale.

This letter F. is distinctive. It is the first letter of the name of the chemist who invented the particular scale to which it is appended. His name was Fahrenheit.

Now, Fahrenheit found that he could artificially produce a much greater cold than that of melting ice by means of a mixture of salt and snow.

He therefore called the temperature of melting ice 32 degrees, and that of snow and salt 0 degrees, or zero—that is, "nothing." He erroneously supposed that he had found the lowest possible temperature, but that was soon proven to be a mistake.

Boiling-point on Fahrenheit's scale is 212 degrees, so that between freezing-point and boiling-point in Fahrenheit's scale there are 180 degrees. This measurement of temperature is the one most in vogue in our own country; but among scientific men, and in most European countries, another scale is in use. This is the scale of Celsius, and is generally known as the "Centigrade" scale, from the following facts: Boiling-point and freezing-point are ascertained as already described, and freezing-point is called 0 degree, or zero, and boiling-point 100 degrees; and the distance between 0 degree and 100 degrees is equally divided into a hundred parts, each of which is called a degree centigrade.

Although these two scales of measurement are best known in this country, there is another which is the scale for Russia and Sweden. This is the scale of Reaumur. In this, as in the Centigrade or Celsius scale, the freezing-point is 0 degree, but the distance from freezing to boiling-point is only divided into eighty equal parts, so that boiling-point Reaumur is 80 degrees.

A glance at Fig. 4 will show at once the relation of the three scales to one another. We have noticed those thermometers which are made with a red fluid inside instead of metallic mercury. They are made with alcohol instead of mercury, and the alcohol is colored with cochineal or carmine, sometimes with Prussian blue.

Mercury, at certain very low temperatures, freezes, and therefore ceases to be of any service in recording low temperatures; alcohol has never been frozen yet, and therefore is of use in this way. Alcohol, however, boils at a lower temperature than water, and becomes a vapor; it can not therefore be used for such high temperature as mercury.

The old-fashioned thermometers were made with a spherical bulb; these, however, are not the best in shape, and the bulbs are made larger and thinner, thus giving a larger surface of exposure. Of such a shape are the clinical thermometers used by physicians, which register from about 95 degrees Fahrenheit to 113 degrees Fahrenheit.

The proper way is to suspend the thermometer in the middle of the room, where it is free of any object likely to affect its temperature.

Similarly, one often sees a thermometer outside a window, which is intended to take the temperature of the outer air, and on which a hot sun is shining; the thermometer, of course, registers much too high a temperature. It should be suspended in the open air and in the shade, and always facing to the north.

And now I hope that many of you know more about thermometers than you did, and can feel, when you see one, "I know how you are made," "I know how you act." The little friend is, I hope, no longer a mystery to you, but a thing of familiar interest.—W. L. Liston, in Golden Days.

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—Dr. Francis Dowling, in a paper which he read at a recent meeting of the Cincinnati Academy of Medicine, stated that "between the ages of ten and forty that at least one person in three is subject to partial deafness. The great majority of cases of impaired hearing are hereditary, and are largely owing to a too close consanguinity of the parents. Deafness is more prevalent among males than females, owing to the fact that the male is more exposed to the vicissitudes of the climate. There is much more deafness in America than in Europe, and this is due to a more general use of scientific instruments, such as telephones, where one ear is used to the exclusion of the other.


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7 A. M. for High Bridge Branch and Easton.

8 07 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 42 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, D L & W R R, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Nanticoke, Drifton, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c.

1 20 P. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, &c.

4 34 P. M. for D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

5 20 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch Schooley's Mountain, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, &c.

6 20 P. M. for Flemington.

6 38 P. M. for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg.

8 20 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

8 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8 15 a. m. Sundays for High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Hamokin, &c., 2 03 p. m. Sundays for High Bridge Branch Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua and Pottsville., 6 35 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m. 1 p. m.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c.

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For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 38, 8, 10 05, 11 09 a. m., 1, 3 51, 5 31, 7 03 p. m. Sunday—8 52 a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8, 10 05 a. m., 1, 3 51, 5 31, p. m.

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For Baltimore and Washington at 1 17, 9 48, 11 58 a. m., 2 45, 4 06, 5 34 p. m. Sundays—1 17, 9 48 a. m., 2 47, 4 06, 5 14 p. m.

RETURNING—LEAVE PHILADELPHIA.

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From 24th and Chestnut—3 10, 8 30, 11 05, a. m. 12 52, 3 20, 6 18, 8 05, p. m. Sundays—3 10, 8 35 a. m., 12 52, 3 20, 6 18, 8 05 p. m.

Leave Trenton, Warren and Tucker sts., 1 20, 4 09, 7 08, 9, 10 10, 11 55 a. m. 1 28, 2 10, 3 40, 4 55, 6 05, 8 47, 10 p. m. Sundays—1 20, 4 09, 9 05 a. m. 1 28, 4, 5 55, 7, 8 47 p. m.

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## THE TARIFF TROUBLE

### The Alleged Fatal Defects in the New Bill.

SECRETARY WINDOM'S OPINION

Its Constitutionality a Question for the Courts to Decide.

**Ex-President Cleveland Argues a Case Before the Supreme Court—The Spanish Minister's Recall—Candidates for the Vacancy on the Supreme Bench—Postmasters Appointed by the President.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 24.—The alleged fatal defects in the new Tariff bill formed an interesting topic of discussion in official circles, and while the defects were not thought to invalidate the bill as a whole, sentiment was almost unanimous that Section 30 of the tobacco paragraph, which was omitted in its entirety, could not be enforced, and where it by construction referred to other paragraphs, it might impair their strength.

As to the law signed by the President not being the law passed by Congress, Secretary Halford said the bill signed by President Harrison was the same bill signed by the Speaker of the House and the President of the Senate. These officers by their signatures certified that the bill had passed their respective branches of Congress and their attestation of that fact was the usual mode of procedure and the only official notification the President ever received that a bill had passed. Whether the law was constitutional or not was a matter for the court to decide.

Secretary Windom, when questioned on the subject said it did not become him to question the constitutionality of legislation passed by Congress. He was simply an executive officer to carry out the will of Congress, and when laws were placed upon the statute books all he had to do was to execute them. If doubts exist as to a given law being constitutional, those doubting it could have their doubts removed or confirmed by taking the matter to the proper judicial tribunal.

### MR. CLEVELAND'S TRIP.

**Arguing a Case Before the United States Supreme Court To-Day.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 24.—Ex-President Cleveland appeared before the Supreme Court of the United States to-day and argued the case of Wallace vs. The City of New Orleans.

At the Arlington, Mr. Cleveland was assigned to the suite of rooms occupied during the sessions of Congress by Senator Hiscock. He left orders at the hotel office that he would see no callers, and spent most of the time before going to court in his apartments, looking over papers relating to the case in which he is interested.

There was a rumor current that Mr. Cleveland had dropped dead. He was told of this, and laughingly answered: "You may tell my friends that I never felt better in my life than I do at this time."

**The Spanish Minister's Recall.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 24.—Senor Muruaga, the Spanish Minister, gives the following reason why he asked for his dismissal: "I was appointed by the Sagasta Ministry when the Liberal party was in power, and I do not desire to remain in office under the Conservative party now in control, headed by Costillo." The rumor that his recall is due to unpleasant relations with Secretary Blaine has been heard here, but of course the State Department and the friends of both gentlemen are diplomatically silent and refuse to talk on such a matter.

**Stricken With Apoplexy.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 24.—Ex-Governor B. G. Noble of Wisconsin was stricken with apoplexy at the residence of relatives, No. 212 Ross street, Williamsburg. He was stricken while going up stairs and was badly injured by the fall. He is 74 years old and is not expected to recover from the blow.

**The Hospital Nurse Held for Homicide.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 24.—Henry C. R. Lawrence, the Bellevue Hospital nurse who was arrested for an assault upon John W. Sprague, a patient in the hospital, and who a few hours after the assault died, was held in the Yorkville Court without bail, upon a charge of homicide.

**Students Robbed.**

HAVERHILL, Mass., Oct. 24.—The rooms of the students at Bradford Seminary in Bradford were entered last night by thieves who secured about $300 worth of property. The students were at supper at the time of the robbery.

**Tons of Coal Burning.**

QUINCY, Mass., Oct. 24.—Fire has been burning in the coal bins at J. F. Sheppard & Sons' wharf, at Quincy, since Monday. About 600 tons of hard coal and 400 tons of soft coal have been damaged.

**Birchall's Chum Arrested.**

WOODSTOCK, Ont., Oct. 24.—P. L. C. Wheeler, Birchall's chum, who absconded a few days ago, was arrested in Detroit, and rather than go to jail, surrendered to his creditors the $2,000 he embezzled.

**Found His Body in the Hudson.**

RONDOUT, N. Y., Oct. 24.—The body of James Mellon, who was drowned off the boat Wesley Pettit about a week ago, has been found in the Hudson River at Port Ewen, badly decomposed.

### THE GALE ON THE COAST.

**Ravages of the Wind and Waves—Steamers Driven From Their Course.**

ASBURY PARK, N. J., Oct. 24.—The severe northeasterly storm that set in yesterday has been raging with considerable violence all along the New Jersey seacoast towns to-day.

Seldom has the sea been in such a rough state as it was last evening. It was a difficult task to walk a half block along the ocean front.

At Sandy Hook the waves, as they dashed upon the shore, rolled far up on the beach and submerged the tracks of the New Jersey Southern Railroad, doing considerable damage. At Seabright, Monmouth Beach and Gallilee, the extreme high tide cut into the bluffs and caused much damage by washouts.

Long Branch suffered much by the terrific storm. The big cut along Ocean avenue was cut into again by the breakers, and still further damages sustained. Scarcely a crab pot or a fisherman's net was left uninjured between Long Branch and Seabright. In several instances where the owners of the crab pots and fishing pounds set out to take in their traps their boats were capsized and the inmates had a narrow escape from drowning. Noteworthy is the case of John Morrison, whose boat was swamped in his attempt to save his nets. But for his timely rescue by a fellow fisherman he would have gone to the bottom. When the rescuing party had nearly reached the shore they met with the same fate as Mr. Morrison. Their boat was swamped and they had a hard fight to reach the shore in safety. In each instance both boats were lost.

### POUNDED TO DEATH.

**An Old Man Brutally Murdered in His Barn.**

CHICAGO, Oct. 24.—The murder of Michael Brezell, at Desplaines, 16 miles from here, was one of the bloodiest crimes in the history of this section. Brezell was the station agent of the Northwestern road at Desplaines, and though a man of apparently humble circumstances had nevertheless amassed considerable wealth in his seventy-six summers, and was regarded as one of the richest men in Desplaines. He carried nearly all his riches about with him in the shape of notes or bills.

The testimony shows that while Brezell was in his barn he was set upon by three men, who literally pounded his head to pieces, his arms and hands being also cut in several places. Money and notes to the value of $5,000 were taken from his pockets by the murderers, who then made their escape, but not until they had been seen by several persons.

Last night the police arrested Frank Burns, who says he is from Buffalo; Thomas Sye, hailing from Montreal, and John Murphy, coming from Toronto, on suspicion of having murdered Brezell. Two of the men were captured near Palatine and the third two miles east of Desplaines. They claim to have been in Chicago but their statements are not believed. They will be taken to Desplaines.

The murdered man's wallet, containing over $4,000 worth of non-negotiable notes, was found on the railroad track some distance from the town.

**Farewell Reception to Dr. Lieber.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 24.—Dr. E. M. Lieber, the well known German statesman, was given a farewell reception at Cooper Union last night by the German Catholics of the city and vicinity. On the platform were many prominent citizens. Addresses were delivered by Bishop Wigger of Newark, Archbishop Corrigan and others. Herr Lieber, who came to this country six weeks ago to ascertain the financial, social and religious standing of Germans in America, sails to-morrow for Germany.

**A Murderer's Children Testify.**

BATH, N. Y., Oct. 24.—In the trial of Emmett Crane for the murder of Mrs. Perry at Addison, the defense introduced evidence to prove the prisoner's insanity. Five of the prisoner's children testified that he was injured about the head at one time and since then he has acted strangely and he has been considered to be of unsound mind.

**The Coroner Caused His Arrest.**

DANBURY, Conn., Oct. 24.—At the request of Coroner Doten, prosecuting Attorney Averill issued an indictment against Thomas McCoy for manslaughter, in causing the death of William Watson, whose body was found in Still River, three miles east of this city on October 12, and he will be brought before the court to-day.

**Presidential Postmasters.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 24.—Presidential postmasters were appointed as follows: Pennsylvania, George F. Dengler at Schuylkill Haven; New Jersey, Benjamin B. Pearce at Manasquan.

**His Death Was Accidental.**

MILFORD, Mass., Oct. 24.—An autopsy on the body of Stephen J. Lyons of Milford, found in the Charles river, showed that his death was accidental, he having fallen, while partly intoxicated, from a bridge into the river.

## SHIPS TO BE TIED UP

### English Employers Prepared to Go to Extremes.

A CLASH WITH TRADES UNIONS.

The Great Liners Sailing to America May be Manned by British Soldiers.

**Great Preparations in Germany to Celebrate Von Moltke's Birthday—Bernhardt Makes a Great Hit in Cleopatra—The Foreign Office Interested in Michael Davitt's Charges.**

LONDON, Oct. 24.—The statement regarding the proposed laying up of vessels by the Shipping Federation is confirmed.

It is now ascertained that the scheme has been for some time contemplated and preparations have been making quietly. In fact, it is asserted on good authority that nothing but a reasonable attitude on the part of the trades unions will now avert the calamity. The movement, however, will not affect the great liners sailing to America or elsewhere, as these will be manned, if necessary, by recruits from Her Majesty's navy.

The tension between the London dockers and their employes has extended to kindred trades, and is equally shared by those employed by ship owners at Liverpool, where a serious strike is considered an inevitable event in the near future.

Since the last great strike the Liverpool branch of the federation has maintained its organization in good shape, and the members expect, when the next crisis is forced upon them, to be able to import a large number of non-unionists. They assert that at the slightest pretext for a grievance the union men will stop work at the command of their leaders, who frequently visit them, causing delay in the loading and unloading of vessels and entailing loss on the owners.

### CHEERS FOR MOLTKE.

**All Germany Alive to do Honor to the Venerable Field Marshal.**

BERLIN, Oct. 24.—Count von Moltke, on his arrival here, was met at the railway station by an enormous crowd of people, who cheered him the entire distance from the station to his quarters.

All Germany is alive with preparations to do honor to Count von Moltke on his ninetieth birthday.

The venerable Field Marshal is the only military man of the day whom the Emperor really regards with veneration, and to whose opinion he bows. There has been for many years a friendship approaching affection between young William and the veteran general, the good will of the Emperor being cordially reciprocated by his eminent subject. In the German army, also, all agree in their admiration of Von Moltke, and the testimony to his abilities and services is as universal as it is sincere.

All the courts of the Empire will be represented in to-morrow's and Sunday's celebration, and many sovereign princes will be present in person and proceed, with Emperor William at their head, to congratulate the great commander. The various municipalities throughout Germany will hold celebrations and it is said to be the desire of the Emperor that Alsace and Lorraine shall show their equality by special demonstrations. It is not yet certain, so far as semi-official utterances indicate, what will title be offered to Von Moltke by the Emperor.

**Davitt's Charges.**

LONDON, Oct. 24.—It is asserted here that the Foreign Office has requested Consul-General Hoare to take some action, by legal steps, in reply to the charges which Michael Davitt has made against him of inciting dynamite outrages. Davitt declares that he courts an inquiry by suit for libel or otherwise.

**Demanding a General Election.**

LONDON, Oct. 24.—As a result of the Eccles election, the Liberal press unite in demanding a general election to test the sentiment of the people as to Home Rule for Ireland. The Government, however, shows no disposition to gratify this wish, and the Conservative papers are mute on the subject.

**Bernhardt as Cleopatra.**

PARIS, Oct. 24.—Sardou's version of Cleopatra, written for Sarah Bernhardt, had its first production last evening at the Porte St. Martin Theatre. Every available seat was occupied. The performance made a profound impression

**O'Brien and Dillon's Tour.**

PARIS, Oct. 24.—William O'Brien, in an interview, said that the Irish party was assured that the American tour of himself and Mr. Dillon would yield sufficient funds to last until the general election.

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### LOOKS LIKE FOUL PLAY.

**A Nude Body Horribly Cut Found in the Erie Canal.**

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Oct. 24.—The body of an unknown man was found in the canal near Washington street bridge. The body had evidently been in the water for some time, as it was partially decomposed. A large cut, seemingly made with a knife, extends from the ear to the jaw on the left side of the face, and there is a deep gash on the breast just below the collar bone.

Mrs. Vincent, a lady who was on a barge tied to the wharf between Washington and Plymouth avenue bridges, was the first to discover the body. She saw something floating near the bow of the barge, and supposing it to be the body of a large dog, gave it a push out towards the middle of the canal, but as soon as she had done so she discovered that it was the body of a man.

The body is that of a man about 35 years of age, with dark hair and sandy moustache. The body was almost in a nude condition. The shirt was around the neck like a scarf, the trousers were torn to shreds, which were hanging about the feet, and all the remaining consisted of shoes and stockings. From a gash in the breast the lung protruded, and there was a deep cut in the groin. Coronor Graham said he could not form an opinion from the casual examination as yet made whether the cuts on the body were indicative of foul play.

### TURFMEN IN TROUBLE.

**Michael Dwyer Arrested for Keeping a Gambling Place.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 24.—Michael Dwyer, the well known turfman, and president of the New Jersey Jockey Club, was arrested upon a warrant issued by Justice Frazer, of Rahway, charging him with keeping a gambling place. Mr. Dwyer was released on bail to appear before Justice Frazer to-day.

Mr. Dwyer was arrested at the instance of "Pete" De Lacy, who has been causing wholesale arrests of bookmakers at the New Jersey Jockey Club's track, on charges of gambling.

Shortly after Mr. Dwyer's arrest De Lacy was himself arrested on a warrant in which he is charged by Henry Stedeker, a bookmaker, with conspiracy. De Lacy was unable to find a bondsman and was locked up.

**Nine Indictments Against a Newspaper.**

BINGHAMPTON, N. Y., Oct. 24.—Nine indictments were reported against the attaches of the Leader by the grand jury on account of that paper's attitude during the recent cigarmakers' strike. Six are for libel—three against the manager, two against the editor and one against the city editor. There is also one indictment against each of the persons specified for criminal contempt of court in disregarding an injunction issued by Judge Forbes, which prohibited all persons from unlawfully encouraging the strikers. The accused furnished $50 bail on each indictment.

**Two Millionaire Families United.**

CHICAGO, Oct. 24.—The great society event of the season was the wedding at high noon of Miss Albertina Huck and Marshall Field, jr., the only son of Chicago's greatest merchant. Two millionaire families were united by the marriage. The bride being a member of the Catholic Church, the ceremony was performed by Most Rev. Archbishop Feehan. Few guests were present, only the relatives and most intimate friends having been invited. The bridal couple left for New York en route for a year's visit to Europe.

**Blown to Atoms by an Explosion.**

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., Oct. 24.—A terrific explosion in one of the fulminate departments of the Union Metallic Cartridge Company caused great consternation among the 600 employes in the main factory. George Baker, employed in the department, was blown to atoms, his body being scattered in every direction. Deceased was over 50 years old and was considered a very careful man. The explosion shattered a large quantity of glass in the main building on the opposite side of the street.

**Green Goods Swindlers Active.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 24.—A letter has been received by United States Marshal Jacobus from John Rothschild, a merchant of Washington, Neb., complaining that his section of the country was flooded with "green goods" circulars from New York, and asking the marshal to arrest the senders if he could find them. He describes the way in which the swindlers work, gives several addresses used by them, and concludes with: "I was swindled the same way last spring."

**Engineers Discuss Federation.**

PITTSBURG, Pa., Oct. 24.—The Convention of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers gave their attention to the discussion of the question of federation. Nearly every delegate has a plan of his own to suggest, and no vote on this question will likely be reached for some time. This afternoon the election of officers will be held and the place for holding the next International Convention will be selected.

**A New Daily Paper.**

BALTIMORE, Md., Oct. 24.—After four months' existence the Evening Globe to-day withdraws from the field of Baltimore journalism. From its place of publication will be issued to-morrow an evening one cent paper to be called The World, backed by Scripps' League, which has papers in several western cities.

**Closed on Account of a Strike.**

MARLBORO, Mass., Oct. 24.—One of Rice & Hutchins' shoe factories—the Middlesex—in this town has suspended work, owing to a strike caused by the employment of five non-union girls in the stitching department.

## DIXON THE VICTOR

### Johnny Murphy Knocked Out by the Colored Lad.

THIRTY-NINE ROUNDS FOUGHT.

It Was a Desperate Battle Between Crack Featherweights.

**Two Hours and Twenty Minutes of Savage Fighting—It Was One-Sided from the Start—The Last Four Rounds Sickening—Dixon Won the Fight With Scarcely a Scratch.**

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Oct. 24.—The fight between Johnny Murphy and George Dixon, two featherweight pugilists hailing from Boston, took place here last night at the Gladstone Athletic Club. The battle was for the championship, a purse of $1,100 and a stake of $2,000, the loser to receive $300 out of the purse.

Murphy, who occupies the position of boxing instructor at Harvard College, was trained by Tom Murphy at New Bedford. Dixon was attended to at Roxbury by Tom O'Rourke.

That the pugilists had undergone a careful course of training was plainly visible, for when they both jumped through the ropes they appeared trained to the hour.

The battle was witnessed by fully 2,000 enthusiastic persons, representing all classes of the sporting world.

The ring was a twenty-four-foot one, the posts being well padded so as to avoid any possible danger in case either of the men should fall against them.

The crowd went wild with excitement and cheered each man as he entered the ring. Dixon took his corner first. He was closely followed by Murphy. Both wore white sweaters.

The fight from the first round was a fine one. It was fast and furious. In the first part of the contest Murphy did a good deal of rushing, but was unable to land with any great effect.

After two hours and forty minutes of murderous fighting Dixon knocked his man out. It was all one-sided from the first. Dixon had everything his own way. Murphy's hard luck followed him in this battle, as in his last with Cal McCarthy, but he showed more pluck and endurance last night than is generally seen in the ring. He broke the thumb of his left hand in the very first round, and was practically helpless throughout the fight. He stood up for thirty-nine rounds and allowed Dixon to make a chopping block of him without wincing.

The last four rounds were sickening. Murphy's left ear was almost torn from his head, and the blood ran in streams over his body. In the thirty-ninth round his body looked as though it had been flayed. He didn't drop, but he was staggering against the ropes when one of his seconds mercifully threw up the sponge.

Dixon won the fight with scarcely a scratch. His left was swollen a little, but he didn't look as though he had been through a forty-round fight.

When the result was announced the crowd which had been refused admittance to the Gladstone Club, and which stood in the rain outside, cheered the victor, who was driven away.

### FOUR PERSONS POISONED.

**They Inhaled Prussic Acid Formed by the Use of Other Chemicals.**

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 24.—Four persons employed at the Quaker City dye works, Howard and Oxford streets, were poisoned in a peculiar manner. Two of them will die.

The victims are: Bernard Hughes, 19 years; James Tighe, 46 years; Walter Spellman, 37 years, and William Eberhardt, 17 years.

For a week past a chemist has been experimenting with a new dye. Directly beneath the laboratory is the dressing room in which the street clothes of the employes are kept.

It is supposed that the ingredients used by the chemist in his experiments formed a compound which produced prussic acid, and that some of the deadly fluid leaked through the floor of the laboratory to the dressing room and saturated some of the clothing there.

Hughes entered the dressing room about noon, and came out complaining of feeling ill. His face was of an indigo hue, and he was taken to St. Mary's Hospital. By the time he reached the institution his heart had almost ceased to beat.

Tighe, Spellman and Eberhardt, who who into the room after Hughes, were seized with the same symptoms. Two were taken to the same hospital, and Eberhardt was carried home.

A physician visited the dye works to discover if possible the cause of the men's illness. He at once detected the odor of Prussic acid, and although the chemist denied using it in his experiments, he learned enough to convince him that other chemicals used had formed the compound.

The men had inhaled the fumes of this deadly poison. The physicians attending Hughes and Eberhart say they will probably die. Tighe and Spellman inhaled less of the poison and their cases are not so dangerous although they are still very sick.

**Balfour's Mission to Ireland.**

DUBLIN, Oct. 24.—Since his arrival in Ireland Mr. Balfour has gone nowhere in public without the attendance of two police constables. He is at present engaged in receiving and examining reports in relation to the potato blight, with a view to strengthening his contentions that the situation is not so

**Birchall Denies It.**

WOODSTOCK, Ont., Oct. 24.—Referring to the Toronto Globe's alleged confession of the condemned murderer, Birchall says there is not a word of truth in it.

### THE RACE RIOT.

**White Men at the Mercy of an Armed Body of Negroes.**

ATLANTA, Ga., Oct. 24.—Only meagre reports can be obtained concerning the reported race riot in Coffee County, as the trouble occurred some distance from the nearest point of telegraphic communication. It appears that in the riot four white men were shot down; B. E. McClendon, Frank and Thomas Seers, and John Hendrix. None of these are dead, according to latest reports.

The Governor has received a request to order out the militia, on the ground that the white people are at the mercy of an armed mob of negroes. He accordingly ordered the Waycross Rifles to proceed at once to the scene of the conflict.

It appears that the negroes are being led in the riot by one L. P. Varn, a white man, engaged in the turpentine business near Stokes' turpentine mill. Stokes, Varn and Thomas Seers had a dispute about a tract of land. Varn put his men to work on the timber land, and Seers shot one of the negroes and drove the others from the wood. They returned in the afternoon and fired into a crowd of Varn's hands. To have revenge on Seers, Varn's negroes armed themselves and made an assault on the settlement, with the above result. At last accounts matters were somewhat quieted, and it is believed there will be no other trouble.

**Gave His Children Poison.**

BERLIN, Oct. 24.—A retired farmer named Gast, living in the vicinity of this city, gave his children poisoned sweetmeats to eat and partook of some himself. Gast and three of the children are dead. Two other children are dying.

**A Missing Fishing Party Safe.**

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., Oct. 24.—The fishing party consisting of Ernest Bellum and George and Willie Burkle, missing since the gale, have returned home, having put in at Nashawena.

### NEWS OF THE DAY.

The U. S. cruiser Baltimore has arrived at Lisbon from Sweden.

The bronze statue of Major-General John Stark, "the hero of Bennington," was unveiled at Concord, N. H.

William Welsh, of Albany, a commercial traveler, died at the Woodruff House in Watertown, N. Y., of heart failure.

At the Barge office in New York 107 Mormons landed from the steamer Wisconsin during the morning. An ineffectual effort was made to detain them.

The great rendering house of the Western Abattoir in the western suburbs of Montreal, was burned during the night. Loss, $50,000; fully insured.

The case of Charles Richardson of Philadelphia vs. the Potter, Lovell Co., of Boston, has been again continued, this time until November 11. This is the fourth continuation.

John McDermott of Newark, N. J., is in custody on a charge of cutting his wife's hand because she declined to return some of the wages which he handed over to her shortly before.

General Davis, a veteran of the late war, who was visiting friends at 175 West Twelfth street, New York, died suddenly during the morning. He belonged in Gloversville, N. Y., and was Colonel of the regiment of the National Guard in that section of the State. His comrades of the G. A. R. took charge of the remains.

In the Superior Court at Worcester, Mass., Frederick Kimball, ex-teller of the People's Saving Bank of that city, who is accused of stealing over $50,000, and who went to Europe with the Le Bon woman and on returning was arrested in New York, pleaded guilty to an indictment charging him with embezzlement.

Ernest C. Rowe of New Haven, Conn., a young newspaper man, has arrived in San Francisco with a safety bicycle, which he had ridden clear across the American continent as far as Ogden, with the exception of about 700 miles over a rough, almost roadless country when he walked. The journey was commenced August 14.

**Weather Indications.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 24.—For New England: Cloudy weather and rain; high northeasterly winds, becoming variable; slightly cooler.

For Eastern New York: Cloudy weather and rain; continued cool, high northwesterly winds, becoming variable.

For Eastern Pennsylvania and New Jersey: Cloudy weather and rain; high frosts, northeasterly winds, becoming variable, attending a storm moving along the coast; stationary temperature; fair to-morrow.

For Western New York and Western Pennsylvania: Continued cool northeasterly winds; cloudy weather and rain.

### NEW YORK MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Oct. 23.—Money on call to-day 5½ and 6 per cent.

BONDS.

| | Closing Yesterday. | Closing To-day. |
|---|---|---|
| 4½s, 1891 Reg | 104 | 104¼ |
| 4½s, 1891 Coup | 104¼ | 104¼ |
| 4 s, 1907 Reg | 124¼ | 124¼ |
| 4 s, 1907 Coup | 121 | 124¼ |

STOCK MARKET.

| | Closing Yesterday. | Closing To-day. |
|---|---|---|
| Canadian Pacific | 76 | 75¾ |
| Central Pacific | ... | ... |
| Chicago, Bur., & Q | 92¾ | 92½ |
| Delaware & Hudson | ... | ... |
| Del., Lack. & Western | 144¾ | 143¾ |
| Erie | 25¾ | 25⅝ |
| Erie pref | ... | ... |
| Lake Shore | 107¼ | 107¼ |
| Louis. & Nash | 76¾ | 76 |
| Michigan Central | 94¾ | 95 |
| Missouri Pacific | 69¾ | 69¾ |
| New Jersey Central | ... | 121 |
| Northwestern | 108¼ | 108¾ |
| Oregon Navigation | ... | 94¾ |
| Pacific Mail | 41¾ | 41¾ |
| Reading | 37¼ | 37 |
| Rock Island | 77¾ | 77¼ |
| St. Paul | 89¾ | 89¾ |
| Union Pacific | 53¾ | 53⅝ |
| Western Union | 83 | 83⅛ |

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## BY THE WAY.

—Shorthand classes will meet as usual at the Y. M. C. A., to-night.

—"The New Uncle Tom's Cabin" will be presented by the Lorenzo Brothers and Company, at Amphion Hall, to-night, and to-morrow afternoon a matinee will be given.

—A prize pumpkin will be on exhibition at the United Tea & Coffee Growers Association store, to-morrow, and will be delivered at the house of the customer buying the largest bill of goods up to 9 P. M. Read their adv. to-day.

—The Democrats will have a rally and mass meeting with speeches by Fred C. Marsh, the senatorial candidate, Wm. Hicks, the shrievalty candidate, and others, at Amphion Hall, Wednesday evening of next week.

—The attendance at Music Hall, last evening, was wretchedly poor, but the presentation of "Held by the Enemy" was remarkably good. The cast was fine, not excepting H. C. Drake, of this city, as an orderly, and the scenery was complete and well handled.

—The Young People's League of the First Baptist church have instituted a Normal Training Class for Bible study. Meetings are to be held every Friday evening, including to-night, just previous to the regular League session. Charles B. Brown is leader of the Class.

—At the "Little People's Fair" to be held at Mrs. H. T. Smith's, 27 Bay street, Saturday afternoon and evening, for the benefit of Grace church building fund, will be found useful, ornamental and *filling* articles, not only for the "Little People," but also for their uncles, aunts and cousins.

—In the amusement column of this issue will be noticed the announcement of the coming of Marshall Wilder, the appearance of Miss Maude Agnes Bowers, and the presentation of a farce by the well-known Plainfield amateurs already mentioned in these columns. Only a limited number of tickets are for sale. Those desiring seats should leave their names at Reynolds' Pharmacy.

—There were fifty at the Y. M. C. A. camp fire, last evening, although it was such a stormy night. The "Ladies 9" had dressed the room in appropriate taste, and the grave and reverend members sat around in the straw, ate popcorn and peanuts, told stories, gave conundrums, listened to speeches by Wm. D. Murray, James R. Joy and Walter McGee, and sang college songs to the accompaniment of Mr. Dudley and his banjo.

## PARTICULAR MENTION.

The Somerville *Unionist-Gazette* says that Alex McIntosh of South Plainfield, and Miss Ida Terwilliger, were married at the residence of the bride's parents in South Somerville, Wednesday.

Miss Julia E. Bulkley, Principal of the Plainfield High School, and Chas. E. Boss, principal in the Borough, have been elected members of the State Council of Education. Their terms expire in December, 1892.

The marriage of Sophia Dall Compton, of this city, and Dr. J. Howard Reed, of New York, will take place on Thursday evening, November 6, at seven o'clock, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Halsted C. Compton, 300 West Front street.

Miss Anna B. Miller of Westfield, has been chosen to represent the Union County Women's Christian Temperance Union at the National Convention to be held at Atlanta, Ga., November 14. This is the first national delegate the Union county Union has ever had.

Geo. W. Abbott, Jr., of Somerville, responded happily to the toast "Plainfield" at the West End Athletic Association banquet Saturday evening, and D. N. Messler responed to that of "THE PRESS." A pleasant telegram was read from Manager C. C. Burnet of the Plainfield Crescent League.

A New York paper of today says that "One of the largest weddings ever held in Union county took place at the Littell homestead, near Fanwood, Wednesday, when Miss Mattie T. Littell was married to William H. Clark, of Plainfield. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. Cadwell, of the Presbyterian Church of Westfield."

Miss M. C. Burdette, of Chicago, Secretary of the "Women's Baptist Home Mission Society" of the United States, will address the "Young Ladies' Missionary Society" of the First Baptist church, Saturday afternoon at three o'clock in the lecture room of the church. She will be accompanied by a young lady graduate from the Training School, and the exercises will be very interesting. A cordial welcome will be given to all.

Quite a number of the friends of E. F. Arnold, of the census office department in this city, celebrated his birthday last evening by giving a dance at the home of Mrs. George Henry, East Third street. The fact that Mr. Arnold was entirely ignorant that his friends had such a pleasant surprise in store for him, lent added pleasure to the occasion. A table spread in the dining-room showed quite a number of very handsome presents. Among the many guests were: the Misses Kate Gilliam, Culley, Spriggs and Peterson, and Messrs Wm. Barrett, Moore, Peterson, Wm. Mastern of Philadelphia and many others. Music was furnished by Reilly's orchestra.

## A FIRE-BUG'S REVENGE.

**Ejected from Campbell's Club House. He Burns the Stables, Roasts the Live Stock, and Imperils the House and Its Inmates.**

The extensive stables of Ellis Campbell's Club House, a well-known resort on Park avenue, just across the line of Middlesex and Union counties, were burned to the ground last night, and the man who is suspected of setting them afire has disappeared.

A notorious character of unsavory reputation had been spending the afternoon in the bar room of the place, in spite of repeated requests to depart. Finally, at about half-past seven o'clock, his presence became so decidedly objectionable that he was forcibly ejected by Harry Campbell, a son of the proprietor. After a moment, however, he returned, took three matches off the bar, and shambled away in the direction of the stables. Five minutes later Mrs. Campbell glanced through a rear window and saw ablaze creeping up the side of a pile of straw under one of the sheds. She alarmed the household at once, but the flames spread rapidly along the line of outbuildings, and attention was turned entirely to saving the live stock. The stables were filled with valuable trotting horses and blooded cattle. All of these were saved; but fifty head of poultry, a mammoth hog and two hunting dogs had to be left to their fate, and were burned to death. All of the outbuildings were consumed except a corn crib, including 100 lineal feet of open stalls, 120 feet of box stalls, and the main building used as barn and stables. Ten tons of hay, two tons of straw, 500 sheaves of corn stalks, four sets of harness and various miscellaneous articles also were burned. The wind blew the fierce flames directly against the house, which was saved from destruction only because of the drenching rain that fell. The fire made a bright illumination, and the light was seen by many people in Plainfield and in the surrounding country. Mr. Campbell himself was riding along Park avenue towards home, saw the reflection in the sky, and judged at once that his place was burning. He estimates his loss at $3,000, on which there is an insurance of only $300. He used to carry a large insurance, but his thirty-five years' residence at the Club House has given him an immunity from fire, and in fancied security he allowed his premiums to lapse. As soon as he can lay hands on the suspected fire-bug he will have him tried for arson.

**A Scheme for the Good of You All.**

J. F. Loeser, one of Netherwood's most enterprising and philanthropic citizens, is just now, heart, hand and pocket, deep into another project for the advancement of Plainfield's beautiful suburb in particular, and the contingent interests of the city and the profit of its merchants in general. He is contemplating the publication of a handsomely illustrated album of photo-engravings of the prettiest and most elegant homes at Netherwood, with descriptive matter concerning that suburb and city, their present attractions and advantages and what the future has in store. Ten thousand copies are to be issued, and not only circulated thoroughly among the people here, but one will be sent to each family mentioned in the *elite* directories of New York and Brooklyn, and copies will be on distribution in all of the New York hotels where richly framed photographs of scenes and homes about Plainfield, will be hung. THE PRESS earnestly recommends Mr. Loeser and his scheme to all to whom he may present it.

**A Rare Entertainment.**

The programme to be presented by Leland Powers, the prince of impersonators, at the Crescent Avenue chapel, to-morrow evening, is a dramatization of that favorite story, "David Copperfield." Mr. Powers impersonates during the evening the following of Dickens' rare characters:

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| Fisherman Peggotty, | Lawyer Wickfield, |
| Ham, his nephew, | Agnes Wickfield, |
| David Copperfield, | Little Em'ly, |
| Steerforth, | Betsy Trotwood, |
| Uriah Heep, | Mrs. Micawber, |
| Mr. Micawber, | Martha Endell. |

The acts average in length about fifteen minutes, and are arranged as follows:

Act I—*a.* The old ark on the sands.
*b.* At Mr. and Mrs. Micawber's.
Act II—*a.* Law office of Wickfield & Heep.
*b.* Little Em'ly's flight.
Act III—*a.* A Winter's night in Canterbury.
*b.* Mr. Micawber aroused.
Act IV—*a.* Mr. Micawber assists at an explosion.
*b.* Em'ly's return—The shipwreck.

**This Evening's Entertainment.**

The entertainment at Y. M. C. A. Hall, this evening, under the auspices of the Whatsoever Circle of "King's Daughters" of this city, is unusually attractive because of the number of local people who will take part in the programme. Miss Force, a pupil of A. Venino, and Miss Vanhart, will be the piano soloists; Messrs Robert Gorton and Bethuel Barnes, the vocal soloists; and the Crescent Quartette, consisting of Messrs Stevens, VanArsdale, Barnes and Gorton, assisted by Messrs Randall, Teal, Smith and Freeman will also sing. This music will intersperse readings by Henry Firth Wood and Mrs. Henry Firth Wood, who are unexcelled in their particular lines.

**The Most Attractive Course Ever Offered.**

The date of Explorer Stanley's appearance in this city will probably be fixed for January. The tickets will not be over four dollars, and will include seats for a talk by Bill Nye, a lecture by the Rev. T. De Witt Talmage and a concert by Ollie Torbett, the princess of the violin, and her clever company. Such an array was never before brought to the doors of Plainfield's people.

## BISHOP VINCENT GROWS ANGRY.

**He Bitterly Attacks President Harrison and Catholicism, and Proclaims Himself a Christian—Young George Elected President, and Miss Kimball, Secretary.**

Bishop John H. Vincent created a sensation by his address before the Chautauqua State Convention in Plymouth church, Brooklyn, last night. The Bishop was the principal speaker of the evening, and his subject was "Chautauqua and the Church."

In the course of his address the Bishop attacked the Catholic church, and also President Harrison. He spoke of the political prominence attained by Roman Catholics, and referred in severe terms to the fact that President Harrison recently sat beside Cardinal Gibbons at a dinner in Washington.

The speaker then turned his attention to the organization of the Catholic church as admirable, and as something from which others could learn. He accused it of political maneuvering.

Reverting to the Washington incident, Bishop Vincent said that as Cardinal Gibbons had reserved the seat of honor for the Canadian Cardinal, President Harrison should have left the table at once, and he (the speaker) could never forgive him for not having done so.

Other addresses were made by the Rev. Dr Pardington, the Rev. O. J. Cowley and Miss Charlotte E. Coffin. None of these alluded to the matters of which Bishop Vincent had spoken. His remarks created much comment, and after the adjournment were discussed by the large audience present. There were many in the church who are warm political supporters of President Harrison, and they were unsparing in their denunciation of Bishop Vincent.

The Bishop's declaration that he was not a Protestant, but a Christian, also provoked much talk.

The Convention formed a permanent organization, and elected the following officers: President—George E. Vincent; Vice Presidents—the Rev. Rayner Pardington and the Rev. B. B. Tyler; Secretary, Miss Kate F. Kimball.

## BI. BOYS GIVE A BANQUET.

**A Memorable Farewell Tendered to the Club's Departing Secretary.**

Thirty-six congenial spirits, the flower of the Bicycle Club, gathered around the festive board last night. The occasion was a farewell dinner to Geo. C. Martin, Jr., late Secretery of the Club. His severance from the Club is caused by his departure for Kansas City, whither he goes today to grow up with the country. "And so much the better," was the comment last night, "for that country, and so much the worse for this! Plainfield loses a young man of promise and of sterling and modest worth. No other member of the Club would be parted from with so much regret."

The table was spread in the gymnasium, the dinner was served by Stephenson, and speeches were made by those on whom the mantelpiece of Daniel Webster has fallen (as Mrs. Partington hath it), and by some on whom it has not: mostly not.

A feature of the occasion was the presentation to "Georgie" of a miniature club pin of gold and silver, artificed by Radford, of New York, in his best style. Songs, music, stag dancing, boxing, tugs-of-war, and general hilarity held the boards until a late hour. Townsend Rushmore presided in his usual felicitous manner.

The members present were: Dr. D. C. Adams, Dr. J. H. Cooley, J. E. Murray, T. S. Burr, J. H. Hallock, A. L. C. Marsh, A. A. Tilney, Geo. S. Beebe, J. W. Sandford, Jr., F. W. Walz, H. W. Beebe, E. L. Walz, Jr., A. F. H. Streuli, M. W. Daboll, Roger F. Murray, Geo. F. White, George Mahon, H. F. Johnson, L. H. Van Buren, S. H. Patterson, J. E. Erickson, J. P. Munn, Evarts Tracy, W. B. Gilbert, D. H. Lenox, O. G. Waring, C. L. Murphy, E. S. Rogers, R. A. Erickson, J. L. Ollif, B. Cox, Jr, W. Lee Simmons, F. C. Kirchhoff and E. M. French.

**Music and Mirth Reign at Warren Chapel.**

The sociable held at Warren Mission chapel last night, under the auspices of the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor, was attended by more than one hundred and fifty people. The following interesting programme was rendered:

Words of welcome.....By the President
Singing.....Congregation
Scripture Reading
Singing.....Choir
Prayer
Singing.....Choir and Congregation
Banjo Solo.....W. C. Force
Recitation.....P. Zimmer
Song—"Papa's Coming Bye and Bye".....Ida Dunham and choir
Banjo Solo.....W. C. Force
Song—"Will Mother Know Me in the Sky?" Lena Squier and choir
Recitation.....P. Zimmer
Song—"Down on the Farm".....Chas. Hawley and male chorus
Recitation.....John Carney
Refreshments.

**DeWitt—Martin.**

Miss Jennie Martin, daughter of the Hon. Lebbeus Martin, deceased, of Deckertown, was married at six o'clock last evening at the home of her aunt, Mrs. C. S. Martin, 29 Craig place, to Benson De Witt. The Rev. Chas. B. Mitchell, of the M. E. church, officiated. The bride was most becomingly attired, and the groom was showered with congratulations upon his good fortune. Only the relatives and immediate friends of the families, were present. The groom had previously lived at Yonkers, but the new couple will make their future residence in Port Jervis where Mr. DeWitt is engaged in business.

**The American Institute Fair.**

Not to visit the American Institute Fair at the exhibition hall on Third avenue, between 63d and 64th streets, is to leave undone a duty which every thinking person owes to himself, and should mention as a like duty to his neighbor. For many years the American Institute has stood prominently before the public, and a recommendation of its exhibitions is unnecessary. There are no better incentives to the manufacture and the inventor, than the appreciation of the efforts in advancement and the rewards given under competent judges at the American Institute. The public go to the Fair to see new things, and the exhibitors bear full testimony that the attendance of city people and those who visit the city, is gratifying and satisfactory in result. There are so many exhibits in the Fair that every department is completely filled, and the visitor can find no fault with the arrangement of the exhibits. The classification made by the managers avoids confusion, and the general control is complete. The admission, which is twenty-five cents to everything, leaves no excuse for anyone not to visit the Fair.

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## ENORMOUS STORES OF COAL.

**The Central and the Lehigh Valley Railroads are Laying up Thousands of Tons, and Handling it by Machinery for Almost Nothing.**

The great coal roads of the State are taking steps which, when completed, will practically revolutionize the systems of handling and storing coal. The lead has been taken by the Jersey Central Railroad which has just completed a storage yard with the new machinery at Hampton Junction, N. J., with a capacity of 180,000 tons of coal. The yard is at the summit of a grade, and a trip from it to Port Liberty and back makes just a day's run for a train crew. This matter of having the yards located conveniently for the work of the train men is very important in railroad economy.

A PRESS representative was one of a party that Superintendent Olhausen took down on his private engine "Star," the othe day. The inspection of the plant was an unusually interesting experience. The machinery for piling the coal as dumped, and reloading the cars, is simple yet perfect in its workings. The location at Hampton is the point where the trains of 150 cars that are pushed down from the mines, were previously broken. Thirty or forty cars were taken off and held to make up another train with other extra cars. Now they are dumped, and the thousands of tons of coal that are produced in excess of the demand during the Summer months, are stored until the market is ready. It cost less than six cents a ton to handle the coal in this yard.

Work was begun a few weeks ago upon a coal storage station for the Lehigh Valley road at South Plainfield, that will be the greatest plant of its kind in the world. It is to have a capacity of 1,500,000 tons, or five times as much as any other storage station in the world, stacked up in sixty huge mounds of 25,000 tons each, and several years will be required for the construction of the entire yard. There will be no less than 125 miles of railroad track in this great storage yard, which will cover hundreds of acres.

It is a curious fact that until within the past three years there had been almost no improvement for fifty years over the old way of handling coal. The Reading and other railroads which have storage yards at tidewater dumped the coal on the ground when they had more than they could immediately dispose of, and the men gathered it up with shovels and wheelbarrows when the companies found a purchaser for it. The introduction of labor-saving machinery to perform the work has worked a great change. By the system chiefly used the coal is not only stored up in mounds, but it can be reloaded again in cars and boats.

By using machinery instead of shovels and wheelbarrows for storing and reloading coal the railroad companies find that work which formerly cost them thirty cents or more a ton can now be done for five or six cents. The Lehigh Valley Railroad has a guarantee that the entire cost of handling its coal at South Plainfield and of maintenance of plant shall not exceed five cents a ton. Five men will do the work which required 125 men under the old system. Three tons of coal will be handled in a minute.

Until very recently all the big storage yards were at tidewater, and when these were filled up and there was no room for any more coal, in a dull season the commission men had the railroads just where they wanted them. It is no longer necessary to have the storage yards at tidewater, as the ease and cheapness with which the coal can be handled by machinery makes an inland storage plant quite as advantageous as one at tide.

The big station of the Lehigh Valley at South Plainfield is fifteen miles from the coast. That particular site was chosen because it is the point at which the company's new line to Jersey City leaves the main line to Perth Amboy, and because the distance to tide is such that two round trips from the yard to Perth Amboy will constitute a full day's work for a train crew.

### Not an Office Hunter.

*(From the Somerville Messenger.)*

When Wm. J. Keys came to Somerville to attend the Democratic Convention he had no idea that he would be the nominee of that Convention for Senator. Weeks before, when the subject was mentioned to him, he flatly refused to consider it for a moment. It required the earnest and united persuasion of the party leaders to induce Mr. Keys to consent to have his name presented to the Convention, and then even he did not appear to think the nomination would fall to him. It was truly a case where the office sought the man.

—The Plainfield Fire Department will be invited to participate in a firemen's parade at Westfield Nov. 6.

### "Just Hear That Child Scream!"

Said Mrs. Smith to her sister, Mrs. Davis, as the sound of a child's shrieks came across the garden from a neighbor's house. "What kind of a woman have you for a neighbor? Does she abuse her children?" "No, indeed," replied Mrs. Davis. "She is one of the most tender mothers in existence. But you see, she believes in the old-fashioned style of doctoring. When a child needs physic, she fills a spoon with some nauseous dose, lays the little victim flat on her lap, holds his nose till he is forced to open his mouth for breath, when down goes the dreadful mess. Then come the yells." "No wonder," said Mrs. Smith. "Why don't she use Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Purgative Pellets? They are effective without being harsh, and are as easy to take as sugar plums. I always give them to my children." "And so do I," said Mrs. Davis.

## LIQUOR SALOONS MAY MOVE ABOUT

**A North Plainfield Clergyman Brings to Light a Law Which Even a Jersey Judge Didn't Know About.**

The Synod of New Jersey has, among its other Committees, a Permanent Committee on Temperance, of which the Rev. W. E. Honeyman of North Plainfield is Chairman. The annual report of this Committee was made to the Synod at its recent meeting in Atlantic City, and caused considerable discussion. After stating that the consumption of beer in this State had increased in ten years from 600,000 barrels to 1,498,000 barrels, and that 4,600,000 more gallons had been consumed during the past year than the year before, the Chairman stated, and deplored the fact, that the last legislature had enacted a law allowing the transfer of licenses, so that it was now possible, under certain conditions, for a saloon that was originally situated in some comparatively unobjectionable spot to place itself beside a church or schoolhouse. Judge Shipman of Belvidere objected to this statement and declared that the law had been misconstrued by the Committeeman in every particular. The matter was laid over until evening so that the law could be obtained, and on its coming up again Judge Shipman made a speech in favor of striking out of Mr. Honeyman's report the passage referring to the law. To this Mr. Honeyman replied that able attorneys had interpeted it precisely as the Committee had done, that the Courts had allowed transfers under the law, and that the law itself distinctly said "transfer," and made provisions for such transfers. The Rev. Mr. Loncks of Camden, the Rev. Dr. Swain of Allentown, the Rev. Dr. Mason of Metuchen, and the Rev. Dr. Nott of Washington, supported Mr. Honeyman, citing several instances in which transfer had occurred. When the vote was taken the entire Synod, save two men, sustained Mr. Honeyman, after which the Temperance report was unanimously adopted.

### How Two Countrymen Attracted Attention in This City.

*(From the Westfield Leader.)*

Judge Ulrich is not going to give up his $3,000-a-year law practice in this city, just because he is going to build himself a handsome home in Westfield. He will be here in his office all day, but he wants a dead, quiet place where there is nothing going on, to sleep in, and Westfield fills the bill.—*Plainfield Daily Press.*

Isn't the above rather hard on Judge Ulrich, brethren of the *Press?* It seems to represent him as selfishly wanting to bury his family so that he may have a nice quiet place to sleep in. We didn't know that there was a cemetery to close to Plainfield anyway. We thought that things were made to move so lively up there that the whole country round was kept jogging without any thought of death.

Two Westfielders, however, report differently since the above choice extract appeared in print. Having occasion to visit Plainfield one evening recently for the purpose of transacting a little business in one of the stores, they soon became unpleasantly aware of the fact that they were attracting more observation than is usually accorded them "in the busy haunts of men." Through the door and windows of the store grapped the few stragglers that were wandering aimlessly about the streets, till the strangers hastily inquired if there were anything in their appearance that could account for this unusual attention. Receiving an answer in the negative, they sought some explanation of the occurence. They were then told that they were the first strangers that had been seen in Plainfield for two weeks, and the poor Plainfielders were so glad to see a new face that they forgot their good manners, and crowded around to establish if they could some sort of communication with their fellows, and learn something of the great outside world from which they were so effectually shut off.

It is needless to say that the Westfielders got out of this "Eden" of the Martin Chuzzlewit kind as quickly as possible and hastened back to a place where people are at least living, and not merely walking around with that Is-life-worth-living expression which betokens an early dissolution.

If the experience of these men be correct, we congratulate Judge Ulrich on his good sense and forethought in coming to Westfield. His experience on the bench has evidently been of service to him, and his judgement is as sound as his law.

### A Colored School in Need of Funds.

The Colored Industrial Association of New Jersey are appealing for funds to enable them to complete the construction of a new industrial school at South Somerville. The Lehigh Valley Railroad has already given ten acres of land for the new building, and of the $5,000 necessary $3,500 has already been subscribed. The association was formed four years ago in Burlington county, and for a short time carried on a school at Bordentown. The association claims for its object the practical education of the colored race, the instruction of women and girls in domestic economy, and the training of both sexes in such industries as shall enable them to become self-supporting. Contributions in aid of the new school will be received by Jas. Holmes, treasurer of the association, at Boonton; the Rev. W. A. Rice, Bordentown, or E. O. Chapman, State Superintendent of Education, Trenton.

—Time-saving "scoop tanks" for the supplying of locomotives with water "on the fly" are in operation at Greenbrook, between Dunellen and Bound Brook, on the Central road.

## CHUCKLEBERRY PIE.

A DOUBLE SORROW—"Were you put out when Miss Brown refused you?" "Oh, yes; the old man attended to that."

MRS. MCCRACKLE—"Did you try that deaf and mute servant I sent you?" Mrs. McCorkle—"Yes, but she didn't answer."

"HAD a splendid time. I ran across a lake up in—" "Ran across a lake? Come, come, Binks, don't lie so transparently."

HE—"What does the poet mean by an 'aching void?' I can't understand what it can possibly be." She—"Why, I should think you ought to know. Have you never had a headache?"

"I'D like to have that porter in my power for a little while," said a passenger in a Pullman car; "I'd show him no quarter." "You would be very right. If you did he'd probably take it."

TOMBSTONE MAKER—"Look here, you have done a very poor job of spelling in this sentiment you want engraved on your uncle's tombstone." "I know. I did it on purpose. My uncle was a very illiterate man."

BOARDER—"Did you ever play chess, Mrs. Irons?" Landlady—"I never did." "You would make a very strong player." (Highly pleased) "Why do you think so, Mr. Tuttle?" (Inspecting the hash and the chow-chow) "Your combinations, Mrs. Irons, are simply bewildering."

"MY dear friend, I must ask you to lend me ten dollars; I have left my purse home and haven't a cent in my pocket!" "I can't lend you ten dollars just now but can put you in the way of getting the money at once!" "You are extremely kind." "Here's five cents; drive home on the car and fetch your purse."

At the ball, young Campagny has just conducted his partner back to her place, but instead of retiring after the usual compliments, he plants himself in front of her with an air of considerable embarrassment. "Is there any thing you desire, Monsieur?" asks the lady, noticing his unpleasantness. "No, Mademoiselle—that is—I mean—my crush hat, which has the honor of finding itself upon the same chair as yourself."

A STUDENT of ancient history, seeing the statement that a famous character in history had died 1030 A. M.—*anno mundi*, or the year of the world, remarked to his professor, with some surprise: "How exceedingly careful those ancients were about noting little circumstances!" "What do you mean?" the professor asked. "Why, they even tell the time of day that a great man dies! We don't do that now." "I think you are mistaken," replied the teacher. "No, I am not. Here it is—'His death occurred at ten thirty a. m.'"

A VETERINARY surgeon told his assistant to give a powder to a sick horse. "You take the powder," he explained, "put it in a tin tube, open the horse's mouth, and blow the powder down his throat." Not long after, the assistant came back, looking as sick as people ever get to be. "Did you give the horse the powder?" "I tried to. I put the powder in the tin tube, forced open the horse's mouth, put the tube between his teeth, and—" "Did you blow the powder down his throat?" "No; I was going to, but the horse blew first."

## TALKS ABOUT AUTHORS.

JOHN BOYLE O'REILLY, reporter, poet, editor, left an estate valued at something over one hundred and fifty thousand dollars.

MRS. AMELIE RIVES-CHANLER is now studying art in Paris, and writing very little. Her father, mother and little sister are with her.

THE best literary critic in New York is said to be Miss Lillie Hamilton French, who at one time wrote the book notices for the Commercial Advertiser.

DR. OLIVER WENDELL HOLMES' remarkable vitality is ascribed to his regular habits. The rooms he occupies are equipped with barometers, thermometers, and various other ometers to prevent his incurring the slightest risk of taking cold.

FRANK STOCKTON, the novelist, lives in a roomy house at Madison, N. J. He is a methodical man in his literary work, devoting the early part of each day to his writing. At times he suffers from weak eyes, and on such occasions he dictates his stories to his wife.

THE great French religious writer, Ernest Renan, is spending the decline of his life in his native village, in Brittany, where he occupies a small one-story villa overlooking the Bay of Biscay. Renan passes a great deal of his time in an arm-chair under the trees.

ALEXANDER DUMAS has been having some fun at the expense of Paris managers. He wrote a strong play and submitted it to various managers, each in turn rejecting the manuscript and pointing out various weak places in the work because they were not informed who the author was.

THEY tell this little story of Mrs. Harriet Beecher Stowe, though with needless apology based upon her age and mental infirmity. Walking in a friend's garden one day, she asked the gardener: "Have you ever read 'Uncle Tom's Cabin?'" The perplexed fellow slowly unbent himself. He was unwilling to wound the sensibilities of Mrs. Stowe, and he wished to say the most for himself. And so he felt himself getting very red as he stammered: "Well, not exactly, ma'am. Not as you might say 'read it,' but I've tried to, ma'am."

A NEW YORKER who has recently spent some time in the literary circles of London says that there must be at least one hundred biographies of Mr. Gladstone already in manuscript, awaiting the event of his death, at which time they will be ready for publication in book form. Besides these manuscripts there are to be found in the pigeonholes of all the newspaper offices sketches of the aged statesman's life, in readiness for the dispatches announcing the end of his career that may be received at any time. It is said that Mr. Gladstone has seen some of these biographies and sketches, and he himself has prepared memoranda for the use of some of his biographers.

## PRECIOUS JEWELS.

THE Danish King's crown is worth $135,000, the Queen's crown $17,500 and sword of state $15,000.

LUIZ DE DESENDO, a Rio Janeiro jeweler, has bought from Dom Pedro for $60,000 the jewels of the deceased Empress.

AMONG the valuable jewels of which Mme. Wyse Bonaparte de Rute was recently robbed was a pearl valued at $12,500, which had been presented to Prince Lucien Bonaparte by the Queen of Spain, at whose court he was Ambassador.

THE English crown is made up of diamonds, rubies, sapphires, pearls and emeralds, set in silver and gold bands; it weighs 39 ounces and 5 pennyweights, troy: in it there are 3,453 diamonds, 273 pearls, 9 rubies, 17 sapphires and 11 emeralds.

THE world's stock of diamonds has increased enormously in the last fifteen years. In 1876 the output of the African mines was about 1,500,000 carats, last year it was over 4,000,000, and the great "trust" which controls all the principal mines assert that they have 16,000,000 carats "in sight" at the present time.

IT is said that the Grand Duchess of Saxe-Weimar owns the most perfect collection of jewels in the world. The finest emeralds belong to the House of Austria. The finest and largest turquoises and pearls are among the crown jewels of Russia, and the finest sapphires known are among the crown jewels of England. Among the crown jewels of Bavaria is a parure of pink diamonds that would command a fabulous sum.

LADY MANDEVILLE (now Duchess of Manchester) has cause to be greatly disappointed by the terms of her father-in-law's will. For instead of leaving the magnificent family jewels to the new Duchess or even to his widow, he has left directions for them to be sold to supply the deficiency of his personal estate. The famous necklace of 365 pearls of large size, as well as a diamond tiara of Golconda stones, has thus passed into other hands, realizing some thousands of pounds. The necklace is considered the finest collection of pearls in one ornament in England.

## ITEMS FOR ENTOMOLOGISTS.

THE smallest known insect, the Pteratomus Putnamii, a parasite of the ichneumon, is but one-ninetieth of an inch in length.

ONE beautiful butterfly in the collection of the Brooklyn Institute is valued at $1,000, that sum having recently been paid for a duplicate.

THE largest insect known to the entomologist, the Erebus strix of Linnæus, a noctuid moth of Central America, expands its wings from eleven to eighteen inches.

A HOUSE-FLY is born fully grown and of mature size, and there are no little flies of the same species, the small ones occasionally observed being different in kind from the large ones.

THE eyes of insects are immovable, and many of them seem cut into a multitude of facets, like the facets of a diamond. Each of these facets is supposed to possess the powers of a true eye. Lenenboeck counted 3,181 of them in the cornea of a beetle, and over 8,000 in that of a common horsefly.

THE body of every spider contains four little masses, pierced with a multitude of holes (imperceptible to the naked eye) each hole permitting the passage of a single thread; all the threads, to the amount of one thousand to each mass, join together when they come out, and make the single thread with which the spider spins its web, so that what we call a spider's thread consists of more than four thousand threads united.

WHEN a spider is preparing to moult it stops eating for several days, and fastens itself by a short line of web to one of the main lines of its snare. The skin cracks all around the throax, and is held only by the front edges. Next the abdomen is uncovered. Now comes the struggle to free the legs; it works and kicks vigorously, and seems to have very hard work. But continued perseverance of about fifteen minutes brings it out of the old dress, and it seems almost lifeless, and is limp and helpless for several minutes, but gradually comes back to life and looks brighter and prettier than before.

## REGARDING JOHNNY CRAPAUD.

THE French authorities are very rigorously suppressing gambling.

THE fastest ship in the French navy now has a speed of 19.68 knots per hour without engine strain.

THE people of France are very thrifty, consequently their prosperity exceeds that of the residents of any other European country. Twenty years have hardly passed since France was devastated by one of the most severe and costly struggles that any country ever endured. It has long since recovered itself, and is far more prosperous than before. There is hardly any real poverty in the country, and workhouses are unknown.

THE stockholders of the Eiffel tower enterprise are feeling blue just now in consequence of the steady diminution of their receipts. In the season now closing 665,000 francs were taken in. The cost of keeping the tower open was 350,000 francs, and 300,000 francs more were spent for repairs. Next season the small profits of this year will be wiped out, it is expected, and a considerable deficit will appear in place of it. In view of this probability 168,000 francs were reserved for future use from the profits of the exhibition year.

THE cost of French revolutions to the French Government of to-day is recorded in this little list of pensioned persons and families: Senators of the empire, 48,000 francs; in consequence of the Vienna peace, 434,211; men of the times of Louis XVIII. and Charles X., 15,000; families of Louis Philippe's time, 41,225; wounded in June, 1848, 136,975; persons of the second empire, 133,000; wounded in February, 1848, 198,000; victims of December 2, 6,553,206. Each government has respected the pension obligation of its predecessor as to this growing list and has paid every item with scrupulous regularity.


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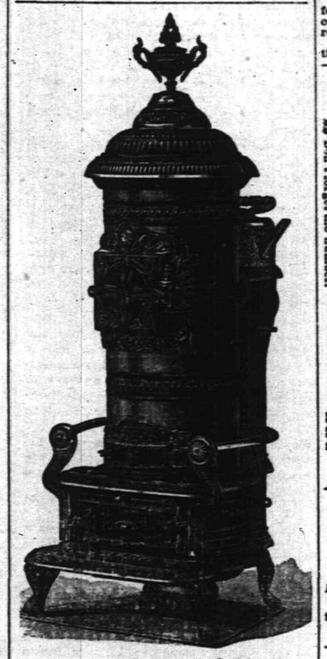

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When she's older, she may know
Why she's praised and petted so,
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Why she never sees a frown.

When she's older, she may know
Where the stars in daytime go,
Why the rainbow never stays
Where the sun goes, rainy days.

When she's older, she may know
Why wee babies always grow
To men and women, not so good
Nor pretty as in babyhood.

Why she's sometimes sad, not gay,
Why she can not have her way,
Why the world is made just so,
When she's older, she *may* know.
—Toronto Mail.

### The Last Sweetheart.

Gran'pa's locks are white as snow,
Those he still possesses,
Ghost of curls of long ago,
Wraiths of boyhood's tresses.
Wrinkles o'er his features thin
Zigzag without pity,
Like the streets and alleys in
Famous Boston city.

Time has bent his form with years,
And his legs are thinner
And less comely than the shears
Used by any tinner.
Lusty was he once and gay,
Full of manhood's graces,
But of that long vanished day
There are now few traces.

Yet he in his youthful pride
Pleased the fair sex greatly;
Many lassies for him sighed,
Many ladies stately.
Hearts once throbbed and ached for him,
Tears wet silken lashes,
But those eyes in death are dim
And those hearts are ashes.

Gran'pa has one sweetheart yet,
Daintiest of creatures,
Whose two eyes of deepest jet
Still approve his features.
Nellie is her name, you see,
And if I remember
What her age is, she was three
Some time last December!

Oft her hand, so chubby fair,
O'er his face she passes
Tenderly, and with great care
Not to touch his glasses.
Oft his form I've seen her scan
And I've caught her saying:
"Gran'pa's such a handsome man"—
Thus her love betraying.
—George Horton, in Chicago Herald.

### The Fair Tennis Player.

She wore a blue barred blazer jacket
That matched the cute cap on her head;
She handled a fourteen ounce racket;
Her cheeks were two June roses red.

Her play, which was all scientific,
Set off to advantage her charms;
Her volleys, at times most terrific,
Showed power in her brown, dimpled arms

Her wee feet in tan tennis-slippers
Like mice scampered over the court;
She flew on those fairy-like trippers
And merrily laughed at the sport.

Unconscious of how she delighted
Those watching the game—and her face—
She played in a way that excited
Remarks on her vigor and grace.

In spite of Old Sol who was pouring
His rays on her bonnie gold hair,
She shouted the "love" she was scoring
While leaping for balls in the air.

E'en when the young men, never lazy
At tennis, were ready to drop;
She, feeling as fresh as a daisy,
Scorned all their suggestions to stop.

O, she was the girl who could hustle
At tennis from morning till night,
Developing beauty and muscle,
And, alas, a grand appetite.

But when she was asked by her mother
To just for a moment assist,
Her strength, for some reason or other,
Gave out from her toe to her wrist.
—H. C. Dodge, in Detroit Free Press.

### Half a Pair.

How sweet the charm that lingers
About a maiden's glove!
This one has held the fingers
Of Prudence whom I love;
And where the soft kid bulges
It hints a happy thing,
For there the glove divulges
The secret of a ring.

I hold the precious token
And dream of Prudence near;
Her words, so sweetly spoken,
Again I seem to hear.
I dream as any lover
Will dream of coming bliss
Who lets his fancy hover
Around a glove like this.
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P. S.—Since this was written
I've learned a thing or so,
For she has sent a mitten,
Symbolical of "No."
So Prudence and her poet,
The glove and mitten fair,
Are all alike, and go it
Alone, each half a pair.
—Harper's Bazar.

### Surprises.

As if, in dreary, desert way,
A beauteous rose should bloom;
Or gleaming, golden, sunlight ray
Pierce a dark midnight's gloom;
Or noxious things in gruesome depths
Breathe rich and rare perfume!

So find we on life's hardest road,
And in its gloomiest hours,
God's sweet surprises oft bestowed,
Bright sunshine, royal flowers;
Or, fragrant scent through depths of woe,
A sudden joy is ours!

As when, while swelling clouds arise
And brew the storm-burst wild,
Swift scattered, far the tempest flies,
The heaven is blue and mild—
God clears the threat'ning sky above
His waiting, shrinking child!

We brace our souls by faith and prayer
Some duty stern to do;
Lo! one is sent our work to share;
Or love, glad thrilling though
The spirit, old and tiresome rounds
Seem strangely fresh and new.

We look for frown of cold reproof,
And lo! a kindly smile!
We fear lest friends should stand aloof,
Their hands clasped warm the while!
We find choice things where only seemed
The worthless and the vile.

We plan glad, unexpected things,
Our cherished ones to cheer,
So God, His hidden joys out-brings
For sons in service here;
And rare and radiant surprise
Will light the Heavenly sphere!
—Gussie M. Waterman, in Chicago Advance.

### Why Her Manner Changed.

Her face was a sweet one, young and fair,
Yet o'er it rested a weary air,
As of yearning long denied;
A look of one who has sought in vain,
Who, hopeless and saddened, seeks again
Still restless, unsatisfied.

Her hand, so small and white to behold,
Lay half concealed in her dress' soft fold,
Where, like a moonbeam it gleamed;
Then, without warning, her eyes flashed bright,
And her whole form quickened, alert and light,
Like a different girl she seemed.

What was it brought the light to her eyes
And touched her form with such keen surprise
That it almost seemed to shock it?
She had searched for something near and dear;
She had searched in vain for a whole long year,
And now she had found her pocket!
—Bessie Chandler.

## KITES OF TERRYTOWN.

### An Enterprising Club of Kite Flyers and Its Achievements.

*How to Build a Big Kite—Remarkable Things the Kite Can Be Made to Do—A Strange Ride by Water—Photographing from the Clouds.*

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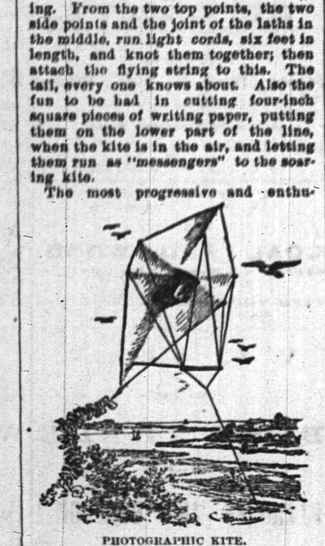
The history of the kite and the amusement to be obtained in flying it dates too far back for any definite opinion to be formed of its origin, or the primitive methods at first employed. We know that 1150 years before the birth of Christ the Chinese fired crackers and flew grotesque kites, and that is all. Every

DR. THAYER'S INVENTION.

man and boy knows what a kite is, and how to fly one; but few are aware of the extraordinary progress made in connection with the kite in recent years, and there may be some of the rising generation to whom the making of a kite is a sealed book, and who are too far away from a town to buy one to suit them. The secret of making one that will fly all lies in the balance. To make a big one, get some well seasoned ash and cut from it two good stout laths an inch broad, one quarter inch thick and three feet long. Cross them like the letter X, and across the joint lay another lath about two feet long and bind them firmly into place. Now run a stout cord from tip to tip all around the frame. All that remains to be done is to cover it with strong, thin paper.

In doing this mind that any seams are neatly joined, and extend right across the kite to keep the balance true. A seam on one side and not on the other will spoil it. Good flour paste is the best material for fastening the paper. The kite is now made and wants stringing. From the two top points, the two side points and the joint of the laths in the middle, run light cords, six feet in length, and knot them together; then attach the flying string to this. The tail, every one knows about. Also the fun to be had in cutting four-inch square pieces of writing paper, putting them on the lower part of the line, when the kite is in the air, and letting them run as "messengers" to the soaring kite.

The most progressive and enthusiastic kite-flyers in America are to be found in Terryville, Conn., and they have introduced a novel idea that will probably be tried elsewhere. The idea was evolved during the fall and winter of last year, and this spring it was successfully carried out. A. Andrews (captain), Arthur and Leon Bunnell, Wallace Cook and John H. Deiter joined themselves into a club called the A. B. C. Club, the name being formed of the initials of the members, and set about making a mammoth kite ten feet high.



PHOTOGRAPHIC KITE.

They finished it, and taking it out, set the neighborhood stirring; members flocked in to join, full of ideas. Middletown followed suit, and the craze has become general, a number of contests being arranged at various dates, the prizes to be awarded to the kites carrying up the most yards of string.

The Terryville boys are making great efforts to come in ahead, and have just finished a kite seventeen feet high, twelve feet wide, covered with fifty-four yards of canvass, and weighing fifty pounds. The tail is one hundred and forty feet long. The frame is bolted together with iron bolts and the canvas is attached to the frame on the hook-and-eye principle, so that it can be taken off and folded up for transportation. The cord is as thick as a clothes-line, it takes six members to "soar" the kite, and it is expected to run out two thousand feet of line when they get accustomed to handling it, and get the ballast right on the tail. At the trial trip it answered every expectation, and then a genius proposed some fun. A stiff breeze was blowing, and a light road-wagon was run out in which five young men seated themselves; the kite-rope was attached, and the conveyance began to move over the roads at a very fair pace.

Another youth followed on the horse's back, and after a run of about six miles, they picked the kite up and drove back. It is now proposed to make a huge kite of material saturated or coated with asbestos, to render it fire-proof, and utilize it for the display of fire-works to be ignited by slow matches or fuse of various lengths.

This is the biggest kite on record. The next largest one was that of Merchant William Harral, of Bridgeport, whose kite was nine feet high and seven wide, and whose long, light tail extended for nearly half a mile. Last summer while he and a party of friends were at his cottage on the Connecticut shore he brought out his kite and flew it until one of the guests proposed to get into a light lady's dory that was dancing on water, and take a sail with the kite. Mr. Harral agreed, got into the boat, passed the slack rope through the painter ring, and then, one by one, the people holding the rope on shore let go their hold, and in a second the boat was under way. Out into the sound they went, a man forward at the rope with a sharp knife to cut, in case of accidents, and so they ran across to Port Jefferson on Long Island; waiting there until the wind changed, and then returning.

M. A. Haiut, of Eulaure, France, has invented a photographic kite, which consists of a small camera attached by means of a triangular support to the backbone of the kite. The camera is provided with an instantaneous shutter, operated by a slow method. This is lighted before the kite is sent up, and when combustion has proceeded a certain distance, it sets fire to a small thread, releasing the spring of the shutter, and an exposure is made. Another novel feature of this invention is the use of an aneroid barometer attached to the kite, so that the operator can tell to what height the kite ascended, and at which the exposure was made. The thread releasing the shutter of the camera also records the registered height, by means of the sun's rays striking the dial through an exposed hole and printing the shadow of two needles on the sensitized paper covering the dial. A piece of paper also flutters to the ground giving notice that an exposure has been made. The uses of this

MR. HARRAL'S KITE TRIP.

method in surveying and general geodesy are simply unlimited. The most original and unique idea, however, hails from Dr. David Thayer, of Boston, Mass., in which he uses the kite as a motor.

The one great fault in this respect has been the amount of power expended in keeping the kite in the air. Every boy knows that in a light wind the simple weight of the cord will reduce the "pull" of the kite to a minimum. This fact has made kite propulsion only satisfactory in a stiff breeze. Dr. Thayer has remedied this defect by means of a raft made to float on the sea, having three main guys of rope attached to one end. These are sustained in the air by means of small balloons filled with gas. Below these are a number of sails, made fairly rigid by bamboo attachments (like the sail of a Chinese junk). These are about three times as long as they are broad, and fitted at each end with a species of wing, a proper manipulation of which directs the course of the machine. The main guy ropes are about forty feet long, and midway between the raft and the sails and balloons, is located the passenger car.

The balloons are powerful enough to hold up the sails, car and passengers, and the wind, catching the sails, forces along the raft which floats on the water. When it is wished to direct the course to the right, the wings on that side are drawn round at right angles to the rest of the sails, and vice versa.

This idea is also intended to be used on land, substituting a wagon for the

THE TERRYVILLE BOYS' SPORT.

raft, and the invention provides for the wagon being carried on the raft when not in use. It will thus be seen that the long-neglected kite has, during the past year, risen to such a plane that its future development will be watched with interest.

WILF. P. POWN.

## POPULAR SCIENCE.

### SCIENCE CLIPPINGS.

THE total production of pig iron in the United States in the first six months of 1889 amounted to 4,106,899 net tons of 2,000 pounds. In the last half of 1889 the production was 5,886,004 net tons, showing an increase in this year of 231,895 tons.

HENRY B. PIERCE, Secretary of State for Massachusetts, declares that the Southern iron fields must become the world's seat of that industry, and that the next twenty-five years will witness a development there surpassing alike belief and history.

DOMESTIC electric lighting is being extensively introduced in Philadelphia. One of the many private plants successfully runs a shop and a laundry, as well as a sewing-machine, ventilating fans and a simplex arc light, which is hung over the lawn during the summer to attract the bugs.

THE lion tamer has pressed electricity into his service. A light wand has been invented with an insulating grip for the hand, connecting by a flexible wire with a battery, the power of which can be varied at will. By the use of this magic wand the fiercest lion can be reduced to submission.

JOHN A. ENOS is urging Congress to appropriate sixty thousand dollars to install his patent electric voting machine in the House of Representatives. He asserts that during this session there have been over three hundred roll calls, each consuming thirty minutes' time, or an aggregate of thirty working days, and he asserts that by the use of his machine twenty-five days would have been saved.

EVEN the stenographers are apprehensive that mechanism may yet throw them out of work. The Metropolitan Stenographers' Association of New York recently held debate upon this question: "Will Mechanical Invention Supersede the Stenographer?" They spoke of many of the dangers by which they are threatened, including the phonograph, the graphophone and the typewriter.

THE number of electric light companies now operating on this side of the Atlantic is 1,543; the number of private or isolated plants for arc and incandescent lighting is 4,300. The number of electric motors in operation in this country is 15,000, many of them for fifteen to fifty horse power. There are nearly 200 electric railways operating in over 125 towns and cities and these have in operation 1,884 cars on 1,260 miles of track.

#### Sample Item from the Newspapers of Fifty Years Hence.

Considerable anxiety prevails over the non-arrival of the steamship "Electric Impulse" which left Liverpool for this port forty-seven hours ago. She is now nineteen minutes over due. Her owners say, however, she is a slow boat; and it may be possible that she was detained at Cable Station No. 10, in mid-ocean, where the African mails for America are transferred from the boats en route to Greenland. She was last reported from Ocean Station No. 6. Her electric motors, of which she has twenty, are of ten-thousand-horse power each and are of old pattern. This boat, as slow as she is, is a wonder compared with the slow craft that plowed the ocean fifty years ago, when steam was the motive power. The only part electricity played on steamers in those days was to light the boat, and the lamps gave a very feeble light as compared with the present system.—Electric Age.

#### History of Electric Lighting.

Electric lighting, says M. Fontaine, did not make its appearance until near the close of the year 1873. It was in Paris, in November, 1873, in the workshop of M. Gramme, that the first installation on a really industrial scale of electric lighting took place, by means of a continuous current dynamo and Serrin regulators. It was also in Paris, in 1877, that the Jablochkoff candle was first employed; sixteen lights, distributed over a distance of about 1,100 yards, being supplied by a single alternate current Gramme machine. Paris, therefore, had the honor of possessing the first public and private lighting produced by means of electric currents. M. Fontaine thinks that in 1891 or 1892 the electric lighting in Paris will require for its production motive force equal, in round numbers, to thirty-two thousand horse-power.

#### Cement for Iron Railings.

For the cementing of iron railing tops, iron grating to stoves, etc., the following mixture is recommended; in fact, with such effect has it been used as to resist the blows of a sledge hammer. The mixture is composed of equal parts of sulphur and white lead, with about one-sixth proportion of borax, the three being thoroughly incorporated together, so as to form one homogeneous mass. When the application is to be made of this composition it is wet with strong sulphuric acid, and a thin layer of it is placed between two pieces of iron, these being at once pressed together. In five days it will be perfectly dry, all traces of the cement having vanished, and the work having every appearance of welding.

ANY mechanic who feels like despairing because the world has not gone well with him should try, first of all, to figure out to what extent the world is to blame for his failure, and to what extent he himself is to blame. If he has not fitted himself for success, it is his own fault that success has not come to him.

THE manufacture of cotton goods in Ceylon has for the last few years made remarkable progress. The island promises to become as dangerous a rival to India in that industry as in the cultivation of tea.

THE original mask of Napoleon, taken after his death at St. Helena, is for sale for £6,000.

IT is pleasant to hear the truth—about other people.

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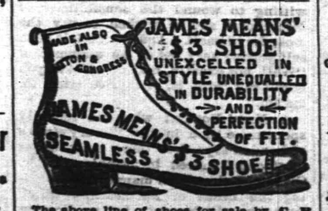


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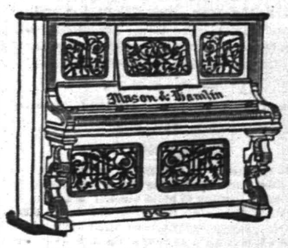


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| 11th do | 5.45 | do | do 6.07 | do |
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For Lambertville and Phillipsburg only, 1 39 P. M.

For Flemington—7 59 A. M.; 2 54 P. M.

For Bordentown, Burlington and Camden via Trenton—7 59, 9 35, 11 17 A. M. 1 39, 2 54, 5 15, 7 49 P. M. Sundays at 10 41 A. M. and 5 45 P. M.

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Leave Plainfield 3 37, 5 34, 7 38, 8 29, 9 59, 1 26 P. M. 7 20, 7 58, 8, 9 15, 9 55, 9 57, 10 32, 10 05, 11 09, 12 09, A. M., 1, 1 41, 2 07, 2 30, 3 12, 3 51, 5 08, 5 51, 6 07, 6 54, 7 03, 8 31, 9 28, 10 12, 11 28 P. M. Sunday—3 37, 5 34, 6 05, 8 32, 11 02, 11 16 A. M., 12 33, 1 26, 3 30, 5 16, 7 07, 7 10, 9 28, 10 02 P. M.

Leave New York from foot of Liberty street, 4 00, 5 45, 7, 7 45, 8 45, 10, 11, A. M., 1, 1 30, 2 00, 2 30, 3 45, 4, 4 30, 5, 5 15, 5 30, 5 45, 6, 6 15, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 8, 8 30, 9 15, 10, 10 30 P. M., 12 15 night. Sundays—7 00, 8 00, 9 00, 9 30 A. M., 12 M., 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 30, 9, 9 30 P. M., 12 M., 1, 1 15, 4, 5 30, 6, 7, 9 00, 10 00 P. M., 12 15 night.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield 5 30, 6 29, 6 59, 7 30, 8, 8 27, 9 23, 10 05, 11 09, A. M., 1, 2 07, 2 30, 3 12, 3 51, 5 08, 5 51, 6 07, 6 54, 7 03, 8 31, 9 28, 10 12, 11 28 P. M. Sunday—8 27, 5 34, 6 05, 8 32, 11 02, 11 16 A. M., 12 33, 1 26, 3 30, 5 16, 7 07, 7 10, 9 28, 10 02 P. M.

Leave Newark 7 10, 7 50, 8 55, 10 10, 11 05 A. M., 1 05, 1 35, 2 50, 3 40, 4 09, 4 35, 5 05, 5 35, 6 05, 6 15, 7 15, 7 55, 8 50, 9 40, 10 40, 11 50 P. M. Sundays—7 20, 8 40, 9 05, 9 50, A. M., 12 05, 1 10, 4 10, 5 40, 6 05, 7 07, 9 25, 10 20 P. M.

Passengers for Newark change cars at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7, 8 07, 9 42, 11, 11 58 A. M., 1 07, 2 22, 3 45, 4 54, 6 20, 6 58, 7 03, 7 12, 8 54, 8 20, 9 45, 11 13, 12 48 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 15, 9 48, A. M., 2 03, 2 30, 5 14, 6 35, 10 15, 11 14 P. M.

Leave Somerville, 6 30, 7 05, 7 40, 7 55, 8 48, 9 05, 9 47, 11 15 A. M., 12 35, 1 15, 1 48, 2 05, 3 25, 4 40, 5 12, 5 55, 8 05, 8 50, 11 05, P. M. Sunday—8 25, 10 35 A. M., 12 08, 103, 4 50, 6 40, 8 03, 8 05, 9 50 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7, 8 07, 9 42, A. M., 12 59, 4 54, 5 20 6 58, 8 20 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 15 A. M., 2 09, 6 55 P. M.

Leave Easton 6 05, 8 44, 10 A. M., 12 32, 4 09, 6 49 P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 52, A. M., 6 40, 7 30 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 9 42 A. M., 5 20 P. M.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

LEAVE PLAINFIELD.

5 45 A. M. for Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

7 A. M. for High Bridge Branch and Easton.

8 07 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 42 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Nanticoke, Drifton, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c.

1 59 P. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, &c.

4 34 P. M. for D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

5 20 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch Schooley's Mountain, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, &c.

6 20 P. M. for Flemington.

6 38 P. M. for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg.

8 30 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Wilkesbarre and Scranton, 6 18 a. m. Sundays for High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, &c., 2 08 p. m. Sundays for High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua and Pottsville, 6 35 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

For Atlantic City, 2 37 a. m. 1 p. m.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c.

Leave Plainfield 3 37, 8, 11 09, a. m., 3 51, 5 31, p. m. Sundays—(except Ocean Grove) 8 32, a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 38, 8, 10 05, 11 09 a. m., 1, 3 51, 5 31, 7 03 p. m. Sunday—8 32 a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8, 10 05 a. m., 1, 3 51, 5 31, p. m.

ROUND BROOK ROUTE.

Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia, 1 17, 5 45, 8 29, 9 48, 11 58 A. M., 1 59 P. M., 2 32, 4 08, 5 36, 8 38, 8 20 P. M. Sundays—1 17, 9 48, A. M., 2 30 4 08, 5 14, 6 55 P. M.

For Baltimore and Washington at 1 17, 9 48, 11 58 A. M., 2 32, 5 06, 5 34 P. M. Sundays—1 17, 9 48 A. M., 2 47, 4 08, 5 14 P. M.

RETURNING—LEAVE PHILADELPHIA.

Ninth and Green streets, 7 30, 8 30, 9 30, 11 05 a. m., 12 45, 1 30, 3 15, 5 15, 6 15, 8 02, 9 45, 12 p. m Sundays—9 a. m., 12 00, 3 10, 5 15, 6 10, 8, 12 p. m.

From 24th and Chestnut—8 10, 8 20, 11 08, a. m. 12 52, 3 20, 6 18, 8 05, p. m. Sundays—3 10, 8 25 a. m., 12 52, 3 20, 6 15, 8 05 p. m.

Leave Trenton, Warren and Tucker sts., 1 30, 4 00, 7, 9, 10, 10 10, 11 56 a. m. 1 26, 3 10, 3 40, 5 10, 8 00, 8 05, 9 47, 10 p. m. Sundays—1 30, 4 00, 6 55 a. m. 1 26, 4, 5 55, 7, 8 47 p. m.

Plainfield passengers by trains marked change cars at Round Brook.

J. H. OLHAUSEN, Gen. Sup't.

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There is a special good bargain in Table Linen for this week. 10 pieces, 70-inch wide, 55c yd., value 75c.

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No Way of Estimating the Damage Wrought—E. D. Morgan's Yacht Lost—The Owner and His Party Saved—A Big Steamship Reported Ashore at Long Beach—Believed to be the Obdam.

NEW YORK, Oct. 25.—Another tremendous wind storm has swept along the Atlantic coast, flooding the smaller seaport towns and summer resorts, stranding vessels and carrying destruction before it. Unlike the great tempest of a week ago, the wind came from the eastward and it blew with even greater force.

This gale came from the sea, and it brought with it a blinding rain, which fell unceasingly for over twenty-four hours. At sea the rain fell in torrents and the tempest, gathering strength throughout the night, was sweeping inland at the rate of forty-five miles an hour early in the morning.

Such waves as piled in along the Jersey coast and on the shores of Long Island have not been seen for years before. They tore away bulkheads, inundated many of the coast railways, strewed fishing craft all along the shores and undid in many cases the labor of years. This morning the water rolls along the Long Island and New Jersey shores where there was solid land on Thursday. There can be no conception of the terrific force of the wind and waves. They brooked no obstacle, and there is no way of estimating at this time the vast amount of damage wrought.

The places experiencing great damage on the Jersey coast were Seabright, Monmouth Beach and Galilee, where bulkheads and embankments were torn away. An Sandy Hook the surf flooded the track of the New Jersey Southern washing away the roadbed at different points.

A despatch from Far Rockaway said that a four-masted steamer was reported as stranded at Long Beach. The unfortunate vessel was supposed to be the Obdam, of the Netherlands-American line, which was due here yesterday from Rotterdam. She left that port on October 11, and should have reached this port yesterday. She brings a number of cabin and steerage passengers and a general cargo.

**Rough Weather at Cape May.**

CAPE MAY, Oct. 25.—A portion of the railroad track here is under water. A part of the drive and walk in front of President Harrison's cottage at Cape May Point is damaged. The property of the fishermen below Long Branch was greatly damaged by the gale.

### STRUCK A ROCK.

**E. D. Morgan's Steam Yacht Catarina Meets Disaster in the Night.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 25.—About 3:30 o'clock in the morning, the magnificent English built steam yacht Catarina, owned by Mr. E. D. Morgan, ran on a rock inside the Matinecock bouy and about one hundred yards from Matinecock Point, Long Island Sound. A big hole was stove in the yacht's keel, directly under her engine room, through which the water rushed, putting out the fires and causing her to sink in four fathoms of water.

There were thirty souls on board, including the owner, Mr. Morgan, all of whom escaped from from the vessel before she sank, taking to the large lifeboats and rowing ashore near Glen Cove. They had a tough time of it, as the wind was blowing a hurricane and the waves dashed fiercely over them, and they had much difficulty in keeping clear of the rocks which abound in the vicinity of Matinecock Point.

Mr. Morgan lost everything in the shape of clothing and jewelry that he had on board, and the captain, officers, stewards, cooks and men were equally unfortunate, but were thankful when they reached terra firma that they had got there alive.

**Disastrous Village Fire.**

EAST PEPPERELL, Mass., Oct. 25.—The big fire which started here at an early hour destroyed the shoe factory of Leighton Brothers. A high wind was blowing at the time and the flames spread rapidly and almost before the people in the neighborhood were aware of their danger the fire was threatening their lives. It spread from the shoe factory to a row of wooden boarding houses, which burned quickly, also three stores and seven residences. Several hundred persons are thrown out of employment by the fire and the town is in a distressed condition. The loss is estimated at about $300,000.

**A Shortage of $30,000.**

JOHNSTOWN, Pa., Oct. 25.—Albert W. Oxnard, treasurer of the Johnstown Lumber Company, and son of the late Edward Oxnard, a prominent oil dealer of Pittsburg, has disappeared, and his whereabouts are a mystery. An examination of the books show a large discrepancy, but the amount cannot now be given. The shortage will reach at least $30,000. Oxnard left his wife and child behind him.

**Secretary Blaine's Movements.**

PITTSBURG, Oct. 25.—Secretary of State Blaine, Mrs. Blaine, Miss Blaine and Minister William Walter Phelps arrived in Pittsburg last night and were driven to the Monongahela House where they remained until this morning and then left for Canton, Ohio, Major McKinley's home, where Mr. Blaine is announced to speak to-night.

### BIRCHALL'S MOTHER.

**She Sails for Canada to See Her Son Before His Death.**

WOODSTOCK, Ont., Oct. 25.—The Birchall trial cost the county $2,500. That amount covered only the witnesses and constables' fees. The counsel were paid by the Government, making the total cost $8,000.

Mrs. Birchall, mother of the condemned man, has sailed for Canada to see her son before his death.

Charles Benwell, brother of Birchall's victim, bought a return ticket last night, and sails from New York on the White Star Line steamer Majestic, on Wednesday next. He has erected a suitable monument over his brother's grave at Princeton, and made arrangements with Sexton Gibbs to keep the plot in repair.

C. W. Bunting, of the Toronto Mail, bought Birchall's history of his life for $1,500.

### TWO FROM ONE FAMILY.

**A Matron's Pursuit of Her Runaway Husband and Her Son's Wife.**

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Oct. 25.—Mrs. Eugene Dauterville of Astoria, L. I., has been in this city several days to obtain evidence for use in a suit for divorce against her husband. Mrs. Dauterville is forty-five years old and comely. She alleges that her husband, who is only twenty-eight years old, ran away from home a few days ago with her son's wife, Mamie Gardner. Gardner was Mrs. Dauterville's name before she married the alleged fugitive husband.

The pursuing wife's visit to this place was due to the fact that the missing Eugene bought tickets from New York for Rochester Tuesday night. She failed, however, to find any trace of the elopers here.

**An Entire Family Poisoned.**

ONEIDA, N. Y., Oct. 25.—The entire family of Joseph Crumb of North Brookfield has been poisoned by eating of a pudding made from meal with which rat poison had become mixed in some mysterious way. The family consists of Mr. and Mrs. Crumb, a hired man, two daughters and one son. Two physicians were summoned and have done all in their power to relieve the sufferings of the afflicted family. It is thought that all will recover except possibly the daughters, who are both in a critical condition.

**Sued for $50,000 Damages.**

GLOUCESTER, Mass., Oct. 25.—Solomon T. Trumbull of West Gloucester has sued Isaac J. Proctor for $50,000 damages. It is alleged that Mr. Proctor has written defamatory letters to E. C. Hawks of Buffalo, while Trumbull was building several stone cottages for him at Coffin's Beach, and that on account of these letters the job was taken away from him whereby he suffered great loss.

**Another Mystery Cleared Up.**

CHICAGO, Oct. 25.—Clinton T. Cooke, whose disappearance from his office on West Madison street two weeks ago caused conjectures that he had been murdered, is in Cincinnati. A telegram from the Chief of Police there has been received saying that the doctor was found wandering in the streets. He is insane.

**Will Shut Off the Gas.**

PITTSBURG, Pa., Oct. 25.—The Philadelphia Natural Gas Company has decided to shut off the supply of natural gas from all the Pittsburg puddling furnaces which it has hitherto supplied. The chief reason for the move, as given by the officers of the company, is that they can make more money by supplying the gas to domestic consumers.

**Madman Dougherty Indicted.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 25.—Jas. Dougherty, the alleged lunatic, who killed Dr. Lloyd at the Flatbush Insane Asylum, has been indicted by the Grand Jury for murder in the first degree. The question of his sanity has not yet been legally determined. He was arraigned and pleaded not guilty.

**Two Thousand Men Will be Idle.**

BROOKLYN, Oct. 25.—A general shutdown of all sugar refineries here is expected within the next few days. About 2,000 men will be affected. A director of the Brooklyn Sugar Refining company says his works will remain closed until April 1, when raw sugar will be admitted free.

**Col. Dudley's Libel Suit.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 25.—The General Term of the Supreme Court has refused to vacate the order for the examination of Col. Wm. W. Dudley before trial, in his suit for libel against the Press Publishing Company (The World) for damages for publishing the famous "blocks of five" letter.

**Reviewed by Speaker Reed.**

CHICAGO, Oct. 25.—Last night Speaker Reed reviewed a monster torchlight procession in this city and made an address to a large assemblage at Battery D. He spoke on the tariff question and kindred matters.

## HELD FOR CONTEMPT

### The Case of Lida La Montague Attracting Attention.

CANADA ASKED TO RELEASE HER

The Matter Will Probably be Laid Before the State Department.

The Alleged Tariff Flaw Said to be the Fault of the Enrolling Clerks—Catholic Bishops Interview Secretary Noble—The British Iron and Steel Delegates Received by the President To-Day.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 25.—A despatch from Montreal says the case of Lida La Montague is likely to open up a question in international law between Canada and the United States, which will take many months to straighten out. Lida La Montague's husband was killed by her brother and the house set on fire. Lida was tried for murder as an accomplice and acquitted.

She then went to Lawrence, Mass. When the Crown came to try her brother it was found that Lida's testimony was needed to convict. She would not voluntarily return, so a charge of arson was laid against her and she was extradited. Attempts were then made to compel her to testify, but, emphatically refusing, she was finally committed for contempt. Her brother was convicted of the murder. After his sentence she was sentenced to one year's imprisonment and fined $250 for contempt.

Her counsel protested, but to no avail, that the terms of her extradition were being violated, that she could not be imprisoned for any crime other than arson. Her counsel is now going to appeal to the Minister of Justice at Ottawa, and if that does not succeed will lay the matter before the State Department at Washington, and ask it to take action to compel Canada to either try the girl for the crime she was extradited for or release her altogether. She is now in jail at Sherbrook, P. Q.

### THE TARIFF BILL FLAW.

**Major Carson Says it Was the Fault of the Enrolling Clerks.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 25.—In reference to the published statement that the omission of amendment 449 from the Tariff bill was the fault of the conference committee, and not the fau. of the enrolling clerks, and that consequently it was enrolled as it passed both Houses, Major J. M. Carson, the clerk to the Ways and Means Committee, says that the statement was not correct. The error, he said, was made by the enrolling clerks.

Major Carson makes the point that for the last fifty years omissions have occurred in tariff bills which have been passed, and they have all been corrected by Congress. Major Carson thinks that nothing will result from the agitation, and says that Congress will make the correction before January 1 next, when the omitted paragraph was intended to go into effect.

**The President Undecided.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 25.—The President has not yet decided whether he will go home to vote. His friends in Indiana believe that his presence in Indianapolis on election day will be worth many votes to the party, but his visit will depend altogether upon his ability to arrange his official duties in such manner as will enable him to go without neglecting the public business.

**Bishops Interview Secretary Noble.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 25.—Archbishop Ireland and Bishop Shanley had an interview with Secretary Noble. They requested the Secretary to give the right of seclusion to sisters in charge of the girls' school on the Devil's Lake reservation, Dakota. The Secretary seemed inclined to grant their request, but took no action in the matter.

**Received by the President.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 25.—At 3 o'clock today the British delegates to the Iron and Steel Association were received by the President. After leaving the White House the visitors will make a tour of the city and suburbs. In the evening a promenade concert will be given at the Arlington Hotel from 8:30 to 10 o'clock.

**Secretary Proctor Will Vote.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 25.—Secretary Proctor intends to go home to vote, and will leave for Vermont next week.

**Has Fasted 225 Days.**

EASTON, Pa., Oct. 25.—Mrs. Adam Wuchter, of Whitehall, who is said to have fasted for the past 225 days, is still alive. She says she has much pain in her head and throat. She believes that if she could eat she would get better. Her hair has been falling out for the past week. This, the doctors say, indicates loss of vitality.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—U. S. Gov't Report, Aug. 17, 1889.

Royal Baking Powder
ABSOLUTELY PURE

### VANDERBILTS IN READING.

**It Looks as if the Great Railroad Deal Had Been Concluded.**

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 25.—The important announcement is made that an alliance between the Reading Railroad syndicate and the Vanderbilt interests had finally been effected and that hereafter the Vanderbilts will be represented in the Reading management.

A meeting of the members of the Reading syndicate (which holds about 400,000 shares, or more than a majority of the capital stock of the company) was held during the morning, and W. W. Gibbs of this city formally resigned, and his place in the syndicate was, by unanimous consent, accorded to H. B. Hollins, the head of the New York bankers and brokerage firm of H. B. Hollins & Co.

The significance of the meeting becomes apparent when it is stated that H. B. Hollins & Co. are the recognized brokers of the Vanderbilts, and that the head of the firm enjoys confidential relations with the leading members of the Vanderbilt family. The retirement of Mr. Gibbs and the election of Mr. Hollins means, in other words, that the deal between the Reading syndicate and the Vanderbilts has been concluded, and that hereafter the Vanderbilts will take a prominent part in Reading Railroad affairs.

### EIGHT FATALLY INJURED.

**An Express Train Leaves the Track at a Curve and is Wrecked.**

TOPEKA, Kan., Oct. 25.—Last night the Sante Fe express train, which left here at 1:15, known as the "cannon ball," was wrecked at Wakerusa, a small station thirteen miles from here, where the train does not stop. At this point there is a curve, and for some reason unknown the baggage, mail and express cars and three Pullman vestibule coaches left the track.

Twenty-three persons were injured, the following fatally: J. W. Fadley, T. J. Johnson, W. A. Jones, Harry Stone, Kansas City; H. C. Lindsey, Topeka; Mattie O'Connell, Mrs. Ellen Steele, New York city; J. L. Terry, express messenger, Kansas City.

The engine did not leave the track. The cars, after being turned over, dragged along a hundred feet or more, the passengers inside being in mortal terror of their lives.

Those of the wounded not able to travel are being cared for at the hotels.

### AN IMPORTANT QUESTION.

**Locomotive Engineers Take a Vote on the Affiliation Scheme.**

PITTSBURG, Oct. 25.—The Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, in secret session here, by a vote of 276 for to 168 against, defeated the majority report of the committee appointed to devise a plan of co-operation, which was in favor of a scheme to affiliate with the firemen, conductors and brakemen. The vote lacked a two-thirds majority by 22.

The report was sent back to the committee, and the matter is still a subject of consideration. No vote has been taken on the minority report.

**Fell Dead While Fighting.**

WILMINGTON, Del., Oct. 25.—John Farra, a livery stable keeper, and James Devine, an employe of the Clapp & Jones Manufacturing Co. of Hudson, N. Y., who was here repairing the Friendship fire engine, got into an altercation in the barroom of the Pennsylvania Hotel last night, when Farra struck Devine in the mouth and he fell dead. Either the blow or the fall broke his neck. Farra surrendered to the police.

**A Girl Commits Suicide.**

ERIE, Pa., Oct. 25.—Lizzie Salow, aged 16, daughter of a prominent contractor, committed suicide during the morning. She left her home at midnight against her parents' wishes with her brother-in-law, George Blum, to go to his home in Meadville. Her father had Blum arrested at the depot. The girl disappeared and was found drowned in the bay. Sensational developments are expected.

**Granted a New Trial.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 25.—The Supreme Court General Term has granted a new trial to Dr. Louis Aldrich, convicted of gross immorality with three small children. In writing the opinion Judge Daniels says the trial judge should have instructed the jury that the evidence was insufficient to warrant a conviction.

**Fifteen Indictments Against a Lawyer.**

CAMDEN, N. J., Oct. 25.—The Camden County grand jury has made its presentment to court, bringing in eighteen true bills, one against Francis Lingo for the murder of Mrs. Miller, and fifteen against Lawyer Hogate, twelve of which were for forgery and three for false pretense.

**Five Inches of Snow in Vermont.**

BRATTLEBORO, Vt., Oct. 25.—Heavy rains have fallen here. The total precipitation for twenty-four hours is estimated at 2½ inches. Hill towns report from two to five inches of snow, and some of the stages have been unable to make their trips.

**Stabbed Himself Eight Times.**

BROOKLYN, N. Y., Oct. 25.—Charles Reibling, 54 years old, clerk in the Bedford Bank, this city, committed suicide at his home on Sumner street by stabbing himself eight times. Morbid jealousy is said to have been the cause.

**Sent the Family to Prison.**

NEW MILFORD, Conn., Oct. 25.—Dr. David W. Knowles and wife were sentenced at Litchfield to ten years each, and their son George to seven years for shooting John J. Waters at Lanesville, September last.

## ANARCHY IN RUSSIA

### Alarming Condition of Affairs in the Czar's Domain.

CONFLICTS IN MANY PLACES.

A Band of Emigrants Stopped by Guards and Brutally Murdered.

Dillon and O'Brien Leave Havre This Morning for America—Another Woman Mutilated and Murdered in London—A Great Conspiracy Scheme Exposed—Balfour Saved from Humiliation in Ireland.

LONDON, Oct. 25.—The Telegraph's St. Petersburg correspondent says: "The Minister of the Interior has received alarming reports on the state of the country. The prisons are crowded with subjects, chiefly young men of the educated classes. Disaffection is spreading everywhere. Incendiarism is rife, and there have been conflicts in many places between the peasantry and soldiers.

A party of Russian emigrants numbering upward of three hundred and holding tickets for transportation to Brazil, left the village of Ricszsera to cross the West Russian frontier. When they reached the frontier post in the night they were stopped by the frontier guards, why demanded to see their tickets permitting them to leave the country.

Upon learning that the party had none such they were forced back at the point of the bayonet.

Upon receiving such treatment so unjustifiably, numbers of emigrants protested, whereupon the guard fired on them, killing two men and one woman. The latter had a young babe in her arms, which was wounded.

### A GIGANTIC SWINDLE.

**Forged Letters of Credit That Included the Whole of Europe.**

LONDON, Oct. 25.—George Johnson, an artist, and John Phillips, a dealer in pictures and artists' supplies, have been arrested and were charged at the Mansion House with conspiracy to forge letters of credit made payable at the great banking house of Drexel, Morgan & Co.

A man of the name of Freyheim, upon whose information the arrests were made, testified to having first met the prisoner Phillips at Rotterdam. Subsequently the witness came to London, where he witnessed the making of the forged letters.

On the completion of the preliminary examination the accused were remanded.

The conspiracy, which is a most gigantic one, is already known to have its ramifications all over Western Europe. Accomplices of Johnson and Phillips have been arrested in Liege, Madrid and Marseilles.

They will be held in the respective cities until such time as the British authorities can secure their extradition.

The implements used in the work of forgery were found in the possession of George Johnson.

### O'BRIEN AND DILLON SAIL.

**The Irish Fugitives Start This Morning for the United States.**

PARIS, Oct. 25.—Mr. and Mrs. O'Brien and Mr. Dillon left Paris last night on the special boat train and embarked on the steamer La Champagne for New York this morning.

During Mr. O'Brien's visit to the Chamber of Deputies yesterday, members of the various parties requested a series of conferences in regard to Ireland. Mr. O'Brien promised that the Nationalists would send a delegate to France to plead for Ireland.

The suresies of Messrs. O'Brien and Dillon, at Tipperary, wired the fugitives: "We bid you God-speed and are proud to bear the responsibility of your flight.

**The O'Shea-Parnell Suit.**

LONDON, Oct. 25.—The trial in the divorce proceedings brought by Captain O'Shea against his wife, in which Mr. Parnell figures as co-respondent, has been set for the middle of November. Mrs. O'Shea will make counter allegations against her husband. Sir Charles Russell and Mr. Herbert Acquith have been retained as counsel by Mr. Parnell.

**Disappointed by Balfour.**

DUBLIN, Oct. 25.—A large crowd of Nationalists assembled at the railway station at Galway awaiting the arrival of Mr. Balfour, whom they intended to receive with cheers for O'Brien, Dillon and other leaders. Mr. Balfour was warned of their intentions and left the train at Athlone, where he took a car to Castlereagh. He will not visit Galway.

**Business Failures for the Week.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 25.—Bradstreet reports 202 failures in the United States during the week, against 177 in the preceding week, and 190, 208, 213 and 216 in the corresponding weeks of 1889, 1888, 1887 and 1886 respectively. The Middle States had 56 and New England had 25.

**An Old Lawyer Disbarred.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 25.—John E. Murray, a lawyer who has practiced many years, was disbarred by the General Term of the Supreme Court. Murray, who has been drinking heavily of late, accused Surrogates Rollins and Ransom of corruption and had refused to apologize.

**Iron Workers Strike.**

NEWBURGH, N. Y., Oct. 25.—About 70 iron workers at Marvel's ship-yard are on strike owing to the refusal of the proprietor to discharge non-union men

### UP IN A BALLOON.

**Over 10,000 People Witness a Novel Marriage and Bridal Trip.**

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Oct. 25.—Mr. Thos. J. Mims and Miss Gertrude Pilman of Brewton, Ala., were married at the State fair in the presence of over 10,000 people, Rev. S. M. Adams, President of the State Alliance, performing the ceremony. The young couple then stepped into the car of a monster gas balloon and with Aeronaut Baldwin sailed off on a bridal tour.

The balloon took a southerly direction, and at a height of about a mile and a half went over Red Mountain. It was last seen at 2:20 passing over Axmoor, and still heading for the mountainous region of Shelby County.

The young couple were presented with a purse of $250 by the State Fair management and a large number of presents were given to them.

A telegram from Helena, eighteen miles south of the city, says the balloon landed safely near that place. The young couple are unhurt and greatly enjoyed the novel experience. They will return to the city and hold a public reception.

### THE MAFIA AGAIN.

**A Sack Containing the Body of an Italian Found Near New Orleans.**

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 25.—While hauling in drift wood at Kennery, fourteen miles above New Orleans, some men drew in a sack containing the body of an Italian. There are marks of strangulation around the neck.

It was evidently a murder and is supposed to have been by the order of the Mafia to keep an important witness from testifying in the Hennessey assassination case, or by the vendetta.

The officials are investigating the matter thoroughly with a view of ascertaining the name and occupation of the murdered man and his connection, if any, with the principals now in jail.

**Gladstone's Speeches.**

LONDON, Oct. 25.—Liberal newspapers throughout the country unite in asserting that Mr. Gladstone's Midlothian speeches are among the best political efforts of his life, and even the Tory press, including the Times and the Standard, pay a tribute to his wonderful energy at his time of life. Mr. Balfour is said to have made the remark, since his arrival in Ireland, that the Parliament would sit out the full time, as every year counted against the only man who could induce Englishmen to accept the delusion of home rule. He is supposed to have alluded to Mr. Gladstone, now 81 years of age.

### NEWS OF THE DAY.

The Count of Paris and party were enthusiastically received at Montreal.

Ensign Rumsey, of the U. S. steamer Swatara, was accidentally drowned at Yokohama.

The Navy Department is informed that a squadron of Brazilian men-of-war sailed for New York from Rio Janeiro.

Cholera is gradually disappearing in Yokohama. There have been 34,000 cases and 23,000 deaths up to death.

The State Board of Arbitration of Massachusetts has succeeded in settling the trouble at the shoe factory of Hiss & Hutchens at Marlboro, and all hands have returned to work.

The Presbyterian Synod at Lockport, N. Y., has finished its labors. C. S. Robinson, S. M. Hamilton and W. A. Wheeler, all of New York, were elected trustees of the synod.

Representatives from the leading express companies of the country are holding a meeting at Chicago to complete the schedule for the advance in eastern rates. The meeting will end to-night.

At the citizens' mass meeting held at Buffalo, N. Y., for the purpose of raising money for the aid of the famine sufferers of Ireland, and which was addressed by Bishop Ryan, Congressman Farquhar and Mayor Bishop, over $3,300 was subscribed.

In New York yesterday iron crowbars were the weapons used in a duel fought between Joseph Wood and Carl Burg. The battle was fierce, and lasted some time. It was ended only when both men sank to the ground, each with a fractured skull and other injuries.

**Weather Indications.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 25.—For New England: Cloudiness and continued rains; cooler, brisk and light northerly winds.

For Eastern New York: Northerly winds and slightly cooler; except stationary temperature in the vicinity of New York city, cloudiness with intermittent showers.

For New Jersey: Continued cool, brisk northerly winds; fair weather, except preceded by rain along the coast line.

For Western New York and Western Pennsylvania: Cloudy weather and intermittent showers; slightly colder; northerly winds.

### NEW YORK MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Oct. 24.—Money on call to-day 5½ and 6 per cent.

BONDS.

| | Closing Yesterday. | Closing To-day. |
|---|---|---|
| 4½s, 1891 Reg | 104½ | 104¼ |
| 4½s, 1891 Coup | 104½ | 104½ |
| 4 s, 1907 Reg | 124½ | 124½ |
| 4 s, 1907 Coup | 121 | 124½ |

STOCK MARKET.

| | Closing Yesterday. | Closing To-day. |
|---|---|---|
| Canadian Pacific | 74¾ | 75 |
| Central Pacific | — | — |
| Chicago, Bur. & Q. | 93¾ | 93¾ |
| Delaware & Hudson | — | — |
| Del., Lack. & Western | 139¾ | 140 |
| Erie | 21¾ | 21¾ |
| Erie pref. | — | — |
| Lake Shore | 107¾ | 106¾ |
| Louis. & Nash. | 79 | 77 |
| Michigan Central | — | — |
| Missouri Pacific | 69¾ | 68¾ |
| New Jersey Central | 121 | 119 |
| Northwestern | 106¾ | 106¾ |
| Oregon Navigation | 94¾ | — |
| Pacific Mail | 41¾ | — |
| Reading | 37 | 37 |
| Rock Island | 77¾ | 75¾ |
| St. Paul | 80¾ | 80¾ |
| Union Pacific | 51¾ | 49¾ |
| Western Union | 81¾ | 81¾ |

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## BY THE WAY.

—Regular meeting of Plainfield Council, Royal Arcanum, next Monday evening.

—Where is the "conspicuous public place within the district," where is posted, as the law requires, the registry list of the First Ward?

—The speakers at next Wednesday evening's meeting in Amphion Hall, will be Charles H. Winfield, Fred C. Marsh and R. V. Lindabury.

—On Tuesday next, "Sts. Simon and Jude's Day," and on Saturday, "All Saints Day," there will be Holy Communion in Grace church at 10 o'clock A. M.

—The shareholders of the Plainfield Building and Loan Association will meet in Cutter's Hall next Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock, for the payment of monthly dues.

—The railroad scene in "Delmonte," as played at Amphion Hall, by the Leonzo Brothers and their company, is well worth seeing. This piece will be given again this evening.

—Ten per cent. off of other people's prices is offered by the Pierson Hardware company, 42 West Front street. They intend in the future to do a cash business and have marked stoves, lamps, house furnishing goods, etc., way down.

—August Jacot, who has been *chef* at the Surf Hotel, Fire Island, many years, has opened a restaurant at 11 East Front street, opposite Park avenue. There will be served meats, fish, oysters, pastry and everything else to order, at all hours. Jacot can broil a chop or steak to perfection.

—The Leonzo Brothers and company will repeat at Amphion Hall, this evening, the great Mexican railroad play, "Delmonte," that was so successful on Tuesday evening. You must go early to get seats. In spite of the weather and other local attractions, Amphion Hall is crowded to the doors every night.

—Mr. Jacolucci, who has recently opened a first-class candy store at 33 West Front street, wishes to inform the public that he is now prepared to furnish them with the choicest kinds of confectionery at prices so low that he defies competition. The finest make of bon-bons, chocolates and other varities too numerous to mention, he offers from 40 cents a box upwards. His candies are made fresh every day, and he solicits a share of the people's patronage. His motto is "Once my customer, always my customer."

## PARTICULAR MENTION.

There is a rumor that the Board of Education will soon lose the efficient services of the Principal of Irving school, who will be Miss Gilbert but a little while longer.

G. L. Applegate, of Syracuse, who has been stopping with F. W. Clark, of West Seventh street, returned home yesterday. He came to Plainfield to act as groomsman at the Clark-Littell wedding.

The marriage is announced of Miss Lydia Birdsall, formerly of this city, and William H. Popham, of White Plains, N. Y. The ceremony took place in Grace church, White Plains, on Wednesday.

At the reception given to the Rev. Mr. Karner, of this city, by the people of his new church in Albany, Wednesday evening, the Rev. C. E. Dunn, of the Third Presbyterian church of that city, made a happy little speech in which he alluded to their both coming from Plainfield, both being graduated from the same college and both having married wives of this city.

The marriage took place last evening at the home of the bride on Prescott place, of John Arden, one of the employes of the Pond Machine Tool Company, and Miss Annie Clifton, whose sister is the wife of Foreman Foster of the Works. Miss Alice Burrows, of Brooklyn, was bridemaid, and Hugh Smith, of this city, was groomsman. About fifty guests were present, and gifts were numerous.

### Had Faith in His Ship, and His Ship Proved True.

The safe arrival of overdue ship *Irene*, of which the Hon. J. W. Yates, of East Seventh street, is owner, was recorded among the maritime dispatches from Charlestown, South Carolina, yesterday. The *Irene* left the port of New York about fifteen months ago, going to Zanzibar, on the eastern coast of Africa, thence to Hong Kong, thence to Caletabuena, a port in Chili, and so on around the world. But from the last port she was 133 days making the port of Charlestown, some forty-three days out of time, and great anxiety was felt by the owners of the cargo, in consequence of which the owners' Plainfield agents offered as high a premium as twenty-five per cent. to secure insurance, which had been neglected. Mr. Yates, however, felt confident that the vessel was safe, and yesterday morning he received the congratulatory news of her arrival off the bar all right. Mr. Yates insures his own ships; therefore it must be a source of pleasure to him to learn definitely of the prosperous voyage of the vessel and the safety of all on board.

### Not Always Blind.

They say that Love is blind, but things
Like this from error do arise,
For lovers look with longing eyes
At Collier's rare engagement rings.

## SARGENT SAILS AWAY AGAIN.

**But This Time He Goes in the Steerage Although one of His "Stars" Occupies a Cabin in the Same Ship.**

A great many of THE PRESS readers in this city remember H. J. Sargent, who lived so long in Plainfield and whose wife and family remained here for some time after he went to England as a theatrical manager. His career since is therefore of some interest to them; and, besides, it is a very entertaining story to anybody as culled from the reports in the New York papers.

Sargent, who had conducted the affairs of several stars of considerable magnitude at one time and another, among them Modjeska, has been struggling against adverse fortune recently, but as he stood upon the deck of the Britannic last Wednesday, as she was steaming away from the dock, he waved his somewhat battered hat and called back to his friends, so they say: "I shall come back with barrels of money."

Sargent went in the steerage because they wouldn't let him work his way across, and through the generosity of a friend who advanced the money for the trip. On the same boat was Mrs. Churchill-Jodrell, the Englishwoman whom Sargent was going to put on the American stage. The two, manager and star, have been wandering along the ragged edge of starvation for some months in New York, owing to Sargent's inability to make her twinkle, and the obduracy of her relatives, who cut off her allowance of £8,000 a year when she decided to become an actress. Mrs. Churchill-Jodrell comes from high social circles in London. Her relatives and connections form almost a regiment in the pages of Burke and Debrett. Her ancestry Jates back to the days of William the Conqueror. Her grandmother was a daughter of the Earl of Kingston, and her uncle was Sir Edward Repps Jodrell. The family is wealthy, it is said, and possesses a splendid collection of plate and historic jewels, Sace Park, Norfolk, and country seats in Oxfordshire and Derbyshire. Besides these possessions there is the Jodrell mansion, at No. 21 Portland Place, London.

During the visit of Buffalo Bill to England, Mrs. Churchill-Jodrell invited that well-known American to her drawing-room and gave an entertainment in his honor, at which she met Sargent, and he found in her a woman who was possessed of the footlight fever in a most unmistakable manner. He easily persuaded her to go upon the stage. The English papers were full of it; her relatives were chagrined beyond measure, but Harry Sargent said she could be a star and be a star she would.

She appeared first in her own country at Liverpool, at the Alexandria Theatre, but the attempt, it is said, was absolutely painful. Mrs. Churchill-Jodrell told some of her friends here that Sargent then persuaded her that her poor success was due to the English prejudice against a woman of rank going upon the stage, and persuaded her to come to America. A contract was made between them by which it was stipulated that Sargent should manage her theatrical business in the United States for three years, at $10,000 a year, and that she should furnish $25,000 in cash to start the business. Mrs. Churchill-Jodrell says that Sargent had been living upon her ever since. When she determined to come to America, her allowance of £8,000 a year was cut off, but, nothing daunted, she set sail for New York fully believing that Sargent had secured a theatre for her, and that the making of money would be inevitable. They took up their quarters at the Union Square Hotel, where, it is said, a disagreement took place over Mr. Sargent's wine bill, and her trunks were seized for payment. The matter was adjusted, however, and the party, consisting of Mrs. Churchill-Jodrell, her maid, three dogs and Sargent, went to the Wagner Hotel in Fourteenth street. Here poverty covered them like a garment, and many peculiar stories are told of their make-shifts.

The party was finally driven from the Wagner Hotel for non-payment of lodging bills, and moved to No. 62 East Eleventh street, where Mrs. Lodewick took them in, and where the party took Mrs. Lodewick in to the tune of $1,268 board money, it is said. Mrs. Lodewick kept them all till last Wednesday, when she determined that she would rescue the star from her manager and send her back to England, especially as Mrs. Churchill-Jodrell's mother died on September 15 and left her daughter, it is said, a large inheritance. With this intent Mrs. Lodewick bought a first-class passage ticket to England, got Mrs. Churchill-Jodrell into a cab, drove to the pier where the steamer lay and saw the star safely on board. The business manager wouldn't forsake her, however, but bought a steerage ticket and steamed away with her. Mrs. Churchill-Jodrell's friends think Sargent has a sort of mesmeric influence over her. Mr. Sargent's friends, on the other hand, say that the woman, who is about as broad as she is long, could never succeed as an actress, and that Sargent was unable to get anyone to advance the money to bring her out, and anyway, he expected she would have enough for that purpose herself.

### Communion Wine.

Mr. Alfred Speer, the celebrated wine grower of New Jersey, preserves the unfermented juice of the grape for Sacramental use. It has been adopted, and its use sanctioned by the prominent divines of this country. It is also used by invalids with remarkably good effect. For sale by druggists.

### The "Whatsoever Circle" Reap Success.

There was not a dozen empty seats in Y. M. C. A. Hall, last evening. The occasion that called the people out on such a stormy night was an entertainment provided by the "Whatsoever Circle" of King's Daughters, which consists of young women of the Rev. Mr. Schenck's church, with Mrs. Charles P. Leggett as Directress. The committee that arranged the *successful affair* was composed of Mrs. Wm. G. E. See, chairman, and Mrs. T. H. Hardy, Miss Jennie VanWinkle and Miss Lillian Force.

The programme was a varied nad enjoyable one. It consisted of instrumental and vocal music by local talent that interspersed readings by Mr. and Mrs. Henry Firth Wood. A sweet toned piano had been loaned for the occasion from the *warerooms of Thompson* Park, and on its keys Miss Vanhart, of Trenton, and Miss Force, of North Plainfield, displayed their excellence as artists and highly pleased their hearers. The solos of Robert Gorton and Bethuel Barnes were, also, very creditable, and the choruses of the double quartette showed earnest effort.

Mr. and Mrs. Wood's selections were almost all excellent and in good taste. "Baby's Soliloquy" as rendered by the latter, approaches perfection nearer than any imitation attempted by any elocutionist of the day. Everybody present and interested, was thoroughly satisfied with the whole entertainment, and in spite of the bad weather, the Circle will reap financial profit as they deserve.

—Edsall extends a general invitation to call at his store to-night, with a promise to save money for his purchasers.

## SUNDAY SERVICES.

Brief notices will be inserted under this head free of expense, but must be delivered at this office not later than eleven o'clock on Saturday morning to insure publication.

The meeting at Mt. Pleasant to-morrow evening will be conducted by E. L. Suffern.

The offering in the Crescent Avenue church, to-morrow morning, will be for the Children's Home.

The regular services in Hope chapel, to-morrow, will be: Sunday school at 3 o'clock P. M.; evening service at 8 o'clock P. M.

Services will be held to-morrow in the German Reformed church on Craig place, North Plainfield, at 10:30 A. M., and 8 P. M.

In Bethel chapel, to-morrow, there will be a morning service at 11 o'clock; Sunday school at 3 o'clock, P. M.; evening service at 8 o'clock.

Church of the Heavenly Rest, services to-morrow—morning prayer and sermon at 11 o'clock. Sunday school at 3 o'clock. Seats free and strangers cordially welcomed.

Crescent Avenue church, the Rev. Wm. R. Richards, pastor. Services to-morrow at 10:30 A. M., and 7:30 P. M. Sabbath school at 2:30. Seats free at the evening service.

The masses in St. Mary's church to-morrow will be at 8:30, 9:45 and 10:45 A. M. Vespers will be held at 8 o'clock in the evening. Sunday school at three o'clock P. M.

Meetings at Reform Hall to-morrow at the hours of 9:15 A. M., 4 and 7:30 P. M., to attend which all are cordially invited. Interesting platform addresses in the evening.

At the First Unitarian church, Second place, to-morrow, the Rev. Hobart Clark, pastor, will preach. The services will begin at 10:30 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sunday school at 11:45 A. M.

Services will be held to-morrow, as usual, in the Trinity Reformed church at 10:30 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. The pastor, the Rev. Cornelius Schenck, will preach both morning and evening. A welcome to all.

Methodist Episcopal church, the Rev. Chas B. Mitchell, pastor, will preach at 10:30 A. M., and 7:30 P. M. Sunday school at 2:30 P. M. Epworth League at 6:45 P. M. Evening subject: "A Furious Jehu."

Grace church, to-morrow 21st Sunday after Trinity. Early celebration at 7:30 A. M. Morning prayer and sermon on "Church-unity," by the Rector, at 10:30 A. M. Sunday school at 3 P. M. Even song 4:30 P. M.

The Rev. Dr. Kempshall, of the First Presbyterian church of Elizabeth, will occupy the pulpit of the First Presbyterian church of this city, at both services, to-morrow—10:30 A. M., and 7:30 P. M. All welcome.

Seeley Edsall will conduct the young men's meeting at the Y. M. C. A., to-morrow at 4:15 P. M. The singing is an especially attractive feature of these meetings. There will be live talks as well as *spirited* singing.

Services in the Park Avenue Baptist church, to-morrow. Preaching by the pastor, the Rev. Asa Reed Dilts, at 10:30 A. M. and 7:45 P. M. Morning theme: "Human Brotherhood." Evening theme: "The Theatre." All are welcome. Seats free.

W. C. T. U. meetings, Saturday evening at 7:45; Sunday morning at 9:15; Sunday afternoon at 4, in charge of the Rev. J. C. Fernald. The weekly prayer meeting will be held as usual on Thursday at 3:30 P. M. All at 73 West Front street.

Warren Mission Sunday school to-morrow at 2:30 P. M. Praise service at 7:30 led by M. M. Dunham; and regular service at 8 o'clock at which W. D. Murray, President of the Y. M. C. A. will preside. Young People's meeting Tuesday evening at eight o'clock. All are welcome.

The First Church of Christ will meet at Vanderbeek's Hall, Park avenue, to-morrow morning and evening. The Lord willing J. B. Cleaver will preach. Morning theme: "Reported Conversion from Protestantism to Christianity of Bishop Vincent" Evening theme: "Current Excuses for Not Becoming Christians."

The Church of the Holy Cross, the Rev. T. Logan Murphy, rector. Early celebration of the Holy Communion, to-morrow, at 9 A. M. Sunday school at 9:45 A. M. Morning prayer and sermon at 11 A. M. Even Song at 4 P. M. As Tuesday next will be the Festival of St. Simon and St. Jude, and Saturday All Saints, on those days divine service and Holy Communion will be held at 10 A. M.

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Carter, Joseph
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Fox, J T
French, Rev W C
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Hall, C Eugene
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Stretch, Katie
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Wethollow, Mrs E W

Persons calling for the above, please say advertised.
E. B. POPE, Postmaster.

## MARRIAGES.

ARDEN—CLIFTON—In Plainfield, by the Rev. E. M. Rodman, on Friday, the 24th inst., Mr. John Arden and Miss Annie Clifton, both of this city.

## WANTS AND OFFERS.

*Advertisements under this heading, one cent for each word each insertion.*

FINE fresh cow, 6 years old, for sale, corner Clinton and Dunellen avenues, Evona. Wallace Vail.

LOST—Between the depot and the corner of 2d street and central avenue, manuscript copy of inventory of the property of the late Lucy H. Buringham. The finder by returning the same to E. M. Stover, 40 E. 9th street, will be properly rewarded.

THE man who shot the dog on premises of 24 Jackson avenue, last Tuesday night had better make explanation to owner.

AN assortment of maples, fruit trees, chrysanthemums, palms, etc., at Denton's Hillside Avenue Nursery.

FOR RENT—An elegant room, 16x54 feet, suitable for a society or club, or a tailor's or milliner's store, at 3 North avenue. Inquire at PRESS office.

THE UNION COUNTY STANDARD, Westfield, N. J., inserts "Want" advertisements at one cent a word. 10 18 eo Tw

WANTED—A competent girl to do general housework; colored preferred. 52 East 7th street. 10 24 2

FURNISHED rooms for gentlemen, without board. 59 West 2d street, corner Central avenue. 10 24 2

WANTED—A girl for general housework in private family of three adults; must be good cook, ironer and washer; good wages. Call at 12 East 9th street. 10 24 2

TEN cents apiece will be paid for one copy each of July, August and September, Century Magazine. Apply at PRESS office. 10 23 3

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TO LET—3 or 4 nice rooms, first or second floor; water convenient at side door. 222 E 2d street. 10 22 3

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STRAYED from 112 RockView avenue, white bull terrier dog. Liberal reward if returned at once. 10 20 tf

FOUR houses to let. Inquire City Mills, Somerset street. 10 14 tf

LADIES doing their own dressmaking or employing plain seamstress, can secure perfect fit and pattern for future use. Taylor system. Miss A. T. Buckley, 27 West 4th street. 9 23 tf

WANTED—Jobbing at painting, glazing kalsomining and roof painting. Address Isaac Kennedy, 55 East Front street.

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LELAND T. POWERS,
IMPERSONATOR, AS
David Copperfield,
AT THE
Crescent Avenue Chapel,
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ADMISSION, - - - 50 Cts.
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MUSIC HALL.
WEDNESDAY, OCT. 29.
WARDIE & VON LEER, and their efficient Company, will present the Military Melodrama,
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Entirely new specialties; catchy songs and dances.
Monday parade of the only *INDIAN BRASS BAND* in the World; illuminated fireworks parade at 7 P. M.
PRICES—35, 50, 75c., and $1.00.
Seats on sale Saturday.
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MONDAY, OCT. 20.
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Dramatic and Comedy Co., combined with the World's greatest Dramatic Trained Dogs, Tiger, Lion and Panther, and the Great Human Face Dog, SPOT.
Change of bill nightly.
Popular Prices—10, 20 and 30c.
Seats now on sale. 10 18 7

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(*Extracts from Letters Written to Mr. Wilder*)
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Readings by Miss Maud Agnes Bowers,
Musical Recitals, and a *FAREE* wherein are seen
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As only a limited number of tickets will be issued, those desiring seats will please their names at Reynolds' Drug Store 10 24 6

Dancing & Aesthetic Body Culture.
PROF. SEGADLO
Will reopen his classes in Plainfield, N. J., providing he can secure the proper number of scholars.
For this purpose a subscription list is now open at Park's Music Store, East Front St. All those wishing to take lessons, or of sending children to the class, are requested to enter their address, stating number of pupils.
The day of commencing, and place of holding the class, will be afterwards made known.
For terms, etc., address
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22 West Park street, Newark, N. J.
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*Arrive*—7:30, 8 40, A. M., 12:15, 2:30, 5:30 P. M.
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*Close*—7:30 A. M., 4:30 P. M.

Direct mail to Trenton and Philadelphia at 4:30 P. M.

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Office open from 9:30 to 10:30 A. M.
Mail closes at 5:30 P. M.
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"SAVE MONEY!"
By trading at Edsall's.
TO-NIGHT we will ticket out some choice goods at "cut" prices.
EVERY article we offer at these *special low rates* are guaranteed to be of excellent quality.
We do not deal in "seconds" or "damaged" goods.
Come in to-night and we will show you how to make a little money go a good ways.
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CARPETS made and lined free of charge for the balance of this month. New and elegant styles to select from.
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FOR
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Wm. N. Pangborn, Auct'r, will sell at public sale to the highest bidder, in order to settle up the estate of Frazee Lee, deceased, on TUESDAY, OCT. 28, 1890, at 2 o'clock P. M. on the premises, the following valuable improved real estate situated in the city of Plainfield, N. J.:
House and Lot, 206 Broadway; lot 65 ft. front, 200 ft. deep, inside fence. House contains 10 rooms, bath room, heater, etc.
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Terms—10 per cent. on day of sale; part of purchase money can remain on bond and mortgage for a term of years.
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BEST GOODS LOWEST PRICES
Condensed Milk—Champion, 10c; Daisy, 12c; Eagle, 16c per can.
All kinds of Canned Goods sold very low, quality considered.
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Sugar at cost, in 10 lb. lots.
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Finest Elgin Creamery and Choice Country Butter.
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A trial order by postal card solicited. 10 23 m

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PERFECT PARLOR STOVES
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Special attention paid to
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They're Very Fast
THE COLORS IN
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Business Suits,
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FINE TAILORING.
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Will sell his CLOAKS, CAPES, JACKETS and FURS, until disposed of, at the OLD PRICES, notwithstanding the recent advance.
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Large Assortment!
New Goods!!
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And I am ready for it with a full line of
Dress Goods, Underwear, Blankets and Comfortables.
NEW STYLES of Ingrain, Tapestry, and Body Brussel Carpets, Oil Cloths, Etc., at the *LOWEST PRICES*, to which I invite your attention.
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The old reliable Dry Goods, Carpet, and Notion House. 11-13-y

First Annual Clearing Out Sale of WALL PAPER!
The purpose of which is to dispose of our entire stock and renew it exclusively with the new patterns of the coming season. 10 Points worth considering:
FIRST—Our stock is very large, carefully selected, and all this season's goods.
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THIRD—Prices will be the lowest ever offered—bargains being offered daily below cost. Sale closes September 1.
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# NO NEW WATER-WORKS CONTRACT.

## THE CITY FAILS TO SEE THAT THE WATER SUPPLY COMPANY HAVE ANY RIGHTS.

**Mr. Newhall Thinks the Contract Couldn't Be Sold Even Were the Council Willing—Mr. Marsh Hints at the Object of the Suit against Contractor Moore—Mr. Smith and Mr. Hetfield Want to Know about Those Thousand-Dollar Payments—"Chestnuts!" Says Mr. Hetfield to Mr. Smith—That Everlasting Street Railway Makes Him Tired—Electric Wires Overhead and Underground—Speculation in Grave Lots—Teaching a Grasping Corporation What is What.**

Just what rights are possessed by the Plainfield Water Supply Company the city's Water Board have not yet been able to determine; and it is quite evident, from what transpired at last night's meeting of the Common Council, that water-works stamped by the approval of the municipal fathers are still a matter of dim futurity. Whether or not the Watter Supply Company will proceed with the work of construction on the strength of their old-time charter, and in spite of the fact that the Common Council have not officially recognized the prerogatives they claim, remains to be seen.

"The Water Board"—reported Chairman Newhall, when the subject of water-works came up—"has nothing to report but 'progress'— and that means a very little progress. We have had a meeting with a committee from the Water Supply Company, including President Bergen, Mr. Murray and Mr. Waring, and have discussed with them, in an informal manner, their proposition for a new contract with the city. At that meeting they stated quite fully just what they were satisfied with and what not, in the old contract between the city and the Water Works Company of Plainfield. We found, and told them so, that they were inclined to strike out and deprive the city of very much, in the existing contract, of what we thought was right and important. We added, however, that we were willing to receive from them any plan of contract, and in consequence they sent us a draft of such an agreement as they wished to make. The conditions of this proposed contract were such that I took the responsibility of replying—and the rest of Board approved of the course—that we could not recommend to the Council such a contract as was proposed.

"The plans for the distribution of the mains, and a copy of the proposed contract, are here to-night, subject to councilmanic examination, but they are not of such character as the Board can stamp with its approval, and we can only say that we hope the time will come when we can present something which we can recommend."

No one expressed a desire to examine the propositions of the Water Supply Company, and they remained in Mr. Newhall's possession, to be returned to the Company's representatives. Councilman Smith, however, seemed not entirely satisfied with the report of the Board, and stated that he thought something ought to be done "to straighten up the defaulting Water-Works Company's affairs first."

Mr. Newhall evidently understood from this that Mr. Smith feared that the Water Board was paying too much attention to the claims of the Water Supply Company, for he responded that nothing but the most informal talk between the latter's representatives and the Board had been indulged in.

"We have not"—he continued—"officially recognized any rights on their part. We don't know what rights they have, though they claim—pretty much every right one can imagine. They don't say that they have taken possession of the Water-Works Company's affairs. They only say 'We are in position at any moment to take possession.' They also, however, claim great rights under their old charter."

"But"—Mr. Smith insisted—"it seems, according to the public print, that they did get control. The newspaper reports [exclusively those of THE PRESS] have given the terms and specifications in full."

"Still"—was Mr. Newhall's response—"the Water Board has no official knowledge that such a transfer has taken place. We only know that so far as the Water Supply and Water-Works companies are concerned it may take place whenever the Water Supply Company wishes. My impression [this in response to a query from Councilman Hetfield] is that the existing contract between the Water-Works Company and the Council is of such a nature, and is drawn in such a way, that it cannot be assigned to a third party even by the consent of the Council. With this last view Mr. Hetfield coincided.

"It seems to me"—added Mr. Hetfield—"that all of our negotiations ought to be strictly with the Water-Works Company. We ought to have it definitely settled what they are going to do. We are not in a position to recognize any other company."

To this Mr. Newhall responded that the Water Board had no idea whatever that the Water-Works Company were doing anything or had any intentions to do anything towards fulfilling their contract. "We have not heard from them"—he concluded—"and we don't know where they are." This he said in a tone which seemed to imply that the Company had vanished on the winds, and would return—from where, oh where?—oh, nevermore.

But Mr. Hetfield still wanted to know why the Water Board paid so much attention to the Water Supply Company, and Mr. Newhall had to explain that the Board had been acting entirely under the direction of the Council—that Council had instructed the Board to confer with the Company concerning the correspondence of Contractor Moore, of the Water-Works Company, offering a plan for completing the water-works without further trouble or delay.

And when Mr. Hetfield's thirst for knowledge was satisfied, Mr. Smith had thought of something else he wanted to know, and this was—What about that $1,000 per month that the Water-Works Company was to pay?—Did the Water Board make demand for this every month?

"This matter of default"—said Mr. Newhall—"was referred to the Corporation Counsel, who thought it best to defer suit."

That more light on the subject might be had, Mr. Marsh was given the floor, and spoke as follows:

"There is, as you know, a suit pending, to test the constitutionality of the law under which the Water-Works Company was organized. The Company has taken the view that the writ of certiorari in this suit operates as a stay of proceedings on their part. This view we hold to be an erroneous one, but the probabilities were that if we began suit while the constitutionality suit was still pending, an injunction might be obtained to set aside our suit till the other had been decided, and hence we have not begun litigation on the bond. We have, however, made demand for the payment of the $1,000 per month, and have forwarded to the Supreme Court a return writ in response to the writ of certiorari. This suit will come up before the Court probably Nov. 4. My own opinion is that the suit was brought for a particular purpose, and that if the Water Supply Company be granted a contract nothing further will be heard of the suit."

But if no faithful contract for the construction of water-works is to be made, at least street lighting is not to suffer, for the contract with the Plainfield Electric Light Company is to be renewed, with ten years' privileges, as soon as the present contract expires, November 1. The contract is to be but for one year, but its terms are deemed so favorable that the city reserves the right to renew it for an entire decade; and whether or not such renewal be made the Company will still have for ten years the right to maintain for private lighting its poles and wires along the streets. This is all settled by an ordinance that was adopted on its first and second readings last night, and that was ordered engrossed and advertised; and by a resolution, which was also adopted, with all voting aye but Councilmen Roberts and Smith, who voted no, that the Mayor be empowered to execute the public lighting contract. The opposition of Mr. Roberts was against giving the Plainfield Electric Light Company a monopoly of street wiring privileges for ten years, and that of Mr. Smith was against hurrying the contract through, instead of holding it over till the meeting of Nov. 3, when the present contract would but just expire.

Under the terms of the new contract and ordinance no course seems to be left for rival companies, such as the Edison of North Plainfield, but to bury their wires; and the poles of the Plainfield Company are to be for the joint service of the company and the city, which will use them for stringing its fire-alarm wires. A further part of the agreement is that the company will furnish free steam for the blowing of the city's new fire-alarm gong. This far-sounding whistle will be purchased at an early date, as a resolution to expend not more than $300 for one was last night adopted.

The rates for street lighting under the new contract range from $14.60 to $17.50 for each lamp, of 25-candle power, per year. The lamps are to be kept, as now, burning every night from sunset to sunrise. The average cost per lamp must not exceed $16. This is considered an important concession, as most of the new lights which will be added to the city's service from time to time will in reality be $17.50 lamps, being in the outskirts; and the average, without this stipulation, must needs be considerably higher than the price stated.

In connection with the street lighting matter the opinion was expressed, by President Moffett and others, that the Plainfield Electric Light Company deserved to be treated with especial favor, "since no electric light plant in the State comes anywhere near perfection so much as this."

The ordinance to macadamize Cemetery avenue, leading Park avenue to the main entrance at Hillside, was adopted on its third reading and final passage with no one voting against it but Mr. Hetfield, and he stated that the only reason for his opposition was that he favored macadamizing streets in the heart of the town before spending money on those in the outskirts. There was Third street, for instance, which was in a deplorable condition from Peace to Richmond, and which ought to have been put in shape long ago.

To this Mr. Smith suavely responded that the Street Committee, of which he was chairman, didn't macadamize Third street because they expected the new street railway to lay tracks along the thoroughfare and macadamize it inside and outside the rails, to the great economy of the city.

This made Mr. Hetfield say "Chestnuts!" and add that he had heard that chestnutty talk about postponing macadamization because of expected railway improvements till it made him somewhat tired. Mr. Smith smiled serenely, and voted in favor of the Cemetery avenue ordinance, with Councilman Dunham, Gallup, Jenkins, Johnston, Moffett, Newhall, Roberts, Rushmore and Spangenberg.

The matter was not dropped, however, without developing a bit of sensation. Stories had been afloat, it seemed, that the Trustees of the Cemetery Association were making money out of the city in having the city pay for macadamizing the avenue leading to the Hillside gates, and Trustee John W. Murray was given the floor to respond to such unpleasant charges as he saw fit to notice.

Going back to the inception of the Hillside Cemetery plan, Mr. Murray stated that the Board of Trustees had devoted a great deal of time and energy towards bringing the matter to perfection, and at the outset had spent $13,000 more than the purchase price in developing the scheme. They had assumed personal responsibility for heavy indebtedness, and had taken on themselves a great deal of care, all for the public benefit, with no hope whatever of financial benefit. The only adavntage the early projectors ever had in the matter was in being able each to purchase, as the charter stipulated they might, one family plot, strictly for their own family's use, at one-half price. Outside of this privilege the Trustees could not reap one cent's worth of benefit. The Cemetery was entirely a public project. It was the property of the lot-owners. Plainfield would always own it. The lot-owners could at any time remove the Trustees; the poorest lot-owners of all had just as much control over affairs and were just as much benefited by the income to the Cemetery as any others to the Association, and Mr. Murray regretted exceedingly that any charges of speculating in grave lots had been made. The Trustees could never, even if they desired, realize one cent through the Cemetery for all their services.

Councilman Jenkins asked if it wasn't true that the Trustees had been buying up the building lots on Cemetery avenue for speculative purposes. To this Councilman Smith replied that as he understood it the trustees had been compelled to buy the lots along the new thoroughfare from Woodland avenue to Park, in order to get the right of way for the street, but that all benefits from this property would go to the Association, not to the Trustees.

Mr. Murray stated that the Trustees had tried to get only what land was needed, but had had to buy other in order to secure the right of way, as Mr. Smith had said. But the land purchased belonged to the Cemetery Association, and the Trustees could obtain no private accruments through it, no matter what profits might result to the Association.

One other interesting matter came up before the Council adjourned, and that was concerning the maintenance of the news stand recently erected by the Union News Company at the North avenue station of the Central Railroad. The desire of the Company, as expressed in a petition, was to be permitted to erect the building already up, and Mr. Newhall was not long in entering vigorous protest. "I object"—he said—"to having these petitions come in this way after the building is already up. This building has been placed at the station contrary to law. It is not built in such a way as to warrant legal permission being given. This corporation ought to be taught a lesson. It ought to have ascertained the city's rights before begining work."

Considerable discussion followed. Mr. Hetfield said that the building had been brought to Plainfield already constructed in sections and had been put up in two or three hours as a completed structure. As it was only a wooden affair, and was in violation of the ordinances, T. O. Doane, Chief Engineer of the Fire Department, had ordered the News Company to tear it down, and an interview between the Company's representative and Mr. Hetfield had resulted. The Company disclaimed all knowledge of having violated the ordinance, and was willing to do what was right, even to pay a fine and tear the building down: but if a compromise could be arranged—such as leaving the building up and covering it with slate or corrugated iron—that would be preferred.

Mr. Newhall observed that the roof of the building was connected by a second roof, of wood, with the eaves of the telegraph and baggage rooms extension of the passenger station, which to his mind was very objectionable, as assisting the spread of fire. If it took—he said—only two hours to put the building up in sections, let the Company take two other hours, take it down in sections, carry it away out of sight and replace it with a less inflammable structure.

Mr. Newhall tried to get the matter referred to the Committee on Fire and Buildings without power, but had no supporters. It was then referred with power, and the building will probably be made moderately fire-proof externally.

### "Just Hear That Child Scream!"

Said Mrs. Smith to her sister, Mrs. Davis, as the sound of a child's shrieks came across the garden from a neighbor's house. "What kind of a woman have you for a neighbor? Does she abuse her children?" "No, indeed," replied Mrs. Davis. "She is one of the most tender mothers in existence. But you see, she believes in the old-fashioned style of doctoring. When a child needs physic, she fills a spoon with some nauseous dose, lays the little victim flat on her lap, holds his nose till he is forced to open his mouth for breath, when down goes the dreadful mess. Then come the yells." "No wonder," said Mrs. Smith. "Why don't she use Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Purgative Pellets? They are effective without being harsh, and are as easy to take as sugar plums. I always give them to my children." "And so do I," said Mrs. Davis.

### A Whole Company in One Man.

A newspaper man who interviewed Leland Powers, who is to interpret "David Copperfield" at the Crescent Avenue chapel, this evening, says; "With lightning speed Mr. Powers vanished. On the same square of carpet where he had stood was the oleaginous, cringing form of Uriah Heep. The hair was slightly disheveled, the head was drawn forward and down between the shoulders, with the chin pointing to the left, the eyes were rolled meekly upward, as though in silent prayer, while the hands became clinging, repulsive claws, affectionately caressing each other on a level with the chin. A moment, and Uriah or unpleasant memory left the room, ghost fashion, and his place was instantly filled by the confident, ease-loving Wilkins Micawber. He stood there waiting for something to turn up, just as the Dickens reader has always pictured him. The head was thrown back and inclined slightly to the right, the right hand was held aloft, palm upward in true declamatory style, while the left caressed the vest chain. Then came half a dozen characters from David Garrick, including Simon Ingot, and finally Mr. Powers himself came back from mysterious space."

### Three Preparatory Meetings Next Week.

The Devotional Committee for the Mills' meetings have arranged for three union prayer meetings next week, on Tuesday, Thursday and Friday evenings. The meeting on Tuesday evening will be held in the Methodist Episcopal church, and will be led by the Rev. Cornelius Schenck. The subject will be, "Search Me." Psalm CXXXIX, 1-12.

The Thursday night meeting will be held in the Trinity Reformed church, and will be led by the Rev. Asa Dilts. The subject will be, "What Can I render unto the Lord?" Psalm CXVI, 12-14. The Friday night meeting will be held in the Seventh Day Baptist church, and be led by the Rev. C. L. Goodrich. The subject will be, "Concern for Lost Men," Jer. IX, 1, and Psalm CXXVI, 5-6. The music each evening will be in charge of the church where the meeting is held. The sermons will begin promptly at eight o'clock.


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Willie has trained Colonel to perform many cunning tricks.

He is generally very dignified, and never shows any disposition to hurt dogs that are smaller than himself.

If they annoy him, he will show his teeth occasionally, but that is all. Willie says he is then laughing at them; but the dogs act as if they understood it to be a hint to keep out of his way.

I am sorry to say that Colonel sometimes loses his temper. He can not endure the presence of a cat.

One day Willie hitched him to the cart, and went down-town for some kerosene. After getting the oil he hung it on the back of the cart, climbed in, and started for home.

Colonel trotted along as usual, until suddenly a cat came out of an alley just in front of him, and ran across the street.

This was too much for the dog, and he started after the cat taking his load with him.

Willie tried to check him, but did not succeed.

The cat, in order to escape, jumped over the pickets.

The dog followed.

Willie got off just in time, but the can of oil remained.

The cart caught in the fence and held Colonel fast, tipping the can in such a way that his beautiful fur coat was thoroughly drenched with oil.

Poor Colonel was taught a double lesson: that it is undignified for a big dog to chase a cat, and that a shower of kerosene makes an exceedingly disagreeable bath.—Mrs. J. S. Lowe, in Our Little Ones.

## STRENGTH OF INSECTS.

**Some Very Interesting Experiments with Well-Known Specimens.**

BROWN SNAPPER.

THE writer of this article enters upon a field seldom explored, the recording of experiments on the strength and agility of insects common to our fields and woods, says the Philadelphia Times' correspondent. Accurate tests have been made and fine scales used in order to arrive at correct results.

The insects upon which experiments have been made include beetles, bugs, flies, moths, hornets, grasshoppers, etc. Of all these the most sturdy and powerful have been found to be the hard-shelled, compact and heavy-limbed beetles, coleoptera. As the result of careful and repeated tests the foremost place must be given to euphoria inda, a beetle of medium size, not sufficiently abundant to have received as yet any popular name.

This little giant—shall we call him him the Samson beetle—is of a dull brown color, with fine spots of a darker brown. When on the wing he has a bee-like motion, and unlike many beetles, has the power of controlling the direction of his flight. He is often seen flying over ploughed ground or banks of loose earth, into which he burrows rapidly, and then calls into play his wonderful lifting powers.

A selected individual of this species, whose weight was found to be four and two tenths grains, sustained on its back

THE "SAMSON" AND THE BLACK WATER BEETLE.

small sacks of shot weighing eight and one-fourth ounces, or exactly eight hundred and fifty-eight times his own weight. If a man weighing one hundred and fifty pounds could do as well proportionately he would have little trouble in shouldering a locomotive engine weighing forty-five tons, and by putting forth his utmost strength, as the beetle did, he could stagger under a weight of sixty tons.

A larger and heavier black beetle, passalus cornutus, often found in old stumps and decayed logs, himself weighing eight grains, can sustain a weight of six ounces, making a mass of lead about equal to his own bulk and three hundred and thirty-two times his weight. A common lady-bug, the little round-backed red fellow, with two black spots on his wing-covers, moved five hundred times his own weight.

Among the larger beetles the gold-bug sustained ten ounces, his own weight being just one-five hundred and twenty-sixth of that figure, and the large, brown, long-legged pinching bug almost ran under a ten-ounce bag of shot, nearly six hundred times the weight at which he turned the scale. The great black water-beetle, dytiscus, fairly seemed to smile as the writer piled the little bags of lead upon his broad back, and not until more than a pound was reached did he acknowledge a weight that he could not budge. Though he lifted nearly twice as much as the euphoria, he was four times as heavy, and barely got away with three hundred times his own weight.

Leaving the beetles, the writer has found no such strength among the other orders. Yet the hard-shelled hymenoptera, the ants especially, are able to show considerable power. A common black ant runs almost as swiftly while holding a dead fly of its own weight in its jaws as it does without the fly. The red grass ant carries a piece of leaf three times as long as itself, and nearly as broad as long, held high in its jaws, and runs swiftly with it over obstacles of every sort, some of which are to the little fellow what a two-story house would be to a man.

Let us next consider the leaping and running powers of insects. The following test was make with the slim brown and green grasshopper commonly seen with full-grown wings in May and June. His wings were cut off close to his body, after which the average length of his hop was found to be seventeen inches, or just twenty-one times his own length. Another individual of the same species, but smaller, hopped twenty-six times his own length; and a third, still smaller, with wings just starting to grow, made a leap of thirty-eight inches, equal to fifty-two times his own length. The cutting of the wings of the first two may possibly have affected their performance.

CHAMPION JUMPER.

The best record on the part of the katydid family was made by a larva three-eighths of an inch long, which hopped thirteen inches, or about thirty-five times its own length. This shows that the leaping power of the katydids compares well with that of their cousins, the grasshoppers.

The hop of that little black pest, "the wicked flea," is not a far-reaching leap, but a standing high jump of great power. If the same exertion were put into a leap for distance the flea would doubtless outstrip all rivals except a few of the treehoppers and some of the podurides, whose magical performances rank them as the champion jumpers of the entire animal kingdom.

The treehoppers form a very large group, almost endless in the number of species and varieties. Among these the small, thick-set larva of the fluff-pug, pink and white, with ringed abdomen, makes a hop of seven inches, or one hundred and seventy-five times his length. A flat, blunt-headed tree hopper, a pupa without wings, shot from my hand and reached a grass stalk higher up at a distance of two hundred and forty-eight times his own length. I could not recapture him for another trial.

Finally a little champion, one-fiftieth of an inch long, cleared a distance of ten and one-half inches, or five hundred and twenty-five times his own length! This caps the climax and out-fleas the flea. If a horse seven feet long were possessed of proportionate agility he could make a flying leap of twelve hundred yards.

## BIRD TALK.

**The Little Feathered Creatures Have a Language of Their Own.**

Do birds really understand each other? is the question that has often puzzled us as we listened to the chatter of the orchard birds. A correspondent of the Scotsman tells what he has noticed. "A brood of sparrows," he says, "had been hatched under the eaves of a house contiguous to mine, and on leaving the nest the family came *en masse* to my shrubberies for several consecutive mornings. One of the young birds, which had a singular grating and disagreeable chirp, was systematically boycotted for several days; but at last the parent birds, evidently taking pity on the poor, forlorn creature, came with the rest of the brood, and taking up a position in a fir-tree a few yards from the laurel, in which the desolate fledgling was sitting, all commenced to chirp most vigorously in perfect unison.

"The poor little fellow for some time tried strenuously, but vainly, to imitate the sound. At length he began to lower his notes by a most delicate system of semi-chromatics, till, in response to the apparently encouraging cries of his friends, he hit the real note. Then his tones became simply blatant, but continued perfectly correct, and he was at once welcomed into the family group, and all flew off in a high state of excitement and jubilation on a feeding expedition. I am sorry to say that on several occasions the sparrow has relapsed, but by the aid of his friends he always manages to get the correct family note, and the same rejoicings are repeated over the return of the 'one that has gone astray.'"

MODERN LIGHT AND HEAT estimates the capital invested in electric lighting plants in the United States has reached the enormous aggregate of $118,758,500, and there are at the present time in use 1,590,667 incandescent lights, 127,441 arc lights and 1,379 stations. These figures tend in a measure to show the importance to which electricity has advanced within a few years. This does not consider the thousand and one applications of the element other than lighting.

PAPER tough as wood is said now to be made by mixing chloride of zinc with the pulp in the course of manufacture. It has been found that the greater the degree of concentration of the zinc solution, the greater will be the toughness of the paper. It can be used for making gas pipes, boxes, combs, for roofing, and even it is added, for making boats.

# SECRET SOCIETIES.

**Masonic.**

The fifty-first annual communication of the Grand Lodge of Illinois opened last Tuesday morning at Central Music Hall, Chicago. Nearly every lodge in the jurisdiction was represented, and nearly eight hundred Masons from every part of the State were in attendance. The Grand Lodge was opened in ample form by Grand Master John M. Pierson, and the report of the Grand Secretary, Loyal L. Munn, showed a decided increase in lodges and membership during the past year. The report of the committee on Masonic correspondence was presented by the veteran Masonic writer, Joseph Robbins, and was in print and ready for distribution among the representatives at the opening of the session.

The proceedings of over fifty-two grand lodges were reviewed, and in this way the representatives had an opportunity to know the condition of legislation in sister jurisdictions before undertaking to make laws in their own. This was an unusual feature of grand lodge proceedings, and gave general satisfaction. The business of the session was of a routine character, and all the Grand Lodge officers were re-elected, as is the custom in that jurisdiction, for a second term.

Freemasonry in Scotland has sustained a great loss by the death of the Earl of Rosslyn, who served as Grand Master since 1870. He was also Sovereign Grand Commander of the Supreme Council Thirty-third and last degree, and took an active part in the installation of the Prince of Wales as Grand Master of England in 1875.

The Masonic Relief Association of the United States and Canada has issued a list of eight hundred Masonic tramps and imposters who have been making the round of the lodges and procuring aid under false pretenses.

A list of banquet fiends is now badly needed in many, if not all, the jurisdictions.

The annual conclave of Knights Templar of New York was held last week at the city of Auburn, in that State. The parade and drill was the finest ever given by the order. Over 1,000 Sir Knights were in line representing seventeen commanderies from various parts of the State.

**Knights of Pythias.**

The members of the Uniform rank in Chicago are preparing for an elaborate church service this year which will be conducted by Rev. T. G. Milsted, the eloquent Unitarian preacher who occupies the pulpit of Unity Church, made famous by the ministrations of Rev. Robert Collyer.

The Uniform rank in Indiana seems to be growing in members and influence. A new division has just been instituted at Hammond, composed of a number of representative citizens, and another at Monon, with thirty-two members out of a total membership of fifty-five.

**Grand Army.**

A movement is on foot to erect a monument to the colored soldiers and sailors who were killed in the war of the rebellion. A society has been formed in New York under the name of the National Colored Monument Association, and steps will be taken at once to raise funds for the structure.

The public contributions to the General John A. Logan monument fund now amount to nearly thirteen thousand dollars. This is exclusive of the sum appropriated by Congress.

An effort is being made to raise funds for the erection of a suitable monument at Decatur, Ill., to mark the place where the first Grand Army post was organized in 1866.

**National Union.**

An interesting reunion and entertainment will be given by the order in Chicago, October 31, under the auspices of Cook County Cabinet. The purpose is to awaken an interest in the councils in that city and provide an opportunity to make the general public acquainted with the work and principles of the order.

**Royal Arcanum.**

A system of official visitations that has been organized in Illinois has been attended with excellent results. The council attendance has improved considerably and the membership appears to be increasing. Royal Arcanum night at the Chicago exposition October 4 was a great success. The order turned out in large numbers and made an excellent impression and provided a very good evening's enjoyment.

McDOUGALL.

**Success of Vaccination in Germany.**

Under the law of Germany making vaccination compulsory and providing for revaccination at stated periods of life, says the Sanitary Inspector, small-pox is almost completely disappearing from the German Empire. A late official report states that in 1888 only one hundred and ten deaths from small-pox occurred in the whole Empire, and that this number is fifty-eight fewer than occurred in 1887, and eighty-seven fewer than in 1886. Of the one hundred and ten deaths, eighty-eight, or about four-fifths of the whole number, occurred in those parts of the Empire immediately bordering other countries not well protected by vaccination, and in which there is constant intercourse between the vaccinated and the unvaccinated sides of the boundary. More than one-third of all the deaths occurred in the Prussian province of Posen. Comparing the small-pox death-rate of the large cities of other countries with that of the larger cities of Germany, it was one hundred and thirty-six times as great in the cities of Austria, thirty times as great in those of Hungary, sixteen times as great in those of England, twenty-four times as great in those of Belgium, and twice as great in those of Switzerland as in the German cities.


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| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Anthony Henrietta h and 5 lots 235 - 243 W Seventh street | | 98 10 |
| Boice est of C h and l 71 and 73 E Front st | | 152 60 |
| " " lot 85 to 89 Dunellen avenue | | 4 36 |
| Brewster J L lots Broadway | | 10 90 |
| Bond Selena E lot 15 Jackson avenue | | 2 18 |
| " " lot 12 Netherwood avenue | | 2 18 |
| " " lot 19 " " | | 2 18 |
| Bliven Edward M lot 69 Prospect avenue | | 4 36 |
| Bogart B F h and l 333 W Sixth street | | 26 16 |
| Brannan James h and l 17 Rose street | | 6 54 |
| Bastedendeck Henry lot 4 Prescott place | | 2 18 |
| Bonnerachs J W A lot | | 2 18 |
| Bundy Henry h and l Elizabeth street | | 8 72 |
| Cole est of Elias h b and 60 acres 260 to 304 E Front street | | 218 00 |
| Cole Jas est of Sarah h and 18 acres 312 to 330 E Front street | | 76 30 |
| Campbell Mrs John O h and l 53 E 5th st | | 19 05 |
| Cole est of Elias h l and b and 1¾ acres South avenue | | 32 70 |
| Cowan Margaret lot 65 Kensington avenue | | 5 45 |
| Cuff Lewis H h and l east of Belvidere ave | | 2 18 |
| Casey Patrick h and l 21 to 25 W 3d street | | 20 24 |
| Collins John E lot 59 W 4th street | | 4 36 |
| Conway Mary h and l 92 W 4th street | | 6 54 |
| Clark John & John Cahoes lot 6 Lee place | | 2 18 |
| Craig William J h and 18 acres 216 to 240 Dunellen avenue | | 95 92 |
| Chase Winfield h and l 469 W Front street | | 4 36 |
| Cole est of Elias lots 58 to 68 Jefferson ave | | 6 54 |
| Day Richard H lot Woodland avenue | | 1 09 |
| Darling William S h and l 236 South ave | | 39 24 |
| " " lot 300 feet rear of Brown's Ravine road | | 3 27 |
| Darling Emma h and l 22 - 34 Railway road | | 98 10 |
| " " lots 177-193 Woodland ave | | 6 54 |
| " " lots north side Prospect ave | | 4 91 |
| " " lots south side Prospect ave | | 9 27 |
| Dadey est of Patrick or Mary h and l 80 W 3d street | | 19 62 |
| Dunn Solomon F h l and shop 66 Park ave | | 37 06 |
| Dunham Joseph T h and l 30 Arlington ave | | 26 16 |
| Darling Wm S 2 lots 23 and 25 Clinton ave | | 4 36 |
| Frazee James R lot 230 E 2d street | | 2 18 |
| Fish Ferdinand lot 16 Richmond st (north) | | 5 45 |
| Flynn Bernhard h and l 152 Terrell road | | 8 72 |
| Fisk Alexander P h and l 124 to 152 Woodland avenue | | 109 00 |
| Fritz Adam h and l 17 Exchange valley | | 10 90 |
| Fisher est of Abram h and l 83 W 3d street | | 10 90 |
| Flannigan P J lot 467 South 2d street | | 1 00 |
| Flynn Ann 2 h and lot 34 and 36 W 3d street | | 10 90 |
| Field Mr lot 60 ft front W 6th street 350 | | 1 09 |
| Force James H lot 5 feet front 40½ E 2d st | | 1 64 |
| Huff Adelia J 37 W 7th stseet | | 21 80 |
| Hart Carrie lot 27 Jackson avenue | | 2 18 |
| Hart Carrie 2 lots 42 and 44 Netherwood ave | | 4 36 |
| Hart Levi E 3 lots 30 to 34 " " | | 6 54 |
| Henderson Rachel C farm land ¾ acres Randolph road | | 11 45 |
| Harding John h and l 159-161 south 2d st | | 13 08 |
| Horseman George W h and lot 19 W 3d st | | 26 16 |
| Harris J T 8 lots 230 to 244 W 7th street | | 9 81 |
| Harris J T 12 lots 213 to 233 W 7th street | | 16 35 |
| Huff est of Rachel h and 464 Park avenue | | 21 80 |
| Henderson Rachael C lots 26 and 34 Rose st | | 2 44 |
| " " 2 l 205-207 Arlington ave | | 4 36 |
| Jones est of Lewis h and 242E Front st | | 26 16 |
| Jones Kate A 3 lots 194-198 La Grande ave | | 6 54 |
| " " lots 7 to 11 Kensington ave | | 6 54 |
| " " h and l 13 Kensington ave with lot to Webster place | | 32 70 |
| Jones Emma A 15 l to 186 LaGrande avenue | | 32 70 |
| " l lot La Grande avenue on left W of Berckman street | | 4 36 |
| Jones Emma A l lot La Grande avenue on left E of Berckman street | | 4 36 |
| Jones Emma A 8 2 to 22 Carleton avenue | | 17 44 |
| " " 5 lots 1 to 15 " " | | 10 90 |
| " " 5 lots 88 to 102 Richmond st | | 10 90 |
| " " 2 lots 87 and 91 " " | | 4 36 |
| " " 4 lots 9 to 15 Putnam street | | 13 08 |
| " " 3 lots 23 to 27 " " | | 32 70 |
| Jimerson Aaron L h and 7 acres 189 to 207 Leland avenue | | 32 70 |
| Jacot Mr 4 l 15 ft each W 5th st 357 to 359 | | 1 09 |
| Kellar Susie E h and l 97 E Front street | | 27 25 |
| Ketcham Chas E h and l 34 Kensington ave | | 43 60 |
| Kane John h and l 88 W 3d street | | 4 36 |
| Kilpatrick, Matthew h and l 79 W 6th st | | 9 81 |
| Lefler, Harriet h and l 255 La Grande ave bal | | 5 10 |
| Leonard, Wm J h and l 103 and 105 w Front st | | 47 96 |
| Leonard, Wm J ½ interest in farm 138 to 17 0 Plainfield Ave | | 38 97 |
| Lee, Thomas h and 2 l 95 and 97 s 2d st bal | | 8 26 |
| Lane, Mary M 8 l Pemberton, Field, Elizabeth and Central aves | | 13 08 |
| Lewis, Israel s and l 10 Park ave | | 27 25 |
| Mulford, Eliza h and l 44 e 1st st | | 32 70 |
| Mabin, Alanson h and 2 l 13 and 15 e 6th st | | 54 50 |
| Martine, James E h and l 2 e 9th st | | 21 80 |
| Martine, Anna M h and l 6 e 9th st | | 59 86 |
| Martine;, estate of D h b and f land 116 a 146 to 160 Broadway | | 381 50 |
| Miller, Caroline A h and l 181 Park ave | | 76 30 |
| Martin, Mrs David l 2 George st | | 1 09 |
| Miller, Wm H h and l 34 w 2d st | | 49 05 |
| Motley, Patrick h and l 79 w 2d st | | 4 36 |
| McNamara, Patrick h and l 129 s 2d st | | 6 54 |
| McDonough, Peter h and l 153 w 3d st | | 15 26 |
| Manning, Wm h and l 77 w 4th st | | 8 72 |
| Marsh, Lucy A h and l 15 w 5th st | | 32 98 |
| Moe, Experience h and l 25 and 27 w 5th street | | 39 24 |
| McLaughlin, 9 lots 25 ft ea 321 to 329 W 5th street | | 2 18 |
| Meyer Segmund T. Lot 200 ft front W 6th street 340 to 348 | | 4 36 |
| McCarthy Chas. 2 h & l 21 and 23 Plainfield ave | | 19 62 |
| Marsh Randolph, h & l 44 Plainfield ave | | 19 62 |
| Murphy, Elizabeth and Mary h and 2 l 5 and 7 Stebbins place | | 21 80 |
| Madden, William h and l 471 w Front cor-half owner | | 4 36 |
| O'Neil, Jas and Richard triangle l 172 s 2d st | | 15 26 |
| O'Neil, Jas and Richard h and l 176 s 2d st | | 17 44 |
| O'Neil, Jas one-half s and l 178 s 2d st | | 17 44 |
| O'Neil, Richard one-half s and l 178 s 2d st | | 13 08 |
| O'Keefe, John h and l 81 w 5th st | | 13 08 |
| O'Riley Bros., 11 l 189 to 209 w 7th st | | 23 98 |
| Obi, Caroline J 6 l and 39 s Pemberton ave, etc | | 45 78 |
| Pike, estate of Josephine W ⅔ interest h and l 192 to 196 E Front st | | 58 14 |
| Pike, Virginia ⅓ interest h and l 122 to 126 E Front st | | 29 07 |
| Perrine, James R h and l 5 La Grande ave | | 76 30 |
| Pringle, Mr l Hillside ave n Randolph road | | 2 18 |
| Pound, Daniel S h and l 378 to 380 w Front street | | 8 26 |
| Reed, David or Martin Colburn 2 l 215 to 217 e 2d st | | 8 72 |
| Reed, O B l 219 e 2d st | | 4 36 |
| Richardson, Maggie h and l 53 E 6th st to 345 Park ave | | 32 70 |
| Roll, Chancellor h and l 9 and 11 Peace street | | 32 70 |
| Rogers, Marietta h and l 59 Madison av bal | | 29 70 |
| Sundam, Martha 2 s 21 and 23 e front st bal | | 62 87 |
| Schorb, Elizabeth 3 story b h e Front st bal | | 102 77 |
| Smalley, Morgan R l Hillside ave | | 3 82 |
| Smalley, Morgan R 5¼ s f l Randolph road | | 11 45 |
| Smalley, Samuel T s f l Randolph road | | 15 26 |
| Smalley, Mary B h and l 243 to 276 Woodland ave | | 15 26 |
| Smith, Henry W l Raymond ave | | 21 80 |
| Sauerman, Mary Alice f Belvidere ave | | 1 09 |
| Smith, Ferdinand O h and l 196 w Front street | | 1 64 |
| Stephen, estate of John C h and l 25 and 27 w 2d st | | 26 16 |
| Scott, Nell l 15 Pearse street | | 43 60 |
| Scribner, Mr l 321 to 323 e 2d st | | 2 18 |
| Smalley, Morgan R l 16 Rose st | | 6 54 |
| Smalley, Samuel l 30 to 34 Rose st | | 1 31 |
| Smalley, Samuel l 220 Arlington ave | | 3 05 |
| Smalley, Samuel l 220 Arlington ave | | 2 18 |
| Smalley, Samuel l 213 Arlington ave | | 2 18 |
| Salzman, Mrs Elise h & l 129 Central a | | 117 72 |
| Smith, James F h and l 14 Elmwood pl | | 19 34 |
| Steward, David F h and l 17 John st | | 8 72 |
| Thompson, est of Daniel— | | |
| 3 l 215 to 220 e Front st | | 17 44 |
| 8 l 38 to 52 Jackson ave | | 17 44 |
| 6 l 54 to 64 Jackson ave | | 13 08 |
| 3 l 66 to 70 Jackson ave | | 6 54 |
| 1 247 to 249 North ave | | 5 45 |
| 1 2 to 12 New Front st | | 13 08 |
| Terry, Geo W 2 l 67 to 69 Netherwood av | | 6 54 |
| Taylor, H l 348 w 5th st, 38 ft front | | 55 |
| Ulrich, est of Henry h and l 64 to 66 w 6th st | | 21 80 |
| Unknown Owners— | | |
| 4 l 305 to 311 e Front st | | 10 90 |
| 2 l 184 to 186 e 2nd st | | 10 90 |
| 3 l 249, 251 and 253 e 2nd st | | 6 54 |
| 1 55 Midway ave | | 2 18 |
| 3 l 32 to 38 Webster place | | 6 54 |
| 1 39 to 47 Highland ave | | 13 08 |
| 1 7 Johnston ave | | 2 18 |
| 1 13 Johnston ave | | 2 18 |
| 4 l 18, 20, 22, 24 Johnston ave | | 8 72 |
| 1 7 Jackson ave | | 2 18 |
| 1 25 " " | | 2 18 |
| 1 8 " " | | 2 18 |
| 1 18 " " | | 2 18 |
| 1 3 George st | | 55 |
| 2 l 17 to 19 George st | | 101 |
| Land on North ave, on right from Bill ave to Johnston | | 26 16 |
| 1 27 to 29 Rose st | | 2 18 |
| 1 35 to 37 Rose st | | 2 18 |
| 1 197 Arlington ave | | 2 18 |
| 1 201 Arlington ave | | 2 18 |
| Vail, Catharine S h and l 73 e 2d st | | 32 70 |
| Vansinderin, Clara h and l 38 e 4th st | | 21 80 |
| Vermeule, Farah A h and l 5 and 7 Pearse st | | 21 80 |
| Vail, Hulda M— | | |
| 1 21 Elm place | | 1 09 |
| h and l 74 to 78 Dunellen ave | | 17 44 |
| 1 80 to 84 Dunellen ave | | 4 36 |
| Van Winkle, Jeremiah h and l 3 Central ave | | 15 26 |
| Wiley, Franklin h, b and 12 a 349 to 375 e Front st to Terrell road | | 76 30 |
| Weber, Anna C h and s 69 e 2d st | | 26 16 |
| Woodruff, James M l e of Belvidere av | | 2 18 |
| Whitehead, est of Frazee 2 h (1 in rear) and l 230 w Front st | | 32 70 |
| Wyckkoff, est of Jane h and l 61 w 2d st | | 3 82 |
| Wells, Wm H 1430 ft front 355 to 369 w 6th st | | 9 27 |
| Wierenga, John h and 2 s Randolph rd | | 6 54 |
| Watson, James E l 100 ft front 228 Central ave | | 4 36 |
| Young, est of Emma H h and l Elm pl | | 26 16 |
| O'Rourke, John l 7 Essex st | | 2 18 |

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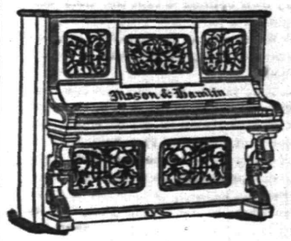


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## SWEPT BY FLAMES

### Several Vessels and Ware houses Burned in Mobile.

THE LOSSES OVER A MILLION.

The Most Serious Conflagration in the South Since the War.

The Fire Department Helpless—Thousands of Bales of Cotton Destroyed—The Fire Extended Over Twenty Squares—For a Time All the Sailing Vessels in the Harbor Were Threatened.

MOBILE, Ala., Oct. 27.—A fire during the morning in the cotton gin and shipping district destroyed eleven steamers and over one million dollars worth of cotton gins, wharves and shipping depots.

The local fire department was incapable of doing any effective work to check the spread of the flames. For a time all the sailing vessels in the harbor were threatened. The wind carried sparks a great distance, and many small fires were started where cotton was exposed.

The fire started in a shingle mill near the river front just outside the northern boundary of the city limits at 12:40 o'clock.

In Goodman's mill, near the shingle factory, were stored about 900 bales of cotton. They were soon ablaze, and the sparks from the cotton carried by the wind next communicated the flames to Brown's warehouse, and running back to Magnolia street to the southwest to the Mobile Mills and to the wharf front.

The flames swept on down the wharf of the city and before the fire was finally checked eleven vessels had been burned.

More than twenty squares were burned, bounded by Beauregard, Magnolia and St. Louis streets and the river. The tracks of all railroads centering here have been obstructed by the debris in the burned district and trains are delayed.

It was the most serious fire in this section of the country since the war. The loss amounts to over a million. The insurance is small in comparison.

### A TOWN FLOODED.

The People of Temple, Tex., Watch the Destruction of Their Homes.

TEMPLE, Tex., Oct. 27.—Two hundred and eighty thousand gallons of water confined in the steel standpipe broke out and flooded the town. Immense sheets of boiler steel, hundreds of pieces of scaffoldings, houses, barns, fences and all the debris of the surrounding neighborhood went floating and crashing in every direction. The people of the town were awakened and stood in frightened groups watching the destruction of their homes and property. The house of C. T. Rigdon was crushed like an eggshell, and afterward took fire from an overturned lamp and was burned. Rigdon was seriously burned and his recovery is doubtful.

Lying out toward the street were sixteen sections of the pipe, a great hollow cylinder twenty feet in diameter, of the heaviest boiler steel. The lower portions were thrown in a different direction. They were torn, twisted and crumpled.

Several barns and sheds near by were washed away. The fences of the neighborhood are gone, and all over the streets, alleys and yard are scattered the contents of houses and barns. The damage is heavy outside of the standpipe itself. All the houses around were flooded with water. The accident cannot be accounted for. No flaws are apparent in any of the broken pieces and the workmanship appears to be first class.

The foundation is still there, solid and unharmed except in one place where a gash two feet long is cut through the bottom and two rocks are washed away.

**Branch House in London.**

PITTSBURG, Oct. 27.—Richard S. Waring, the inventor of the Waring underground cable, has just returned from a European trip. While abroad he arranged for the erection of a number of factories in Europe, made necessary by the new tariff law. The company, which has its headquarters in this city, is capitalized to the amount of $1,000,000. The English company just started has a capital of £2,000. Of this amount one-half has been paid in and the remainder is subject to ten days' notice.

**Shot His Wife Accidentally.**

MT. HOLLY, N. J., Oct. 27.—Effie Johnson was accidentally shot and probably fatally wounded by her husband, in their home at Vincentown. Johnson was in the act of disrobing, when a pistol in his trousers pocket was accidentally discharged. The bullet struck Mrs. Johnson in the side of the head and lodged in her neck. The physicians have attempted to extract the bullet, but without success. It is thought she will die.

**Ben Butler Coming Home.**

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Oct. 27.—Hon. Benjamin Butler passed through Kansas City this morning on his way home from the Pacific Coast. To a reporter he said that he was very weary of his long trip. He said he was a back number now, and could not say anything that would interest the people.

**An Axe Driven Into His Skull.**

SCRANTON, Pa., Oct. 27.—Andro Pedito was fatally injured by having an axe driven into his skull. He cannot recover. There was a race fight between Poles and Hungarians, during which several were wounded.

### WILL POWDERLY WITHDRAW?

The Knights of Labor May Have a New Leader.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 27.—In two weeks the General Assembly of the Knights of Labor will convene in Denver, and much interest exists as to the course that will be pursued by Mr. Powderly. Not merely are Knights of Labor interested in the subject, but trades unions and employers as well, for should Powderly decide not to be a candidate the whole policy of the order might be changed. Its relations to what are called "open unions" might be materially altered, and a closer bond might be established. On the other hand, a more aggressive course toward other labor organizations and employers might also be established, which would result in general chaos in the industrial field.

It is for these reasons that more or less anxiety exists on the approach of an election. This year there is a well defined understanding among the friends of Mr. Powderly that he will refuse to be a candidate to succeed himself. There is no doubt that he is almost tired of the eleven years' toil, and has expressed himself as willing to lay down the office.

A reporter saw Mr. Powerly here and put the question whether he would again be a candidate for general master workman.

"What I am going to do," said Mr. Powderly, smiling, "no one knows but myself; not even my wife. Nor shall I say until the time arrives."

### INVESTED WITH THE PALLIUM.

Great Gathering of Bishops and Priests at Kingston.

KINGSTON, Ont., Oct. 27.—Archbishop Cleary was invested with the pallium yesterday. Cardinal Taschereau conducted the investure. St. Mary's Cathedral was magnificently decorated and the audience packed every part of the great edifice.

There were eight bishops and over 100 priests in attendance, including Cardinal Taschereau, Archbishop Walsh of Toronto, Bishops from Rochester, N. Y., Trenton, N. J., and a number of priests from Brooklyn, Albany, Rochester and other points in the States.

After the investure Bishop McQuaid of Rochester, N. Y., delivered a sermon on the spread of the Catholic faith in America. A banquet was spread in the palace, followed by a reception by the Cardinal. Last evening Bishop Farrell of Trenton, N. J., delivered a vigorous sermon.

**Explosion of a Fly Wheel.**

LYNN, Mass., Oct. 27.—A large fly wheel, twenty feet in diameter, exploded at the power station of the Lynn Gas and Electric Company on Pleasant street. One section of the wheel went through a corner at the front end of the building, tearing out a large hole in the brick side wall and also in the roof. The large piece of iron wheel struck the wooden building adjoining, tearing out a section of the side frame. The other piece of the wheel went out through the opposite corner, making another big hole in the brick wall and roof and wiping out the power station office. The loss is about $12,000. No one was injured.

**The Haytien Mission.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 27.—Ebenezer B. Bassett, secretary of the United States Legation at Hayti, sailed from here for his post at Port-au-Prince on the steamer Prinz Wilhelm III. The fact that Mr. Bassett returns to Hayti alone and that his chief, Minister Frederick Douglass, remains at Washington, has given rise to many rumors, the most common being that Mr. Bassett, on his arrival at Hayti, or shortly afterward, will receive the appointment as Minister, Fred Douglass having in the meantime resigned.

**Boom in Pearl-Button Making.**

NEWARK, N. J., Oct. 27.—Pearl button makers of this city are forming a company with New Jersey capitalists, in consequence of the new tariff on pearl. There are 100 pearl operators in Newark and they are working double time. The factories in Vineland, N. J.; Springfield, Mass.; Philadelphia, New York and elsewhere employ altogether 2,000 men. For twelve years the business has languished.

**To Sell Ex-Congressman Scott's Horses.**

ERIE, Pa., Oct. 27.—Hon. W. L. Scott, of this city, has notified Mr. W. Easton, of New York, that he will sell his entire stable of race horses in training and yearlings, thirty-five head in all, on Thursday Nov. 20, in New York. Among the lot are such good horses as Torso, Banquet, Chaos and the two-year-old Bolero.

**Poison in Griddle Cakes.**

UTICA, N. Y., Oct. 27.—Cora Van Hoosen, aged 22, of Yorkville, a suburb of this city, died from rat poison, eaten in griddle cakes. Her mother had mixed the poison with flour and meal in a basin and placed it on a shelf in the pantry to kill mice. While she was absent from home Cora and her sisters made griddle cakes of the mixture. After eating them all were taken violently ill and Cora died.

## WASHINGTON TOPICS

### Minister Mizner Upheld by the State Department.

HE DID NOT EXCEED HIS DUTY.

Reports Received by the Marines' Hospital Bureau from the Cholera Districts.

The Epidemic Increasing in Some Localities—The Proposed Methodist University—Iron and Steel Men Leave for New York—Mrs. Harrison to Visit Indianapolis—Voters Leaving for Their Homes.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 27.—It is understood that Mr. Mizner, our Minister to Central America, has received from Secretary Blaine assurances of the approval of the President of his conduct in the Barrundia case, and has been fully justified in the course he pursued.

This information comes from the City of Guatemala. According to the announcement Minister Mizner is held not to have exceeded his duty. On the contrary, he went further in the matter in the interest of General Barrundia and his family than he was required to do. He secured a written guarantee from the President of Guatemala and the Minister of Foreign Relations, made to the Government of the United States, that in no case would the life of General Barrundia be in danger. Minister Mizner so stated in his letter to Captain Pitts, which was read and translated to Barrundia.

### CHOLERA REPORTS.

The Epidemic Continues in Spain and Is Increasing in Turkey.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 27.—Advices received at the Marine Hospital Bureau from the United States Consul at St. Helena reports the appearance of cholera at Meskene and Aleppo.

Advices from Spain state that the cholera epidemic continues, but its presence in Barcelona is not officially confirmed.

Reports from Abyssinia say the epidemic is intense in the localities occupied by Italian troops, and at Massowah about sixty deaths occur daily from the disease.

Reports from Russia state that the actual presence of cholera is not reported, but some cities in the south are suspected, but nothing definite is known.

Reports from France state that the sanitary condition is very satisfactory and no cases of cholera have been reported.

The report from Italy states that according to information received from private sources many fatal cases of cholera have occurred in Venice. The Italian Government has deferred the return of troops from the Red Sea colony.

Advices from Constantinople say that the late cholera reports are very unfavorable, and show that the epidemic is increasing in extent and intensity. The appearance of the disease at Aleppo, to which place it was imported from Meskene, is very serious.

**Voters in Demand.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 27.—Considerable activity is displayed by the local political committees here in getting out voters, temporarily residing here, to vote in the November elections in the States. Many voters in far distant States left here to-day, and many others will leave during the week. In the departments there is a feeling of safety regardless of politics, and Democratic and Republican clerks alike, in large numbers, have arranged for leave of absence to go home and vote. The local committees, too, are engaged in drumming up voters in the close districts, and but few men entitled to the franchise in Ohio, West Virginia and Northern New York will be in Washington on November 4th.

**Bishop Hurst Returns from Europe.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 27.—Bishop Hurst, of the Methodist Episcopal Church, has reached home after having crossed the Atlantic four times within as many months. The bishop is very enthusiastic over the proposed Methodist university which is to be located near Washington. The project will be one of the most important which will be considered by the bishops at their meeting which begins this week. Bishop Hurst believes that the money for the site, $100,000, will be secured during the coming winter.

**The Late Justice Miller's Successor.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 27.—It is believed that Secretary Noble will be appointed to the vacancy on the Supreme Court Bench, and that General Clarkson will be given the Interior Department portfolio. This is not the first time that General Clarkson has been spoken of as a possible member of President Harrison's cabinet, but up to the present there has been no vacancy to which he could be appointed. It is not believed that the President will name the new Associate Justice until the meeting of Congress in December.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—U. S. Gov't Report, Aug. 17, 1889.

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### FOUND IN A FODDER SHOCK.

Insane Mrs. Brannan Passes Seventeen Days Without Food or Water.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Oct. 26.—A dispatch from Clarksburg, W. Va., say that Mrs. Brannan, the St. Louis demented woman who jumped from the cars there on October 9 and ran to the hills, leaving seven children behind, was accidentally discovered hiding in a fodder shock near town. Brent Mead, a negro hostler, who was looking for a stray colt, heard groans in the shock, and on investigation discovered her. She was completely helpless. She had fallen and hurt herself in her flight, and had been without food or water, except rain-water squeezed from her clothing, for seventeen days. She was brought to the county house and cared for.

She still insists that attempts were made to murder her and believes that she was followed. She says that on the night she ran away she crouched down between two logs, and the crowd of hundreds, equipped with lanterns and torches, walked over her, but failed to see her. For eight days she had been endeavoring to attract the attention of persons passing the fodder shock, but was unable to make any one hear, although dozens passed her hiding place daily. She says she began to think they did not want to hear.

Her friends have been advised of her rescue.

### TWO LIVES LOST.

A Heavy Coal Train Breaks in Two While Going Up a Steep Grade.

BRADFORD, Pa., Oct. 27.—At 4 a. m., near Beechtree Junction, Pa., on the Buffalo, Rochester & Pittsburg Railroad, engine 82 was pulling a heavy coal train up a steep grade. The train broke in two, the forward end being carried over the summit of the hill and thence down to Beechtree, a distance of two miles. This section of the train was there side-tracked, and Engineer Casey steamed back after the other section. When half way up the hill, the cars he was after came down the grade and crashed into the engine. The tender and cab was wrecked, and Casey was caught between the tender and boiler. His left leg was ground to a pulp. Fireman Fitzpatrick and Conductor Crawford escaped by jumping. Brakeman Laird, who was riding on the engine, was caught and terribly mangled about the body. Casey died of his injuries at 12 o'clock. Laird lingered until 2 o'clock before death relieved him.

**Forgot to Turn Off the Gas.**

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 27.—A man and woman registering as "James P. Nelson and wife, Trenton, N. J.," took lodging at the Ridgeway House, this city, and were found unconscious in bed in the morning, having probably blown out the gas before retiring. They were taken to the Pennsylvania Hospital, where after hard work the physicians succeeded in restoring the woman to consciousness. She gave her name as Kate McCuen of Philadelphia, and said she was Nelson's wife. The man is about 50 years old, and it is feared he will die.

**Governor Hill in New York.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 27.—Governor Hill arrived in the city yesterday afternoon from his Western trip, accompanied by Colonel John G. McEwen. He felt no ill effects, he said, from the shaking up his party received in the railway collision at Moundsville, West Virginia. The Governor returns to Albany today. On Thursday he will be again in the city, en route for Connecticut, where he will address meetings of the Democracy. He declines to go to Rhode Island.

**Killed by Runaway Horses.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 27.—A team of spirited horses, driven by J. Adolph Mollenhauer, became frightened and ran away on Lexington avenue, Brooklyn, throwing out Mr. Mollenhauer and breaking his leg. The horses then ran into Mrs. Maria L. Robinson, aged 60, and her daughter Ida, aged 25, killing the former and fracturing the skull of the latter. The horses then knocked down Mrs. Helen Waite, fracturing several of her ribs. It is feared Miss Robinson is fatally injured.

**Stabbed by a Boy.**

BEVERLY, N. J., Oct. 27.—Howard C. Westlake, aged 14, employed in the Ketterinus printing house, Philadelphia, while attending the fair of the E. Burd Grubb Pioneer Corps here was seriously stabbed in the abdomen by Wynn, aged 15 years, a son of Peter Wynn, superintendent of the Soldiers' National Cemetery. The knife penetrated the bowels, and the doctor says the injury is of a serious nature and it may become dangerous. The boy was paroled to the custody of his father.

**All Indicted for Manslaughter.**

MOUNT MORRIS, N. Y., Oct. 27.—Daniel Keating, Jerry Keating, Sr., Jerry Keating, Jr., Fred Dygert and John Bickford, charged with the murder of William L. Joslyn of Mount Clemens, Mich., in this village on September 29, were indicted by the grand jury for manslaughter in the first degree.

**Not Yet Under Arbitration.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 27.—State Department officers say the published report that the Behring Sea fisheries question has been submitted to arbitration is untrue, as the arbitrators have not yet been selected. Correspondence is still passing between the United States and Great Britain on the subject, and a conclusion is not yet in sight.

**Iron and Steel Men Leave Washington.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 27.—The iron and steel men from abroad left here this morning via the Pennsylvania Railroad en route for New York. Members of the party express themselves as highly delighted with their entertainment in Washington, especially that part of it which included a hearty shake from the Chief Executive.

## GERMANS HONOR HIM

### Gen. Von Moltke Celebrates His Ninetieth Birthday.

SHOWERED WITH PRESENTS.

School Children Sing Patriotic Songs Before His Palace.

Emperor William Calls on the Aged Field Marshal and Presents Him With a Baton—Prince Bismarck Sends His Congratulations—Congratulatory Cable from New York Admirers.

BERLIN, Oct. 27.—The Von Moltke celebration was a magnificent success. Although it rained all the morning, the streets along which the Emperor was to drive were crowded at an early hour.

At 9 o'clock 300 school children gathered at the house of Marshal Von Moltke, where they sang hymns and patriotic songs. The Marshal came to the window and spoke a few words of thanks, telling his serenaders that music was an important factor in the education of the citizens.

The Emperor started for Von Moltke's palace at 12:30, driving in a coach drawn by six horses. He carried with him a rich field marshal's staff, which he personally presented to Von Moltke, whose palace was crowded with the most noted personages of the nation. The Empress Frederick and her daughters were prominent among those who tendered their congratulations.

The Grand Duchess of Baden sent the writing case that belonged to the late Emperor William I.

Prince Bismarck telegraphed his congratulations and Von Moltke answered in his own handwriting.

During the reception a congratulatory cable was received from New York, and was read aloud by the Marshal, who remarked that many of the former helpmates to his glory were now living in America.

During the day 5,000 dispatches and cables were received, besides a wagon-load of presents of all descriptions.

An announcement was made that Von Moltke's birthplace at Parchine had been bought by a committee, which also placed 100,000 marks at the Marshal's disposal, that he may endow the old homestead as a hospital.

In the afternoon Von Moltke took a special train for Potsdam, where he attended a state dinner at the castle, where he was seated at the right hand of the Emperor. The castle was surrounded with fireworks during the evening.

### GLOOMY OUTLOOK IN IRELAND.

Churchmen Call on the Government for Immediate Relief.

DUBLIN, Oct. 27.—An important pastoral address just issued by the archbishop and the bishops of Ireland to the clergy and laity was read in all the churches of the country.

It deals with the failure of the potato crop, and says the bishops feel called upon to bear testimony to the seriousness of the impending calamity, having ample evidence of the disastrous crop failure over large districts throughout the country. They consider it an imperative duty to call upon the Government to take effective means for preventing the deplorable consequences. They refer to the railroad that is to be constructed, and say the relief that it will afford is inadequate to meet the exigencies of the occasion.

The address deals with the plan of campaign and boycotting, and reiterates that the Papal decree was a decision strictly on the question of morals, and had nothing to do with politics.

The pastoral concludes with an earnest expression of sympathy with the tenants who have been evicted, and expresses the hope that Parliament may devise means for the restoration of these to their homes. It protests against evictions in the distressed sections where tenants are not only unable to pay rents, but even to procure from the soil the absolute necessities of life.

**An American Arrested in Turkey.**

CONSTANTINOPLE, Oct. 27.—An American, who came to Turkey during the administration of President Hayes for the purpose of founding a college, but failed in the attempt, was recently arrested at his residence in the night time on the suspicion of being implicated in revolutionary plots in Armenia. He held a conference with the American Consul next morning and was released on condition that he would appear for trial. Minister Hirsch has energetically protested against the arrest as a violation of the right of domicile of an American citizen, and has demanded satisfaction from the Government.

**War Clouds in Africa.**

LONDON, Oct. 27.—Advices from Southeastern Africa are to the effect that the expedition against Vitu will develop a war of considerable proportions, the Arabs, made desperate by the loss of the slave trade, having chosen that place as a rallying ground against the Europeans. The German forces in South Africa have been instructed to combine with the English against the Sultan of Vitu.

**A Cigarette Maker Kills Himself.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 27.—The death of James Kelliher, a drunken cigarette maker, was at first supposed to have been caused by his wife, and the woman was arrested. It now turns out that the man quarrelled with his wife, and then went out in the hall of his home, 450 Washington street, and stabbed himself with a table knife. A neighbor's wife was a witness who saw Kelliher return to the room after cutting himself.

### TELEGRAPHERS' TROUBLES.

The Western Union Making War on the Brotherhood.

CHICAGO, Oct. 27.—It looks now as though the telegraph operators employed by the Western Union might strike at an early date. That the operators of the country are preparing with all energy and dispatch for the struggle between them and the Western Union Company—which they evidently deem inevitable within a short time—is an open secret.

The Executive Council of the Brotherhood of Telegraphers has been in session in Chicago for the last week laying plans. There is a meeting of the local Brotherhood to-day, and it is possible a plan will be formulated for the restoration of the Brotherhood operators who have been discharged within the past ten days for belonging to the Brotherhood. The Brotherhood telegraphers have been stirred up recently by the summary discharge by the Western Union Company of a number of men at the principal Western offices. In every case the man dismissed without cause or explanation was a member of the Brotherhood, a steady man and an experienced operator.

The strike, if it comes, will involve the recognition of the union by the company, equalization and increase in wages, and relief from a system of fines for trifling errors now in vogue at the different offices.

Vice-President Clowry and Superintendent Tubbs when seen about the matter simply said that the men were discharged because the company saw fit to discharge them. Local Superintendent Lloyd of the Western Union paid a visit to Superintendent Patten of the Postal Company, and asked him to aid the Western Union in fighting the operators, but to this Mr. Patten would not consent. Business is extraordinarily good with the telegraph companies now, and operators are being employed who couldn't get work six months ago.

**Decline in the Oyster Yield.**

BALTIMORE, Oct. 27.—A prominent oyster packer in this city, a gentleman who has paid special attention to the future of the oyster industry in Maryland, says that the yield this year is less by 50 per cent. than that of October, 1889, and he thinks the ratio will hold good during the rest of the year.

**Whitely & Co. Cannot Pay.**

SPRINGFIELD, Ohio, Oct. 27.—Amos Whitely & Co. have issued a circular to their creditors saying they cannot pay their bonds and notes, over $300,000 of which is due, and they are likely to assign. The bonds and notes were given when the Whitely Reaping Works assigned.

**To Increase Grain Inspection Prices.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 27.—The committee on grain of the Produce Exchange has decided to advance the price of grain inspection from 20 to 40 per cent according to the different grades. The new rates will go into effect November 3.

**A Rumor from Rome.**

ROME, Oct. 27.—It is reported that Cardinal Simeoni, by order of the Pope, has forbidden the bishops of the American hierarchy to give any official or overt approval to the Irish Nationalist campaign of Messrs. Dillon and O'Brien in America.

### NEWS OF THE DAY.

A slight fall of snow was experienced throughout England yesterday.

Sir Charles Pearson has been appointed Solicitor General of Scotland.

A very prolific yield of petroleum has been discovered at Kilkeel, County Down, Ireland, and a company is being formed to develop the product.

George W. Cummings, the youthful stage robber, who stopped the Willetts and Ukiah stage a few weeks ago, has been sentenced to ten years imprisonment at San Francisco.

Several prominent bankers in Berlin, Germany, have received anonymous letters threatening them with death unless they make an attempt to advance the price of stocks.

The conference between the Mackey officials and the employes of their roads, including engineers, firemen, and the conductors of the Air Line, was settled at Evansville, Indiana, amicably to all parties interested.

John Petilliott, the wife murderer now confined in the county jail at Columbus, Indiana, on a charge of murder in the first degree, has had two hemorrhages of the lungs in the past two days, and his death is near at hand.

W. J. Birch, the Reading railroad employe who fled from Philadelphia with $1,000 of the company's money and was arrested at Montreal, has consented to return voluntarily and will be taken to Philadelphia this week.

Mrs. Catharine O'Connor, a victim of the Leland Hotel fire, died Saturday at St. Joseph's Hospital in Syracuse. This makes the seventh known death resulting from the Leland fire, and the body of Mary Doyle is now supposed to be in the ruins.

William Blaney, who has been on trial in Baltimore, Md., for murdering his grandmother and his aunt some months ago, has been adjudged guilty of murder in the first degree. It is thought that Blaney had an accomplice in the murder, but he stolidly refuses to disclose who he was.

It is announced that a million dollar hotel, to rival the Auditorium in Chicago in architectural beauty is to be built at the corner of Michigan avenue and Park row on the lake front. The lessees are to be Messrs. Breslin and Southgate of New York, the present tenants of the Auditorium.

**Yale Students Robbed.**

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Oct. 27.—Otto Schrieber of Hoboken and Ernest Ryle of Paterson, N. J., Yale students, have lost $1,000 worth of clothing, jewelry and books. There is no clue to the thieves.

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## BY THE WAY.

—A branch of cocoanuts in the window of E. P. Thorn's, 17 Park avenue, attracts much attention. The majority who stop and gaze in wonder, never knew before that they grew that way.

—A special meeting of "Gazelle" Engine Co., No. 1, will be held in their parlors tomorrow evening, at 7:30 o'clock, sharp. An important meeting, and a large attendance of the members desired.

—Here is an opinion from the Westfield *Standard*: "The pretty girls who frequently ride down from Plainfield on their bicycles can mount their machines with as much ease as their brother riders."

—If you want lobster fricassee, chicken croquettes, salad of all kinds, or other dishes prepared for a dinner, high tea or luncheon, leave an order with *chef* Jacot, 11 East Front street, opposite Park avenue.

—The Chautauqua Literary and Scientific Circle, which was organized in 1878 with a membership of 700, and nursed and bred in Plainfield, has now 17,000 circles located in all parts of the world, including a branch at the Cape of Good Hope.

—A meeting for consecration and prayer under the auspices of the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor of the Trinity Reformed church, will be held in the lecture room of that church tonight at 8 o'clock. Visitors are always welcome.

—The Leonzo Brothers closed a successful week at Amphion Hall Saturday night, when they again displayed to a crowded house. "Delmonte, the Outlaw," brought out the full cast of the company, who were given unstinted praise by the audience.

—Wm. Steel, of Fanwood, was delivering milk to his customers in the Amphion Hall building at six o'clock this morning, when his horse started on a run for home. The runaway was caught at Netherwood and returned to its owner, on Park avenue.

—A detail of Winfield Scott Post, at a meeting on Saturday evening, decided to hold a fair in Amphion Hall during the week beginning Nov. 11. Success is already assured as Captain Hand and Captain Smith are members of the detail, and the women of the Relief Corps will assist.

—*The Fireman's Herald*, speaking of the recent parade at Perth Amboy, said that "No. 2 Engine of Plainfield, steamed up and gave an exhibition of its throwing capacity. They did remarkably well. Chief Doane and Aldermen Roberts and Hetfield of Plainfield were the guests of the city."

—The weather Sunday was quite favorable for pleasant bicycle runs. A number of the Manhattan and Riverside men visited Plainfield and other of New Jersey's macadam riding districts. Members of the Atalanta, Orange and Plainfield Clubs wheeled to Montclair, Caldwell and Elizabeth.

—The Twilight Social Club of this city will give a Hallow e'en ball at Amphion Hall, West Second street, Friday evening. O'Reilly will furnish the music, and Messrs Joseph Blimm, E. C. Searing, James Loughlin, Wm. Blimm and F. Moore constitute the committee of arrangements.

—The sixth annual ball of the Columbia Social Club will be held at Amphion Hall, Wednesday evening, Nov. 19. The grand march will begin at 9 o'clock. David Angerbuer, F. S. Moore, James Daly, William Howell, U. G. Force and Theodore Smith constitute the Committee of Arrangements.

## PARTICULAR MENTION.

Mrs. C. Sargeant, of Brooklyn, N. Y., is visiting her sister Mrs. S. O. Doane, of East Fourth street.

The Rev. Robert Lowry, of Madison avenue, is expected to preach at next week's revival services in the East Baptist church, Elizabeth.

Miss Hattie Benedict, one of Newark's handsomest young women, is spending a week with relatives in Plainfield, including her uncle, W. R. Mattox.

Joseph M. Mather, formerly of Plainfield, but now of Wilmington, Delaware, spent yesterday in this city as the guest of his brother-in-law, ex-Judge Harper.

The Rev. George H. Stephens, pastor of the Presbyterian church of Berwick, Pa., with his wife and baby, spent Sunday at the home of J. P. Laire, 81 Broadway. Mrs. Stephens and Mrs. Laire, are sisters.

The marriage of Edward J. Connette, son of the late Samuel Connett, whose home was on Peace street, this city, for many years, to Miss Ida Alice Price, will take place Tuesday evening, Nov. 11, at eight o'clock, in the Sumner Avenue M.E. church, Brooklyn.

The Bound Brook *Chronicle*, announcing Saturday the services to be held in the Congregational church said: "The talented vocalists, the Misses Sarah and Harriet Manning, of Plainfield, will render some choice solos and duets. These ladies appeared in one of the Philharmonic concerts given here a few years ago."

The Rev. Samuel C. Kennedy, pastor of the Congregational church at Sandford, Fla., accompanied by Mrs. Kennedy, spent the Sabbath with Mr. and Mrs. T. A. VanZandt, of Crescent avenue, and other friends and relatives in Plainfield and the Borough. Mr. Kennedy is a brother of Mrs. VanZandt. He sailed for his Southern home this afternoon.

## CHRIST TO COME TO EARTH AGAIN.

**A Remarkable Sermon and Prophecy by the Rev. J. B. Cleaver—Bishop Vincent's "Conversion"—Protestantism and Catholicism Assailed—Plainfield's Drunkards and Christians.**

"The conversion of Bishop John H. Vincent from Protestantism to Christianity" was the subject of a sermon that caused something of a sensation in Plainfield yesterday. The preacher was the Rev. J. B. Cleaver, who was formerly a Presbyterian clergyman of some note in Brooklyn, but who has cast aside denominationalism and has *determined* to devote his fortune and life to building up a "Church of Christianity." For several months he has held services in his "First Church of Christ" in this city, and with his free pulpit ideas and peculiar doctrine against all sects has attracted a considerable following. So much interest was aroused over the announcement of his subject for Sunday morning that a number of people stayed away from communion in their own churches, to hear him.

Mr. Cleaver first attacked the custom of "merchandizing the pulpit for hire"—the "preaching of false doctrines and heresies at so much a portion;" and then reviewed the history of Beecher's Plymouth church in Brooklyn and recounted the many remarkable things that had sprung from its pulpit.

"But no event"—he said—"ever occurred on that Plymouth platform so fraught with significance as was the declaration of Bishop Vincent, a former Plainfielder, last Thursday evening, before the adorers of his pet child, Pshaw-talk-away [laughter], 'that he was no longer a Protestant, but a Christian.'"

This—he continued—was an astounding, startling conversion, one that signified everything to the Christian church. Here was a man of remarkable acumen, of acute intelligence, of most logical mind, who had been compelled, by reason of years of study, research and reasoning, at the head of the great Methodist church, to acknowledge the claim of the 'First Church of Christ,' that there was no logical stopping-place between papacy and Christianity, that Protestatism and other makeshifts had no firm foundation. "Papacy"—he said—"laughs to scorn all sects of Protestantism. It knows that Protestantism has no place to stand on that cannot be swept away by the broom of destruction. The papacy is the most remarkable and splendid creation of the human intellect, but it is founded on the lie that Peter was the rock on which Jesus Christ would build his church. It was a vast human authority which controlled not only the morals of its subjects but held sovereign supremacy over all kings and nations and potentates of the earth." The papacy was the power of man; christianity was the power of God. There could be no compromise, no stopping-place between them. Protestantism was merely an attempt to compromise the two. Protestants admited that Catholics were just as good Christians as they themselves. Protestantism was but a branch of catholicism, the result of the protest against certain abuses existing in the papacy in the past ages. The Bible stigmatized the Catholic church, the papacy, as the mother of evil. Who were her children but the Protestants? Every Protestant party was her daughter. All were outside the pale of Christianity. Thoughtful men, logical men, see and recognize this, Bishop Vincent among them. "Bishop Vincent sees the handwriting on the wall. He has the manliness and the courage to declare his convictions—to say that he is no longer a Protestant. Splendid courage this—since the man himself is a Reverend Doctor of Divinity, and of Laws, holding high honor as a Bishop of one of the largest branches of the Protestant church, one of the oldest daughters of Catholicism, one of the most numerous and most splendid Protestant parties of the world. I see in this conversion of this Bishop one of the signs of the times—that points to the coming of that day when every knee shall bow, not to the Virgin or the Pope, or to graven images, but to the word and will of God as unfolded by his viceroy, Jesus Christ. This declaration of the Bishop is the noblest utterance he ever made, eloquent man though he be. He is no longer a Protestant, a pretender, a mistaken man. He is a Christian. Christianity is simply the teaching of Jesus Christ, the unfolding and developing of his plans subject to the magnificent system of divine philanthropy his first coming was destined to implant. Christ was the descendant of woman who would, according to prophecy bruise the head of the serpent Sin; He will come again, and that right speedily, to obtain the supremacy and authority, absolutely, of the word and will of God. I see in Bishop Vincent's conversion an indication that the time is at hand and now is when these things such as kissing Pope's toes and Bishop's hands and indulging in other graven-image worship shall come to an end. I see and prophesy the coming of Christ again, in fine raiment, in plentitude, in majesty, to put in order this disordered earth. To-day there is oppression on every hand, in every clime. Greedy monarchs are precipitating disastrous wars; capital is grinding labor to the dust. Right here in this queen city of New Jersey, with its many Protestant church spires pointing toward the blue, and with many more now building, are more saloons than churches, more drunkards than Christians, and the coffers of the rum-seller are being swelled by the defrauded pocketbooks of drunkards' wives. These things show the necessity of His coming, and come He will, and speedily. He will remedy these evils. He will purify the earth. He will restore it to an Eden. And then we shall no longer have these religions of men's creation, such as Catholicism and Protestantism; then no further need of policemen living on the purses of the taxpayers and ornamenting the corners and the drug stores. All such monuments will disappear. He will come, and restore us to honesty and decency; establish God's authority, not man's; Christianity, not denominationalism. I see Him coming. God will touch the electric button, and his Son will descend to earth a second time, and set up His kingdom on this earth. Protestantism will vanish. The papacy and its children, Protestant and what not, will be destroyed by the exceeding brightness of His coming, and consumed by the words of His mouth. Let us all follow Bishop Vincent's example, before He descends upon us, and embrace pure and simple Christianity, and no longer contend for isms and ologies."

This remarkable address was listened to with the closest attention, and Mr. Cleaver's auditors uttered frequent fervent "Amens!" and nodded their heads in token of approval. Several new members were given the right hand of fellowship in this new peculiar church, by its pastor, and many stayed after the sermon to partake of communion. In the evening Mr. Cleaver spoke on "Fashionable excuses for not becoming Christians."

### Westfield Outclassed.

The Crescent Reserves, the second eleven of the Crescent Athletic Club of Brooklyn, played their first game this season with the Westfield Athletic Club at Westfield, Saturday. The game commenced at 4:20, with the ball in the possession of the Westfields, but they soon lost it, and after that played a defensive game in their own territory. After twenty minutes' play Terry made a touch down. The trial at goal, however, was a failure. Score, 4 to 0. In a few minutes the Westfields were compelled to make a safety, and the half closed with the score 6 to 0 in favor of the Crescents.

In the second half, Bush of the Crescents, by a brilliant run, made another touch down, from which he kicked a goal, and the game closed with the score 12 to 0 in favor of the Crescents. It was a very rough contest and the umpire seemed unable to stop the continual slugging of both teams. The Westfield team lined up as follows:

| Players. | Positions. |
|---|---|
| Brosser | Right end |
| Sanson | Right tackle |
| Darr | Right guard |
| Howland, Captain | Centre |
| Riggles | Left guard |
| Stevens | Left tackle |
| Hickox | Left end |
| Wells | quarter-back |
| Smith } | Halfbacks |
| Keay } | |
| Tierce | Back |

The Plainfield team will play the above at Westfield on Election day, Nov. 4.

### Havoc of Plainfield Saloons.

In Reform Hall, last evening, the devotional services were lead by George H. Fountaine, who afterwards delivered a very interesting address, basing his remarks on Scripture testimony, and holding up to view the deplorable havoc wrought by the licensed saloon system now existing in the city of Plainfield. The next speaker introduced was Col. John Dietrich, who brought to mind the facts of national history, comparing the evils of slavery with those of the liquor traffic. He made the emphatic declaration that no nation ever prospered by compromising with sin. George F. Opdyke followed with a beautiful and appropriate poetic selection.

Mr. Vanderbeek and a full choir, with Miss Doremus as accompanist, conducted the music, and President Harper at the close of the meeting announced as follows:

An adjourned annual meeting of the Women's Temperance Aid Society will be held in Reform Hall, Tuesday of this week, at 3 P. M.

Next Sunday evening the platform of the Hall will be occupied by T. Richards, of Brooklyn, N. Y., an able speaker; and possibly at the same time, two of the young lady contestants for prize oratory will be present as reciters.

### Bookkeeping and Penmanship.

At the Y. M. C. A. rooms to-night, Ezra Loomis, an experienced teacher, will meet the class in penmanship and bookkeeping for the first time. All members of the association desiring to join this class, should not fail to be present. A $2 membership in the Association entitles to this and all other privileges.

A good penman has a key to many a valuable situation, and now that the Y. M. C. A., offers free instruction in this branch to its members, a full class, it is expected, will avail themselves of this privilege. Penmanship, combined with bookkeeping, gives material for one of the most needed classes as well as one of the most popular.

### Three Little Maids Earn $45 for the Children's Home.

An enjoyable time was had at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Hockridge, 41 East Fifth street, Saturday afternoon, when a children's fair was held under the management of the Misses Nellie, Jessie and Mabel Hockridge, in aid of the Children's Home. The net proceeds derived from the laudable scheme were over $45, from the sale of tickets and articles by the three Misses mentioned.

### Your Last Opportunity.

To-morrow will be the last opportunity to register before the election.

The various registry boards have used their utmost endeavor to get the name of every legal voter, but they may have failed in some instances.

Let the voter now see for himself that his name is on the list.

### Mr. Powers, Miss Holmes and Miss Utter Favor Four Hundred.

The gratification of the 400 present in the Crescent Avenue chapel, Saturday evening, was general and complete. Leland Powers' impersonations of characters in David Copperfield, were in some cases far beyond the efforts of many farther famed elocutionists. His *Heep* and his *Micawber* are unequalled, and his *Ham*, his *Betsy Trotwood*, his *Peggotty* and other characters, are unexcelled.

The entertainment was given under the auspices of the Young Ladies' Mission Band of the Presbyterian churches, and the financial profit accruing will be even beyond expectation. Miss Blanche Fellows, the First Presbyterian church's contribution to the programme, did not sing, but this disappointment was overcome by the pleasure all took in the piano duetts of Miss Utter and Miss Holmes of the Crescent Avenue church.

### Are Dunellenites Expected to Swim?

TO THE EDITOR OF THE PRESS:

The attention of the authorities in charge of the Borough of the pretty village of Dunellen, is respectfully called to the condition of the road and sidewalk leading from James Lowrie's house (just above Taylor's Hotel) to the Sandford place, a distance of 1,000 yards, which in very wet weather is impassable without going over shoe-tops in water. Being the main thoroughfare and considerably traveled, why is it that nothing has been done in that direction? It would be a good investment for some one to have boats to ferry up and down the street.

AN OLD RESIDENT.

### MacDonald Makes Everything Right.

TO MY PATRONS—Anyone who purchased butter of me on Saturday that was not up to the standard, will kindly return it. During our busiest time on Saturday A. M., a tub of butter was opened in a hurry which was supposed to be all right, but proved to be off. I have too fine a butter trade to allow such an error to go unnoticed, and hope it may not happen again.

Yours respectfully,
J. F. MACDONALD.

—Robert Yatman, a colored coachman, was fined fifty dollars this morning for disorderly conduct and resisting an officer.

### Symptoms of Catarrh.

Dull, heavy headache, obstruction of the nasal passages, discharges falling from the head into the throat, sometimes profuse, watery, and acrid, at others, thick, tenacious, mucous, purulent, bloody and putrid; the eyes are weak, watery, and inflamed; there is ringing in the ears, deafness, hacking or coughing to clear the throat, expectoration of offensive matter, together with scabs from ulcers; the voice is changed and has a nasal twang; the breath is offensive; smell and taste are impaired; there is a sensation of dizziness, with mental depression, a hacking cough and general debility. If you have all, or any considerable number of these symptoms, you are suffering from Nasal Catarrh. The more complicated your disease has become, the greater the number and diversity of symptoms. Thousands of cases annually, without manifesting half of the above symptoms, result in consumption, and end in the grave. No disease is so common, more deceptive and dangerous, or less understood, or more unsuccessfully treated, by physicians. Five hundred dollars reward is offered by the manufacturers of Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy, for a case of catarrh which they cannot cure. Remedy sold by druggists, at only 50 cents.

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## DEATHS.

ANDERSON—In this city, Oct. 26, 1890, Elizabeth Victoria Anderson, age 47 years.
Funeral from her late residence, 60 West 3d street, on Tuesday, Oct. 28, at 10 A. M. Friends and relatives are invited to attend.
New Brunswick papers please copy.

NIGHTINGALE—In this city, Sunday, Oct. 26, 1890, Florence, infant daughter of Charles F. and Eleanor W. Nightingale, age 7 months and 19 days.
Funeral services from the residence of her parents, 43 Madison avenue, Tuesday, Oct. 28 at 9 A. M. Interment at Easton, Pa.

## WANTS AND OFFERS.

*Advertisements under this heading, one cent for each word each insertion.*

LOST—An Irish bull terrier pup; brown and white, lower jaw protrudes, pink eye-lids. Answers to the name of Eddie. A suitable reward will be paid for his return to William M. Stout, 169 East Front st. No questions asked. 10 25 6

WANTED—A situation to do general housework in a small family; or would do up stairs work and take care of children. Can be seen at present employers, Mrs. Quereau's, Park avenue, Fanwood.

THREE or four rooms to let; pleasant location. Apply at PRESS office. 10 27 2

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DOG LOST—Strayed, Friday, Oct. 24, a black white and ticked setter bitch. $5 reward will be paid for her return to Wilson Fiske, 34 Kensington avenue. 10 27 tf

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Wm. N. Pangborn, Auct'r, will sell at public sale to the highest bidder, in order to settle up the estate of Frances Lee, deceased, on TUESDAY, OCT. 28, 1890, at 2 o'clock P. M., on the premises, the following valuable improved real estate situated in the city of Plainfield, N. J.:

House and Lot, 206 Broadway: 1st 65 ft. front, 200 ft. deep, inside fence. House contains 10 rooms, bath room, heater, etc.

House and Lot, 17 Lake street, in rear of the above 1 75 ft. front 153 ft. deep. House 10 rooms. Barn on premises.

Terms—10 per cent. on day of sale; part of purchase money can remain on bond and mortgage for a term of years

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## A PRESBYTERIAN PASTOR'S PROTEST.

**Plainfielders Listen to a Rousing Sermon Against Race-Track Evils.**

The Rev. Dr. Kempshall, of Elizabeth, who exchanged pulpits with the Rev. Dr. Ketchum, yesterday, preached an able sermon last evening in the First Presbyterian church, having special reference to pool-selling and gambling at race-tracks. The subject announced was the bravery of King David's three men, who broke through the army of the Philistines to bring their monarch water from the well hard-by. As these men imperilled their lives for their King, he said, so should we, if need be, encounter danger to save the King of Kings. Many men in these days were too full of policy and prudence, and did not remember that principle was above policy, and right above prudence. We needed moral heroes, men who dared to do right, men who feared God rather than man. We were here and now confronted with a great evil, an evil that would disgrace the State as well as bring untold harm to thousands of our fellows. New Jersey was to be the dumping-ground of the two large cities near us, and gambling at the race-tracks was to be established by law, if these gentry could succeed. Should we submit to it? Never. Voters should break party allegiance and vote only for men pledged to crush this gambling business. Righteousness should be above party, and the commands of God superior to the appeals of party leaders, who had their own selfish ends to accomplish.

### Plainfield and England Connected by Wire.

*(From the New York Evening Post.)*

The New Jersey Postal Telegraph Company, which is connected with the Postal Telegraph Company of New York and the Mackay-Bennett Cable Company, began business last night in Orange, where an office will be kept open in future night and day. It is the intention of the company to extend its lines throughout New Jersey; at present they run as far as Plainfield. The company has been unable to get permission to put up its wires in East Orange, and in order to make connection between Orange, Plainfield, and New York it was necessary to go around by way of Montclair and over the Eagle Rock Hill in West Orange. Everett Frazar, the Corean Consul-General, and President of the company, sent the first message from Orange last night. It was a private business message to England, by way of the Mackay-Bennett cable, and it reached London in good time.

### Three Preparatory Meetings This Week.

The Devotional Committee for the Mills' meetings have arranged for three union prayer meetings this week, on Tuesday, Thursday and Friday evenings. The meeting to-morrow evening will be held in the Methodist Episcopal church, and will be led by the Rev. Cornelius Schenck. The subject will be, "Search Me." Psalm CXXXIX, 1-12.

The Thursday night meeting will be held in the Trinity Reformed church, and will be led by the Rev. Asa Dilts. The subject will be, "What Can I render unto the Lord?" Psalm CXVI, 12-14. The Friday night meeting will be held in the Seventh Day Baptist church, and be led by the Rev. C. L. Goodrich. The subject will be, "Concern for Lost Men," Jer. IX, 1, and Psalm CXXVI, 5-6. The music each evening will be in charge of the church where the meeting is held. The services will begin promptly at eight o'clock.

### Little Daughters Raise $50 for Grace Church.

The little people's fair held Saturday afternoon and evening at the home of H. T. Smith, 27 Bay street, was the scene of much enjoyment to both old and young. The rooms were gay with festoons of bunting, flowers and other decorations. The piazza was adorned with Japanese lanterns. In doors and out everything was bright and merry. The lemonade well was a marvel of beauty. The fancy articles were handsome, and not costly. The eatables were nicely served by little waitresses wearing white caps and dresses. The donkey show had to give performances repeatedly. Through the kindness of all present and many absent ones, the Misses Mabel and Elsie Smith were enabled to increase the Grace church building fund by the amount of fifty dollars.

### At the Y. M. C. A. To-Night.

W. D. Murray will meet his class as usual at 8 o'clock.

The Finance Committee will meet at 8, and the Devotional Committee at 9 o'clock.

The trial under the auspices of the Young Men's Auxiliary will be continued to-night. Lawyers, prisoners and witnesses are requested to be present, as early in the evening as possible.

The classes in penmanship and bookkeeping will be organized at 8 o'clock. Accurate business knowledge, intermixed with honesty, will give but few disastrous failures. Bookkeepers writing a good hand are in demand, and when endorsed by a reputation for honesty are at a premium. Every young man who wishes to qualify himself for a business career will do well to avail himself of this opportunity.

### Short-Hand People Want to Organize.

All stenographers in Plainfield or vicinity who would like to form a Stenographic Association, for mutual help and benefit in the practice of the art, are requested to meet together in the senior class room of the High School Tuesday evening, October 28.

## A BIG DEBT, BUT LITTLE BURDEN.

**County Road Bonds No Bugbear, Say Leading Taxpayers.**

The New Jersey law which was passed two years ago permitting the various counties of the State to issue bonds for the improvement of country roads, and which was entirely the result of the lessons the good roads of Plainfield and its suburbs taught, has led to movements in that direction in other States. There is no county in New Jersey in which the law has been given a fairer trial than in Union county. Bonds have there been issued to the amount of $300,000, and the money obtained by this issue will be sufficient to put in fine condition some thirty miles of country roads, extending in one direction from Plainfield to Elizabeth and in another direction from Rahway to Summit.

The original estimate of expense for these improvements was $10,000 per mile, and to the credit of those who have had the improvements in charge it may be stated that this sum has proved sufficient for them. The roads are now nearly finished, and for the first time in the history of Union county they are in condition for all sorts of travel in every season of the year. It is said that in bad weather one horse can now draw a load which required the strength of four horses before the improvements were made.

Chauncey B. Ripley, after whom Westfield has been given the sobriquet of Ripleytown, and who was one of the projectors of the road law, is quoted as saying that it is the opinion of property owners in Union county that the issue of bonds for this improvement will really never be felt by the taxpayers. The taxes levied to pay the interest on these bonds are now lighter than were the expenses to keep the roads in repair under the old system. Since the law went into operation, moreover, real estate values in Union county have advanced nearly $1,500,000, exclusive of property advances in Elizabeth of nearly $700,000 more. While this increase is not claimed as all due to the improved roads, it is felt that this improvement may reasonably be credited with having already appreciated county values to the full extent of the cost of the roads, while general taxes are no higher than before the roads were laid.

Mr. Ripley quotes Warren Ackerman, of Scotch Plains and Glenside Park, who is probably the largest real estate owner in Union county, to the effect that the improvements cannot cost the present taxpayers a dollar, because by the time the bonds shall mature the increase of population and the appreciation of values will have been sufficient to pay for their redemption. As Mr. Ackerman expresses it, the bonds will be redeemed by taxes on valuations that do not now exist, and on persons who are not now residents of the county. Sheriff Glasby, who is also very much interested in the work, has expressed to Mr. Ripley opinions identical with those of Mr. Ackerman. He says that two years ago people were leaving Elizabeth because of the bad roads, but that the population is now increasing and that the city is becoming attractive to people who like to drive and who are now enabled by the condition of the roads leading to Plainfield and other pleasant points to enjoy that pastime.

The prominence given to Mr. Ripley in connection with this law and its execution has brought letters to him from various parts of the country which show an increased interest in this subject, and which promise to popularize the movement. Within a few weeks Mr. Ripley has received a letter from a gentleman for many years a member of the Pennsylvania Legislature. He wants a copy of the New Jersey laws and all printed matter relating thereto. He says that is his purpose to devote his chief energies during the coming session to procure the passage of a similar act in his own State. This gentleman is also the owner of a newspaper, whose columns he intends to devote to the championship of this movement.

In Massachusetts a chair has been recently endowed at the Boston School of Technology to be known as the Chair of Public Roads. Mr. Ripley says that he has reason to believe that not only in Pennsylvania, Massachusetts, and New York—a society having recently been formed in that State to promote the improvement of public roads—has interest been awakened in this subject, but that there is hardly an Eastern or Middle State that has not taken on new zeal in the matter of the improvement of roads.

In Tennessee the Vanderbilt University instructs free of charge one person from each county to supervise roads. During the coming session of the Legislatures bills for this purpose will be introduced in Ohio, Virginia, Maryland, and Rhode Island in addition to the States mentioned. New Hampshire has recognized the importance of good roads in the White Mountain district by making State appropriations for the construction and repair of the principal county and town roads. Mr. Ripley was glad to notice, during a visit to Maine last Summer, that increased attention is given to the condition of the roads in Bangor, and that at Bar Harbor the town authorities have become convinced that if they are to maintain that place as a favored Summer resort they must provide good roads for the Summer visitors. In fact, Mr. Ripley and other men of observation find that people everywhere are glad to get driveways like Plainfield's, and count the cost as nothing, compared to the blessings which accrue.

—The adjourned annual meeting of the Woman's Temperance Aid Society will be held in Reform Hall, Tuesday, October 28, at 3 P. M.

## TREED BY RATTLERS.

**The Quandary of a Connecticut Boy, and How He Got Out of It.**

This season has been a remarkable one for snakes in Connecticut. Not only are they unusually plentiful, but they have behave queerly. A North Stonington lad had a singular adventure with rattlers the other day. He had been out huckleberrying and climbed an apple tree in a pasture for fruit. While eating an apple as he sat astride of a low limb he saw two big rattlers come up to the tree trunk, and it was evident to the boy at once that they wanted him. They couldn't climb the tree, so they camped out under it, and now and then lifted their ugly heads, crackled a little, and looked at him menacingly. The inference was, so the boy interpreted the look, that they had plenty of time and were going to wait for him to come down.

The North Stonington boy sat on the limb about half an hour, and in that time hatched up a plot that he fancied might circumvent the reptiles. He had a fish line in his trousers pocket and a sandwich in his jacket, and, baiting the hook attached to the line with a piece of the biscuit, he dropped the bait down toward the biggest rattler, which, with swollen neck and uplifted crest, was prancing about directly beneath him. With a skillfull twist of the wrist he dropped the hook and biscuit squarely into the serpent's maw, and the big snake instantly swallowed it. Then he pulled the line in, so that the rattler was left swinging about two feet from the ground, tied the line to the tree bough, and cut the string in two. To the severed piece of string he hooked on another hook, baited that, and began to angle for the mate of the suspended serpent. But that snake had reasoned out the plan, and as soon as the boy made his first cast he dodged out of the way of the hook. Then instantly he became very much alarmed, and, giving his rattles a farewell shake, turned and glided quickly into the greenwood. The boy shinned down the tree a moment later and scurried off home, leaving the hooked snake dangling from the bough.

One of the largest rattlers killed in the State in many years was slain by Dwight Monroe, hired man on the William B. Smith farm in West Hartford, a few days ago. Monroe was walking near the reservoir when a huge serpent suddenly reared up in front of him and shook out a warning rattle. Monroe hastily stepped back, then went and cut a stick, returned, and found the serpent exactly in the same posture as at the beginning of the encounter. With a single stroke Monroe killed the serpent, and then took him into Hartford. The reptile was three feet, ten inches long, six inches in girt, and wore eleven rattles. His color was a rich velvet brown. Monroe had a taxidermist stuff him.

At Berlin, among the country hills, M. R. Dunham's hired man killed a rattle snake at the foot of Berlin mountain, a day or two ago, that had thirteen rattles.—N. Y. Sun.

## THE TWO BROTHERS.

**Old-Time Rocks That Recall Valiant Winthrop and Dudley.**

On the east bank of the Concord river, within the limits of the ancient town of Bedford, may be seen two bowlders, which for historic significance far exceed many monuments of New England unadorned by art.

They were doubtless deposited here during the glacial period, and centuries later were selected by John Winthrop, the eminent first Governor of Massachusetts, and Deputy Governor Dudley as the boundaries to their farms.

In 1637 the General Court, then so liberal with the unexplored lands, granted to the Governor 1,200 acres and to the deputy 1,000 acres. These eminent men came up to view the lands and locate their farms in the following spring.

After a short conversation they landed from their birch canoe and took possession of their lands.

By the incorporation of Bedford, 1729, the Winthrop farm came wholly within the town and by an addition of territory, in 1766, a part of the Dudley farm fell to Bedford.

Thus the "Two Brothers" belong to Bedford. They remain unchanged by the hand of time or man, though eight generations have moored their boats at the base when paddling up and down the Concord.

Thoreau was a frequent visitor to this spot in his studies of the historic river, and hundreds of Bedford's sons have stood in peaceful mission on the surface of the bowlders as did Winthrop and Dudley 252 years ago.

The tired city boys often pitch their tent on Winthrop farm, and revel in the luxury of quiet at the Two Brothers, with an occasional meal of bass or pickeral from the Concord.

The founder of Boston did not settle upon his farm, and it is probable that his early death in 1649 prevented a second visit.

It was purchased by Job Lane of Fitz John Winthrop in 1664 for £230, and paid for by building a home at New London, Conn.

The purchaser located upon it with other members of his family and built a garrison for their protection from the Indians during King Phillip's war, in which he bore a prominent part. At his decease (1697), the farm, found by survey, to contain 1,500 acres, was divided between a son, John Lane, and two grandsons, Samuel Fitch and Matthew Whipple.

Fitch became the founder of the numerous family of that name in Bedford and through the country.

I the pleasant village of Bedford may be seen a valuable collection of antiquities and relics of the Lane family, gathered by a descendant of Job Lane, who purchased the Winthrop farm and first subdued its acres.

There is also the deed of conveyance of the farm from Fitz John Winthrop to Job Lane. It is on vellum, well preserved and legible.—Boston Globe.

—People eat twenty per cent. more bread when the weather is cold than when it is mild.

### Women Dentists in New York.

There are now three female dentists in New York, all of whom are qualified to practice the profession. Only one of them is a specialist. She is a clever and handsome young Jewess, and she has studied the work of filling teeth with a great deal of care for several years. She is amply equipped with diplomas, is business-like and industrious, and it is said that her trade is almost exclusively among men. Formerly she was employed as a type-writer in an office down-town. Her hours were from 8 to 6 and her employment uncertain. It is said that she clears $4,000 a year now, has three months' vacation, and is seldom at her chair more than five hours a day. The number of women physicians in New York is, of course, very much greater than the number of female dentists. None of them thus far has attained particular attention as a specialist, though the names of at least half a dozen of them are known as being general practitioners of ability.—N. Y. Sun.

### He Knew the Effects.

McFingle—How are you going to spend your vacation? You get a month I believe.

McFangle—Yes: I'm going to spend one week at the beach, one in the country, and the other two in the city.

McFingle—Why don't you spend all of it away? Why those two weeks in the city.

McFangle—To recover from the effects of the beach and country.—Light.

### Notice of Dissolution of Co-partnership.

Take notice that the co-partnership heretofore existing by the subscribers under the firm name of Hetfield Bros., has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. John M. Hetfield will continue the business, and will pay all outstanding debts of the said firm, and will receipt for all monies due the said firm.

Dated October 9, 1890.

WALTER L. HETFIELD,
JOHN M. HETFIELD
10 10 6 oaw

### 1890. TAXES.

Notice is hereby given to the Taxpayers of the **City of Plainfield**, that the Taxes assessed in said city for the year 1890, are now due and payable, and that if the said Taxes be not paid by the **20th day of December next**, the names of the defaulter with their respective taxes, will be returned to the City Judge for prosecution.

The Commissioners of Appeal in cases of taxation, will meet in the Council chamber on the *Fourth TUESDAY in November next*, (the 25th), and sit from 2 o'clock P. M. until 5 o'clock P. M., or longer if found necessary, to dispose of all cases submitted to them for consideration.

JOHN JOHNSON,
Collector of Taxes.

Dated Plainfield, N. J. Oct. 1, 1890. 9 30 oaw 1d

### Notice of Attachment.

*UNION COUNTY CIRCUIT COURT.*

The Hockanum Company, Pl'ff.
vs
John F. Plummer, Albert T. Plummer and William S. Darling, Def'ts. | On Contract. On Attachment.

Notice is hereby given that a writ of attachment at the suit of The Hockanum Company against the rights and credits, money and effects, goods and chattels, lands and tenements of John F. Plummer, Albert T. Plummer and William S. Darling, non-resident debtors, for the sum of Four hundred and fifty thousand dollars, issued out of the Union County Circuit Court on the twelfth day of May, A. D., 1890. Returnable and returned into Court duly executed by the Sheriff of the County of Union, on the second day of June, A. D., 1890.

Dated July 2nd, 1890.

JOHN L. CROWELL, Clerk.

Bacot & Record, Att'y's for Pl'ff, No. 1 Montgomery Street, Jersey City. 10 1 10 oaw

### Notice of Attachment.

*UNION COUNTY CIRCUIT COURT.*

The New England Company, Pl'ff.
vs
John F. Plummer, Albert T. Plummer and William S. Darling, Def'ts. | On Contract. Attachment.

Notice is hereby given that a writ of attachment at the suit of the New England Company, against the rights and credits, moneys and effects, goods and chattels, lands and tenements of John F. Plummer, Albert T. Plummer and William S. Darling, non-resident debtors, for the sum of Three hundred thousand six hundred and twenty-eight 22-100 dollars, issued out of the Union County Circuit Court, on the twentieth day of June, A. D., 1890. Returnable and returned into Court, duly executed by the Sheriff of the County of Union on the first day of July, A. D., 1890.

Dated July 2nd, 1890.

JOHN L. CROWELL, Clerk.

Bacot & Record, Att'ys for Pl'ff, No. 1 Montgomery Street, Jersey City. 10 1 10 oaw

### Notice of Attachment.

*UNION COUNTY CIRCUIT COURT.*

John C. Payne, Pl'ff.
vs
John F. Plummer, Albert T. Plummer and William S. Darling, Def'ts. | On Contract. On Attachment.

Notice is hereby given that a writ of attachment at the suit of John C. Payne, against the rights and credits, moneys and effects, goods and chattels lands and tenements of John F. Plummer, Albert T. Plummer and William S. Darling, non-resident debtors, for the sum of Twenty thousand dollars, issued out of the Union County Circuit Court on the third day of July, A. D., 1890. Returnable and returned into Court duly executed by the sheriff of the County of Union, on the fourteenth day of July, A. D., 1890.

Dated July 17th, 1890.

JOHN L. CROWELL, Clerk.

Bacot & Record, Att'ys of Pl'ff, 1 Montgomery Street, Jersey City. 10 1 10 oaw


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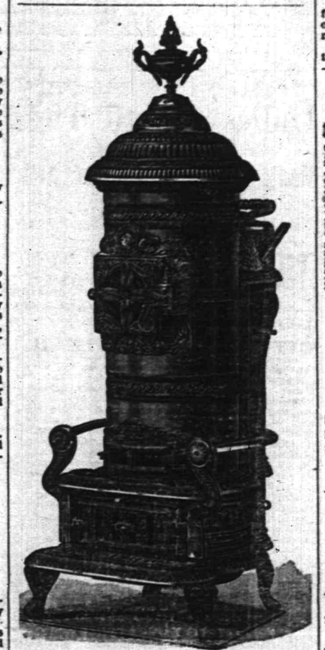

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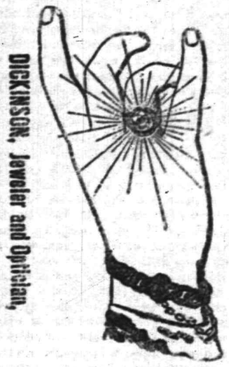

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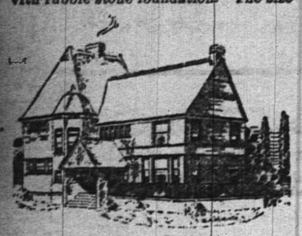

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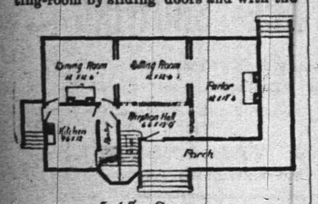
of the building is twenty-six by forty feet and consists of seven rooms.

There is a large porch along the front and side of the building six feet wide. The parlor is twelve by eighteen feet six inches and has light from three sides of the room. It is connected with the sitting-room by sliding doors and with the

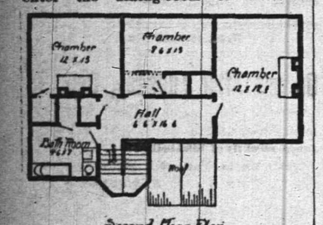



First floor Plan

reception hall by an arched opening. The fireplace in the parlor is of a large size and has a tile hearth.

The sitting-room is twelve feet by twelve feet six inches in connection with the reception hall, this room is twelve feet six inches by eighteen feet six inches, thereby making it a large and elegant room. The sitting-room and reception hall are divided by an arched opening, to have grilled work above.

From the reception hall you can enter the dining-room or kitchen

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through the pantry or you can go to the second story by wide stairs built in the tower.

The second story consists of three chambers and bath-room, all of a good size with large closets. There are two fireplaces on this floor in principal chambers. All the rooms have excellent light and are ventilated by having transoms over all doors.

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## REIGN OF THE CORSET.

**Abstract of a Lecture by J. H. Kellogg, M. D., of Battle Creek Sanitarium.**

The corset is not a modern institution, although supposed to be by many, for Galen, in a medical work written in the first century, disclaims against it. Greek physicians found fault with women for binding so many bands and girdles about their waists. This was not in the palmy days of Lycurgus when the physical culture, diet, dress and exercise of every man, woman and child were prescribed by law, but in later times. The idea still so popular, then began to prevail that the human female figure was not made right, and so mothers took to shaping the forms of their daughters by means of bands and girdles, not unlike Chinese foot binding.

When we consider the outside of the figure with reference to the inside, it is astonishing that women will so deform themselves. In making careful physical examination of about ten thousand men, I have found only two or three instances of displacement of the kidneys, unless from abcess or something of the kind, only about a half dozen displacements of the stomach, and but a single instance of a displaced liver. In these cases I invariably find that the man has, at some period of life, worn a tight belt instead of wearing suspenders. But among the fifteen thousand or more women whom I have examined, I have found these displacements exceedingly common. Is there any structural reason why women should not hold together as well as men? The organs constituting the internal viscera in both men and women are largely held in place by contiguity—the cavities are so filled that while each organ has abundance of room, there are no vacant spaces. Additionally, each is amply supported and fastened in place by ligaments and bands, it being very important that they stay right where nature puts them. Further support is afforded by the abdominal walls which are made up of numerous strong muscles. But women unhesitatingly destroy the integrity of these muscles by compressions which prevent their being naturally exercised and so they atrophy and become useless as supports. In consequence, the stomach becomes prolapsed and this in turn prolapses the colon; then the kidneys, liver, spleen, small intestines and other organs are displaced in various strange fashions until not an internal organ is in its true place, and all sorts of functional disorders naturally follow.

This wholesale derangement distorts the contour and throws the body out of balance. The chest is flattened or else unnaturally full; there is a hollow where the stomach should be were it not fallen down, and then an unsightly protrusion below caused by the general prolapsus, and the flabby condition of the abdominal muscles. The majority of women who have reached or passed middle life, have ungraceful, deformed figures, due almost wholly to bad dressing. Women should understand that nature has packed the body full, and that there is no way of making the waist smaller than it is naturally without squeezing something out of place. It is safe to say that ninety-nine women out of every hundred who wear corsets and bands have displacements to a greater or less degree of the various internal organs. Not every thing must be laid to the corset, for I have seen more harm come from heavy skirts dragging from tight bands than from the corset which distributes the pressure over a larger surface.

You ask how loose must your dresses be? Just as loose as my coat. If you have a dress fitted so as to keep the wrinkles out, it is invariably too tight. Flowing outlines are favorable to looseness, and are much more graceful than those which sharply define the figure. When you are measured for a dress take a deep breath, and then add two or three inches to that measurement. The corseted woman draws in her abdominal muscles and holds her breath to convince you that her dress is loose. The other day a lady assured me positively that her clothing was not tight. To test the matter I measured her outside her dress, and then had my lady assistant measure her next the skin, and the inside measurement was two and a quarter inches the most!

But the clothing need not be recognizably tight to be injurious. In proof of this note that the light pressure, long continued, of a finger ring invariably causes the tissues to waste away beneath and the muscles to atrophy. So bands and corsets, whether very tight or not, cause an atrophy of the muscles of the waist. The ideally correct dress is entirely without bands or strictures of any sort, and it is growing in favor as it is becoming known. Nature always makes her lines in beautiful curves, and the human body is no exception when allowed to develop naturally. But when a woman puts on a corset and crowds a mass of flesh above it and another below it, the figure is entirely out of shape and inartistic.

To bring about a reform, the first thing is to remove the pressure, and the next to strengthen the long-abused muscles. Massage and electricity, and a thorough course in physical training are among the best means. Deep abdominal and lower chest breathing must also be regularly practiced.—Reported by Helen L. Manning.

## COLD DINNER DISHES.

**Very Good Recipes That Every Housewife Ought to Have in Her Possession.**

We are creatures of circumstance! In the cold, rainy dusk of a November day, or in the driving snow-storm of December, we feel that nothing is so good as something hot. In a roasting July noon we are sure that nothing is so good as something cold. For the intense summer heats of our changeable climate the good housewife will try to provide a list of cold dishes, both solid and light, suited to the requirements of the season, and at the same time so arranged as to make as light a demand as may be upon her own vital energies for their preparation.

COLD BAKED FISH.—Black fish, blue fish, bass, trout of large size and many other kinds of fish are excellent eating when baked and served cold. A fish weighing three pounds or upwards is best for this purpose. Clean carefully and stuff with a mixture of bread crumbs, butter, salt and pepper, and a little chopped salt pork or bacon, mixed with one or two raw beaten eggs. Bake from three-quarters of an hour to an hour, basting with a little butter and hot water. Squeeze a little lemon juice over it when nearly done. When cooled set upon the ice, and serve very cold with cress or horse-radish as a condiment. Fish makes a good salad also. Salmon is perhaps the choicest fish for this purpose, but any good white fish is also acceptable. Salmon and halibut are also very good plainly baked and served cold with cold potatoes and a spicy sauce of some kind.

BONED CHICKEN.—Not the showy dish of the French cook, offered in its original shape, but a good substitute for the country home. A fat hen serves well for this purpose, but it must be covered with cold water and simmer very slowly for a long time. Remove the meat and reduce the broth to a scant pint, by evaporation. Take off the skin and slip the chicken from the joints in smooth, solid pieces; if it has boiled until perfectly tender, this is very easily done. Have ready a few hard-boiled eggs, dropped in cold water when taken from the fire. Place a layer of chicken in a deep oval dish or other shapely mold, arranging it with some care to look attractive, and rejecting all skin and gristle as well as bone. Season each layer with a dusting of salt, cayenne, and if liked, a few sprigs of parsley. Cover with rings cut from the hard-boiled eggs or any slices or fancy shapes to suit the taste. Fill up the dish in this way; add a tablespoonful of gelatine to the chicken broth, and when it has dissolved strain over the meat. It should set firmly, so as to cut in delicate slices.

SNOW PUDDING.—Farina, boiled in milk in a double boiler for a long time, lightly salted and cooled in a mold, makes a tasteful and delicious snow pudding. Whipped cream and pulverized sugar, and perhaps a few fresh berries should be served with it. A more elaborate dessert may be made in this way: Dissolve half a box of Cox's gelatine in a large pint of water, soaking it first for an hour or more in cold water, then bringing to a boil. Add the juice of two lemons and a portion of the rind and two small cupfuls of sugar. Strain after mixing well, and set it by to cool. When it begins to stiffen add the whites of two eggs beaten to a stiff froth, and beat until the whole becomes a stiff, white mass. Mold and serve very cold with whipped cream, or a thin custard made of the yelks of the eggs and flavored with lemon.—Country Gentleman.

## ENTERTAINING YARNLETS.

DANIEL O'CONNELL was at one time defending a man accused of murder at Clonmel. The circumstantial evidence was so strong against the prisoner that the jury had already determined upon their verdict of guilty, when the man supposed to be murdered was brought into court, alive and unhurt. The jury was desired to return their verdict at once, and they did so; but it was one of "Guilty." "What does this mean?" inquired the judge; "if the man has not been murdered how can the prisoner be guilty?" "Please, yer honor," said the foreman, "he's guilty; he stole my bay mare three years ago."

A JUDGE in a Western State once intervened to prevent a waste of words. He was sitting in chambers, and seeing, from the piles of papers in the lawyer's hands, that the first case was likely to be hotly contested, he asked: "What is the amount in question?" "Two dollars," said the plaintiff's counsel. "I'll pay it," said the judge, handing over the money; "call the next case." He had not the patience of taciturn Sir William Grant, who, after listening for a couple of days to the arguments of counsel as to the construction of an act, quietly observed, when they had done: "That act has been repealed."

A FEW years ago, two well-known writers in the neighborhood of Harvard College endeavored to evince a practical turn. They lived near each other—so near that when the water in the supply pipes in the house of one was frozen, they conceived the idea of introducing the much-needed fluid before the plumber arrived by conveying it from the house of the other in an ordinary rubber hose. The weather was of the zero kind, and the same cold that froze the water in the leaden pipes within the house, froze the water in the rubber hose which lay upon the snow without. It is hardly necessary to add that a mass of icy snow and a broken hose were the only results of this novel aqueduct.

A WESTERN man, who owned a great farm in Dakota, was obliged to cross the water for business purposes. For three months he heard nothing from the man whom he had left in charge of the farm, and at last he became somewhat disturbed. He was an illiterate person, though a capital farmer, and the writing of a telegram was a matter of some difficulty. At last he sent off the following comprehensive message: "Is things all right at the farm?" Impatiently he awaited the answer. But his trusty foreman was a man of few words and strict ideas of economy, and the envelope which his anxious employer received as soon as possible, contained simply this message: "Things is."

THE difficulty which boys and girls experience in expressing their ideas in writing is notorious. An examiner at a seminary for young ladies requested one of them the other day to give him her notion of what sort of telegram she would send to her father in the event of her having met with a railway accident. It was a thing that might occur, of course, and the lesson prove useful; but, in any case, it would give an idea of her mental resources. He threw out no hints, but, with the proviso that it should be as brief as possible, left the whole composition to the young lady's imagination. This was the telegram: "Dear papa: Dear mamma is killed; Jane (her sister) and I are in the refreshment room."

## SCIENCE OF PLANTS.

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INVESTIGATIONS in the Alps and Pyrenees have shown that height produces modification, not only in the shape of plants, but in thickness of the the bark, the color of the leaves, and even in the anatomical structure of certain organs. The leaves especially become thicker at great heights, and their faces often have a double layer of cellules.

THE flora of Europe embraces about 10,000 species. India has about 15,000; the British possessions in North America, though with an area nearly as large as Europe, have only about 5,000 species; one of the richest floras is that of the Cape of Good Hope and Natal, which figures up about 10,000 species; Australia also is rich in species, about 10,000 being now known.

IT has been stated that since the sunflower has been cultivated on certain swamps of the Potomac malarial fever has decreased. At the mouth of the Sheldt in Holland it is stated that similar results have been observed. The sunflower emits large volumes of water in the form of vapor, and its aromatic odor, as well as the oxygen it exhales, may have something to do with the sanitary influence in question.

THE Dutch Academy of Sciences in Haarlem has offered a gold medal for the best work on microscopic investigation of the mode in which different parts of plants can unite with one another, and especially the phenomena which accompany healing after the operation of grafting. The papers must be written in German, Dutch or Latin (not in the handwriting of the author), and must be forwarded to Dr. J. Boseka, Haarlem, by January 1, 1891.

A RELATION between the flora of Eastern Asia and of Eastern North America was pointed out, as to Japan, by Dr. Asa Gray thirty years ago. It has been illustrated since by discoveries of new species alike in both regions, but they have been for the most part unimportant herbs. Greater force is now given to the fact by the discovery by Dr. Augustine Henry that the Chinese and American tulip trees are identical. The discovery is significant in that it gives evidence that the climates of Eastern America and of China have continued to be alike since the Tertiary period.

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| Bastedenbeck Henry lot 4 Prescott place | 2 18 |
| Bauernschub J W " lot 16 " | 2 18 |
| Bundy Henry h and 1 Elizabeth street | 8 72 |
| Cole est of Elias h b and 60 acres 260 to 264 E Front street | 218 00 |
| Cole Jacob est of Sarah h b and 18 acres 312 to 330 E Front street | 76 30 |
| Campbell Mrs John O h and 1 55 E 5th st | 19 05 |
| Cole est of Elias h 1 and b and 1¾ acres South avenue | 32 70 |
| Cowan Margaret lot 53 Kensington avenue | 5 45 |
| Cuff Lewis H h and 1 east of Belvidere ave | 2 18 |
| Casey Patrick h and 1 21 to 25 W 3d street | 39 24 |
| Collins John E lot 59 W 4th street | 4 36 |
| Conway Mary h and 1 92 W 4th street | 6 54 |
| Clark John & John Cahoes lot 6 Lee place | 2 18 |
| Craig William J h and 18 acres 216 to 240 Dunellen avenue | 93 92 |
| Chase Winfield h and 1 469 W Front street | 4 36 |
| Cole est of Elias lots 55 to 68 Jefferson ave | 6 54 |
| Day Richard H lot Woodland avenue | 1 09 |
| Darling William S h and 1 256 South ave | 39 24 |
| " " lot 300 feet rear of Brown's Ravine road | 3 27 |
| Darling Emma h and 1 22 - 34 Rahway road | 98 10 |
| " " lots 177-199 Woodland ave | 6 54 |
| " " lots north side Prospect ave | 4 91 |
| " " lots south side Prospect ave | 9 27 |
| Dadey est of Patrick or Mary h and 1 80 W 3d street | 19 62 |
| Dunn Solomon F h 1 and shop 66 Park ave | 57 06 |
| Dunham Joseph T h and 1 20 Arlington ave | 26 16 |
| Darling Wm S lots 22 and 25 Clinton ave | 4 36 |
| Frazee James R lot 230 E 2d street | 2 18 |
| Fish Ferdinand lot 16 Richmond st (north) | 5 45 |
| Flynn Bernhard h and 1 152 Terrell road | 8 72 |
| Fick Alexander F h and 1 124 to 132 Woodland avenue | 109 00 |
| Fritz Adam h and 1 7 Exchange alley | 10 90 |
| Fisher est of Abram h and 1 83 W 3d street | 10 90 |
| Flannigan P J lot 46 South 2d street | 1 09 |
| Flynn Ann 2 h and lot 54 and 56 W 3d street | 10 90 |
| Field Mr lot 50 ft front W 6th street 350 | 1 09 |
| Force James R lot 5 feet front 40½ E 2d st | 1 64 |
| Hoff Adelia J W 7th street | 21 80 |
| Hart Carrie lot 27 Jackson avenue | 2 18 |
| Hart Carre 2 lots 42 and 44 Netherwood ave | 4 36 |
| Hart Levi E 3 lots 30 to 34 " " | 6 54 |
| Hendrickson Rachel C farm land 9½ acres Randolph road | 11 45 |
| Harding John h and 2 1 150-161 South 2d st | 13 08 |
| Houseman George W h and lot 19 W 3d st | 26 16 |
| Harris J T 2 lots 239 to 244 W 4th street | 9 81 |
| Harris J T 12 lots 213 to 233 W 7th street | 16 35 |
| Huff est of Rachel h and s 64 Park avenue | 21 80 |
| Henderson Rachael C lots 36 and 38 Rose st | 2 44 |
| " " 1 205-207 Arlington ave | 4 36 |
| Jones est of Lewis h and 1 242 E Front st | 26 16 |
| Jones Emma A 3 lots 194-198 La Grande ave | 6 54 |
| " " lots 7 to 11 Kensington ave | 6 54 |
| with lot to Webster place | 32 70 |
| Jones Emma A 15 1 to 186 LaGrande avenue | 32 70 |
| " " 1 lot La Grande avenue on left W of Berckman street | 4 36 |
| Jones Emma A 1 lot La Grande avenue on left E of Berckman street | 4 36 |
| Jones Emma A 8 2 to 22 Carleton avenue | 17 44 |
| " " 5 lots 1 to 15 " | 10 90 |
| " " 5 lots 88 to 102 Richmond st | 10 90 |
| " " 2 lots 87 and 91 " " | 4 36 |
| " " 4 lots 9 to 15 Putnam street | 13 08 |
| " " 3 lots 25 to 27 " | 32 70 |
| Jimerson Aaron L h and 7 acres 189 to 207 Leland avenue | 32 70 |
| Jacot Mr 4 125 ft each W 8th st 357 to 359 | 1 09 |
| Keller Susie E h and 1 97 E Front street | 27 25 |
| Ketcham Chas E h and 1 34 Kensington ave | 43 60 |
| Kane John h and 1 88 W 3d street | 4 36 |
| Kilpatrick, Matthew h and 1 79 w 6th st | 9 81 |
| Leffler, Harriet h and 1 255 La Grande ave bal | 5 10 |
| Leonard, Wm J h and 1 109 and 105 w Front st | 47 96 |
| Leonard, Wm J ½ interest in farm 138 to 170 Plainfield ave | 35 97 |
| Lee, Thomas h and 2 1 95 and 97 s 2d st bal | 8 26 |
| Lane, Mary M 8 1 Pemberton, Field, Elizabeth and Central ave | 13 08 |
| Lewis, Israel s and 1 10 Park ave | 27 25 |
| Mulford, Eliza h and 1 44 e 4th st | 32 70 |
| Mahin Alanson h and 2 1 13 and 15 e 6th st | 54 50 |
| Martine, James F h and 1 2 e 9th st | 21 80 |
| Martine, Anna M h and 1 6 e 9th st | 59 86 |
| Martine, estate of D h b and f land 116 a 146 to 160 Broadway | 381 50 |
| Miller, Caroline A h and 1 181 Park ave | 76 30 |
| Martin, Mrs David 1 2 George st | 1 09 |
| Miller, Wm H h and 1 34 w 2d st | 49 05 |
| Mory, Patrick h and 1 39 w 2d st | 4 36 |
| McNamara, Patrick h and 1 129 s 2d st | 6 54 |
| McDonough, Peter h and 1 153 w 3d st | 15 26 |
| Manning, Wm H h and 1 79 w 4th st | 8 72 |
| Marsh, Lucy A h and 1 18 w 8th st | 23 98 |
| Moe, Experiance h and 1 25 and 27 w 8th street | 39 24 |
| McLaughlin, 4 lots 25 ft ea 321 to 329 W 5th street | 2 18 |
| Meyer & gmund T. Lot 300 ft front W 6th street 340 to 360 | 4 36 |
| McCarthy Chas 2 h & 1 21 and 23 Plainfield ave | 19 62 |
| Marsh Randolph, h & 1 44 Plainfield ave | 19 62 |
| Murphy, Elizabeth and Mary h and 21 5 and 7 Stebbins place | 21 80 |
| Madden, William h and 1 471 w Front east-half owner | 4 36 |
| O'Neil, Jas and Richard triangle 1 172 s 2d st | 15 26 |
| O'Neil, Jas and Richard h and 1 174 s 2d st | 17 44 |
| O'Neil, Jas and Richard h and 1 176 s 2d st | 17 44 |
| O'Neil, Jas one-half s and 1 178 s 2d st | 13 08 |
| O'Neil, Richard one-half s and 1 178 s 2d st | 13 08 |
| O'Keefe, John h and 1 81 w 5th st | 13 08 |
| O'Riley Bros., 11 1 180 to 209 w 7th st | 23 98 |
| Ohl, Caroline J 6 1 and 33 a Pemberton ave, etc | 45 78 |
| Pike, estate of Josephine W ⅔ interest h and 1 122 to 126 E Front st | 58 14 |
| Pike, Virginia ⅓ interest h and 1 122 to 126 E Front st | 29 07 |
| Perrine, James R h and 1 5 La Grande ave | 76 30 |
| Pringle, Mrs Hillside ave n Randolph road | 2 18 |
| Pound, Daniel S h and 1 378 to 380 w Front street | 5 26 |
| Reed, David or Hattie Colburn 2 1 215 to 217 e 2d st | 8 72 |
| Reed, O B 1 219 e 2d st | 4 36 |
| Richardson, Maggie h and 1 53 E 6th st to 345 Park ave | 32 70 |
| Roll, Chancellor h and 1 9 and 11 Peace street | 29 34 |
| Rogers, Marietta h and 1 89 Madison av bal | 32 70 |
| Snyder, Martha 2 s 21 and 23 e Front st bal | 28 70 |
| Schorb, Elizabeth 3 story b h e Front st bal | 62 87 |
| Smalley, Morgan E 1 Hillside ave | 102 77 |
| Smalley, Morgan R 5¼ a 1 1 Randolph road | 3 82 |
| Smalley, Samuel T a 1 1 Randolph road | 11 45 |
| Smalley, Wm H 4 a 1 1 Randolph road | 15 26 |
| Smalley, Mary B h and 1 242 to 274 Woodland ave | 21 80 |
| Smith, Henry W 1 Raymond ave | 1 09 |
| Sauerman, Mary A 1 e of Belvidere ave | 1 64 |
| Smith, Ferdinand O h and 1 196 w Front street | 26 16 |
| Suthpen, estate of John C h and 1 25 and 27 w 2d st | 43 60 |
| Scots, Neil 1 15 Peace street | 2 18 |
| Scribner, Mr 1 321 to 323 s 2d st | 6 54 |
| Smalley, Morgan R 1 16 Rose st | 1 81 |
| Smalley, Samuel 1 20 to 34 Rose st | 3 05 |
| Smalley, Samuel 1 220 Arlington ave | 2 18 |
| Smalley, Samuel 1 213 Arlington ave | 2 18 |
| Salaman, Mrs Elise h & 1 129 Central a | 117 72 |
| Smith, James F h and 1 14 Elmwood pl | 19 34 |
| Stewart, David F h and 1 7 John st | 8 72 |
| Thompson, est of Daniel— 3 1 216 to 220 e Front st | 17 44 |
| 8 1 36 to 52 Jackson ave | 17 44 |
| 6 1 54 to 64 Jackson ave | 13 08 |
| 3 1 66 to 70 Jackson ave | 6 54 |
| 1 247 to 249 North ave | 5 45 |
| 1 2 to 12 New Front st | 13 08 |
| Terry, Geo W 2 1 67 to 69 Netherwood av | 6 54 |
| Taylor, H 1 348 w 5th st, 26 ft front | 58 |
| Ulrich, est of Henry h and 1 64 to 66 w 6th st | 21 80 |
| Unknown Owners— 4 1 305 to 311 e Front st | 10 90 |
| 2 1 184 to 186 e 2nd st | 10 90 |
| 3 1 249, 251 and 253 e 2nd st | 6 54 |
| 1 85 Midway ave | 2 18 |
| 3 1 32 to 38 Webster place | 6 54 |
| 1 39 to 47 Highland ave | 13 08 |
| 1 7 Johnston ave | 2 18 |
| 1 19 Johnston ave | 2 18 |
| 4 1 18, 20, 22, 24 Johnston ave | 8 72 |
| 1 7 Jackson ave | 2 18 |
| 1 23 " | 2 18 |
| 1 8 " | 2 18 |
| 1 18 " | 2 18 |
| 1 3 George st | 55 |
| 2 1 17 to 19 George st | 101 |
| Land on North ave, on right from Mill ave to Johnston | 26 16 |
| 1 27 to 29 Rose st | 2 18 |
| 1 35 to 37 Rose st | 2 18 |
| 1 197 Arlington ave | 2 18 |
| 1 201 Arlington ave | 2 18 |
| Vail, Catharine S h and 1 73 e 2d st | 32 70 |
| Vansinderin, Clara h and 1 38 e 4th st | 21 80 |
| Vermeule, Sarah A h and 1 5 and 7 Peace st | 21 80 |
| Vail, Hulda M— 1 21 Elm place | 1 09 |
| h and 1 74 to 78 Dunellen ave | 17 44 |
| 1 80 to 84 Dunellen ave | 4 36 |
| Van Winkle, Jeremiah h and 1 3 Central ave | 15 26 |
| Wiley, Franklin h, b and 12 a 349 to 375 Rahway road | 76 30 |
| Weber, Anna C h and s 69 e 3d st | 26 16 |
| Woodruff, James M 1 e of Belvidere av | 2 18 |
| Whitehead, est of Frazee 2 lr'ts in rear and 1 1190 w Front st | 32 70 |
| Wyckkoff, est of Jane h and 1 61 w 3d st | 3 82 |
| Wells, Wm H 1 430 ft front 355 to 369 w 6th st | 9 27 |
| Wierenga, John h and 2 a Randolph rd | 6 54 |
| Watson, James E 1 100 ft front 226 Central ave | 4 36 |
| Young, est of Emma H h and 1 Elm pl | 26 16 |
| O'Rourke, John 1 7 Essex st | 2 18 |

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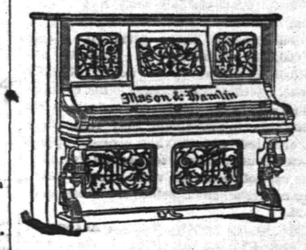


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### WHY BENWELL WAS MURDERED

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**The Author of the Letter Acknowledges Himself the Murderer--Birchall's Lawyer Will Ask for a Reprieve for a Month—The Condemned Man's Wife Writes to the Minister of Justice.**

WOODSTOCK, Ont., Oct. 28.—The condemned murderer, Birchall, has received a letter which, if genuine, will probably go a long way toward saving his neck. The missive is postmarked "Jackson, Mich., Oct. 24, 4:30 p. m.," purports to have been written nineteen days previously, and is signed "The Colonel."

It tells how the writer set out with Benwell to Farmer Hersee's, and while in the Princeton swamp told the victim of the plot to swindle him, inviting him, at the same time, to join the conspiracy and take his revenge out of future dupes.

Benwell indignantly threatened to divulge the nefarious scheme, whereupon "The Colonel," recognizing the necessity of stopping such revelations, coolly shot him.

**Death Before Exposure.**

The author of the letter describes his talk with Benwell as follows:

"I reasoned with him and did all I could to get him around, but no go. We talked the matter over for perhaps half or three-quarters of an hour, sometimes quietly and sometimes otherwise. At last he jumped up, said he would expose the whole damned lot of us and started for the road. I followed, and knowing what exposing would mean, settled him there and then."

**Sympathy for Birchall.**

"The Colonel" concludes his letter as follows:

"Now you know it all. I am sorry I did it and never thought of getting you into trouble of the kind you are in now. Forgive me, Rex. His watch and revolver no one will see again. He didn't have much money with him. I should have thought that any darned fool of a lawyer might see for you to kill him would spoil your chances of getting the boodle. I do hope the Canadian people will treat you fairly and at least give you a reprieve. If so, I will write you again and give you my address and will expect to get a letter from you."

**Will Ask for a Reprieve.**

After reading the letter Birchall's face assumed a pleased expression, and he sent for his solicitor, S. G. McKay. Mr. McKay went to London and consulted with Mr. Hellmuth, another of Birchall's counsel, and it is likely that a reprieve of a month will be asked for at once.

Birchall's explanation of this letter, and it is to an extent borne out by the facts, is that the "Colonel" between whom and Birchall, it will be remembered, certain telegrams or letters have passed and have been made public, was a "pal" of his, and that his friend, the Colonel, was taking Benwell, the murdered man up to see William Hersee, a well known and wealthy farmer of Blenheim, who for a consideration was to pretend that Birchall owned the farm which they were going to see.

**Mrs. Birchall's Petition.**

OTTAWA, Ont., Oct. 28.—A letter was received at the Department of Justice here from Mrs. Birchall asking if the Minister of Justice would receive her in person to present the petition praying for a commutation of her husband's sentence, and asking whether November 5 would be too late to present it. A reply was telegraphed that the petition would be received and carefully considered, and that Sir John Thompson would be pleased to receive it through the hands of Birchall's wife in person.

### HIS DAY IS NEAR.

**All Ready at Clinton State Prison for Wood's Electrocution.**

PLATTSBURG, N. Y., Oct. 28.—The execution of "Cal" Wood for the murder of his father-in-law, Leander Pasco, in Warren County, which is booked for next week, if the prisoner's counsel is unable to procure a new trial for the murderer, is now the all-absorbing topic of conversation in and around Clinton State Prison.

Wood is confined in a double cell in the new portion of the prison, that occupied by Joseph Chapleau, the Clinton County murderer, whose sentence was commuted by Gov. Hill to life imprisonment. But Wood differs from Chapleau in many respects. Chapleau is a man of considerable intelligence, while Wood is ignorant and uncouth. The guards who are watching him day and night will be greatly relieved when something new turns up in his case. They apparently dread the coming of execution week more than he does, if appearances and actions count for anything.

**A Hoboken Baker Suicides.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 28.—Charles Jacobs, a baker of 205 Willow avenue, Hoboken, committed suicide during the morning by shooting himself with a revolver. He has been suffering lately from softening of the brain. He was 45 years old and leaves a wife and seven children.

**An Alderman Arrested for Bribery.**

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Oct. 28.—John McLennan, Alderman of the Eleventh Ward and a prominent lawyer, was arrested here on the charge of bribery in taking $100 in cash for putting a certain resolution accepting work on the sewer through the common council.

### WORK OF THE MAFIA.

**A Cold-Blooded Shooting that Will End in Murder.**

PITTSBURG, Oct. 28.—A dispatch from Steubenville, Ohio, says that a cold-blooded shooting that will end in murder took place last evening on the West Virginia side of the river. Frank Cruse met Frank Gallo in Pittsburg last Saturday. Cruse offered Gallo work if he would come to Steubenville with him. Gallo accepted, came here with Cruse and both crossed the river, going up the road to the top of the hill. When near the top Cruse turned suddenly to Gallo, and said:

"Frank, you did a dirty thing to me once, now I'll kill you."

Cruse then pulled out a revolver and shot Gallo three times and fled, leaving Gallo for dead. Gallo regained consciousness and walked to the farmhouse of William Arthur, who brought him to this city in a wagon. Gallo will die.

Cruse's motive for the shooting could not have been robbery, as Gallo had $34 in his bootleg. Both men are Italians. Cruse belongs to the Mafia, which had sworn to kill Gallo. The police are hunting Cruse, who is supposed to be hiding in this city.

### A WEDDING AND FUNERAL.

**The Corpse of the Bride's Father in the Room When She Was Married.**

PITTSBURG, Oct. 28.—Prof. Charles W. Fleming, a music teacher of this city, and Miss Blanche Lynn of Williamsport, Pa., were married at the latter place in the presence of the girl's father's corpse.

The couple had been engaged some time and were to be married in December. A few hours before the ceremony Fleming was summoned from Philadelphia, where he had gone on business, by a telegram stating that Judge Lynn, his intended bride's father, was dying at Williamsport. He arrived too late to be married before the Judge's death, but the latter exacted a promise that the marriage should be performed on the day of his funeral, before his coffin.

This programme was carried out, the same minister conducting the marriage and funeral services. Mrs. Fleming is still at Williamsport, but her husband is now in Pittsburg attending to his duties.

### OPERATORS STRIKE.

**St. Paul Telegraphers Resent the Discharge of Brotherhood Men.**

ST. PAUL, Oct. 28.—All the operators, thirty-seven in number, in the Western Union Telegraph Company's office in this city struck at 8 o'clock last night, and all the wires leading into the city are idle. The walk-out is on account of the discharge by the company a few days ago of six operators, supposed to belong to the Brotherhood.

The discharged men called on Supt. McMichael in Minneapolis in the afternoon to try and effect an agreement, but were not recognized, and the strike is the result.

**New Jersey Sends Ireland $20,000.**

JERSEY CITY, Oct. 28.—Chancellor McCartie of the Newark diocese telegraphed to Ireland that a collection of $20,000 had been taken up in the 109 Catholic churches of the Newark diocese by direction of Bishop Wigger, and that the contribution would be forwarded to Ireland at once for the benefit of the poor of that country.

**A Train Wrecker Sentenced.**

LAWRENCE, Mass., Oct. 28.—In the Superior Court, William F. Murdock, of Lynn, pleaded guilty to placing a rail on the Boston & Maine track at Saugus. He did it in the hope of obtaining a reward, and immediately afterward notified the railroad officers. He was sentenced to nine years in State prison.

**A Wicked Drummer.**

WAYLAND, N. Y., Oct. 28.—A man registering as Riley, representing a New York paper house, was arrested here charged with attempting to criminally assault a young girl on Main street. He was considerably intoxicated when brought before Justice Zimmerman, who ordered him locked up.

**McGonegal Secures a Stay.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 28.—Judge Pratt of the Kings County Supreme Court granted an order to show cause why a stay of proceeding should not be granted in the case of Dr. McGonegal, who is under sentence for causing the death of Annie Goodwin.

**Yellow Fever on Board.**

BOSTON, Oct. 28.—The steamer Aaisaig, from Havana, which has been detained at quarantine with yellow fever on board, is being fumigated, and will probably come to the city to-morrow. The steward, who is ill with the fever, has been taken to Calloup's Island.

**The Von Moltke Jubilee.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 28.—The jubilee last night in honor of Von Moltke's ninetieth birthday was celebrated at the Metropolitan Opera House, which was packed to the doors. Chauncey Depew made a stirring address.

## NEW YORK'S CENSUS

### Secretary Noble Will Not Permit a Recount.

### HIS LETTER TO MAYOR GRANT.

**The Census Cannot be Amended Without Clear Proofs of Great Errors.**

**The State Department Forwards the Protests of the Italian Colony of New Orleans to the Governor of Louisiana—The Conscience Fund Increased—Jugigo's Case Before the Supreme Court.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 28.—Secretary Noble has made public his letter to Mayor Grant, denying the latter's application for a recount of the population of New York City.

The Secretary's letter is a document of nearly 3,500 words. In it the Secretary reviews the correspondence between Mayor Grant and the Census Office officials, and quotes the law under which he makes this decision. The Secretary says that the demand rested solely on the alleged supervision of the municipal enumeration by a representative of the United States Census, and devotes a large portion of the letter in discussing this question.

The Secretary says that the position that the United States Census is incorrect must be met by something more than an assertion that the municipal census is right; and that because it shows more inhabitants in New York city in the fall of the year than that taken in June, is not evidence enough to require a recount.

The Secretary says that the U. S. Census has been taken at vast expense and the enumeration of the whole population is about to be announced. The U. S. enumerators of New York were its citizens and deeply interested in its progress and distinction. They were intelligent, educated and industrious. They were paid all the law allowed, and there is no reason why their work should not have been done well. They did it, their proper returns were made. If this good work is attempted to be amended now for this and that, without clear proofs of great errors, its harmony and usefulness will be soon causelessly destroyed.

### ITALIANS PROTEST.

**Secretary Blaine Sends a Telegram to the Governor of Louisiana.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 28.—The State Department has forwarded to the Governor of Louisiana the protests of the Italian colony at New Orleans against contemplated harsh measures by the authorities of New Orleans against Italians of that city indiscriminately, because of the assassination of Chief of Police Hennessey.

The matter was brought to the attention of the State Department by Mr. George Levi, attache, in the absence of Baron de Fava, the Italian Minister. Mr. Levi handed the protest of the Italian colony, which was telegraphed to him by the Italian Consul at New Orleans, to Mr. Blaine, and explained the situation to him. The protest states that they view with horror the assassination of Chief Hennessey, but fear that injustice will be heaped upon the innocent in the clamor which has been raised to punish the guilty.

Secretary Blaine simply telegraphed to the Governor of Louisiana the substance of Mr. Levi's fears, and the substance of the protest, with the view of informing the authorities of Louisiana how the Italians and their official representative in this country felt on the subject.

**Fourth Auditor Lynch's Report.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 28.—In his annual report Fourth Auditor John R. Lynch of the Treasury Department, states that there is great need for an increased force of clerks in his office to enable him to meet promptly inquiries from the Pension office. His office, which had charge of the adjustment of accounts of the Navy department, during the last fiscal year disbursed $22,136,474.

**Jugigo's Case Before the Supreme Court.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 28.—Daniel O. Callaghan and George K. French, of this city, representing the State of New York, appeared before the Supreme Court of the United States, and Mr. Callaghan made a motion to advance the case of Jugigo, the Japanese now under sentence of death by electricity in New York. No decision was made by the court.

**Mr. Batchellor's Resignation.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 28.—The President has received the resignation of George S. Batchellor as Assistant Secretary of the Treasury, to take effect October 31. On November 1 Mr. Batchellor will take the oath of office as Minister to Portugal. He intends to sail for Lisbon on November 6.

**Conscience Contribution.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 28.—A conscience contribution of $3.50, in an envelope postmarked Holyoke, Mass., has been received by Treasurer Huston.


Highest of all in Leavening Power.—U. S. Gov't Report, Aug. 17, 1889.

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### SHE LOVED THE COACHMAN.

**A Society Belle a Victim to the Wiles of Fickle Cupid.**

BINGHAMTON, N. Y., Oct. 28.—Port Dickinson is a suburb of Binghamton, and is noted for its many charming young ladies. Prominent among them for several years were the three daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Phelps.

One of them, Miss Lizzie Phelps, has fallen a victim to the wiles of fickle Cupid.

Unknown to the family there sprang up an attachment between the young lady and her father's coachman, William Slaiterly, that was soon fanned into a flame of love, and they were plighted lovers ere the parents of the young lady were aware of the existing state of affairs.

All efforts to thwart the wishes of her heart were of no avail, and she made no effort to conceal her love and infatuation for the happy youth.

Finding that all efforts to change the mind of the determined and unyielding victim of Cupid's wiles were positively useless, the mother was won over, and is now in perfect harmony with her daughter.

Not so with the father and sisters. They are shocked beyond expression.

The father and Miss Emma have gone to New York to avoid being present at the ceremony, which is to occur in a few days. The youngest sister has also left home and is in Binghampton stopping with relatives.

The mother, however, remains at home with the daughter, and very sensibly looks upon it as an affair that belongs exclusively to the young lady, and as she is an heiress in her own right, she is at liberty to act at her own will and pleasure, especially in a matter that interests the future happiness of herself.

Miss Phelps is a social belle and one of the wealthiest young ladies in the State. She is a niece of the late Judge Phelps and has a cool $100,000 in cash that was left to her by her deceased relative. She is a lovely woman in all that the word implies.

### IN A TRANCE.

**A Female Prisoner at Batavia, N. Y., Cannot be Awakened.**

BATAVIA, N. Y., Oct. 28.—Quite a stir was created here by the intelligence that Mrs. Andrews, who is in jail for illegally retaining from the lawful owners the will of the late Mrs. Elizabeth Ensign, had not been and could not be awakened.

After quite a lengthy examination the doctor said it was evident that she was not feigning. Not the faintest sign of life could be seen. He was of the opinion that it was a case of extreme nervous prostration brought on by great excitement and her surroundings, as he looked about the jail, which has, time and again, been condemned by different grand juries as a place akin to the "Black Hole of Calcutta."

The profound unconsciousness continued, and her lawyer demanded her removal to a better place. An order for her removal to a more healthful place was signed by the jail physician.

**Thrown from a Wagon and Killed.**

BALTIMORE, Md., Oct. 28.—While out driving last evening two young ladies with their escorts were thrown from the wagon. Miss Mary Roche of 528 East street, was instantly killed, her neck being broken by the fall. Miss Josie Donohue was shockingly cut up and bruised. The men were only slightly injured, but were so badly frightened over the accident that they drove off leaving the women. Later on the men were arrested on suspicion of having purposely caused the accident.

**Important Legal Question.**

BROCKTON, Mass., Oct. 28.—The question of this city issuing bonds for the erection of a soldier's memorial hall is to be considered by the full bench of the Supreme Court, whose decision will be of wide interest. The Legislature has repeatedly empowered cities and towns to appropriate money for the erection and support of memorials, and the question as to the legality of such legislation has never before been raised.

**A Boy Held on a Serious Charge.**

DANBURY, Conn., Oct. 28.—William Lobdell the 16-year-old boy shot Clarence L. Osborn in the face, at Georgetown, was given a hearing before Justice Chichester, in Wilton, and bound over to the next term of the Superior Court under $5,000 bonds. He was brought here to the jail. Osborn is in a critical condition. Lobdell ran away from home three months ago to Brewsters, N. Y.

**Austria and Our New Tariff.**

VIENNA, Oct. 28.—The Austrian Cabinet will immediately consider the questions of taking decisive action regarding the McKinley bill; whether it would be better to wait and see if the American consumers themselves will ask for the repeal of the bill, or whether it would be better to withhold action pending observation of the practical effect of the act.

**President Jewett's Sudden Death.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 28.—John L. Jewett, president of the Irving National Bank, was suddenly taken ill in front of his home, 425 West Twenty-first street, at midnight. He fell to the sidewalk and received a severe scalp wound. He died during the forenoon.

**Mark Twain's Mother Dying.**

KEOKUK, Iowa, Oct. 28.—Mrs. Clemens, the aged mother of Mark Twain, is lying very ill at the home of her son Orion, with whom she has lived for many years in this city. Her death is hourly expected.

**An Aged Minister Dead.**

ELIZABETH, N. J., Oct. 28.—The Rev. Edwin Harley Rheinhart, for 43 years pastor of the Marshall Street Presbyterian Church, is dead, aged 79 years.

## FAVOR RETALIATION

### French Journals Bitter Over the McKinley Tariff Bill.

### THE LONDON STANDARD'S VIEWS

**The Civilized World Plunged Into Inevitable War on Account of Tariff Laws.**

**Conservatives Exulting Over the Coming O'Shea Divorce Trial—Parnell's Friends Believe He Will Triumph—Dramatic Incidents in the Eyraud Murder Case in Paris—Arrests in Russia.**

LONDON, Oct. 28.—The French political journals are bringing their utmost pressure to bear upon the Government in an endeavor to induce the adoption of retaliatory measures against the United States for the restrictive operation of the McKinley bill upon French products.

The Figaro, the most bitter of these journals, demands that the Government retaliate upon American insurance companies, of which there are many doing enormous business in France, by rigid enforcement of existing laws against foreign companies, and if these are not found adequate, by the enactment of new ones.

The London Standard in a long leader on the subject, declares that the French tariff and the McKinley bill have plunged the civilized world into inevitable war and predicts "that the entire continent will retaliate sooner or later in a way that will convince the high protectionists of the fatal gravity of their error."

### PARNELL'S ORDEAL.

**The Conservatives Believe the O'Shea Trial Will Injure the Irish Leader.**

LONDON, Oct. 28.—The Conservatives do not conceal the exultation with which they look forward to the O'Shea divorce trial, and openly proclaim their belief that the effect of the trial upon Mr. Parnell will be similar to that of the famous scandal in which Sir Charles Dilke was involved and which drove the latter out of public life.

Mr. Parnell's friends, on the other hand, assert that he has a full answer for every charge, and that, at the most, nothing more than indiscretion can be proven. Captain O'Shea states that he will push the case with energy, as he means to prove to the world the falsity of the allegations that he has been acting without just cause and with a malicious purpose to asperse Mr. Parnell.

### TO TEST HYPNOTISM.

**The Eyraud Murder Trial to be Full of Dramatic Incidents.**

PARIS, Oct. 28.—The Eyraud trial promises to be full of dramatic incidents. Maitre Henri Robert, the counsel for the woman, Gabrielle Bompard, having decided to make a test question of the issue whether his client was or was not hypnotized, as she claims, by her accomplice.

To decide the matter he will call Drs. Charcot and Voisin, the former standing at the head of specialists in nervous diseases here, and these gentlemen will make hypnotic experiments in open court.

The contention of Maitre Robert is that Gabrielle was not responsible for her actions, having been hypnotized by Eyraud, and so remaining during the entire period of their intercourse.

### STANLEY SAILS.

**A Large Party of Friends Bid Farewell to the Explorer.**

LONDON, Oct. 28.—Mr. and Mrs. Henry M. Stanley sailed to-day for America. A large party of friends accompanied them to Euston Station to bid farewell to the couple. A crowd also assembled and cheered the illustrious traveler and his wife as they entered the station.

In order to annoy Stanley on the eve of his departure, the Globe here takes up the Barttelott family's complaint, and insinuates that Stanley must specifically deny the charges that he is responsible for Major Barttelott's death. It claims that the Major was a martyr to soldierly discipline and to the orders Stanley knew to be impracticable.

**Wholesale Arrests in Russia.**

LONDON, Oct. 28.—Wholesale arrests of suspects are being made in St. Petersburg, Warsaw and Odessa. In Odessa most of the victims are Jews, and if no other evidence can be found against them they are deported to Siberia on the charge of violating the laws directed against that race. The police claim to have discovered an enormous conspiracy, involving at the same time a revolutionary propaganda and the forging by millions of the paper money of the Empire.

**One Thousand Lives Lost.**

WARSAW, Oct. 28.—The papers are full of horrible accounts of the foundering off Cape St. Vincent of a steamer carrying a thousand Russian immigrants, bound for Brazil.

**Diamond Dealers Fail.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 28.—Messrs. D. H. Wickham & Co., dealers in precious stones at No. 2 Maiden lane, have made an assignment, giving preferences to John J. Monro & Co. Wickham & Co. were rated at from $50,000 to $75,000, and their credit was considered good.

**Mr. Cleveland Leaves Washington.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 28.—Ex-President Cleveland started for New York to-day. It is reported that Mr. Cleveland gets a fee of $50,000 for the case he argued before the Supreme Court.

### EDITORS ARRESTED.

**Libel Suits Instituted by ex-Governor Pattison of Pennsylvania.**

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 28.—A hearing was given in the case of ex-Governor Pattison against James Elverson, president of the Inquirer company; Charles Huestis, editor of the Inquirer; Clayton McMichael, editor and proprietor of the North American, and W. F. Jordan and J. J. McClourin, of the Harrisburg Call, for libel, before Magistrate O'Brien. Mr. Elverson and Mr. McMichael are out of town, and the constable had not served the warrants on the Harrisburg editors.

Mr. Huestis was present, and after the testimony was held in $1,500 bail. Counsel for Mr. Elverson consented that the evidence offered against Mr. Huestis should also be considered as having been offered against Mr. Elverson, and bail for his appearance was fixed at $1,500. The hearing of Messrs. McMichael, Jordan and McClourin was set for to-morrow noon.

Ex-Governor Pattison, ex-State Senator Judge, J. G. Gordon and William S. Stenger, ex-Secretary of State, swore that every allegation published in the article complained of was false.

### NEWS OF THE DAY.

King Leopold has started to visit Emperor William at Berlin.

High tides did much damage in Boston and neighboring towns.

The total registration of Amsterdam, N. Y., is 3,928. In 1888 it was 4,761.

Actor Webster is on trial in New York for murder. A defence of insanity is set up.

The total registration of Rome, N. Y., is 3,633, a decrease of 1,123 over last year.

Mr. Gladstone spoke to a monster assemblage, last evening at Edinburg, Scotland. His remarks were chiefly regarding home rule for Scotland.

Clark & Patridge, proprietors of the Queen City planing mill, at Buffalo, N. Y., have made an assignment for the benefit of their creditors.

Secretary Windom has determined to call a meeting of the lady managers of the World's Fair, to be held in Chicago November 18. They will receive $6 per day and expenses.

The body of an old hermit, William Taylor, who lived near the Dixon Iron mine at Antwerp, N. Y., was found hanging in his house during the morning. He had committed suicide.

George Martin pleaded guilty in the Court of Sessions in New York city to an indecent assault on his eight-year-old daughter. He was sentenced to 16 years at hard labor in the State prison.

T. Rooney and R. Madden, employes on the Sedom Dam, at Brewsters, N. Y., quarrelled during the night and in the fight Rooney struck Madden a terrible blow on the jugular killing him instantly. Rooney gave himself up.

The will of Charles Rockland Pepper, who died in France last spring, is to be contested in Philadelphia. The estate amounts to about half a million, and the will is in favor of a young German woman with whom Pepper lived near Paris.

Thomas Lynch, one of the Wilmington baseball team of this year, was shot in Cohoes, N. Y., during a fight in a saloon, by Richard Doyle of Cohoes, and will probably die. Doyle has been arrested. The bullet entered near Lynch's heart.

The Grand Jury of the Court of Oyer and Terminer at Buffalo, N. Y., has presented indictments against fourteen sewer contractors of that city, charging them with conspiring to cheat and rob the city of Buffalo. The defendants are among the most prominent sewer contractors in the city.

The Standard Oil Company has purchased a large tract of land at New Brunswick, N. J., to be used for storage purposes. Oil is to be brought there in tanks to be barrelled and the city will be made the shipping depot for Northern, Southern and Western New Jersey. The capacity of the works will be about 5,000 barrels a day.

Mrs. Miller, for whose extradition a demand has been made by the British Government, was again before United States Commissioner Shields in New York. At the request of counsel for the British government the case was adjourned until November 5 and the accused remanded to the custody of the marshal.

**Weather Indications.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 28.—For New England: Colder; high northwesterly winds; fair weather.

For Eastern New York, Eastern Pennsylvania and New Jersey: Colder; high northwesterly winds and fair weather.

For Western New York and Western Pennsylvania: Fair weather except showers on lakes; westerly winds and warmer by Wednesday morning.

### NEW YORK MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Oct. 27.—Money on call to-day 5 and 6 per cent.

BONDS.

| | Closing Saturday. | Closing To-day. |
|---|---|---|
| 4½s, 1891 Reg | 104¼ | 104¼ |
| 4½s, 1891 Coup | 104¾ | 104¾ |
| 4 s, 1907 Reg | 124½ | 124½ |
| 4 s, 1907 Coup | 124¾ | 121¾ |

STOCK MARKET.

| | Closing Saturday. | Closing To-day. |
|---|---|---|
| Canadian Pacific | 75 | — |
| Central Pacific | — | — |
| Chicago, Bur. & Q. | 91¾ | 91¾ |
| Delaware & Hudson | — | 137¾ |
| Del., Lack. & Western | 143 | 143½ |
| Erie | 21¾ | 21¾ |
| Erie pref | — | — |
| Lake Shore | 106¾ | 106¾ |
| Louis. & Nash | 77 | 78 |
| Michigan Central | — | — |
| Missouri Pacific | 89¾ | 89¾ |
| New Jersey Central | 119 | 119 |
| Northwestern | 108¾ | 108 |
| Oregon Navigation | — | — |
| Pacific Mail | — | 41¾ |
| Reading | 27 | 27¾ |
| Rock Island | 75¾ | 76¾ |
| St. Paul | 58¾ | 58¾ |
| Union Pacific | 46¾ | 47¾ |
| Western Union | 81¾ | 81¾ |

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## BY THE WAY.

—The fishing rod and line will soon be laid away.

—Owing to the prevalence of measles, the public school at Woodbridge has been ordered closed.

—Collections were taken up Sunday in the Catholic churches for the relief of the poor in Ireland.

—A mission will commence in St. Mary's church, next Sunday morning, and last two weeks.

—Manager Hall has booked the well-known actress Miss Ada Gray for three nights and a matinee, at Amphion Hall, November 3, 4 and 5.

—The anniversary of the Woman's Temperance Aid Society will be celebrated at Reform Hall, Thursday evening, at 7:45 o'clock. A cordial invitation is extended to everyone.

—Pharmacist Armstrong saw a letter today from a resident of Chicago, telling of the sale of a piece of ground on the corner of Clark and Madison streets, only 20 by 80 feet, for $330,000. This is $16,500 a front foot.

—Foreman Brokaw, of Westfield Bucket and Engine Company No. 1, has personally invited Gazelle Engine Company No. 1, of this city, to participate with them in the annual parade of the Westfield Fire Department, Thursday, Nov. 6.

—The Democrats of North Plainfield will have a mass meeting, Friday evening, at the Gesang Hall, Somerset street. The speakers announced are the Hon. John P. Stockton, James Bergen, the nominee for Assembly, Wm. Keys, the nominee for Senator, and others.

—It is impossible to run court while politics are so warm, and yesterday the bench at Elizabeth gave up the effort. The Grand Jury met and adjourned until November 6, the petit jurors were all discharged till that same date, and the Court itself adjourned till then.

—Locomotive 335, at the front of a coal train going westward, blew out the cylinder head on the engineer's side of the engine, at one o'clock yesterday afternoon, and broke the parallel rod. After a short delay the train started on, trusting to the efficiency of one cylinder and driving rod.

—The Whatsoever Circle of King's Daughters of the Park Avenue Baptist church, will give a parlor entertainment and social, Thursday evening, at the residence of Mrs. W. S. Lowry, 124 Madison avenue. A most cordial invitation is extended to all King's Daughters and friends.

—A party of Plainfield ladies who are interested in the emancipation of the horse from the abuses of the check-rein have been invited to witness the dissection of the horse's neck at the American Veterinary College, early in November, when the evils caused by high checking will be fully explained.

—The Elizabeth Wheelmen will indulge in a run over the new county roads, through Springfield to Plainfield, next Tuesday. Two weeks later, Nov. 18, the club will board the 7:40 P. M. train for this city, to witness the games of the Plainfield Bicycle Club, and to cheer their tug-of-war team in its contest against the Plainfield boys.

## OBITUARY.

### BUTLER G. NOBLE.

Ex-Governor of Wisconsin, Butler G. Noble, whose only daughter is the wife of Frank M. Underhill, formerly of this city, died at 12½ P. M. Saturday, at his home, 212 Ross street, Williamsburgh, from the effects of a fall down the basement steps of his house. He was standing at the head of the stairs talking to Mrs. Noble and fell backward. It was thought he had been stricken with apoplexy, but examination proved that theory incorrect. He was unconscious from the moment of his fall until his death. His wife and daughter were with him at the last.

Mr. Noble was born in Geneva, N. Y., in 1816. He was educated in the public schools and studied law. At the age of 40 he went to Wisconsin, where after a two years' residence he was elected Lieutenant-Governor on the ticket headed by Alexander Randall. In 1860 President Lincoln appointed Gov. Randal Minister to Rome, and Mr. Noble succeeded him as Governor of the State. During the civil war Mr. Noble raised and equipped several regiments of volunteers.

He left Wisconsin in 1864, and went to Brooklyn to live, purchasing the house in Ross street in which he died. A year after his arrival in New York he received an appointment in the department of weighers in the Custom House. For four years he was Harbor Master, and for nine years he was chief clerk in the seizure room. A widow, a son, and a daughter survive him. The husband of the latter is the son of Samuel B. Underhill, who still resides at 10 East Fifth street, this city.

### ELINOR WEBSTER GREENE.

The death is announced elsewhere of Elinor Webster Greene, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry W. Greene, which occurred at Las Vegas, Hot Springs, New Mexico. The little one's mother was formerly Mattie Snow Webster, daughter of the *late* Zachariah Webster, of this city, and her father is a son of Henry Greene, also formerly of Plainfield. Mrs. Green has a sister living in this city now, Mrs. S. A. Vermeule of Peace street.

## THEIRS BUT A FLEETING HAPPINESS.

**Youth Sacrifices Prospects, Age Banishes Home Joys, to be the Slaves of Drink.**

Youth and age occupied cells together in the police station last night, and this morning appeared before Judge Codington to answer to the charges against them.

The old man bore the sturdy name of one of the prophets of old, and might have been venerable if drink had not made him a wreck; but his silvery locks were unkempt and tangled from a restless night, his gray beard trembled with the quiverings of his chin, and his whole nerveless form quaked in pitiful agitation. He was accused of uttering vile language against a woman, a neighbor, and her little boy, and of striking the boy in the face. The old man said that the youngster was a source of constant irritation, making his life miserable by frequent manipulations of his front door bell, and by other mischievous pranks. Because he had attempted, Sunday morning, when in a bad humor after a Saturday night drinking bout, to rebuke the child, its mother had stirred up his passion by calling him "everything she could lay her tongue to." He had responded in kind, with disgusting epithets, in an effort to "keep up" with her, and had slapped the boy. As a result, the woman had sworn out a complaint against him. The old man asked for mercy, as he was a poor man, with a large family. His good wife and faithful young daughters did what they could to help him, but he himself was weak, and could not cope against his old enemy, drink. The court said it would be lenient, and imposed the light fine of $5. The old man uttered his thanks, scraped his pockets, and counted out the money. As he shambled away Sergeant Lynch said, not unkindly, "If you'd let drink alone you'd be rid of half your trouble and sorrow." The old man said he knew it, and would try to stop.

The young man was unmarried, and in the twenties, and liked a good time and was familiar with the taste of liquor. He had been found on the streets intoxicated, and unable to care for himself. He said he had never been arrested before, and would not have been last night, only none of "the boys" had been with him to take him home. He had a good job, but would probably lose it now. He was fined $5. As his earnings, above his living expenses, all went for drink, he had no money, and had to send to his landlady to borrow the amount of the fine.

### A Lucky Thirteen.

The publisher announces the appearance of Volume XIII of Alden's excellent Manifold Cyclopedia. It takes the work along from Electricity to Exclaim. The information is condensed, but clear, accurate, and brought down to date. There is no slighting of any points and the more important topics are treated with admirable fullness. Thus Electricity has 34 pages: Electric Light, 6 pages; Elizabeth (Queen), about 7 pages (with a fac-simile of her signature, which is interesting if not beautiful); Emerson, 4 pages; England, about 15 pages; Engraving, about 8 pages; Ethnology, 10 pages. A cyclopedia of some kind is needed in every home and every school. This costs but little, while for general use it is far more convenient and practical than the large and very expensive works. It presents just the kind of information which is needed in everyday life. Another valuable feature is found in the illustrations which are freely used where needed to explain the text. Thus far this series of volumes has been eminently satisfactory. Specimen pages free; sold on easy installments, if desired. JOHN B. ALDEN, Publisher, New York, Chicago, and Atlanta.

### What's This?

*(From the Railway Democrat)*

We have just heard, by the way of Fanwood, of another specimen of the economy by the Republican management of the county road construction. An excellent piece of macadam was laid by the local authorities in that township some time ago, on Mountain avenue, from Park avenue, to Jerusalem road, at a cost of $3,000, fully as good as is laid by the county road system, and satisfactory to the residents. Judge of their astonishment, therefore, when the county road contractor comes along and tears up this good piece of road in order to lay it over again under a coun road contract. True economy would have been to save that much expense. King Kyte, however, is ruler in that township.

### Almost Broke His Neck.

Alfred Compton, son of Halsey Compton, narrowly escaped death yesterday. He was walking about on the beams of the second story of the house he is having built at Evona, and to steady himself seized hold of a joist which a careless workman had placed in position but neglected to nail firmly in place. The joist gave way, and Mr. Compton fell to the ground floor of the cellar, striking on his head and shoulder. It was feared at first that his neck was broken, but after spending two or three hours' constant work over his body his friends restored him to consciousness. Then a physician was called, and found a fracture of the collar-bone. The sufferer's head swelled to a terrible size. He is now pronounced out of danger.

—"Necklets" and "throatlets" are two words coined for use at the present time.

—Mechanical Drawing classes will meet at the Y. M. C. A. rooms to-night.

## A PLAINFIELDER TALKS TIN PLATE

**And Has a Pleasant Time Developing His Rainbow-Hued Imagination.**

That fine young canard, the great tin-plate industry yarn, arrived in Troy, Friday night, under the escort of Mr. F. X. Schoonmaker, of Plainfield, and was put on exhibition by that gentleman at a Republican rally in Lansingburg. Though showing some of the effects of the hard work it has been doing since its birth in Pittsburgh a few weeks ago, it was in fair condition, and when manipulated by Mr. Schoonmaker it awakened great enthusiasm. In the words of a Troy paper's report of the meeting, "a wild cheer went up from the throats of every one of the 500 men present." It is also recorded that there was "a great deal of uncontrolled and demonstrative joy."

Mr. Schoonmaker comments the Troy correspondent of the New York *Times*—is a gentleman with a reputation for veracity in his newspaper work, but when he gambols in the field of Republican politics he makes use of a vivid and richly colored imagination that is enchanting. He presented to the 1,000 ears that accompanied the 500 throats in attendance at the rally a dispatch saying that the Standard Oil Company, which controls the Troy Steel and Iron Company, contemplates turning the rail mill in the lower part of Troy into an establishment for the rolling of tin plate, the Standard being "the largest consumers of tin plate in the country." It was this information conveyed to the 1,000 ears that evoked the "wild cheer" from the 500 throats. A 500-throat-power cheer is really quite an imposing thing, and when to it is added a quantity of uncontrolled and demonstrative joy, you get a demonstration of considerable magnitude.

True, as yet the Staudard is only contemplating, but everybody knows that contemplation and action are closely allied, and the prospect thus opened is positively dazzling. The great Tin-Plate Industry, summoned into existence by the prospective blessings of the McKinley tariff, has had as many homes as a repeater on election day, but its real abiding place is, of course, Troy. It will be promised to other cities, but everybody in Troy has known all along where it would settle.

### "On the Frontier."

The Boston *Herald* says of the play that is to be given at Music Hall, to-morrow evening: "The Howard Athenæum was packed last night by an enthusiastic and delighted audience, and 'On the Frontier,' a sensational and thrilling drama, was the attraction. The play was new to Boston, but not so the leading members of the cast, namely: James M. Hardie and Miss Sara VonLeer, and others, who are well known here. Mr. Hardie impersonates the role of *Jack Osborne*, a mountain hero, and succeeded in winning from the beginning to the close of the piece the sympathy and plaudits of the audience. Miss Sara VonLeer as *Blueflower*, came in for much of the applause. She always appeared on the scene when the hero was in danger, and her acting was justly applauded. The other members of the company gave creditable support. The piece will be given every night this week, and on Wednesday and Saturday afternoons.

### A Destructive Deer.

Among the herd of deer at "Deerhurst," Scotch Plains, is a buck that, in beauty and authority, rivals Landseer's "Monarch of the Glen." At most times mild and gentle, he is at this season of the year a perfect terror to his mates and keepers. This morning his second victim, a doe, a noble creature, was found dead in the park, pierced by his antlers. The animal has now been placed in an enclosure by himself. "Deerhurst" is the residence of Dr. Abram Coles.—*Newark Advertiser.*

### Where the Indians Will March.

Should the weather prove favorable, the parade of the Indian band that is to perform in the drama, "On the Frontier," to-morrow, will take place at 11:45. The line of march will be from Music Hall, Front to Peace street, to North avenue, to Park avenue, to Fourth street, to Central avenue, to *Fifth* street, to *Liberty* street, to Front street, to Music Hall. Evening parade with fireworks, through the principal streets at 7 o'clock.

### Gave Double What Was Asked For.

The American Board, which is the foreign missionary society of the Congregational denomination, at the annual meeting in Minneapolis, Oct. 10, appealed to the churches for an increase of one-third in the contributions for this year. The Congregational church of Plainfield responded to the call last Sunday by an offering which was nearly *two*-thirds larger than that of last year.

### Symptoms of Catarrh.

Dull, heavy headache, obstruction of the nasal passages, discharges falling from the head into the throat, sometimes profuse, watery, and acrid, at others, thick, tenacious, mucous, purulent, bloody and putrid; the eyes are weak, watery, and inflamed; there is ringing in the ears, deafness, hacking or coughing to clear the throat, expectoration of offensive matter, together with scabs from ulcers; the voice is changed and has a nasal twang; the breath is offensive; smell and taste are impaired; there is a sensation of dizziness, with mental depression, a hacking cough and general debility. If you have all, or any considerable number of these symptoms, you are suffering from Nasal Catarrh. The more complicated your disease has become, the greater the number and diversity of symptoms. Thousands of cases annually, without manifesting half of the above symptoms, result in consumption, and end in the grave. No disease is so common, more deceptive and dangerous, or less understood, or more unsuccessfully treated, by physicians. Five hundred dollars reward is offered by the manufacturers of Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy, for a case of catarrh which they cannot cure. Remedy sold by druggists, at only 50 cents.

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## DEMOCRATIC RALLY!

**Wednesday, October 29, '90,**

AT 8 P. M., IN

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Hon. C. H. WINFIELD,
Hon. E. F. McDONALD,
AND
R. LINDABURY, Esq.,
Will address the Meeting.

Candidates J. A. Geissenhainer, Fred. C. Marsh, Wm. H. Hicks and Alford B. Cook, will be present.

A BRASS BAND OF MUSIC will be in attendance.

### List of Advertised Letters

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| Comyens, Mary | Smith, George |
| Doherty, Pat | Shaw, Edward, |
| Hayes, P T | Sellars, Miss Ellen |
| Jones, Mary | Smith, A De Los |
| Johanson, Leina | Thorn, William |
| Lotzo, J | Traner, Patrick |
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Parties desiring to furnish residences throughout with Carpetings, Rugs, etc., if they will consult us we will guarantee to save them from 10 to 15 per cent., whether you get them from us or New York houses.

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**WEDNESDAY, OCT. 29.**

**HARDIE & VON LEER,** and their efficient Company, will present the Military Melodrama,

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Entirely new specialties; catchy songs and dances.

Noonday parade of the only *INDIAN BRASS BAND* in the World; illuminated fireworks parade at 7 P. M.

**PRICES—35, 50, 75c., and $1.00.**

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GREENE—At the Montezuma Hotel, Las Vegas, Hot Springs, New Mexico; Elinor Webster Greene, only child of Henry W., and Marie Snow Greene, and grand daughter of the late Zachariah Webster; aged two years, two months and two days.

## WANTS AND OFFERS.

*Advertisements under this heading, one cent for each word each insertion.*

WANTED—A competent girl to do general housework; colored preferred. 52 East 8th street.

FOUR nice rooms to let, with water, near Scott's press works. Call at THE PRESS office.

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Wm. N. Pangborn, Auct'r, will sell at public sale to the highest bidder, in order to settle up the estate of Frazee Lee, deceased, on TUESDAY, OCT. 28, 1890, at 2 o'clock P. M., on the premises, the following valuable improved real estate situated in the city of Plainfield, N. J.:
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## "RECKLESS EXPENDITURE" CHARGED.

**The Republican Freeholders Won't Publish Their Financial Report in the Newspapers Where the People can Read it, but Here are Some of the Figures.**

*(From the Rahway Democrat.)*

The committee of the Board of Freeholders to examine into the reports as to extravagance, etc., in relation to the engineer's department of the county road business, reported at the meeting last Thursday. Engineer Dunham is exonerated from receiving any more than his dues, but the report exposes a remarkable recklessness of expenditure in that respect, which cannot be justified by any fair reasoning. The idea of expending over $17,000 for the mere engineering and inspecting of the county road work is preposterous—especially such engineering and inspecting as has been done in a number of instances. The Republican county press is expressing much jubilation at what they call a refutation of the reports published against Engineer Dunham. We did not, in our criticisms, complain that Mr. Dunham had wrongfully appropriated any money to his own use—but of the large, and what we, as well as the public generally, as far as we have heard, deem to be an exorbitant expenditure for the purpose.

If the present Republican Board of Freeholders had not made such a great pretension of economy, probably this extravagance would not have attracted so much attention. But when they came into power in 1888, it was with a great flourish of economical intentions and the denouncing of the great Democratic extravagance by the previous board.

The old saying that "figures don't lie" applies in this case, and we have been enabled to get hold of some figures for the purpose of making a few comparisons. This has not been altogether an easy task, for be it remembered, for economy's (!) sake the Republican board has refused to publish their annual financial statement in the newspapers, as was the custom with Democratic boards, and we had to explore the Freeholders' room at Elizabeth last week to find a copy of a pamphlet, recently printed, of the report presented in May last, which enables us to have the figures of last year before us; and by referring to the report of 1887, the last year the Democrats were in the majority and had the officers of the board, a comparison can be easily made as to the true economy of the respective administrations, in reference to the remuneration received by the members of the board (including their expenses on committees) and by the various officers appointed by the board, which is, the proper test of their inclinations. We, therefore, give below the total amounts compiled from the reports referred to, taking a memorandum of every warrant, which memorandum, and the reports can be seen at this office, if any one doubts the correctness of the statement:

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| Members of the Board | $6,717 54 | |
| Eight livery stable bills charged to incidental act should be to committee expense account. | 391 50 | $7,109 04 |
| Members of the board, | $6,011 33 | |
| County Attorney, | 1,631 66 | |
| Frank Bergen, att'y | 150 00 | 1,781 66 |
| County Attorney. | 795 11 | |
| Clerk of the Board, | 522 75 | 728 90 |
| County Collector, | 1,100 00 | 1,602 39 |
| County Physician, | 515 30 | 595 76 |
| Engineering on bridge account, | 000 00 | 787 86 |
| Total on accounts 1890, | | $12,605 60 |
| " " " 1887, | | 8,944 49 |
| Increase of 1890 over 1887 in Board and its officers, | | $3,661 11 |
| Add amount of warrants paid County Engineer for engineering roads, a new account, | | $10,603 72 |
| | | $14,264 83 |

Percentage of increase of Republican board of 1890 over Democratic board of 1887: Members' increase 18½ per cent.; County Attorney 124 per cent.; Clerk 39½ per cent.; Collector 45 per cent.; Physician 15½ per cent. Total increase 32 per cent. or $2,873.25.

In order to further compare, we give below the amounts received by the respective members of the board for the two years. The amounts paid to some of the members of 1887 appears to be excessive, but as a whole, the members of 1890 "take the cake."

1887—Democratic.

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|---|---|
| Dardis | $ 658 00 |
| Astfalk | 587 55 |
| *Martine, Director | 578 69 |
| Debbie | 543 95 |
| Chapman | 514 70 |
| Howard | 421 55 |
| Pitcairn | 379 70 |
| Isenman | 358 00 |
| Pierson | 345 90 |
| Wright | 331 60 |
| Hubbard | 260 45 |
| Vanderbeek | 230 05 |
| Halliday | 244 77 |
| Roll | 161 57 |
| Oliver | 154 50 |
| Doty | 144 90 |
| West | 95 45 |
| | $6,011 33 |

*We learn from Mr. Martine that in his account is included a considerable amount of travelling expenses of different committees, which should have been charged individually, but he habitually purchased railroad tickets for his associates when starting out on business and put it in his own account.

1890—Republican.

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| Hubbard, Director | $ 650 25 |
| Kyte | 495 12 |
| Vanderbeek | 468 21 |
| Jones | 462 97 |
| Thompson | 461 92 |
| Briant | 449 85 |
| Howard | 412 85 |
| Pierson | 411 75 |
| Wright | 398 85 |
| Doty | 387 45 |
| Whaley | 373 95 |
| Houston | 362 15 |
| Donahue | 318 30 |
| Van Saun | 312 45 |
| Kleinhans | 295 17 |
| Roll | 271 10 |
| West | 185 20 |
| | $6,717 54 |

It will be noticed that Mr. Kyte, the Republican candidate for Assemblyman in this district, flies pretty high—being next to the Director in figuring.

Voters, remember that Rankin, Clark, Kyte and the other Republican nominees represent this false economical (?) party, while Marsh, Hicks, Cook and the Democratic ticket as a whole, represents genuine economy and a respect for the welfare of the whole county.

Vote the Democratic ticket.

## RANKIN'S ANSWER.

**He Will Not Pledge Himself to the Clergy or the People, but the Hon. Mr. Marsh is Already on Record.**

There are two candidates for the votes of the people on Tuesday next, who have already placed themselves on record regarding the legalizing of pool-selling and race track betting. The people can therefore make their choice without misunderstanding.

These two candidates are Mr. Rankin, the Republican nominee, and Mr. Marsh, the Democratic nominee for State Senator In the Assembly last year, Mr. Marsh worked and voted against the race track bill. He is so recorded in the official proceedings. On the other hand, Mr. Rankin records himself in the following extracts from a letter of last Friday, to the Elizabeth *Journal*:

Dear Sir—I am in receipt of several letters from clergymen in different parts of the county asking me for an expression of my views about race track legislation.

It is my settled conviction that no candidate for legislative office should, in advance, tie his hands by any pledges with respect to his action upon any particular measure. And however unfavorable impressed with any bill that may come up for his action, I think his duty is to listen to debate, to hear the bill read, as provided by the constitution, and then give his decision.

I have yet to make the first pledge or promise to any individual as to what my official action would be. So in the present contest, I am absolutely without engagements, either expressed or implied, with any individual or corporation, as to what my action shall be with respect to the race courses or any other matter.

The only pledge I will make is that I will, on every measure, act conscientiously, without fear or favor, and will give my vote in the manner that will seem to me best calculated to promote the moral and material advancement of the people of the county.

Very respectfully,
JOHN C. RANKIN, JR.

That is Mr. Rankin's answer, how does it look alongside of Mr. Marsh's record? The race track men are loudly proclaiming they will defeat Mr. Marsh, and so they will unless the clergy and the decent people by their solid vote swamp the race track's power.

And those same threats are what impelled Mr. Rankin's refusal to pledge himself.

**A Good Woman Makes Needy Children Happy.**

In response to a query of *The World*, "What would you do if you were rich?" M. F. R., of Dunellen, writes as follows:

"Are not people usually richer than they think? If one has good health, no debts, a successful business, a happy home and congenial friends, surely that person is rich and may find opportunities for usefulness outside his own circle. Very rich people, when they set out to do good, generally follow some hobby. Of all the hobbies I have known I like that of my friend Olivia the best. Her income is far beyond her own needs, and she spends the surplus in supporting the most forlorn children she can find. She does not seek the prettiest or most attractive, but takes those whom many would reject. She finds boarding places for them with some kind-hearted woman who is willing to give them the same care and attention she does her own children. They are educated in the public schools, and after taking the full course, they—both boys and girls—are taught some trade or business, and have in each case become self-supporting.

"Many people call my friend odd, and think she is foolish not to spend her money on herself, but she keeps quietly on her way and finds her reward in the gratitude of those she has befriended."

**The Good-Road Movement Spreading.**

The State Board of Agriculture of New Jersey has become so much interested in the operation of the State law for the improvement of county roads that it desires to make an exposition of the subject a part of its records. To that end Secretary Franklin Dye has addressed an invitation to Chauncey B. Ripley, of Westfield, to read a paper before the board at the January meeting, to be held at the State House, Trenton. Mr. Dye has also invited Mr. Ripley to appear before the Mercer County Board of Agriculture at the Court House at Trenton at a meeting appointed for Nov. 16.

Mr. Ripley has accepted the invitation to address the State Board, and Secretary Dye intends that copies of the address—which will be a compendium of information upon road building—shall be sent into every State in which legislation similar to the New Jersey law may be contemplated. Friends of the movement for good roads are confident that every State will soon pass efficient road laws.

## CURIOSITIES IN FLOWERS.

A WONDERFUL flower has been discovered in the Isthmus of Tehauntepec. Its chief peculiarity is the habit of changing its colors during the day. In the morning it is white; when the sun is at its zenith it is red, and at night it is blue. The red, white and blue flower grows on a tree about the size of a guava tree, and only at noon does it give out any perfume.

A FLOWER has been discovered in South America which is only visible when the wind blows. The shrub belongs to the cactus family and is about three feet high. The stem is covered with dead, warty-looking lumps in calm weather; these lumps, however, need but a slight breeze to make them unfold large flowers of a creamy white, which close and appear as dead as soon as the wind subsides.

THE fashionable enthusiasm of the hour is for a new perfume from a marvelous lily that grows in African jungles. Mr. Stanley found this flower and brought back a large jar of its leaves to his bride-elect. Mr. Stanley says that the natives call this flower Kanonga and that botanists call it *Anona oderatissima*. Those who have caught a whiff of this wonderful perfume say that it is a mixture of jasmine, lilac, lily of the valley and rose, and is altogether intoxicating.

THE smallest flowering plant in existence is wolffia microscopia, a native of India. It belongs to the duckweed family. It is almost microscopic in size, destitute of proper stem, leaves and roots, but having these organs merged in one, forming a frond. There are two species of the genus found growing wild in the Eastern United States. One of them, wolffia columbiana is about the one-twenty-fifth of an inch in diameter, and the other, wolffia braziliensis, somewhat smaller in size.

THE proceedings of the Canadian Institute for April, 1890, contain two papers upon the cruel plant (Physianthus albens), a native of tropical America. The flowers are provided with five pairs of jaws (leaflets) that close upon the proboscis of any moth which attempts to extract honey from the blossom, and the insect is held a prisoner until it dies. The plant belongs to the tribe of asclepiads (milk weed family). The plant is highly ornamental in culture, having pure white, fragrant flowers, much like the tuberose in appearance.

A SINGULAR phenomenon is described in a Scotch journal. A particular species of willow tree was in flower, and attached to these blossoms, which resembled an old-fashioned bottle brush, were a large number of the "big black bumble bees" with which every school boy is familiar. They remained a whole day sipping the extract of juice and then dropped helplessly to the ground, hardly able to move, and next morning were almost dead from exposure. One was observed to climb a vertical board of a few inches and when near the top to throw out his legs and fall backward after the manner of the ordinary inebriate.

## AFFAIRS OF FOREIGNERS.

THERE are 527 members of the House of Lords, and 670 members of the House of Commons.

THE women of Anam wear a hat that is like a large barrel cover, being twenty-seven inches in diameter. Six or seven silk cords as thick as a quill are suspended on each side.

THE plans for making Paris a seaport have been deposited at the Hotel de Ville. The proposed canal from Rouen to Paris is to be one hundred and ten miles long and about twenty feet deep, to cost 135,000,000 francs.

WALLED up in the cellars of a brewery at Burton-on-Trent, there was discovered not long ago some beer that had been brewed in the year 1798. It resembled sherry more than it did a malt liquor, and was in good condition.

THERE are more public holidays in Honolulu than in any other city in the world. Among the days observed are Queen Victoria's birthday, Coronation day, all the French and Portuguese holidays, the American Thanksgiving day and the Chinese New Year.

EXPERIMENTS are being conducted in the English channel near Folkestone for the purpose of testing the geological structure of that portion of the sea bed upon which it is proposed to construct a bridge across the Strait of Dover. Thus far the sea bottom has been found very solid and suitable for the proposed structure.

THE Siamese telegraph service has lately been considerably improved. The department is under the control of a Siamese prince, and most of the employes are either German or French. A system of telephones has been laid down in Bangkok, with connections and exchanges on both sides of the river. All the large firms and trading houses and many private individuals are subscribers.

A WONDER of Peru when the Spaniards discovered it was the system of irrigation which made the arid land fertile. The conquerors destroyed this system because they found mining more profitable than farming. Recently an English syndicate was organized to carry on the work begun by the Incas. A dam six hundred feet long and eighty-five feet high is to be built across a valley to store the floods of the Piura river, and it is calculated that with this water the entire desert of Leahura can be made fertile.

AN association has been formed at Vienna for the purpose of carrying out the method of "natural healing" which a clergyman named Kneipp claims to have discovered. The treatment seems to consist in a process of "hardening." The faithful who submit to it are directed to wear the lightest clothing, to stand barefooted for hours at a time on wet grass, to walk about in newly-fallen snow and water, and generally to live in what may be termed a chronic state of hydropathic observance. If, as appears to be the case, this method is to be applied impartially to all sorts and conditions of men and women, and if it comes into any thing like general use, the death rate of the Austrian capital is likely to be materially heightened.

**Jumped to His Death.**

ITHACA, N.Y., Oct. 28.—Henry Frantz, a well known resident of this city, while temporarily deranged by drink, jumped from a bridge into the University Ravine and was instantly killed. Frantz was a veteran of the Civil War. He leaves a wife and family.

**Whiskey and a Five-Year-Old.**

PITTSBURG, Pa., Oct. 28.—Brady Cunningham, a child five years old, found a bottle of whiskey at home and drank enough to paralyze his brain. Doctors drew a pint of liquor from him with a stomach pump, but the child is still in a stupor and cannot live.


## A MATTER FOR WOMEN ONLY.

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*(From the Boston Traveller.)*

A lady correspondent writes us: "If mothers would have healthy and vigorous children, let them first of all see to their own physical condition. I was at one time weak and nervous, exhausted alike in nerve and physical powers, always tired, and suffering untold miseries from diseases peculiar to my sex. *Healthy children were an absolute impossibility*, but by the aid of a most wonderful remedy, which I believe the *best medicine ever discovered for weak, nervous, sick and exhausted womankind*. I have been completely restored to health and strength, and have the healthiest, plumpest and best of babies This marvellous remedy and friend of women is Dr. Greene's Nervura, and if any wish to be strong and healthy and have beautiful and vigorous children, they will not fail to use this wonder among medicines."

Women who suffer from difficulties peculiar to their sex, and who are in consequence weak, tired, nervous and run down in health and strength, and who suffer from dragging pains and aches, weak back and bad feeling head, to say nothing of the extreme nervousness and mental depression, should by all means use Dr. Greene's Nervura, the great nerve invigorant and restorer of health and strength to women. Our lady correspondent urges women to use it because of its marvellous curative effects in her case, and we can also heartily recommend its use to the thousands of women who suffer from those painful and exhausting diseases, because it is a purely vegetable and perfectly harmless remedy, and we have personally known of a great many cases it has cured. It is for sale by druggists at $1.00 per bottle.

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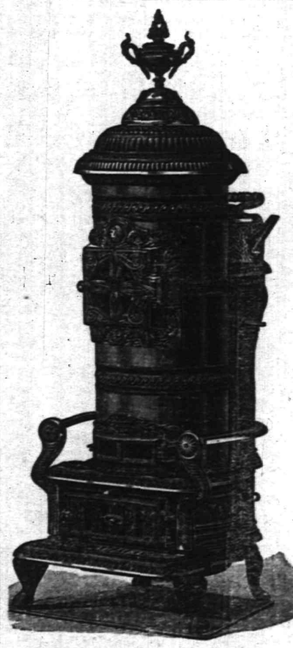

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Right down upon the floor;
And all the other little girls
Began to laugh, but me—
I didn't laugh a single bit,"
Said Betty, seriously.

"Why not?" her mother asked her,
Full of delight to find
That Betty—bless her little heart!—
Had been so sweetly kind.
"Why didn't you laugh, darling?
Or don't you like to tell?"
"I didn't laugh," said Betty,
"'Cause it was me that fell!"
—Mary E. Bradley, in St. Nicholas.

**The Woodman and the Lion.**
[From Æschylus.]

A woodman found, one summer day,
Asleep in lair—the dam away,
A lion cub—a gentle thing,
Untaught as yet to leap and spring,
Or roar, or show the pointed teeth,
Or glare upon the prey beneath
A cruel paw, whose claws revealed
The mighty monarch of the field.

The woodman to his cottage brought
The little creature he had caught—
Bestowed it on his children there,
To foster it with loving care—
And while 'twas young, 'twas soft and tame
And for caress, obedient came,
And frisked and frolicked on the floor,
And shared the porridge bowl at door,
Where sat the children, when the day
Was closing down on work and play.
There would the baby lion pet
Climb to the woodman's lap, and let
His fondling hand smooth down his fur,
Responding with contented purr—
Oft licked he then, with fawning tongue,
That kindly hand, as o'er him hung
The woodman, unforeseeing yet
The mischiefs he would soon beget.

But age increasing, now there shows
The lion nature as it grows
More firm, more fierce, till taste of blood,
Betrays his hidden savagehood.
His youth-protecting cottage home
He leaves, on ravening raid to roam—
Flies on the flock and herd, and rends
The sole support of trusting friends—
Nor spares one beast—all, all are slain—
Then to his lair returns again.

The hapless woodman now beholds
The mangled carnage of his folds,
With horror chilling every vein,
While heart, convulsive, throbs with pain,
And learns too late he bred the doom,
A priest of Até*—in his home.
*Até—goddess of evil—by the Latins termed the goddess of discord.
—N. C. Thompson, in Chicago Inter Ocean.

**A Love Song.**

If you have seen the darkness
Unclose its lashes deep,
That heaven's blue eyes might open
Afresh from evening's sleep;
If you have seen at twilight
One single little star
Come softly through the azure
And shine for you afar,

Then you have seen the curtains
That shade my lady's eyes,
And keep the blue from losing
That look of glad surprise
Which came to them with loving;
And you can surely see
That she came down from Heaven,
And shines alone for me.

The flowers bloom around her,
The birds come at her call,
Yet she's the sweetest blossom
And singer of them all.
If I be worthy of her
I know not, but I feel
Between me and all evil
Her gentle spirit steal.

And I half fear some morning
That I shall look for her,
And only find the dewdrops
Where once her white feet were;
And one pale, perfect lily
Where once was her sweet face,
And a white stone which sorrow
Has set to mark the place.
—Mary A. Mason, in N. Y. Mail and Express.

**In a Country Churchyard.**

'Mid waving grass the broken headstones lie;
The carven cross-bones show, the blades between,
And half-effaced, the once-known names are seen
'Neath bright-hued mosses, clinging tenderly.
No flower-decked mound here charms the passer-by;
The dead sleep lost below the exuberant green;
None cares to read what once their lives had been;
Their words, their deeds, have passed from memory.
It hurts our tender vanity to know
That time may bring us to the same cold plight,
When we and all we love have passed from sight,
And o'er our heads the untended grasses grow.
The daily tide of life may ebb and flow,
But we shall rest within oblivion's night.
—Chamber's Journal.

**Too Late.**

I bid him go, for his love was vain,
And he sailed away over the sea;
Sad at heart he went, and no earthly day
Can bring him again to me.
He went to the war, without word or sign,
But I saw his name once again,
All England read it, that sunny morn,
In the long, long list of the slain.

Shot while leading his men to the front,
Midnight, on the tenth of May—"
That is all I ever shall know of his death,
'Neath the Southern skies far away.
Did he think of the woman who scorned his love,
In her folly and her pride?
Has he known I have loved him all these years
Since that star-lit night he died?
Oh, my Love, my Love, dare I call you so?
Your forgiveness is all I pray!
I was not worthy the joy of your love
When I blindly threw it away!
But when we meet in the far-off Land,
God grant my heart's bitter cry,
That you, remembering, may say: "I forgive,"
Ere forever you pass me by!
—Violet M. King, in Once a Week.

**A Snake Fence.**

Softened by time and storm to smoky-gray,
Bronzed with mosses, sage and malachite,
Its airy course it zigzags out of sight
In the green vines that fringe the dusty way.
Beneath the rails the happy crickets play
Their wild extempores with keen delight,
And passing on it in his whirring flight,
The partridge gayly drums at close of day.
In billowy balm the clover round it nods,
And at its feet the milkweed's waving tree,
Where dragonflies dart o'er the wayside rill
And where the asters vie with goldenrods,
The Indian corn a rustling symphony
Murmurs responsive to the wind's sweet will.
—E. K. Munkittrick, in Travelers' Record.

**The Social Hypocrite.**

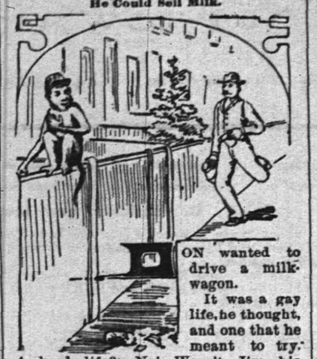
Men who extremely gallant are.
A damsel read
May claim their seat
Before she's scarcely in the car

They seem to live
That they may give
To women full surcease from cares,
The while their wives
At home—poor lives—
Lug coal up three long flights of stairs.
—Chicago Post.

# OUR YOUNG FOLKS.

## DON, THE MILKMAN.

**He Was Only a Monkey, But He Thought He Could Sell Milk.**



DON wanted to drive a milk-wagon.

It was a gay life, he thought, and one that he meant to try. A hard life? No! Wasn't Jim, his milkman, big and happy? Jim would tell you 'twas a glorious life!

Hard or easy, Don meant to try it.

So one day he followed Jim to the garden door.

"Hillo!" said Jim; "want a ride? Well, in with you!"

Jim was rather silent as they rode along, so Don had plenty of time to discover just what a milkman's duties were. A hard life? No! a glorious life!

The next morning Don put on his hat, secreted himself behind a rose-bush and watched for Jim.

By and by Jim opened the gate and went into the kitchen.

Don stole quickly out from his hiding-place, out through the open gate, out into the alley, up, up with a leap into the big milk-wagon!

He took Jim's seat, he seized Jim's reins, he chirruped to Jim's horse.

"Now I'm off!" thought he; "now I'm a milkman!"

Pompey jogged slowly onward, and people, as they passed, looked in and laughed.

Presently Pompey stopped before a house.

"Hillo!" thought Don, "I must leave some milk here."

So he jumped off the seat, and grasped a gallon-can. It was too heavy for him to lift; so he dropped it, with a rattle and a bang, and picked up one of half its size; that, also, was beyond his strength.

In despair, for well he knew that Jim would soon overtake him, he seized a small glass-jar, and jumped from the wagon.

And, lo, the area-gate was closed!

Don knocked; Don beat a loud tattoo upon it; Don kicked!

"Now," thought he, "now what shall I do?"

He looked up and around. The gate! He must climb over it! In another second, with a quick, agile spring, he stood upon the narrow, flat top-board.

But, alas! alas! down rolled the glass jar! out streamed the milk! and—up the street dashed Jim!

"Now I'm caught!" thought Don. "Well, I've tried it! I've been a milkman!"

He made no effort to hide,—as Jim, flushed and panting, came up to the wagon. Instead, he looked at him with him with bright, gleeful eyes.

"Well," exclaimed Jim, "if you ain't the mischievlest monkey that I ever see. A running off with my team!"

Don grinned! Don danced! Don chirruped! and off started Pompey.—Mary A. Sawyer, in Our Little Ones.

## MURIEL AND THE MOUSE.

**The Soft Place in Which the Little Animal Secreted Itself.**

Muriel is a dear little girl with blue eyes and golden curls. Last summer, while she was at grandpa's such a funny thing happened.

She was walking with mamma through a field not far from the house. Stooping down to pick a clover-blossom, she spied four bright little eyes peeping up at her from a tangle of grass and leaves. "O mamma, what's 'is?" she cried out. Mamma looked down to see.

"Little field-mice, dear," she said; "aren't they cunning?"

The little animals, alarmed by the sound of voices, started to run away; but, alas! Dick, the large gray cat, who had followed Muriel from the house, pounced upon one of them, and made short work of him.

Muriel almost cried. "Oh, dear!" said she, "I 'fraid he'll catch the other mousie! Don't let him, mamma!" Mamma looked all around, but could see nothing of the second little mouse.

"I guess he has hidden in some safe place," said she, "and we will take care not to bring Dick down here again."

Muriel had to be satisfied with that; but all the way home she talked about "the poor little mousie naughty Dick did eat."

Soon after they reached the house, mamma noticed that Muriel was very restless.

"What's the matter, darling?" she asked.

"Somesing tickles my back, mamma," replied the little one; "Muriel don't like it." Mamma unfastened the little dress and waist, and put her hand in to see what was making Muriel uncomfortable.

What do you think she found?

Why, that little field-mouse, cuddled down in the soft folds of her tiny shirt, as cosily as you please! Such a shout of delight as Muriel gave when she saw it!

"He did find a safe place, didn't he, mamma?" she cried. "Muriel wants to keep the cunning thing!"

"Oh no!" said mamma; "naughty Dick would soon catch it here; but Muriel shall hold it in her hand and carry it back to its own home in the field."

So they went down to the field again, and left the little mouse where they had first seen it, hoping its mamma would soon find it and take good care of it.

As they turned to go home, Muriel looked back and kissed her hand. "Good-bye, little mousie!" said she.—A. M. Keith, in Our Little Ones.

## IT FAILED TO WORK.

**A Little Boy's Experience at Catching Birds with Salt.**

"Oh! oh! oh!"

It was nothing but a yellow-bird, a pretty bit of black and gold flying in and out among the plum trees, but it couldn't have looked any more precious to Benny if it had been pure gold and jet. For Benny was a city boy, and though ten years old had never spent a summer in the country before, and this was his first day there.

"Oh! if I *could* catch that beautiful bird!"

"You can," said Uncle Amos, who sat in the doorway smoking, "if you can get near enough to her to put some salt on her tail."

From that day on, Benny kept trying to see how near he could get to the birds, but they always flew away a little too soon.

One day when he was looking for the first ripe currants in the garden, he found the yellow-bird's nest, right on a low-hanging limb of a plum-tree, and there sat the little mother on her eggs. Benny could have put his hand right on her, but he only thought of salt. Like a flash he sped into the house.

"Oh! Aunt Jane! I want some salt, quick!"

Aunt Jane poured some into his hand, and he was off, almost as quick as a bird himself.

Carefully he crept up to the spot, and raising his hand sprinkled the salt on the yellow tail, when away flew the bird! And Benny sat down in the grass and cried.

"Uncle Amos," said Benny that night, "it isn't so about catching birds with salt, for I tried it to-day."

"Was you near enough to put salt on her tail?"

"Yes, sir, and I put it on, too."

"But why in the mischief didn't you catch her at first, instead of stopping to put on salt?"

Benny thought a moment. "Oh! I see through it now," he said.—Youth's Companion.

## THE SPOOK BUZZER.

**It's a Very Simple Contrivance, but It Makes an Unearthly Screech.**

Residents of that section of the city known as "Swampoodle," up in the Twenty-eighth ward, have been greatly annoyed during the past week, says the Philadelphia Record, by the most unearthly screeches at midnight. Some thought that a wag had been pulling the rope on Dingee's brickyard whistle. Superstitious people declared that it was the ghost of a man who had been murdered. No bird could make such a shriek as went up like this:

"Wow-o-o-o-up! Wow-o-o-o-up! Wow-o-o-o-up! Zoo! Zoo! Zip!"

This was commonly repeated three times, with blood-congealing intensity,

THE SPOOK BUZZER.

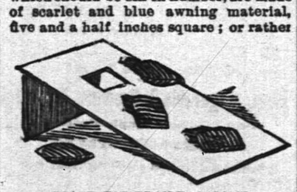
then it would die away in the distance, only to be heard later in another quarter.

Finally Special Officer Ulrich was put on the case, and he worked for three or four days, when on last Saturday he caught three boys, and solved the mystery. The youngsters confessed that they were responsible for the hideous noises. Each had a stout, hickory cane, with about two yards of twine tied to the ferule end from the other extremity of the twine dangled a piece of basswood, shaved down very thin, oval shaped and about nine inches long. The noises, they explained, were produced by lashing the thing through the air. The harder the wind blew the more unearthly the sounds became. They had had lots of fun, and after a reprimand by Lieutenant Wolf they promised to destroy the things. The boys said that the affair was a spook buzzer, and that it was the best thing out.

When properly made and deftly weilded it will produce a volume of sound in the open air that is almost, if not quite, indescribable.

**The Game of Bean-Bags.**

The board for playing bean-bags shown in the engraving can be made of oak or of pine, stained to imitate cherry or walnut. It should be eighteen inches wide and thirty long. The opening is five and a half inches square. The piece which elevates one end and keeps the board in position when in use is eighteen inches long and nine wide. It is attached to the board with small hinges, and kept in position with hooks and eyes when ready for playing. The bags, which should be six in number, are made of scarlet and blue awning material, five and a half inches square; or rather



BOARD FOR BEAN-BAG GAME.

five are that size, and the sixth, called "Jumbo," is twice the length of the others. The small bags should not be more than half filled with the beans, each holding half a pint. The amount to be played may be set by the players. They stand eight or ten feet away and try to throw through the hole. Each successful throw counts ten; if the bag lodges on the board, five; if it falls outside it takes ten from the count. If Jumbo goes through it counts twenty. Each player takes all five bags and Jumbo at once, and throws them, one at a time. The game is scored by an umpire. When it is played as an outdoor game, throw the bags through a suspended hoop, wound with bright colors.—American Agriculturist.

## A CLUSTER OF BRILLIANTS.

HUSBAND—"Let us go to the lecture to-night." Wife—"I have nothing to wear." Husband—"Then let us go to the opera."

ETHEL—"So our Benedict is married at last. Cupid conquered him." Maud—"No. It was cupidity. He married an heiress."

HUSBAND—"When I made your acquaintance, you were quite a nice girl with only one fault." Wife—"What was that?" Husband—"You were not married!"

CHICKERING—"Some of the new houses up-town are so narrow that a piano can not be put in." Baus (excitedly)—"You don't know the rent of the houses next door to them, do you?"

IF there is ever a time in life when a man gets thoroughly disappointed, it is when he persuades somebody to get him up a dinner of the things he used to like best when he was a boy.

"I WISH," she murmured, "that you would tell me that story again; the one that you said was original." "Did you think I told it well?" he inquired eagerly. "Yes; I never heard it told better in all my life."

AN article is going the rounds of the papers headed: "How to Select a Wife." Its rules are very scientific and interesting, but when a young man falls in love he doesn't ponder over rules. He just shuts both eyes tight and grabs frantically in the dark.

"PAPA," remarked the Senator's daughter, looking at the clock. "What is it, Lou?" asked papa, who had lingered in the parlor with the young people. "It is nine o'clock. At this time George and I usually go into executive session." Then papa retired.

MRS. BJINKS—"Did you have a rough passage to Plymouth the other day, Mrs. Bjones?" Mrs. Bjones—"Well, I should say we did. I tell you, I have a sigh of relief when I set my foot on dry land once more. And frankly, Mrs. Bjinks, between you and me, that was all there was left to heave."

A GENTLE HINT.—Mrs. Binks (to her neighbor)—"Oh, I do so like your house: it seems so homelike." Mrs. Jinks—"Do you think so?" Mrs. Binks—"Yes, indeed; you've got so many of my cooking dishes borrowed, you know, that your kitchen seems ever so much more natural than mine does."

"ARE you an Odd-Fellow?" "No, sir, I've been married a week." "I mean, do you belong to the order of Odd-Fellows?" "No; I belong to the order of Married Men." "Dear me! how dull! Are you a Mason?" "No; I'm a carpenter." "Worse and worse. Are you a Son of Temperance?" "Confound it, no! I am a son of Mr. John Gosling." The querist went his way.

"WHERE are you going, my pretty little maid?" he softly inquired. "Should the weather indications continue of an auspicious character my intended destination is yonder inclosure, where my unswerving determination is to extract such an amount of lacteal fluid from the gently articulating kine as may be deemed necessary and advisable," calmly replied the rustic girl, who had worked for two weeks in a Boston family. And she passed on her way, leaving the dandiest drummer in New York.

## THEORIES OF SCIENTISTS.

IT has been suggested that the study of the influence of diet and habit upon the color of the hair in different nations of men may cause discoveries by which the color of the hair in the human race may be modified by judicious treatment.

M. COBES, of Buenos Ayres, informed the French association that he had been led to conclude from experiment that all living animals have a surface of absorption and respiration which has the power of absorbing oxygen when hyperdemically injected in precisely the same manner as gas is absorbed when taken in by the lungs. If M. Cobes' theory be correct it can be applied to persons suffering from temporary affection of the lungs.

M. UNGERER expresses the opinion that flowers and the perfume distilled from them have a salutary influence on the constitution, and indeed may be regarded as a therapeutic agency of high value. He says that residence in a perfumed atmosphere forms a protection from pulmonary affections and arrests the development of phthisis; thus, in the town of La Grasse, where the making of perfumes is so largely carried on, phthisis is rare, owing to the odorous vapors exhaled from the numerous distilleries.

ACCORDING to Prof. Garrison, of Chicago, the crumpled and crushed form of the human ear was originally caused and is now maintained by the habit of lying on the side of the head, and that this habit has resulted principally from the great and increasing weight of the brain. The question originally seemed to be whether man's ancestors would profit most by large brains or by symmetrical and perfect acoustic apparatus, and nature by selection had promptly decided in favor of large brains.

RENEWED attention has been directed to some curious experiments made twenty-five years ago by M. Nicholas Wagner. It was then demonstrated that fixed electric currents exist in the wings of butterflies, and that the color of the wings is determined by these currents. Artificial currents changed the reds into orange, and blacks into red, and a constant battery produced spots varying in shape with the strength of the current. By means of electricity it was also possible to produce a kind of atrophy, and to change the shape of the wings.

M. J. DYBOWSKI, in an article in the Journal de l' Agriculture, ridicules the popular notion that the Sahara consists largely of shifting sands, and contends that this hot region might be colonized and utilized for agricultural purposes. All that it needs is water; and the main drift of M. Dybowski's communication is to show how abundant this is at small depths below the surface. In many parts palms, when once planted, can reach it with their roots. In others very shallow artesian wells suffice, and the water flows continuously. He advocates a system of irrigation from artesian wells.

TAKE as many different colored jellies as you can, mold into very small pyramids (tiny goblets will do for the molds), then arrange the contrasting colors on a dainty dish and it is a very beautiful dish for a tea table.

CORN CAKE.—One egg, one-half cup of sugar, one cup of sweet milk, one cup of Indian meal, one cup of flour, one teaspoonful of soda, two teaspoonfuls of cream tartar. Bake in a square loaf or in a thin sheet in a dripping-pan, cut in squares, or in small tins.

A HEAVY under-tablecloth of white cotton felting should always be used under the white damask. It throws out the pattern of the damask clearly and prevents the table from wearing the linen. Crocheted mats of heavy white cotton are the daintest choice for ordinary use.

RASPBERRY CREAM.—Take a quart of thick cream, the whites of two eggs, and half a pint of preserved raspberries, well bruised. Whip them all up for half an hour with a whisk, then put it in a hair sieve and let it stand all night to drain the whey from it, then put it in jam dishes or in glasses.

IS IT known that mixing the extracts of lemon and vanilla makes the nicest of flavoring? To a teaspoonful of the the former add a few drops of or one-third as much of the latter. The next whipped cream you make try it. If you did not know you would call it a new flavoring you had not tasted, much superior to either alone.

TO PRESERVE the crispness and flavor of green vegetables for salads, throw them in ice water for an hour, then dry carefully on a soft towel, being careful not to bruise them, and then put in a cold place until wanted. Never mix any salad with the dressing until you are ready to serve it. Use the coldest of dishes to serve it on, and, if garnished properly, it is one of the most attractive and wholesome dishes on the table.

STRAWBERRY CREAM.—Rub a pint of fresh strawberries or four tablespoonfuls of jam with a wooden spoon through a hair sieve. The fresh strawberries should be rubbed with sugar, and a silk sieve is the best for them. Whip up half a pint of double cream till it is stiff. You must previously have soaked two ounces of gelatine, and warm it gently. Add jam to the whipped cream, a teaspoonful of sugar, the juice of half a lemon, and four drops of cochineal to color it. Now add in the gelatine, straining it through a colander, and stir it well into the cream. In winter add it warm, in summer only lukewarm. Ornament the mold. Pour the cream in and let it set.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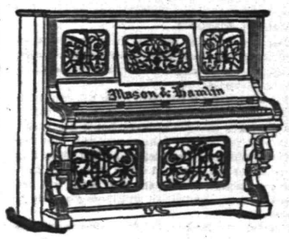


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| 4th do | 10.00 | do | 10.17 | do |
| 5th do | 11.00 | do | 11.34 | do |
| 6th do | 11.45 | do | 12.06 P.M. | do |
| 7th do | 1.45 P.M. | do | 2.15 & 2.35 P.M. | do |
| 8th do | 2.45 | do | To the Post Office. | |
| 9th do | 3.30 | do | meet 3 51 P. M. | train. |
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PLAINFIELD AND NEW YORK.

Leave Plainfield 3 37, 5 24, 5 38, 6 29, 6 59, 7 26 7 30, 7 58, 8 16, 8 31, 8 37, 9 22, 10 05, 11 09, 11 39, A. M., 1, 1 41, 2 07, 2 30, 3 12, 3 51, 5 08, 5 32, 6 07, 6 54, 7 03, 8 31, 9 25, 10 12, 11 28 P. M. Sunday—3 37, 5 24, 8 01, 8 52, 11 02, 11 16 A. M., 12 33, 1 33, 3 30, 5 16, 7 01, 7 10, 8 23, 8 32, 10 02 P. M.

Leave New York from foot of Liberty street, 4 45, 5 45, 7, 7 45, 8 45, 10, 11 A. M., 1, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4, 4 30, 5, 5 15, 5 30, 5 45, 6, 6 15, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 8, 8 30, 9 15, 10, 11 30 P. M., 12 15, night. Sunday—4 30, 7, 8 30, 9, 9 30, A. M., 12 M., 1, 1 15, 4, 5 30, 6, 7, 9 00, 10 00 P. M., 12 15 night.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield 5 38, 6 29, 6 59, 7 26, 8, 8 37, 9 32, 10 05, 11 09, 11, 39, A. M., 1, 2 30, 3 12, 3 51, 5 08, 5 31, 6 07, 6 54, 7 03, 8 31, 10 12, 11 28 P. M. Sunday—8 01, 8 52, 11 02, 11 16, A. M., 12 33, 3 30, 3 30, 5 16, 7 01, 7 10, 8 23, 8 32, 10 02 P. M.

Leave Newark 7 10, 7 50, 8 55, 10 10, 11 05 A. M., 1 05, 1 35, 2 50, 3 40, 4 02, 4 35, 5 05, 5 30, 5 55, 6 15, 7 15, 7 35, 8 20, 9 35, 11 25 P. M. Sunday—7 20, 8 40, 9 05, 9 50, A. M., 12 05, 1 10, 4 10, 5 40, 6 05, 7 02, 9 25, 9 30 P. M.

Passengers for Newark change cars at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7, 8 07, 9 42, 11, 11 58 A. M., 1 59, 3 32, 5 45, 6 34, 7, 8 30, 9 38, 10 37, 12, 7 34 8 20, 9 43, 11 13, 12 43 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 13, 9 48, A. M., 2 03, 2 30, 5 14, 6 35, 10 15, 11 14 P. M.

Leave Somerville, 6, 6 32, 7 03, 7 25, 7 35, 7 48 9 05, 9 47, 11 16 A. M., 12 35, 1 15, 1 45, 2 05, 3 9 4 40, 5 12, 5 35, 8 05, 8 50, 11 05, P. M. Sunday—8 25, 10 35 A. M., 12 08, 105, 4 50, 6 40, 8 03, 8 05, 9 30 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7, 8 07, 9 42, A. M., 1 59, 4 34, 5 20, 6 38, 8 20 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 13 A. M., 9 05, 6 35 P. M.

Leave Easton 6 05, 8 44, 10 A.M., 12 32, 4 09, 6 49 P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 52, A. M., 6 40, 7 30 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 9 42 A. M., 5 20 P. M.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.
LEAVE PLAINFIELD.

5 45 A. M. for Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

7 A. M. for High Bridge Branch and Easton.

8 07 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 42 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, D L & W R R, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Nanticoke, Drifton, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c.

1 59 P. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, &c.

4 34 P. M. for D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

5 20 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch Schooley's Mountain, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, &c.

6 20 P. M. for Flemington.

6 38 P. M. for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg.

8 20 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8 13 a. m. Sund

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Do you know that we can and will save you money on Winter Underwear?

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## DUG HIS OWN GRAVE

### A Doctor Crazed by the Loss of His Children.

### HE TRIES TO END HIS LIFE.

### An Overdose of Poison Saves Him for the Time Being.

**Found Beside His Children's Tomb in a Pit Three Feet Wide—An Empty Bottle Marked Laudanum in His Pocket—His Physicians Have Little Hopes of His Recovery.**

PLEASANTVILLE, N. J., Oct. 29.—Dr. C. C. Crosby, aged 40 years, who, besides being a physician, is also proprietor of a drug store here, attempted suicide in a peculiar yet most determined manner. Proceeding from his store to a cemetery some miles away, in which are interred the bodies of his children, he proceeded to dig a grave. Then lying down in it, he swallowed a quantity of laudanum and awaited death.

Dr. Crosby is about 40 years old and his domestic life had been most happy until the death of his children a year ago. His grief settled into a melancholy which seemed daily to grow deeper. Latterly he had exhibited signs of insanity and his friends kept him in sight as much as possible. Everyone that knew him understood that grief on account of his bereavement was destroying his reason.

Last evening he was missed from his store. He was traced to a livery stable, where he had hired a carriage, and thence to the cemetery at Chappaqua. It was his custom to make frequent visits to his children's graves, and of this those who were looking for him were well aware. But they were not prepared for the pathetic spectacle that met their gaze when they arrived there.

Dr. Crosby had dismissed the carriage on entering the cemetery. He was such a familiar figure there that the keeper paid little attention to him. What the searchers saw when they arrived made his motive as clear as daylight. He came to dig himself a grave beside those of his children and leave them no more. A gravedigger's spade was close at hand and he struck it into the sod beside one of the little graves. He threw up the earth until there was a pit deep enough to to hold his body. Then he took from his pocket a vial of laudanum, drank the contents and lay himself down in the grave which he had dug.

This was what his friends saw when they arrived on the scene. He was unconscious, though the size of the dose had produced nausea and prevented speedy death. He was taken home, where he lies at the point of death, and the doctors say he may never know that he was removed from the grave he dug for himself beside those of his children.

### BARNUM'S SHOW WRECKED.

**Two Men and Several Horses Killed by Trains Colliding**

MACON, Ga., Oct. 29.—Barnum's circus train, in five sections, left Macon at 6 a. m. for Athens, on the Covington & Macon road. Five miles from Monticello the train men lost control of the third section on a long down grade and it dashed into the rear of the second section on the end of which was the cook's car, preceded by a car containing horses.

A man named Kelly of Kalamazoo, Mich., in the car, was killed, and another man, name unknown, was badly hurt. Eight horses in the forward car were killed. The two engines pulling the third section were derailed and badly damaged, as were six or eight cars following.

The fireman of the first engine, Lewis Glenn, was instantly killed. The engineers of both engines and the other fireman jumped. The show will lose two or three appointments.

**Diseased Hogs Shipped East.**

BROWNSVILLE, Pa., Oct. 29.—Dr. E. L. Carter, State Veterinary Surgeon, who came here to investigate the disease now raging among the hogs, pronounced the disease hog cholera of the very worst form. It is said that four hundred head of fat hogs, fattened at Hamburger's distillery, died and were buried in a trench; also that the rest of the drove—some 700—had been driven through the streets of Brownsville and shipped East.

**The Count of Paris in Quebec.**

QUEBEC, Oct. 29.—The Count of Paris was tendered a banqet by the elite of Quebec's society last night. The Count was in excellent mood and conversed in a lively manner with those around him. A toast to the Queen was received with cheers. Toasts were also proposed to France and Canada and the Mayor. The banquet did not break up until long after midnight.

**Better Buy Your Sealskins Now.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 29.—A special from London says that the annual sale of sealskins there yesterday showed an advance of from 50 to 100 per cent. over the prices of last year. As this sale determines the market for the next six months those who desire to luxuriate in sealskins this winter must pay well for the privilege.

**Engineers Will Meet Next in Atlanta.**

PITTSBURG, Oct. 29.—The Convention of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers selected Atlanta, Ga., for the next international meeting on May 15, 1892. The year 1891 will be a blank year. Future conventions will be biennial and be held in the spring instead of the fall of the year.

## THE TARIFF BILL IN COURT.

**A Claim that Speaker Reed's Decision Invalidates It.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 29.—Proceedings were brought in the United States Circuit Court which will call forth from the bench an opinion upon the legality of Speaker Reed's ruling on the subject of quorums. They are brought by the importing firm of Ballin, Joseph & Co., and involve the legality of the imposition of duties at the rate of 35 cents a pound and 35 per cent. ad valorem on a consignment of cloths which arrived in this port July 10 by the steamer City of Richmond. Under the administrative act the appraisers taxed it as above, holding that it consisted of woolens, instead of taxing it as manufactures of worsted.

The contention is made by the petitioning importers that they come under the provisions of March 3, 1883, which placed the tax at 18 cents and 24 cents a pound, according to grade, and 35 per cent. ad valorem. It is set forth in the papers that the McKinley administrative act classifying worsted cloths as woolens is of no force, as it was never passed according to law, there being no quorum in Congress when it was said to have been passed.

Judge Lacombe granted an order requiring the appraisers of the port to file in court all the documents upon which they base their action in enforcing the duty complained of by the petitioners.

### HE OBTAINED A WIFE.

**A Cripple Secures a Life Partner by the Use of Printers' Ink.**

BRIDGETON, N. J., Oct. 29.—The residents of this town are gossipping over the marriage of Francis Brewster Wilcox of Millville, a small village near this place. Wilcox, who is a cripple and the owner of a mill, is 39 years of age. Recently he published a notice that he was desirous of obtaining a wife. He received answers from nearly one hundred young women from different parts of the country.

One of his correspondents was Miss Ricard of Sussex County, Del. They exchanged photographs and then arranged a meeting. They were married in less than one day's time after meeting. The bride is 21 years old and is the daughter of a widow residing in Sussex County.

### THE WRONG BODY.

**Mourners in a Cemetery Hear Moans and Make a Discovery.**

ROCHESTER, Oct. 29.—Yesterday the body of Roman Leach, a former resident of Genesee, was brought to that place for burial. During the funeral services at the cemetery the bearers and others who were around the coffin thought they heard moans proceeding from it, and after the friends had departed they opened the casket and were horrified to find that the remains were not those of Leach, nor did the body look like him in any way.

The bearers who knew the deceased well are confident that it was the wrong body. The body was shipped under the name of Fred Leach and probably it was a mistake in shipment. The body of Leach is missing.

**Prohibitionists and Ballot Reform.**

TRENTON, N. J., Oct. 29.—The Prohibitionists of the State held a conference here for the purpose of coming to a better understanding of the ballot reform law. Rev. J. B. Graw, D. D., occupied much time considering the ballot reform law. He denounced it as a scheme of the old parties to disfranchise the Prohibitionists. It was estimated that it would cost $8,000 for the Prohibitionists to have tickets put in all the districts. Only five counties were allowed official ballots.

**Changes on the West Shore Road.**

BUFFALO, N. Y., Oct. 29.—Mr. D. B. McCoy, who has for the past six years been Superintendent of the Buffalo division of the West Shore Railroad, has resigned to take service elsewhere, and will be succeeded by Mr. J. P. Bradfield, who has been for some time past Superintendent of the Hudson River division of the road. Mr. W. G. Wattson, who has been car accountant, will succeed Mr. Bradfield, and Mr. G. P. Conard will become car accountant.

**The Report Unconfirmed.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 29.—The report from Cincinnati that Calvin S. Brice and Samuel Thomas had secured control of the Baltimore & Ohio Southwestern Railroad Company could not be confirmed. At the house of Mr. Brice on Fifth avenue it was said that he is in Ohio, and it was not known when he would return. Mr. Thomas is also out of town.

**Hard Blow to Iron Manufacturers.**

PITTSBURG, Oct. 29.—The order of the Philadelphia Natural Gas Company, withdrawing fuel from puddling furnaces, which went into effect to-day, is a hard blow to the iron manufacturers. It is estimated that 500 furnaces will undergo enforced idleness by the order until they can be prepared for the use of coal

## GRESHAM OR NOBLE

### The Leaders for the Supreme Court Vacancy.

### EX-CONGRESSMAN BAKER'S VISIT

### Rumor Has it that He Was Sent for by the President.

**Secretary Noble's Friends Confident of His Appointment — Attorney-General Miller's Name Also Mentioned for the Position—A Circular About the Anti-Lottery Law—Attorneys Instructed.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 29.—The gossip about the possible successor of Associate Justice Miller has been revived by the presence here of ex-Congressman John H. Baker of Goshen, Ind. It seems to be accepted as a fact that he was sent for by the President, and that his visit is in relation to the vacancy on the Supreme Bench.

Rumor has it that the proposition unfolded to him by the President was the appointment of Judge Gresham to the Supreme Bench, the elevation of Judge William A. Wood of Indianapolis to the circuit judgeship, and the appointment of Mr. Baker to the district Bench for Indiana.

Mr. Baker was one of the delegates to the convention that nominated Gen. Harrison for the Presidency, and was also one of the committee appointed by the Chicago Convention of 1884 to notify Mr. Blaine of his nomination. He is an influential party man, and is the only Republican from Indiana who supported Gen. Harrison at Chicago who has not been rewarded in some manner by the present Administration.

Secretary Noble's friends are not daunted by this apparent boom to Judge Gresham and insist that the St. Louis man will succeed Justice Miller. Notwithstanding the bold front of Noble's friends and the claims of several lesser candidates, not to mention Attorney-General Miller, Judge Gresham is certainly in the lead to-day in the estimation of Washington onlookers.

### THE ANTI-LOTTERY LAW.

**Attorney-General Miller's Circular to United States Attorneys.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 29.—Attorney-General Miller has sent a circular to all United States attorneys, calling attention to the act of Congress approved September 19, 1890, entitled, "an act to amend certain sections of the revised statues relating to lotteries and for other purposes," with the suggestion that they carefully examine the same and spare no effort in its enforcement. He says:

"Every violation of this law, either by an individual or a corporation, in the dissemination of lottery literature, or in any other way, should be brought to the attention of the grand jury, and wherever indictments are found vigorous prosecutions should follow, to the end that this nefarious business may be suppressed. In the enforcement of this law there should be hearty cooperation on the part of the District Attorneys, the United States Marshals and the postoffice inspectors."

Similar instructions have been sent to United States Marshals.

**New American Record for Jumping.**

BOSTON, Mass., Oct. 29.—At the last outdoor meeting of the Boston Athletic Association E. B. Bloss of Harvard, in the running hop, step and jump, cleared 44 feet, 11¼ inches, thus establishing a new American record. Affidavits have been made as to this record, and they will be presented to the Record Committee of the Amateur Athletic Union in New York on Saturday. Bloss belongs in Titusville, Pa., and has just graduated from Phillips Exeter Academy.

**Importers Discuss the McKinley Bill.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 29.—A meeting of the importers of this city was held at the Metropolitan Hotel which had under consideration the McKinley bill. James M. Constable presided. The general sentiment was that the omission of section 30 in the engrossed copy of the bill which was signed by the President very possibly invalidated the entire act. A committee was appointed to devise some united mode of action and report back at a subsequent meeting.

**An Editor Arrested.**

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Oct. 29.—Maurice Daniby, editor and publisher of the Sunday Star, was arrested by order of United States District Attorney Alexander, charged with sending obscene literature through the mail and advertising lottery drawings. Bail of $1,000 was furnished.

**Nominated for Congress**

ALTOONA, Pa., Oct. 29.—Thomas H. Greevy was nominated for Congress by the Twentieth District Democratic convention last night.


Highest of all in Leavening Power.—U. S. Gov't Report, Aug. 17, 1889.

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## TWO ENGINEERS KILLED.

**Run Down by a Shore Line Train and Horribly Mangled.**

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Oct. 29.—Edward Cooper of New York and James Henderson of Ohio, civil engineers in the employ of the New York and New Haven Railroad, were instantly killed on the Niantic bridge at East Lyme during the morning.

The accident was a peculiar one. The two victims were employed in constructing a double track of the Shore line and were walking along the bridge evidently cognizant that the passenger train which left New London at 7:43 was running down upon them.

The train could be seen a quarter of a mile and the men evidently thought they had plenty time to get out of the way, but when near the end of the bridge they were struck by the pilot of the engine and thrown some distance on the side of the track. Both bodies were horribly mangled.

The men were young and it seem unaccountable that they should have taken such a risk of remaining on the track.

## PARTLY UNDER WATER.

**Newburyport and Amesbury, Mass., Submerged by High Tides.**

AMESBURY, Mass., Oct. 29.—Never in the history of Essex County have the tides been so high. Water street is completely submerged, and a dozen carriage factories are under water to the lower windows. The Seaside Hotel at Salisbury Beach is in danger of becoming a total wreck, as the waves are lashing the building furiously.

The losses to property owners cannot be estimated, but will be many thousands. The heaviest losers are Miss May Tucker, John C. Evans, Charles H. True, Newell Lamprey, Charles Cammett, James K. Sands, Charles, Victorine and Theodore Johnson and Charles Jones.

Over 5,000 tons of fine meadow hay has been totally destroyed, and from this city to Boston, a distance of 50 miles, the entire meadow lands are one great sea of water.

The tides in Newburyport have never been so high. No loss of life has as yet been reported.

## A LUNATIC IN THE CAB.

**He Drives the Engineer from His Post and Takes Possession of the Train.**

READING, Pa., Oct. 29.—At 1:30 a. m. a stranger, supposed to be insane, pistol in hand, compelled the engineer of a Reading freight engine to vacate his post while the locomotive was standing at the depot here.

The lunatic took possession and ran the engine for several squares, when, being pursued by officers, he deserted the engine and fled. For a time he kept his pursuers at bay with a pistol. The supposed lunatic made his escape, and has not been seen or heard of since.

**Elm City Driving Park Attached.**

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Oct. 29.—The Elm City Driving Park, owned by Nicholas W. and Joseph E. Hubinger of this city, was attached for $20,000 by J. C. Hubinger of Keokuk, Iowa. The attachment resulted from alleged failure of the New Haven Hubingers to carry out their part of an agreement to transfer their starch business to their Iowa brother. The starch business is variously estimated at from $100,000 to $150,000. The New Haven Hubingers claim that the last installment of $100,000 due them was long overdue, and the Western Hubinger claims to have come to New Haven with the cash in hand ready to meet the obligation, but the New Haven Hubingers were absent and there was no one to receive the money.

**Fish Dealers Combine.**

WATERTOWN, N. Y., Oct. 29.—The large fish dealing firms of this county and Kingston—five in all—have combined and formed the "Lake Ontario Fish company limited, Cape Vincent, N. Y." with a capital stock of $100,000. They will have practical control of the wholesale fish business along the St. Lawrence and Lake Shore in this section. The new company will go in business November 1.

**A Stay for Murderer Wood.**

TROY, N. Y., Oct. 29.—Counsel for Cal Wood, sentenced to death by electricity for killing Leander Pasco, his father-in-law, in Warren County, has served papers on the warden of Dannemora prison for a stay of execution. Wood was to have been executed during the week beginning November 3, but the stay will compel a postponement until the appeal is settled.

**Trying to Buy the Ensign Car Works.**

PITTSBURG, Pa., Oct. 29.—A dispatch from Huntington, W. Va., says that an agent of an Eastern syndicate, of which C. P. Huntington is said to be the principal backer, is in the city making estimates on the Ensign Car Works, on which the syndicate has an option. The works employ over 2,000 men, and the plant is valued at $2,500,000.

**The Australian System of Voting.**

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Oct. 29.—The Supreme Court, in answer to questions presented by the aldermen of this city, has decided that crosses only at the right of the name, within or without the square, count in the Australian system of voting.

**Ex-Gov. Pattison's Libel Suits.**

HARRISBURG, Pa., Oct. 29.—W. F. Jordan and J. J. McClaurin of the Call of this city have been served with warrants in ex-Governor Pattison's libel suit. Both waived a hearing and furnished $1,500 bail.

**Died of Heart Disease.**

NEW BRUNSWICK, N. J., Oct. 29.—Darley Randall, died here last night of heart disease, aged 62 years. He had an office in New York and went there daily.

## A STRIKE IMMINENT

### The Liverpool Dock Laborers Give Warning.

### PREPARING FOR A STRUGLGE.

### Barracks and Troops Put in Use by London Shippers.

**Series of Atrocities in Finland Like Those Committed by "Jack the Ripper"—Balfour Warmly Received in Ireland—Postponement of the Bishop of Lincoln's Case—Annie Pricely Held.**

LONDON, Oct. 29.—The Associated Steamship Owners of Liverpool, who employ a number of non-union laborers, have been warned by the Dock Laborers' Union that unless the non-union men are discharged a strike will be inaugurated. The executive of the Shipping Federation offers to supply the Associated Steamship Owners with a full force of non-union men if the Liverpool owners will join the Shipping Federation. It is believed that the Liverpool employers will refuse to discharge the non-unionists, and that a strike is therefore imminent.

"Tom" Mann, the labor leader, had an interview with the joint committee of the dock companies, with a view to securing some arrangement by which the work on the docks could go on without committing the companies or the workmen to any definite policy. No decision, however, was arrived at, and meanwhile preparations are being made to meet the struggle which will probably come next week. The Royal Albert and Victoria docks have secured the use of the barracks which were recently erected by the Beckton gas works, which are contiguous to these docks.

They were designed to meet the strike emergency, and they are now to be used for the accommodation of the non-union men and their protection against the violence of the union men in the event of a strike.

The dock company has also obtained from the Government a promise that it shall have the assistance of the military to guard its workmen. Every precaution is being taken to make the step contemplated by the dock companies thoroughly effective, and it is likely that extreme measures will be resorted to if they seem to be made necessary by the behavior of the union.

## WOMEN STRANGLED.

**Atrocities Similar to Those Committed by "Jack the Ripper."**

HELSINGFORS, Finland, Oct. 29.—For some time past a series of atrocities similar to those committed by "Jack the Ripper" has startled society here. Several women belonging to the class of unfortunates have been found dead in their beds, having been killed by being strangled.

The police were for a long time unable to obtain a clew to the murderer, but the man has at last been found. His name is Haapaoja, and has been known to the police for many years as a criminal.

**Patience Recommended to Englishmen.**

MANCHESTER, Oct. 29.—At the quarterly meeting of the Chamber of Commerce of this city, Mr. Lee, the president, in his address said that he thinks it is too soon just yet to form a correct conclusion as to the results of the McKinley tariff act; but, he said, Englishmen may look at the matter with great coolness. They are not likely to be materially affected by its provisions for some years, before which time "there will probably," he said, "be a strong reaction in favor of free trade in America."

**Outbreak of Russian Prisoners.**

LONDON, Oct. 29.—News has been received at St. Petersburg from Yakootsk of an outbreak of Siberian convicts which occurred on board a steamer on the river Lena. The inhabitants of a village which the steamer was passing came to the convicts' assistance and helped them to disarm and bind the guards of the escort. The vessel was then set adrift. The Governor of the province sent troops in pursuit, who killed two of the fugitives and captured five others.

**Mrs. Hogg's Husband Suspected.**

LONDON, Oct. 29.—The murder of Mrs. Hogg is still unsolved so far as the real murderer is concerned. The police have little doubt now but the woman was murdered by her husband at the home of her supposed friend, Mrs. Piercey, during a quarrel which arose when Mrs. Hogg accidentally found out the liason existing between her husband and Mrs. Piercey. The coroner's jury has rendered a verdict of murder against Neilie Piercey.

**Gladstone's Opinion of Free Trade.**

LONDON, Oct. 29.—Mr. Gladstone, in a speech to the workmen at the Pumpherston Oil Works, enlarged upon the benefits and advantages of free trade. The result of the last fifty years economic legislation, he said, had been that trade had multiplied fivefold, the population had doubled and there had been an enormous increase in the material, social, moral and political conditions of the country.

**Canal Traffic Delayed.**

UTICA, N. Y., Oct. 29.—Last night as the lift bridge over the Erie Canal, at John street, was being raised a cable parted, allowing the bridge to fall to the street level. A portion of the iron work also fell smashing a part of the flooring. Canal traffic will be delayed at least twenty-four hours. No one was injured.

## BIRCHALL'S CONFEDERATE.

**"The Colonel" Letter Created a Sensation at Woodstock.**

WOODSTOCK, Ont., Oct. 29.—The publication of "The Colonel" letter has created quite a sensation here, and many are now ready to believe that Birchall really had a confederate, as he has all along claimed, and that this confederate did the actual killing.

Taken in connection with some statements of Birchall's, there is some good grounds for this belief. For instance, Birchall says that when Benwell left him he had on a good strong pair of English boots, in perfect condition, and when the body was found the feet were encased in poor, worn out boots, broken at the sides, which had evidently been worn with rubber overshoes.

The "Colonel's" letter affords material which supplies the missing links to make Birchall's statements of the circumstances attending the death of Benwell highly probable. Birchall states that if he had had any suspicion that he would be arrested for a crime he did not commit he never would have remained in Canada. As many days elapsed between the death of Benwell and the arrest of Birchall, this fact gives considerable plausibility to Birchall's contention.

## NEWS OF THE DAY.

All the steam fitting establishments of Chicago are idle, owing to a strike. Employers refuse to recognize the union.

Gen. Elias A. Brown, of Minaville, N. Y., is dead, aged 79 years. He was one of the best known men in the Mohawk Valley.

Rev. Francis A. Horton, D. D., of Oakland, Cal., has been installed as pastor of the Union Congregational Church at Providence, R. I.

Joseph Gowrie, 45 years old, dropped dead with heart disease in Commerce street, Newark, N. J., last night. He was a veteran of the late war.

It is generally agreed among the operators employed by the Western Union Telegraph Company here that a strike may be ordered at any time.

Thomas Taylor, a zealous member of the Salvation Army at Sandy Hill, Troy, N. Y., fell dead while parading in that village. Apoplexy was the cause.

The house, furniture, store and barn of Eliza Duncan in Phoenixville, Pa., were destroyed by fire early in the morning. Loss nearly $7,000; partially insured.

Jesse Scribbens and Joseph Bennett of Scranton, Pa., were arrested by the agents of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals for trying to force a mule to drink beer.

Charles E. Olds, of Norwalk, Conn., general freight agent of the Housatonic Railroad and of the New York and New England Terminal Company, is missing, and it is alleged his accounts are short.

The works of the Auburn Wagon Company, Limited, of Auburn, N. Y., have been seized by the sheriff on judgments aggregating $37,216.66. The company was formerly called the E. D. Clapp Wagon Company.

Dennis B. Sullivan, treasurer of the Father Mathew Total Abstinence Society of Newport, R. I., is believed to be short in his accounts about $1,300 and his property has been attached to recover the amount.

The Oyer and Terminer Grand Jury of Buffalo, N. Y., has found an indictment against John Ackermann of Grand Island for the murder of John Meissner, on Sept 10th, 1889. Ackerman has been out on bail, but is now under arrest.

The inquest in the case of Mrs. John O'Brien, of Tonawanda, N. Y., said to have died from an overdose of morphine administered by Dr. Murray, is concluded, and the jury rendered a verdict that she died while in a fit of delirium or insanity and under the influence of opiates or morphine, but did not incriminate Murray.

Captain Comiskey of the Chicago club has left with two baseball teams for the Pacific Coast. He will captain one team and Mike Kelly the other. The players include Mark Baldwin, Ryan, McPhee, Harrington and Raines. The team will play through Colorado, Utah, Oregon and Washington. Then they head for San Francisco, and after an extended stay go through Texas, and disband in St. Louis about January 20.

**Weather Indications.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 29.—For New England: Fair weather, followed by increasing cloudiness and rain; warmer; southwesterly winds.

For Eastern New York: Increasing cloudiness and rain; warmer; southwesterly winds.

For New Jersey: Threatening weather and rain; warmer; southwesterly winds.

For Western New York: Threatening weather and rain; warmer; fresh southwesterly winds.

## NEW YORK MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Oct. 29.—Money on call to-day 5 per cent.

BONDS.

| | Closing Yesterday. | Closing To-day. |
|---|---|---|
| 4½'s, 1891 Reg | 104¼ | 104¼ |
| 4½'s, 1891 Coup | 104¼ | 104¼ |
| 4 's, 1907 Reg | 124½ | 124½ |
| 4 's, 1907 Coup | 125¼ | 124½ |

STOCK MARKET.

| | Closing Yesterday. | Closing To-day. |
|---|---|---|
| Canadian Pacific | — | 74 |
| Central Pacific | — | — |
| Chicago, Bur. & Q | 91¾ | 91¾ |
| Delaware & Hudson | 137¾ | — |
| Del., Lack. & Western | 142¾ | 143 |
| Erie | 21½ | 21½ |
| Erie Preferred | — | — |
| Lake Shore | 100¾ | 100¾ |
| Louis. & Nash | 78 | 77 |
| Manhattan | — | — |
| Missouri Pacific | 68¾ | 68¾ |
| New Jersey Central | 110 | 110 |
| Northwestern | 108 | 108¾ |
| Oregon Navigation | — | — |
| Pacific Mail | 41¼ | — |
| Reading | 37¾ | 37¼ |
| Rock Island | 76¾ | 77¾ |
| St. Paul | 86¾ | 86¾ |
| Union Pacific | 47¾ | 47¾ |
| Western Union | 81¼ | 81¾ |

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## BY THE WAY.

—Wet leaves on the sidewalks are dangerous to pedestrians.

—The newest, finest veils are irregularly dotted with beauty spots.

—Long cloth ulsters are trimmed in military style, with braid or frogs.

—The Scotch Plains Baptist church was founded in 1747. There are three older than it in State.

—The large elm tree that has for over half a century stood in front of the M. E. church, was yesterday cut down.

—Of the 4,121 teachers employed in the public schools of New Jersey, only 796 are men. The number is decreasing every year.

—Go to Amphion Hall to-night and take a look at the Hon. Fred C. Marsh, whom the pool-selling, race track gamblers threaten to defeat because he fought them.

—The Democrats are prepared for a grand rally at Amphion Hall, this evening. The Hon. Charles Winfield, R. V Lindabury, F. C. Marsh and others will speak.

—The Union News Company has agreed to cover its news stand at the station, with metal shingles, and to make the water shed over the front of corrugated iron.

—The regular meeting of the Plainfield Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals will be held at the offices of the Secretary, 34 West Front street, to-morrow at 8 P. M.

—Harry Rich, agent for Ada Gray who is to appear at Amphion Hall, next week, is in town arranging the details in advance. He reports the star as playing to good houses all along the road.

—The anniversary exercises of the Woman's Temperance Aid Society are indefinitely postponed on account of the Union service to be held on Thursday evening. All other meetings of the Society, except for business, will also be suspended during Mr. Mills' stay in Plainfield.

—The weekly devotional meeting of the Women's Christian Temperance Union, will be held in the rooms, 73 West Front street, Thursday afternoon at half-past three o'clock. Interesting reports of the State Convention will be given by the President, Mrs. Tomlinson, by Mrs. Dobbins, and by Mrs. J. M. McNaughton. All are cordially invited.

—The Pingry foot-ball team will meet the Leal team in this city Saturday morning. The Elizabeth *Journal* thinks that "the Plainfield men are smarting from the sting of their last defeat, and will doubtless make a strong effort to redeem themselves," but as a matter of fact the Leal boys acknowledge themselves outclassed against the Pingry heavy weights.

## PARTICULAR MENTION.

The Rev. Dr. D. J. Yerkes was elected First Vice President of New Jersey Baptist Association yesterday.

Recent arrivals at Van Court Inn, Roselle, include Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Moore and Miss Charlotte Wotherspoon, of this city.

### Under the Wreck but Uninjured.

F. E. Miller, proprietor of Hotel Nethervood, and his wife, were upset by their runaway team, Monday, but fortunately escaped with hardly a bruise. They were driving from Roselle to Plainfield, in a light buckboard, behind Mr. Miller's handsome team of young bays. Suddenly at sight of a heap of crushed stone, the horses sprang to one side and backed against a bank with such force as to snap the pole. They then plunged forward and started at a terrific gate down the road, but their driver swung them around by main strength into an embankment that stopped them but at the same time threw Mr. and Mrs. Miller out of the wagon and under the wreck The horses did not get away again, and only one of them was scratched.

### Enthusiastic Democrats.

South Branch was ablaze with enthusiasm and red fire Tuesday evening, when the Democrats held a rousing ratification meeting, which was addressed by candidates for Senate and Assembly, William J. Keys, and James Bergen, also Plainfields brilliant orator, James E. Martine After the meeting a reception was tendered everyone at the handsome residence of Mr. Keys, the grounds about which were brilliantly illuminated. A brass band discoursed fine music, and the event was one long to be remembered by the voters of South Branch, who will give a good account of themselves on election day.

### Had to Break His Wrist a Second Time.

Thomas O'Keefe, of West Fifth street, some weeks ago fractured his wrist by a fall. The break did not heal properly, and it was found necessary to put the patient under the influence of ether, break the wrist over again, and reset it. O'Keefe has suffered a great deal of pain, but the wound is now healing nicely.

Jack and Jill each took a pill,
Old-fashioned kind—full grown;
Jack's went down—but with a frown—
Jill died from "cause unknown."

Smiles will supersede many frowns, and many discomforts will be unknown, when Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Purgative Pellets entirely supersede, as they bid fair to do, the large and less efficient pill of our forefathers. Every day they gain new laurels! Most popular when most ills abound!

### Music and a Farce Written Especially for the Occasion.

The complimentary entertainment to be given by Holy Cross Choir Guild, this evening, will be in accordance with the following programme:

Glee.....The Three Chafers.....*Trubn*
The Guild.

Bass Solo.....I Alone Can Tell.....*Rigg*
Mr. Carl Dresselt.

Duett.....Serenade.....*Schubert*
Messrs Douglas and Holmes.

Flute Solo..Song without words, No. 2.....*Popp*
Mr. F. A. Pollock.

Duett.....Gentle Be Thy Slumbers....*Schlesinger*
Masters Waring and Schutt.

A Farcical Absurdity in One Act, by George P. Taggart, entitled, (for lack of a better name)

A HOWLING SUCCESS.

Oscar Hilde, on the stage.....George Taggart
Ahasuerus Shylock, on the Bowery.....
.....Howard Spencer
Cully Swipes, on the street.....Will Spencer
Calamity White, on the dark-brown.....
.....Tiffany Spencer
The Place—Any Place The Time—Any Time.
The Plot—Anything you like.

Bass Solo.....O Happy Time.....*Goetze*
Mr. Carl Dresselt.

Tenor Solo.....The Three Friends.....*Speier*
Mr. Carl Maas.

Piano Duett ...Overture, 'Zampa,".....*Herold*
Misses Northrup and Fine.

Baritone Solo.....Anchored.....*Watson*
Mr William Holmes.

Duett.....The Minstrel and his Child.....*Weidt*
Messrs Maas and Dresselt.

Glee.....List to Me Lady.....*Danks*
The Guild.

### A Merry-Hearted Little Woman Writes a Letter.

The November number of *St Nicholas*, that magazine which maintains high popularity among children of a larger growth as well as little people, contains a pleasant letter from a frisky little maiden who signs herself Edith and dates from Plainfield. She says:

"PLAINFIELD, N. J.

"DEAR ST. NICHOLAS: I am a little girl nine years old, and have taken you for some years, and like you very much. I have been up in the Catskill Mountains. I did not like it; it was too quiet. I like my own home better. I took lots of nice walks up the mountains. On Fourth of July, I had a jolly time; we could not fire off our fire-crackers before breakfast. We had a few showers during the day. I had so many fire-crackers that I had to give them away. One day my brother and I went fishing; he would not let me fish, but after a while I got him to let me. He said, 'What is the use of your fishing? You won't catch anything!' I caught three trout, and my brother caught only one little shiner.

"I remain, yours truly,
"EDITH."

### Ellis Campbell Again a Victim.

The incendiary who burned the sheds and barns belonging to Ellis Campbell, who keeps the road house adjoining the track of the Gentlemen's Driving Park Association, is supposed to be the one that set fire to some of Mr. Campbell's property again last night.

The barn, barrack and corn crib on the farm of Frank Randolph, near Mount Pleasant, were fired and entirely consumed. Ellis Campbell had fifty tons of hay stored there with $400 insurance. It is a total loss. Randolph's insurance is $400. He is the owner of the team that is stabled in No. 2 Engine house.

The incendiary suspected knew the hay belonged to Campbell. A search is being made for him today. The mortagee of the Randolph property also had an insurance of $450 on the property destroyed.

### The Revision of the Registry.

On Thursday the Court of Common Pleas will sit in each county of the State to revise the registry list. Under the new ballot law the court will have authority to order erased from the list any name of any person who shall be shown to the satisfaction of the court for any cause, not to be entitled to vote at the next election, provided that no name shall be erased in the absence of the person to be affected. Two days' notice shall be given to the person. The said court may also order added to said registry the name or names of any person who shall prove to its satisfaction, by affidavit or affidavits or otherwise his right to vote at the ensuing election, but whose name, through absence, sickness, inadvertence or other sufficient cause, has been omitted therefrom.

### Scotch Plains Too Has a Revival.

The Rev. S. Hartwell Pratt, an evangelist from Springfield, Mass., began a series of gospel meetings in the Scotch Plains Baptist church last Sunday. He is preaching every evening this week, and will give Bible readings Thursday and Friday afternoons at three o'clock. Beginning Thursday evening, he will be assisted by the widely-known gospel singer, F. M. Lamb of New York. Mr. Lamb comes directly from leading the singing at the Massachussetts and Rhode Island Young Men's Christian Association State conventions, at Haverhill, Mass. But few singers sing the gospel so effectively, and but few are in so great demand.

### Preparing for the Coming of Evangelist Mills.

A large attendance greeted the local pastors at the union prayer service in Vincent chapel, last night. The subject of the evening was "Search Me." The Rev. Cornelius Schenck led the meeting. The Thursday night meeting will be held in the Trinity Reformed church, and will be conducted by the Rev. A. R. Dilts. The subject will be "What Can I Render unto the Lord?"

## HERE'S THE RECORD OF BOTH.

**Will You Vote as Your Pastor Has Preached and You Have Protested, or Does Partisanship Smother Your Conscience and Swamp Your Sincerity?**

Just five months and eight days ago, the Elizabeth *Journal* said:

It is to the lasting credit of Union county and her representatives, that not a single vote of all that were given to legalize gambling at horse races was cast by any of the members of the Legislature from Union county. Senator Miller was absent when the bill passed the Senate, but had his vote recorded as against this measure. Assemblyman Ulrich of Plainfield, was also absent when the vote was taken in the House on Monday night, but the Plainfield Press says he "was detained at home because of grave illness in his family; and he expressed his sincere regret this morning to a Press reporter, that he could not be present and recorded, as he would have been, against the bill." Speaker Marsh not only voted against the bill, but is reported to have done all he consistently could, in his official position, to permit those who opposed the bill to have a fair hearing. But Mr. Voorhees took the floor and fought hard against the iniquity. He implored the House not to disgrace the State by legalizing gambling, and said he was not surprised that no one had the courage to stand sponsor for the amendments. A powerful lobby pushed the bill through the Senate, although the Senators at first held up their hands in holy horror at the provision which provided for a State tax. Pass this bill, he said, and we bow down to the gambling element, an element which proudly boasts that it controls the Legislature and the courts of New Jersey. It was a fight against tremendous odds, and the World of this morning says: "the votes which were not bought outright were controlled by the party bosses, nine-tenths of whom are financially interested in some race track." It is to the credit of Union county that its representatives fought against this bill, and are not under the imputations which attach, in the public mind, to those who voted for it.

Yet when the time came to reward Mr. Voorhees by a nomination for Senator, he was blotted out and Mr. Rankin, a race track man, put in his place. That he is a race track man is proven by his own words of five days ago, taken as follows from the same paper that published the praise of Mr. Marsh and others quoted above:

Dear Sir—I am in receipt of several letters from clergymen in different parts of the county asking me for an expression of my views about race track legislation.

It is my settled conviction that no candidate for legislative office should, in advance, tie his hands by any pledges with respect to his action upon any particular measure. And however unfavorable impressed with any bill that may come up for his action, I think his duty is to listen to debate, to hear the bill read, as provided by the constitution, and then give his decision.

I have yet to make the first pledge or promise to any individual as to what my official action would be. So in the present contest, I am absolutely without engagements, either expressed or implied, with any individual or corporation, as to what my action shall be with respect to the race courses or any other matter.

The only pledge I will make is that I will, on every measure, act conscientiously, without fea or favor, and will give my vote in the manner that will seem to me best calculated to promote the moral and material advancement of the people of the county.

Very respectfully,
JOHN C. RANKIN, JR.

There you have the record of both men—Mr. Rankin, the Republican candidate, and Mr. Marsh, the Democratic candidate—taken from the columns of one paper, the Elizabeth *Journal*, the organ of the Republican party of Union county.

The race track men threaten to defeat Mr. Marsh for his brave opposition to them. But they cannot do it without the votes of the clergymen and other christians, and the votes of otherwise honest and decent people.

### No Stanley for This City Under Such Conditions.

Those who had engaged Stanley to lecture in Plainfield, found that his contract is a conditional one. He is to fill so many dates in America subject to Mrs. Stanley's whims. The contract reads in effect that he will keep the engagements made for him if his "family" is so inclined after arriving in America.

The probabilities are, therefore, that after delivering about twenty lectures in the big cities where he will be most glorified, he will break all other engagements exactly as he did when last in this country. The Plainfielders who had engaged him for this city, have resolved to protect the people from being victimized here and so have refused to take him under such conditions.

### An "Untenable" Polling Place.

The Board of Registration of the First Ward hereby extend their thanks to Messrs. Lyman & Anthony, for the use of their real estate office, for the purpose of revising the registry, owing to the untenable condition of the regular polling room.

Signed
R. E. Coriell, Chairman.
Elias H. Bird and Wm. T. Banks, Secretaries.
Geo. W. Moore, John J. Kenney, John F. McIntyre.
October 28, 1890.

Charge your mind with the fact that Hires' Cough Cure is the remedy you want should you have a cough or cold. It is pleasant to take, harmless and effective. Always reliable. No opium or poisonous drugs in its composition.

### Balfour Cheered by Irishmen.

DUBLIN, Oct. 29.—Mr. Balfour received an ovation upon his arrival at Achill. He made a brief speech, saying he was glad to meet the people, and expressed his sorrow at the failure of the potato crop, which he knew would cause them much suffering. Mr. Balfour was cheered repeatedly along his route.

### The Bishop of Lincoln's Case.

LONDON, Oct. 29.—The death of the elder daughter of the Archbishop of Canterbury will make it necessary to postpone the pronouncing of the judgment in the case of the Bishop of Lincoln, which was expected next Friday.

### Tables Turned on the Ice Dealers.

BANGOR, Me., Oct. 29.—A big drop in the price of ice has occurred. Four weeks ago men having ice here held it from $3.50 to $4 per ton. To-day these men hunt in vain for purchasers who will take the same stock for $1 per ton. But while the Maine men have lost much by disappointment, the great bulk of the big ice concerns are actually embarrassed, and dealers and brokers here say that many of them must go down.

### Impaled on a Cow's Horn.

BURLINGTON, N. J., Oct. 29.—Francis Borden was fatally gored in a peculiar manner by a cow on his father's farm near Williamsborough last evening. One of her sharp horns caught him directly beneath the chin, impaling him in such a manner that he was unable to extricate himself. He was freed by some of the family and a doctor sewed up the wound. The lad's father was killed by lightning a short time ago.

### Miss Marlowe's Illness.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 29.—Miss Julia Marlowe, the actress, who has been lying ill at the home of Colonel A. K. McClure in this city, for several days past, is much worse and all her engagements have been cancelled up to January 1. She is threatened with brain fever.

TO-NIGHT!

DEMOCRATIC RALLY!

AT 8 o'clock, in

AMPHION HALL.

Hon. C. H. WINFIELD,
Hon. E. F. McDONALD,
AND
R LINDABURY, Esq.,
Will address the Meeting.

Candidates J. A. Geissenhainer, Fred. C. Marsh, Wm. H. Hicks and Alford B Cook, will be present.

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A COOK and nurse wanted for one house. Apply to Mrs. Lindsay, 92 W. Front st. 10 29 2

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10 29 3w

FAMILY going to the city will let whole or part of large house—(the first on Raymond avenue, near W. Front street)—partly furnished if desired; water in kitchen; excellent range. Boynton furnace Also, would sell good Alderney cow, and fine young carriage horse, very reasonable. Can be seen any time. Take stage.

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PROF. SEGADLO

Will reopen his classes in Plainfield, N. J., providing he can secure the proper number of scholars.

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The day of commencing, and place of holding the class, will be afterwards made known.

For terms, etc., address

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Having purchased of C. A. Brown the business known as the

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14 East Front St., I desire to inform the public that I will endeavor to serve them in the best possible manner, and respectfully solicit their patronage. Orders promptly called for and delivered, upon notice by postal.

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BEST GOODS LOWEST PRICES

Condensed Milk—Champion, 10c; Daisy, 12c; Eagle, 16c per can.

All kinds of Canned Goods sold very low, quality considered.

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Sugar at cost, in 10 lb. lots.

*FRESH COUNTRY EGGS* twice a week.

Finest Elgin Creamery and Choice Country Butter.

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A trial order by postal card solicited. 10 23 m

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Special attention paid to

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THE GROCER!

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Will sell his CLOAKS, CAPES, JACKETS and FURS, until disposed of, at the OLD PRICES, notwithstanding the recent advance.

Good value in *DRESS GOODS.* One-half dozen pieces 35 inch All-Wool Tricot FLANNEL, in stripes only, at 40c—value 50c.

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*MILLINERY DEPARTMENT.*—Trimmed and Untrimmed Hats and Bonnets, Feathers, Tips, Birds, etc. The increased sales in this department is a guarantee that my prices are right.

As large a stock of BLANKETS and COMFORTABLES, as all others in Plainfield combined. Comfortables from 69c up; Blankets from 95c up.

Special in INGRAIN CARPET. A fair quality at 25c., same as is sold in some places at 35c. Blabous' No. 1 OIL CLOTH, the best made, at 48c per square yard. Cheaper grades in proportion.

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The Best Lamp in the Market!

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Large Assortment!

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Scale and Shell.

ROGERS' MARKET,

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FALL IS HERE

And I am ready for it with a full line of

Dress Goods, Underwear, Blankets and Comfortables.

NEW STYLES of Ingrain, Tapestry, and Body Brussel Carpets, Oil Cloths, Etc., at the *LOWEST PRICES*, to which I invite your attention.

H. A. POPE,

Corner FRONT and SOMERSET STS.

The old reliable Dry Goods, Carpet, and Notion House. 11-13-y

What Beautiful Papers--And How Cheap.

Is the involuntary expression of all when looking over our Fall line of Wall Papers.

A new shipment of 30 in. *WINDOW SHADES.* Houses shaded entire with best Scotch shading, *at very low figures.*

OIL CLOTH, PICTURE MOULDING, and WINDOW GLASS.

A. D. VAN SCIVER, 47 NORTH AVE.,

Opposite Depot.—— (Chotola Building), ——Plainfield, N. J.

N. B.—*ALL BRANCHES OF PAINTING A SPECIALTY.* 1-10-1

COAL LUMBER
And
Builders Supplies
LOOMIS & RICE
49 B'DWAY

## SPOONS OF A PLAINFIELD TOURIST.

**Each Has a History, and Some of Them Hint at Romance.**

During her recent trip abroad Miss Clementine Yates, of East Seventh street, made two valuable collections—one of specimens of plant life, the other of spoons typical of the various nations she visited.

Her samples of the vegetable growth of foreign lands THE PRESS has already mentioned. They include many beautiful and interesting varieties. The leaves, blossoms and mosses she gathered in Palestine are especially noteworthy. Those she has selected to retain in her own home number about one hundred and fifty, and many of them are very rare. These have been mounted by Mrs. Mary C. Tenney, an amateur artist well-known in Brooklyn and throughout New England. Mrs. Tenney is a sister of Prof. Packard, of Bowdoin College, and is a personal friend of Miss Yates. The *Telegraph*, of Brunswick, Maine, the home of Mrs. Tenney, refers to the herbarium specimens as follows:

"The specimens are mounted with fish glue upon cardboard, and are arranged in the most natural manner imaginable, showing no sign of the mounting, but resting on the cards as naturally as though they had fallen there, yet showing every feature distinctly. This will make a valuable addition to the other collections of Miss Yates, as the plants are in an excellent state of preservation."

The spoons which Miss Yates has collected have been exhibited at Bowdoin College itself, and have aroused a great deal of interest. The *Telegraph* devotes an entire column to describing the collection, and remarks that it is a credit to the taste of the woman who made it.

Some of the spoons are of gold, and some of silver. Each has an interesting story. Most of them are exact reproductions of the spoons in general use in the countries they represent, but a few of the most expensive ones were made of costlier material, and in more intricate pattern, especially for the tourist.

Egypt is represented by two spoons. The handle of one is corrugated, with a miniature palm tree at the tip; the handle of the other bears a faithful engraving of the obelisk at Heliopolis. The spoon from Palestine is decorated with the Crusaders' cross, which forms the tip of the handle. That from Greece is adorned with the head of Athena at Athens. Three handsome specimens, each suggestive of romantic memories, come from Italy: that from Florence has Donatello's "David" engraved upon the handle; that from Venice the Lion of St. Mark's; that from Rome the statute of St. Peter.

Turkey is represented by two spoons: of one the bowl is a gold coin, and the handle bears the star and crescent. The bowl of the second is in the form of a spade, and has on its handle the monogram of the Sultan.

The spoon from Germany bears the Bear and Shield. That from Holland presents a picture of a windmill. The Denmark specimen has simply "Copenhagen" engraved upon the handle.

A spoon from Russia is a splendid specimen of the beautiful enameled work done in that country. Another from the the city of Moscow bears a fine engraving of one of the Mosques in the Kremlin.

From England come two spoons. One is 102 years old, and is a quaint little affair; on the other is depicted the Rose of England in all its beauty. The spoon of Ireland bears the shamrock. That of Scotland the thistle.

Finland's spoon is neatly but plainly fashioned, and has a ring attached. The significance of this ring Miss Yates was unable to discover, though it is the custom of the country to have one on every spoon, whether roughly made of wood, or fashioned of costly metal. Sweden's spoon has the head of Charles XII engraved on the handle.

The most curious spoon in the collection comes from Norway. The head of its handle is globular, and this globular form seems to have some special significance, which was not, however, ascertained. The head has delicately engraved on it four faces, but instead of there being eight eyes there are only four. Still, the work is so deftly done that as the spoon is turned and each face presents itself it comes up with two eyes, without the deformity one expects. This spoon is greatly admired by the friends of Miss Yates, and exerts a wondrous fascination over one examining it.

Though many countries are represented in the collection, it must not be inferred that spoons are in common use among all the nations mentioned. Many of the Eastern peoples use spoons only in the very highest circles of society, and some not at all. The lower natives of Egypt and Palestine, for instance, go back to pre-Adamite principles, and eat with their fingers from a common dish. This is usually the kettle in which their meats are cooked. In eating his soup the native takes a bit of bread, forms a kind of cup, dips it into the liquid, scoops perhaps a floating bit of meat for which his fellows have been greedily but vainly striving, and deftly transfers the succulent morsel to his mouth. All this is done with the fingers, and as many as can be accommodated eat from the same kettle at one time. Still, spoons are not unknown in even these countries, as the collection of Miss Yates testifies. It might not be uninteresting to know with what sentiments those people who are represented in this little museum of civilization souvenirs would receive the information that many of the inhabitants of the country to which their spoons were going use neither spoon nor finger, but eat with their knives.

### Gossip Theatrical.

"Little Charlie" Frohman inaugurated his new stock company at the Twenty-third street Theatre, New York, Tuesday evening, Oct. 21. This youngest Frohman is possessed of the most energy of all the brothers. "Only four feet high and a six-and-a-quarter hat"—but results speak.

The big spectacle "Nero," now at Niblo's in New York, is a success. It will be retained there for the whole winter.

"New Lamps for Old" at Daly's, "Sunset" at the Garden Theatre, and "The Maister of Woodbarrow" at the Lyceum, would seem to indicate that Jerome K. Jerome is fast becoming a dramatic fad in the metropolis.

Just at present there is great dearth of vaudeville performers in this county. Four years ago the market was flooded, but within the past few years the public demand for farcical productions has been so great that the vaudeville field has been drained to supply the specialties of which that class of entertainment so largely consists. Variety performers who could not demand more than twenty-five dollars a week three years ago now easily secure twice that figure.

The crowds which flock to the big New York Academy every Sunday evening to hear the Rev. Dr. Talmage discourse are not less large than the multitudes which assemble in the theatre during the week to see Denman Thompson in "The Old Homestead."

The extensive structure, Nilsson Hall, adjoining the big Academy, New York, has been purchased by Messrs. Gilmore and Tompkins, the owners of the Academy. They propose to use the site to enlarge the scope of the Academy's stage, making it the largest in the world, with a depth of 101 feet and a width of 226½ feet, for coming years of "The Old Homestead." The business for the first fortnight of the fourth year has been equal to the prosperity won by the play in former seasons.

Besides an inherent, open-handed generosity, Denman Thompson, the Uncle Joshua of the original "Old Homestead," at the Academy, New York, is noted for his tenderness to members of the brute kingdom. He has been known repeatedly to have followed some overburdened or crippled horse for hours to have its owner punished for inhumanity. Two instances of this kind in one day, with the genial actor as complainant, are to be found on the police blotters of New York city.

Fagan is surrounding himself with a number of other bright stars of minstrelsy, and is making exhaustive preparations to deserve success in the new field he has chosen. Nine months are yet before him before he offers to his followers "A High Roller," the play Mr. Green is now writing for him, and considering the accepted capabilities of playwright and star together, with the many months of preparation in which to perfect his departure from the field of minstrelsy, there is every justification to predict a grand success for Fagan, and Messrs. Gilmore and Comstock, of the Academy of Music, New York, under whose control the new enterprise will be.

Mrs. Bernard Beere, the Sarah Bernhardt of the English speaking stage, will tour this country next season under the management of E. G. Gilmore and Alex. Comstock, of the Academy of Music, New York. Mrs. Beere brings a full English company, and ten complete sets of scenery from London for the presentation of a repertoire of excellent plays.

Many and uncertain are the ways of the theatrical profession. Emmet was content with earning fifty dollars occasionally for a week's service, before he made fame and lucre with his "Fritz in Ireland." Denman Thompson long ago was a performer in the vaudevilles until he hit on his world-famed character of "Uncle Joshua." The climbing of Nat Goodwin, Francis Wilson, DeWolff Hopper, Roland Reed and Jimmie Powers was slow, but they eventually got there. The struggles of Lawrence Barrett for public recognition were long and painful, but he is now reaping rich reward for his perseverance and energy. Out of 40,000 players in the country only about one-half of one per cent. clear above $5,000 a year; but fifty per cent. make a comfortable living, while the remainder may be said to suffer a hand-to-month existence. Even among the most luckless, though, there is strong ambition, coupled with the belief that they will some day win a place near the top. Taken altogether, stage folk are a generous, good natured, merry set of educators, to whom the world owes much, and would be a grave place indeed without.

The profits of the "Nero" spectacle at Niblo's in New York within the next twenty weeks will reach $100,000. In "Nero" there is a dramatic cast of thirty people, a ballet of one hundred and ten, two hundred and seventy-five extra men as senators, praetors, etc., two hundred women as Christians and Nazarenes, making over five hundred people actually engaged in the performance.

### Plainfielders Entertain the Washingtonvillians.

At a sociable tendered the many friends of the Sunday school, held in the Washingtonville chapel, last evening, a number of Plainfield's most talented artists took part in a pleasing concert that was enjoyed by all.

An amateur orchestra consisting of Messrs. Sattels, Carpenter, Davis, Moore, Pollock and Stevenson, played a number of overtures, marches and waltzes. Miss Ketcham sang a solo, accompanied by Miss Remsen. Refreshments were served.

## ADS. QUEER AND QUAINT.

THE following inscription appears on the board above the door of a New South Wales back-blocks bush inn:—"Meal, two shillings; square meal, half-a-crown; perfect gorge, 4 bob."

THE St. Joseph, Mo., Opera-House people are advertising for a young man to take a small part in a play who may be deficient in good looks and form, but must understand milking a cow.

SOME of the advertisements in the elevated cars in New York are funnier than was intended. One reads, "Kockroaches Killed Kontinually" (this is intended to be facetious): then it gravely adds, "Water-bugs, rats and mice for sale everywhere."

A CURIOUS advertisement which appears in one of the English papers states: "Philanthropist — A lady would be pleased to hear from any benevolent persons willing to assist her in procuring the necessary funds for the academical training of an intelligent young man who is compelled against his inclination to earn his living in trade. Please communicate," etc.

AN enterprising book-seller in the West has adopted as his sign a huge book, with lids ajar, and elaborate lettering in many colors. One side is inscribed thus:

ANY GETABLE BOOK, WHERE PRINTED, IN LANGUAGE, ON SUBJECT, BY BODY, AT TIME, FOR PRICE, SUPPLIED!

HERE is the work of a man who evidently believes that nine-tenths of the science of advertising lies in the construction of a catchy headline:

"DIG 'EM UP!

"Accidents will occur. Send stamp for interesting particulars. Illustrated. Don't take any chances. EDWARD D'ANGUERA."

So far as the information contained in the advertisement is concerned, the article advertised is quite as likely to turn out to be a cemetery as an insurance company.

SOME time since a hansom cab was driven at a very rapid pace along the Strand, and passers-by observed, to their horror, there were two men inside engaged in an apparently deadly conflict. Fearing that murder was about to be committed, they raised an alarm and some bold individuals rushed to the horse, and brought the animal to a standstill. Thereupon the two persons who, a minute before, seemed to be engaged in a life and death struggle, quietly leaned forward and distributed among the crowd some hand-bills inviting them to go to such and such a theater to witness a certain performance.

THE following advertisement appears in a San Francisco paper: "Any lady on sending her address and twenty-five cents inclosed will receive a letter, 'How to be happy;' is the absolute truth and no imposition; it tells you how to retain your husband's love, keep your youth and beauty, make home pleasant, get rich, and it does not cost; a little thought and effort combined will do it, which the letter clearly explains; it is worth hundreds of dollars, but follow the rule. It is by an old lady, who has made a close study of mankind for the last half a century and wants to do some good."

## HOW AND WHAT TO COOK.

TENDERLOINS broil better if brushed over with olive oil.

WARM dishes for the table by immersing them in hot water, not by standing them on a hot stove.

CARROT and celery cooked in cream make a nice dish. The carrots should be cut in thin slices and boiled in salt water, the celery in inch lengths and then scalded. Add the milk thickened with corn-starch while boiling.

DEEP frying is loudly inveighed against by those who have not the inclination to discover that less fat is absorbed by pieces of fish plunged in deep fat than those which are turned from side to side in a limited quantity, and that the intense heat of the fat cooks it more thoroughly than is possible by any other method.

LEMON PIE—Two lemons, three eggs, one cupful of sugar, two tablespoonfuls corn-starch, one teacupful of raisins seeded and chopped, one quart of sweet milk. Grate the skin of the lemons and press out the juice, beat the eggs light and mix with the corn-starch and sugar, then stir all the ingredients together and bake in rich crusts.

TURNIPS are generally considered a coarse vegetable, but they may be delicately prepared. Boil them in plain water, then mash them, run them through a colander, and season them with salt, butter and cream; or they may be cut into little blocks, boiled in water which is drained off when they are done, and served with a dressing of white sauce.

STEWED fruit is far nicer cooked slowly in cold water than when put on in boiling water and cooked rapidly. Wash the fruit through several waters, as each successive washing makes it of a lighter and prettier color. A stick of cinnamon boiled with dried prunes improves their flavor, but peaches need no addition. Only wash them carefully and repeatedly, cook them slowly, add a few spoons of white sugar, and they will be nearly as nice as peach preserves.

HERE is a recipe for chicken in cream: Select a plump, young chicken; clean it nicely and divide into pieces. Roll or dredge in flour, and fry to a golden brown. Arrange neatly on a dish and pour over it a dressing made of a cup of cream, brought to the boiling point, into which are stirred the beaten yelks of two eggs, salt and pepper and a few drops of lemon, being careful that it does not curdle or get too thick. Garnish with parsley, if liked, and serve at once.

CHOCOLATE MARBLE CAKE—One heaping cup sugar, one-third cup butter, one egg, one small cup milk, two small cups flour, one and a half teaspoons yeast powder. Take one-half of the mixture out into another dish and mix one cake of melted chocolate with it; flavor the light with vanilla; put one spoonful of the light, then one of the dark, into the pan until used up. Frosting—One cup powdered sugar, one and a half tablespoons milk, half teaspoonful strawberry flavoring.

## WRITER AND PAINTER.

PROF. CHARLES F. HOLDEN has written a life of Charles Darwin as a first volume in a series devoted to leaders of science.

AN "Ecce Homo" in oil, now on exhibition in Stuttgart, is believed by some critics to be the one painted by Albert Durer in 1512.

ALTHOUGH Rosa Bonheur is in her sixty-eighth year, she is constantly occupied, and says she has enough work in her mind to fill two life-times. Her last picture sold for over $10,000.

A MELANCHOLY author went to Dumas and moaned that if he did not raise 300 francs he was afraid he would have to charcoal-smoke himself and his two children. Dumas rummaged his coffers at once, but could find only 200 francs. "But I must have three, or I and the little loves are lost," said the author. "Suppose you only suffocate yourself and one of them, then," said Dumas.

CANON LIDDON left unfinished a biography of his friend and master, Dr. Pusey, on which he was engaged for several years. It is not known in what state the work has been left, but it may be assumed that Dr. Liddon, a most methodical worker, and one endowed with the valuable gift of a good handwriting, has left his papers in order, ready to be taken up by some faithful successor.

MR. HENRY TATE has offered to present to the English Nation fifty of the best paintings produced by National art during the last twenty years. Two other generous patrons of art guarantee $150,000 if the Government will furnish $125,000 more to purchase for the National Gallery three famous pictures: Holbein's "Ambassador," the largest of his works now in existence; the protrait of Admiral Pareja, by Velasques; and a portrait by Moroni.

THE National Gallery of England has bought three pictures from the collection shown by the Earl of Darmley in Manchester in 1857. One is a large painting by Tintoretto called "The Nursing of Hercules; or, The Origin of the Milky Way." Hermes, the messenger of the gods, brings the infant Hercules to Juno while she sleeps, hoping that the goddess will nurse him. But the jealous goddess wakes and repulses the baby, the milk falling from her breast and turns into stars. Two are by Paola Veronese and belonged to Queen Christina before entering the Orleans collection.

PEOPLES using four different languages are reading "Ben Hur," by reason of which General Lew Wallace is receiving between $4,000 and $5,000 a year royalty on his remarkable work. He is, of course, engaged on the book he began when Minister to Turkey, where the scene is laid. The theme is a contrast of the civilization of the occident and orient, or the influences of the different religions upon the growth of civilization. He has not christened it yet, and prefers not to do so till it is completed. The General is a slow worker, and works only when the inspiration seizes him. If it be midnight he will leave his bed and write till tired, then lay aside the manuscript till the spirit again moves.

## ENTERTAINING CLIPPINGS.

A LARGE number of carriages in cities are now supplied with rubber tires to prevent violent jolting and deafening clatter.

THE struggle upon the question of opening the car window or not is characterized as the annual contest between the aerophobians and the aeromaniacs.

RUTGERS COLLEGE sophomores issued an order that their boots must be blacked by the freshmen. The latter collected the footgear and smeared the leather generously with green paint.

THEY have queer oyster suppers in Georgia. A Georgia paper says that a gentleman made a purchase of one hundred pounds of candy and one hundred pounds of fish for an oyster supper.

A CROOK at the Kansas State fair picked a woman's pocket and found in her purse three samples of dress goods, a recipe for making angel food, a hairpin, two bread tickets, a package of court plaster and a nickel with a hole in it.

A MAINE girl, finding it inconvenient to carry chewing gum with her, established stations in various parts of the the town, where she sticks her quids. One is a dry-goods store, one in the church choir, one in her own dining-room, one at a school and so on.

FOX-TERRIERS are the latest fashionable craze for young ladies' pets, and dealers are scarcely able to supply the demand. A famous New York belle has one which is snow white, and wears neck ribbons which are daily changed to harmonize with the costumes of his mistress.

IN an Episcopal church near Boston the other Sunday a lady in passing up the aisle caught her dress on the corner of a pew and tore it. As the process of tearing was very audible to the congregation, the feelings of the lady may be imagined when at that moment the clergyman began the service by reading the sentence: "Rend your heart and not your garments."

NO OBJECTION was made to the marriage of a young Louisville couple; yet, for the sake of romance, they executed a sensational elopement. They met by appointment at three o'clock in the morning and boarded a locomotive for a country town. There they routed a justice out of bed in the small hours and were quickly made one. They then returned to the city, where the bride roused her parents and introduced her new husband.

A YOUNG married couple who moved out of a flat in Chicago the other day left behind them the following laundry list: Baby's clothes—Five white dresses, 2 collared dresses, 3 white skurts, 2 flannel skurts, 2 skurts, 3 bibs, 1 shoulder cape, 11 dides, 1 bonnet and cloak, 1 blew apron. Lena's clothes—One white skurt, 2 white shurts, 2 night gowns, 1 apron, 2 white collars, 5 handkerchiefs, 2 napkins, 1 colared apron, 1 goss skurt, 1 suit undercloths, 2 wipe towels. Joe—One pair socks, 1 undershirt. The laundry bill tells its own story. Joe was the husband.


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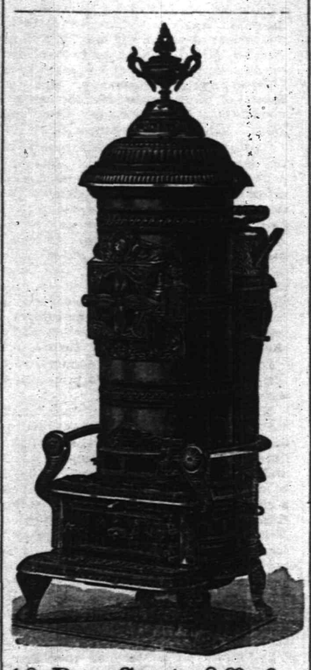

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## TROUBLE IN CAMP.

### A German Satire on the "British Mutineers."

[Translated from the German for this paper.]

UNDER the circumstances it is not at all strange that the German comic papers are having a great deal of fun over the recent mutinies of the crack regiments of the British army. Accustomed as the Germans are to the iron discipline of Moltke the conduct of the English military authorities seems incomprehensible. The following telling satire is from a leading German journal: The scene is at Wellington Barracks. The Colonel of the Royal Grenadiers appears smoking a cigar, and accompanied by his adjutant. The bugler blows the assembly, but the soldiers fail to appear on parade.

Colonel—Adjutant, have you any idea where the men are? They usually fall in when the assembly is blown; that is, if they are in the neighborhood.

Adjutant—I can't imagine why they do not fall in, unless they have forgotten that you were to hold inspection this morning.

Colonel—These oversights are very annoying. Bugler, blow the assembly once more.

The bugler blows the assembly; several officers appear in undress uniform.

Colonel—Good morning, gentlemen. I hope you are all in good health. By

"I WONDER WHERE THE MEN ARE?"

the way, have any of you seen any of the rank and file this morning?

Major—Colonel, I regret to inform you that the grenadiers have held a mass-meeting, at which it was unanimously resolved not to parade to-day.

Colonel—I regret very much that I was not consulted.

Captain—I don't think I ever saw them in such a bad humor.

Colonel—And yet usually they are so polite.

Lieutenant—They are a lot of vagabonds; that's what they are.

Colonel—Young man, don't make the situation any worse than it is by such improper remarks. Such remarks regarding her Majesty's grenadiers are altogether out of place. Instead of exasperating the men beyond endurance, let us try and find out what is the real cause of their complaint. I wonder why they did not come to me about it.

Captain—Private Tommy Atkins, who is on guard at St. James' palace, complains that his wife is dissatisfied because he is not able to spend more time in her society.

Colonel—That is a sentiment that does him credit. The English army owes its strength principally to the family instinct of her soldiers.

Captain—Grenadier Jones complains that he can not find time to take his little daughter to school, and Grenadier Robinson had an appointment to meet a lady, and owing to roll-call he was too late. Of course, he is in a towering rage.

Colonel—I don't blame him. That's the way I would feel about it myself. (Taking the Captain aside the Colonel inquires in a whisper if the lady is of very high rank, to which the Captain nods his head, winks, and says: "Jack Robinson is an awful lady killer. He is the pride of the regiment. By the way, bugler, would you be so kind as to blow the assembly once more.")

Bugler—I would like to accommodate you, Colonel, but as all the other soldiers have refused to obey your orders I can't bugle unless I have their permission. Personally I am your friend, but I can not violate the traditions of the army.

Colonel—Bravo! You have got the stuff in you out of which heroes are made. Go to your comrades and tell them that I am anxious to have a conference with them. I expect they object to having to drill. I don't blame them, for that's the way I feel about it myself.

Bugler (who has returned)—Colonel, the men positively refuse to come; but they say that if you have any proposition to make to them, and will come to their mess-room, they will listen to you.

Colonel (to officers)—That's just what I expected. I knew that this little offspell of bad humor would not last if I remained firm. Gentlemen, let us meet this encouraging proposition in the same spirit in which it is tendered. Little differences like this occur in the best disciplined regiments in the world. Let us go to the mess-room. Forward—march!

They enter the mess-room, whereupon the grenadiers sing in chorus—

For he is a jolly good fellow,
For he is a jolly good fellow,
Which nobody can deny.

ALEX. E. SWEET.

### Not Needed.

She—Yes, love is blind.

He—Is it? Then what is the use of keeping the gas burning?—The Jury.

## THE BRIDE WAS COY.

### But She Had Sense Enough to Take Her Husband's Fortune.

At a small station on the Georgia Pacific road a bridal couple boarded our train. They were of the "cracker" variety and their greenness at once attracted attention. They had tickets for Atlanta and were going on a "tour." They hadn't been on the train ten minutes when the bride was noticed to be weeping, and pretty soon the groom came back to where I sat with the conductor, and said:

"Conductor, I wish you'un would go'n speak to Mary."

"What's the matter with Mary?" was asked.

"She'un's a-weepin' fur her ma. Says she'un wants to go right back home."

"She'll get over it," said the official, and the groom returned to his seat. It wasn't over ten minutes, however, before he returned to say:

"Conductor, she'un a takin' on like smoke. Says her can't abide to be mar'd, nohow, and her wishes her dun hadn't done it."

"Well, she'll have to make the best of it," replied the conductor; and the groom returned to console her. She turned away from him, however, and pretty soon he was back to say:

"Conductor, she'un declars she'll go home to ma on foot. I never dun see anybody so onery."

"Wasn't it a marriage for love?"

"Your shoutin' it was! We'uns hev dun luved for mighty nigh three y'ars."

"I guess she's a little coy. That will all wear off in time."

The groom went to the rear of the car after a drink of water and just then the train stopped at a station. The bride was up and out on the platform like a flash, and the car had not ceased its motion when she leaped to the ground, fell head over heels, and scrambled up and started back up the track on a run. The groom rushed out of the car and jumped to the platform, and as he caught sight of his fleeing bride he turned to the conductor and said:

"Dog-gone her, she'uns puttin' in her best licks to git back to ma, and I've got to foller! You'un dun said she'un was coy, and I dun depended on you and let her git away! Coy! coy! Why, she'un's got my fo'teen dollars an' is runnin' like a skeered rabbit."—N. Y. Sun.

### Epicurus Is Out of Sight.

"Ichabod," said the Sultan to his Grand Vizier, "order the court servants to search the markets for the rarest of fruits and herbs; have my private cuisinier prepare repasts that in excellence have not been equaled since the days of Mahomet, the powerful; have my chamber resplendent with the rugs and laces of the finest makes; have thirteen maids with eyes of night and thirteen with eyes of sapphire ready at a moment's notice; and exercise your judgment to its best to have every thing ready for a grand and discriminating visitor."

"With pleasure, thou mighty son of a mighty gun."

"And, Ichabod, prepare for my couching with you these next two days, for I must temporarily relinquish my chamber."

"An unusual experience, thou mighty son; wherefore these preparations and discomforts?"

"Knowest not thou that a young drummer of a New York jewelry house is to visit me these next two days?"—Jewelers' Circular.

### HIS FIRST SIGHT OF THE SASH.

Chico Dick—Don't say nothin' t' hurt his feelin's, Jerry, but jest look at th' bandage!

Sandy Jerry—Phew! That's a sufferin' ole locality t' git mule-kicked in, ain't it?—Judge.

### The Begum's Son-in-Law.

Friend (to ex-missionary)—I heard that while you were in India you married the daughter of a Begum.

Ex-Missionary—Yes, I did.

"And in order to do it you had to adopt her religion."

"That's a fact."

"But afterwards you were reconverted to Christianity. How did that come about?"

"Well, the fact is that woman would reconvert anybody. She would, Begum!"—Texas Siftings.

### A Story in Three Ads.

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—The Jury.

### She Could Vouch for Him.

Clara—So, Belle, you jilted poor Will at last. How cruel! And now he has entered the army, they say. It's a shame, for I don't believe he will make a good soldier.

Belle—Oh, yes he will.

Clara—How do you know?

Belle (sighing)—Because he knows how to use his arms so well.—West Shore.

## THE ANTIQUARIAN'S CORNER.

A MILFORD, N. J., farmer wears a pair of spectacles that he claims are 150 years old.

A CHAIR 120 years old is in use in an office in Spring City, Pa., and it is said to be just as good as the day it was bought.

J. H. SALMON is a Brunswick, Mich., antiquarian. He has a valuable collection of coins ranging from 63 B. C. to A. D. 1422.

AT the National Library of Paris a MS. of the Bible has been discovered. It was written in 1259 in a suburb of Perpignan, and is richly illuminated.

MR. GOTTSCHALK, of New York, owns the only genuine and perfect holy shekel in the world. The interesting relic is about 3,400 years old and was used in King Solomon's Temple.

SOME very old relics were sold at the sale of the personal effects of the late Frederick Fox, of Reading, Pa. A waffle iron with long handle and tripod was supposed to be 150 years old. There was also a steelyard with weights, 120 years old; a handsomely ornamented waiter of unusually large size, over 100 years old, and many smaller articles. A "grandfather's clock" over 130 years old was kept in the family.

THE hat worn by Napoleon at Eylau was sold in Paris in 1835 for $400. The coat worn by Charles XII. at the battle of Pultowa brought over $100,000. A wig that once belonged to Sterne, the great English writer, was sold at public auction at London a few years ago for $1,050. In 1816 a tooth of Sir Isaac Newton was purchased by a nobleman for $3,550. The buyer had a costly diamond removed from his favorite ring and the tooth set in its place.

THE house of Deacon Bourne, of Cohasset, is now being taken down, and its site will be occupied by the new Osgood school-house. There is on the premises an old-fashioned horse block, about the last relic of this kind in the immediate vicinity, which ought to be preserved. In olden times, when traveling on horseback was more common than it is to-day, the horse block was one of the appointments of many estates, and was used by both ladies and gentlemen. By all means save this reminder of ye ancient days.

MRS. WARREN HILL, of Machias, Me., has in her possession an ancient chair once the property of her great-grandfather, Major-General David Cobb, of the revolutionary army. While this chair was recently being upholstered there was found on removing the leather covering of the cushion an inner covering, an original patch-work of silk and velvet, containing about twelve hundred pieces, in the center of which where the figures 1751. This covering was fastened to the chair board with handmade copper tacks.

A LEWISTON (Me.) gentleman is anxiously looking up an heirloom in the shape of an old Bible, printed with the German text and brought over by his Dutch ancestors. It was in the possession of an uncle who has lately died. Among the gentleman's earliest remembrances is that of a curiosity-seeker who once tried to buy the much prized Bible from his mother. She refused to part with it at any price. Thereupon the stranger had the audacity coolly to cut off a fragment of the leather cover as a relic. Hastily snatching it from him she exclaimed, haughtily: "I am able to keep it, sir!"

IN the window of a little old-fashioned clock store on Third avenue, New York, stand the solid brass works of a clock that was made by E. Lake in London, Eng., repaired by F. C. H. in the year 1797, and repaired the second time in New York in 1830. No other name or date appears on the movements, and while the time of its original construction is unknown, the clock has been ticking for more than a century. The original case and dial plate have disappeared, but the works are contained between two plates of brass, and the one at the back is quaintly graved with the figure of a funeral urn and a large number of flourishes.

## THE SUN, MOON AND STARS.

A NEW illustration of the distances of the stars is that it would take all the Lancashire cotton factories 400 years to spin a thread long enough to reach the nearest star at the present rate of production of about 155,000,000 miles per day.

ALVAN CLARK is now constructing a telescope for a Los Angeles observatory that will bring the moon within an apparent distance of one hundred miles from the observer. It is expected that when this telescope is finished the question whether there are any inhabitants on the moon will be definitely settled, and also whether the supposed inhabitants of the planet Mars are signaling to us by means of certain lights which astronomers have noticed on that planet.

"AS THE sun's spots remain for two or three months on the average before disappearance, we have been able," says H. Clements, "to determine the time that the sun takes to revolve on its axis. These spots travel from the eastern to the western edge of the sun in such a way as to show that they form part of and are really attached to the sun's disc. The average time taken by a great many has been found, giving about twenty-five days as the period taken by the sun in making one revolution on its axis.

PROF. ASAPH HALL, who has used the big telescope at the United States Observatory in Washington for measurements of Saturn during the last fourteen years, finds the time of rotation of the planet to be about 10 hours, 14 minutes, 24 seconds. This is nearly fifteen minutes less than the period stated in most of the astronomical text books published in the latter half of the present century, but is remarkable as being only 100 seconds less than the period assigned to it by Sir William Herschel. That astronomer of a century ago obtained his results in this particular by the aid of an instrument far inferior to many of the so-called smaller telescopes of to-day, and the fact is testimony to the wonderful ability of the man whose name was for years given to the planet he discovered, now generally called Uranus.

## CURED OF THEOSOPHY.

### Startling Effect of a Demonstration on a Young Man's Mind.

My friend Abernethy tells a pretty good story at his own expense, writes William Wallace Cook in the Detroit Free Press, and below I give it to the reader in his own words, as nearly as I can recall them:

About ten years ago, I found myself racing neck-and-neck with savants, ancient and modern, in the hippodrome of philosophy. Throwing aside every system with supreme contempt I reared a cosmos to suit myself and gave the microcosm a commanding niche in my temple. "There," said I, "was chaos; such-and-such a power drew out the Universe and so-and-so sustains it. Yonder is God and here is man—lo! what a marvel I have wrought." I imagined how the great, throbbing world would one day receive my theory. I knew to a certainty I would be crowned with bays and that my disciples would be innumerable. I was assured beyond the possibility of doubt that I would go tearing down the ages—my features perpetuated in stone and marble and my name the signal for reverent prostration in every country. I believed all this—for I was but eighteen!

It was while dreaming after this bent that I met Miss H——, a venerable lady with a philosophical turn of mind. She was a well-read woman, a prominent figure in the Theosophical Society and a professed admirer of my hare-brained theories. Anxious to gain converts to the society of which she was an ardent member, Miss H—— strove to overcome the thousand and one objections which I urged against theosophy. She endeavored to persuade me for several weeks, but to no purpose; then she made me the following proposition:

"Your theories are theosophical to the core. Mme. Blavatsky has expounded many of them before you. You claim to desire a practical demonstration of some of our theories that differ from yours. Let me propose an experiment. Set your watch with mine, and to-night, at precisely eight, retire alone to your chamber, extinguish your lamp and center your thoughts upon me. At the same hour I will do likewise and think of you. This will be an interesting test, and if you are not startled by the result I shall be greatly surprised."

Dabbling in occult phenomena, so I fell in with Miss H——'s proposition without more ado.

Night came, and eight o'clock found me in my lonely study without a lamp and with only the spectral moonlight quivering over my books, marble busts and astronomical instruments. Subject to such conditions, my room was indeed a ghostly place, and I thought it just the thing for putting me *en rapport* with Miss H—— and making me a passive factor in our experiment. I centered my thoughts upon the venerable lady at the time specified. For five minutes nothing very startling occurred. In fact, it seemed very difficult for me to keep my mind upon my patroness. At the end of five minutes, however, I found myself in a state of very great nervousness. I pushed my feet about on the carpet and moved my hands incessantly. It was impossible for me to remain quiet. This mood gradually gave way to one of calmness, but it was a calmness such as I had never before experienced. It was like the foreboding stillness that precedes a hurricane, and I felt throughout my whole body that something supernatural was about to happen. In a few moments I thought I heard the voice of Miss H—— calling my name. I trembled violently and the perspiration stood out on my forehead. I remember trying to shake off my body, for I was terribly wrought up and believed such a thing was possible. Once, twice, I endeavored to obey Miss H——'s voice. It was in vain; but the third time, what a sensation I experienced! I seemed to float upward. Matter had no restraining power. My body could not keep me and I passed through the walls of my study like a sunbeam through clouds of mist. I left my body with its head on its hand, sitting at my desk. I had a peculiarly buoyant, immaterial feeling and I realized that I, the conscious entity, the ego, the soul, was no longer subject to earthly conditions. Was I dead in the sense that the world knew death, or was I merely playing into the power of Miss H——? I found myself at last suspended like Mahomet's coffin between Heaven and earth. I seemed to poise in a higher atmosphere like some bird. The sensation was too delightful to be described. Words fail me, and to cap the climax of my strange situation I beheld the venerable Miss H—— floating toward me in a white cloud. I was about to address her when, like a flash, I opened my eyes and found myself—in my study.

I was overcome with this strange experience and I decided then and there that if theosophy was a science fraught with such interesting phenomena, Miss H—— might claim me for a disciple. Certainly, in the whole range of my experience nothing could comyare with the wonderful experiment in which I had participated.

The next day I called upon my patroness. I was prepared for an unconditional surrender. Imagine my consternation when she met me with the following:

"Ah, Mr. Abernethy. Of course you are all prepared to declare theosophy a fraud. But I was unable to perform my part of our experiment last evening. The society sent for me at half past seven on some important business; consequently, at eight o'clock, instead of thinking of you, I was head-over-heels in some Hindoo—"

"What!" I gasped; "do you mean to say that you were paying no attention to me at eight o'clock last night?"

"Indeed, you mustn't scold. It was—"

I fear I left Miss H—— somewhat discourteously; but I was provoked to find myself the dupe of so vivid an imagination.

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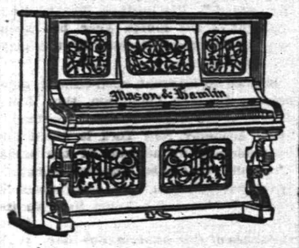


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Leave New York from foot of Liberty street, 4 30, 5 45, 7, 7 45, 8 45, 10, 11, A. M., 1, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4, 4 30, 5, 5 15, 5 30, 6 45, 7, 9 15, 11 30 P. M., 12 15, night. Sunday—4 30, 7 8 30, 9, 9 30, A. M., 12 M., 1, 1 15, 4, 5 30, 6, 7, 9 00, 10 00 P. M., 12 15 night.

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Leave Plainfield 5 38, 6 29, 6 59, 7 30, 8, 8 37, 9 22, 10 05, 11 09, 11 39, A. M., 1, 2 07, 2 30, 3 12, 3 51, 5 08, 5 31, 6 07, 6 54, 7 03, 8 31, 10 12, 11 28 P. M. Sunday—8 01, 8 52, 11 02, 11 16, A. M., 12 33, 1 30, 3 30, 5 16, 7 01, 7 10, 8 23, 8 32, 10 02 P. M.

Leave Newark 7 10, 7 50, 8 56, 10 10, 11 05 A. M., 1 05, 1 45, 5 00, 5 40, 6 35, 7 05, 8 35, 9 05, 10 15, 7 15, 7 35, 8 20, 9 35, 11 25 P. M. Sunday—7 20, 8 40, 9 05, 9 50, A. M., 12 05, 1 10, 4 10, 5 40, 6 05, 7 22, 9 25, 10 20 P. M.

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Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7, 8 07, 9 42, 11, 11 56 A. M., 1 59, 2 32, 3 45, 4 34, 5 20, 5 54, 6 20, 6 38, 7 05, 7 12, 7 34 8 20, 9 43, 11 15, 12 43 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 13 A. M., 9 48, A. M., 2 02, 2 30, 5 14, 6 35, 10 15, 11 14 P. M.

Leave Somerville, 6, 6 30, 7 05, 7 25, 7 35, 7 48 9 05, 9 47, 11 15 A. M., 12 32, 1 18, 1 48, 2 05, 2 40, 5 12, 5 35, 6 05, 8 50, 11 05, P. M. Sunday—8 25, 10 35 A. M., 12 08, 1 05, 4 50, 6 40, 8 09, 9 05, 9 30 P. M.

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Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7, 8 07, 9 42, A. M., 1 59, 4 34, 5 20, 6 38, 8 20 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 13 A. M., 2 05, 6 38 P. M.

Leave Easton 6 05, 8 44, 10 A. M., 12 22, 4 09, 6 49 P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 52, A. M., 6 40, 7 20 P. M.

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5 45 A. M. for Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

7 A. M. for High Bridge Branch and Easton.

8 07 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 42 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Nanticoke, Drifton, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c.

1 59 P. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, &c.

4 34 P. M. for D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

5 20 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch Schooley's Mountain, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, &c.

6 20 P. M. for Flemington.

6 38 P. M. for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg.

8 20 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

8 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Wilkesbarre and Scranton; 8 16 a. m. Sundays for High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, &c., 2 05 p. m. Sundays for High Bridge Branch Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua and Pottsville. 6 35 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

For Atlantic City, 8 37 a. m. 1 p. m.

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Leave Plainfield 8 37, 8, 11 09, a. m., 3 51, 5 31, p. m. Sundays—(except Ocean Grove) 8 52, a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 8 37, 5 24, 8, 10 05, 11 09 a. m., 1, 3 51, 5 31, 7 09 p. m. Sunday—8 52 a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Freehold, 8 37, 8, 10 05 a. m., 1, 3 51, 5 31, p. m.

BOUND BROOK ROUTE.

Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia, 1 17, 3 45, 8 20, 9 48, 11 58* a. m., 1 59*, 3 22*, 4 08, 5 54*, 6 38* 8 20 p. m. Sundays—1 17, 9 48, a. m., 3 30* 4 08, 5 14*, 6 55 p. m.

For Baltimore and Washington at 1 17, 3 45, 11 58* a. m., 3 45, 4 08, 5 54* p. m. Sundays—1 17, 9 48 a. m., 2 47, 4 08, 5 14* p. m.

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Ninth and Green streets, 7 30*, 8 30*, 9 30, 11 05 a. m., 12 45, 1 30, 3 15, 5 15, 6 15, 8 02, 9 45, 12 p. m. Sundays—9 a. m., 12 50, 3 10, 5 15, 6 10, 8, 12 p. m.

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## GOING HOME TO VOTE

### The President Ready to Leave for Indianapolis.

### GENERAL EXODUS OF CLERKS.

Great Interest by Both Parties in the Congressional Elections.

**Losers of National Bank Notes to be Reimbursed—Population of States to be Announced on Monday—Duty on Wedding Gifts—Sad Wedding of Congressman Butterworth's Daughter.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 30.—President Harrison will probably go home to vote. He has all along desired to do this, but business of an important nature has kept him here. He has cleared up his desk, and unless unforeseen circumstances arise to keep him here he will vote in Indiana on election day.

Private Secretary Halford left Washington for Indiana to-day, and Attorney-General Miller and Marshal Ramsdell will leave to-morrow.

Numbers of department clerks and others who reside in Washington, who vote in the States, are leaving on every train. The number residing here who will vote in this Congressional election is greater than for several years.

Agents from both political parties have been here all week urging clerks to go home and vote for their candidates for Congress.

Secretary Proctor has gone to Montpelier, Vt., to attend a soldiers' reunion at that place. He will be absent a week or more.

### STOLEN YEARS AGO.

**The Treasury Will Reimburse the Losers of the National Bank Notes.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 30.—Acting Treasurer Whelpley says that he is now prepared to redeem national bank notes stolen from the office of the Comptroller of the Currency by a messenger in that office from 1864 to 1868, the last Congress having provided $2,500 for that purpose.

The notes are as follows: Tens and twenties of the Third National Bank, New York city, bank number of notes, 9,414 to 9,428; fifties and one hundreds of the First National Bank, Jersey City, N. J., numbers, 671 to 750; fifties and one hundreds of the National City Bank of Lynn, Mass., numbers, 121 to 750. The appropriation is for the redemption of the notes described and no others.

**Miss Butterworth's Marriage.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 30.—Miss Mary Butterworth, daughter of Representative Butterworth of Ohio, was married last evening to Mr. Hughwant Howe, an agent of the Department of State, at the Friends' Meeting House in this city. The ceremony had been set originally for to-day and preparations had been made to make it a social event. Mr. Howe, however, was taken seriously ill last Friday, and rather than have a postponement of the marriage, Miss Butterworth decided to have it take place quietly last evening. All formalities were dispensed with and the ceremony took place in the sick room in the presence of a few immediate relatives of the contracting parties.

**The Seizure at Canso.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 30.—The State Department has not received a report from the United States Consul at Halifax in regard to the seizure for dues of the schooner Lizzie W. Hannum at Canso, N. S. Acting Secretary of State Adee says that he does not remember any United States Consul at Halifax who has been so active in protecting American fishermen as the present Consul, and he discredits the statement that no attention was paid by him to the protest of the Hannum's owners.

**Duty on Wedding Gifts.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 30.—The Treasury Department has decided that certain wedding gifts which were used abroad about two months prior to their importation are not exempt from duty as household effects, such articles being entitled to free entry under the law only when they have been used abroad for a year or longer.

**Population of States.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 30.—Superintendent Porter said to-day that the first complete bulletin of population statistics, that of States, would be made public next Monday morning. Others will follow at short intervals giving the statistics of cities, towns and counties as well as those of manufacturing industries.

**Woman in the Conference.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 30.—All the Methodist churches of this city voted on the question of the admission of women delegates to the General Conference of the Church. The voting was unexpectedly light, the total hardly reaching 1,000. In 17 out of the 20 churches voting the result was 375 for and 482 against admission.

**The New Spanish Minister.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 30.—A dispatch from Madrid says that Senor Miguel Suarez Guanes, now Spanish Consul-General in New York, has been appointed Spanish Minister to the United States in place of Senor Muruaga, resigned, who has represented Spain in Washington since 1886.

**Over $7,000 for the Loss of a Leg.**

NORTHAMPTON, Mass., Oct. 30.—In the Supreme Court here a verdict for $7,750 was rendered in favor of Harry A. Hannah against the Connecticut River Railroad Company. Hannah lost one of his legs on the company's road.

### THE WESTERN STYLE.

**An Oklahoma Representative Pulls His Gun and Demands Justice.**

GUTHRIE, O. T., Oct. 30.—The Legislative Hall was thrown into an uproar over the action of Representative Terrill. The Assembly had been in session all night until 2 a. m., when the Representative demanded that Senator McCarthy, who was on the floor lobbying for the Kingfisher bill, be ejected.

The Speaker refused to comply with the request, when Terrill said he would then leave the hall. The Speaker then ordered the door locked, but Terrill kicked it open and went out, followed by so many members that the Assembly adjourned.

When the session convened again Terrill walked to his desk, and laying a revolver on it, said he would see whether the Speaker and others would be allowed to brazenly disregard the rules of the House. The Sergeant-at-arms after a struggle disarmed Terrill, who went out to hunt another gun. The bill was defeated.

### PUGILIST SLAVIN COMING.

**Upon His Arrival He Will Challenge Sullivan to Fight for $10,000.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 30.—W. A. Brady of the firm of Webster & Brady, proprietors of the "After Dark" company, notified Arthur T. Lumley that he had closed a contract with Frank P. Slavin, the Australian heavy-weight pugilist, to appear in the concert scene of the play.

He will come to America in about one month, and will upon his arrival post $1,000 forfeit money to fight John L. Sullivan for $10,000 a side and the championship of the world. If Sullivan should refuse to meet him, Slavin says he will claim the championship. Just about the time of Slavin's arrival in New York Peter Jackson will arrive in San Francisco from Australia, and the three greatest pugilists of the day in the heavy-weight class will be in this country. Sullivan will most undoubtedly accept Slavin's challenge without delay.

### BURNED TO DEATH.

**An Italian Caught in a Blaze This Morning After Rescuing His Family.**

PITTSBURG, Oct. 30.—Early this morning a fire started in the livery stable of B. F. Dyer on Grand street, and Antonio Gyatillo, an Italian, who with his family of five children occupied the upper story, was burned to death. His wife and youngest girl, Mary, were also badly burned.

The fire originated in the rear of the building and spread so rapidly that escape by the stairway was prevented. Gyatillo handed his wife and children out of the upper windows into the arms of officers Hanna and Richardson who stood on the next roof below. Returning to save his goods, Gyatillo was caught in the stairway and suffocated.

**Foreign Missionary Work.**

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Oct. 30.—The general executive committee of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the Methodist Episcopal Church will be in session in this city for the next few days. Delegates are present from all over the United States together with a dozen returned missionaries and a number of candidates for work in foreign fields.

**Struggle With a Lunatic.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 30.—Royal Chapin, 37 years old, a civil engineer in the Dock Department, became violently insane as he stepped from an elevated car of the Sixth Avenue elevated road on to the station at Grand street. An officer had a desperate struggle with him before he could be subdued. Chapin was then taken to Bellevue Hospital.

**Arrest of a Vice-Consul.**

BROOKLYN, Oct. 30.—Otto Eberhard, who claims to be Austrian Vice-Consul, was arrested here while intoxicated for interfering with a policeman while making an arrest. In the police court he denounced his arrest as an outrage. He refused to plead to the charge against him and demanded his liberty. He was committed in default of $200 bail for an examination.

**The Telegraphers' Trouble Ended.**

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 30.—The trouble between the Western Union Telegraph operators, members of the newly organized Brotherhood of Telegraphers and the Western Union Company has been amicably settled. The members of the St. Louis lodge announced that preliminary steps had been taken to dissolve the local lodge.

**Speaker Reed in the West.**

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Oct. 30.—Speaker Reed spoke here last night before a large audience. He said: "The West is just now receiving the full benefit of the protective tariff."

**Wesleyan Defeated by Harvard.**

BOSTON, Oct. 30.—Harvard defeated Wesleyan at football, 51 to 0. The team work of Harvard was excellent.

## KILLED NINE PEOPLE

### Murderer Woolfolk Dies Protesting His Innocence.

### SLOWLY STRANGLED TO DEATH.

The Drop Fell in the Presence of Nearly 8,000 People.

**The Crime Committed More Than Three Years Ago—He Tried to Bribe the Watch Before Going to the Gallows. Closing Chapter of a Tragedy Which Stands Unequalled in This Country.**

MACON, Ga., Oct. 30.—Thomas J. Woolfolk was hanged here for the murder of nine people—his father, stepmother, six brothers and sisters and another relative—more than three years ago. The drop fell at 1:31 in the presence of nearly 8,000 people, for the court had declared that Woolfolk must expiate his heinous deed in public. The fall failed to break his neck, and he died of strangulation.

The condemned man protested his innocence to the last, but those who have known him best and were first to discover the scene of slaughter at his father's house, in August, 1887, have not the slightest doubt of his guilt. The Supreme Court granted Woolfolk three trials, and each time a jury found him guilty.

**Attempted to Bribe the Watch.**

As soon as the murderer was dressed in the morning a number of newspaper men were admitted and he talked to them very freely, expressing no fear of his impending fate, but on the contrary, courting it as a relief from his long prison life. He did not want the Governor to interfere.

Woolfolk, it is believed, offered the watch $500 and a history of his life if he gave him a chance to escape. This being refused, he offered him $100 if he would give him a small phial of morphine.

After spending an hour in conversation with his spiritual adviser he breakfasted and donned a new suit of clothes, in which he manifested great interest. On his trip to the scaffold he was guarded by the Perry Rifles. On the scaffold he exhibited the same wonderful nerve that has characterized his actions all along.

**Protested His Innocence.**

Facing the crowd that surged around the scaffold he said: "Before the All Wise God, who reads all the secrets of our hearts, I do solemnly protest and affirm that I am innocent of killing my father or any member of his family, and that I do not know anything of the person who did commit the crime."

The three ministers present on the scaffold then offered up fervent prayers, at the conclusion of which the prisoner himself prayed. It was an eloquent plea for mercy and included an invocation in behalf of his sisters.

The prisoner then bade his friends goodby and was pinioned. The cap and noose were adjusted and the trap was sprung.

**Strangled to Death.**

The body shot downward six and one-half feet, it turned partially and in doing so, the noose slipped out of position and he was slowly strangled to death. The lungs filled several times and at eleven minutes the pulse was still beating. Life was not pronounced extinct for thirty-six minutes.

The body was then taken down and placed in a neat rosewood casket and turned over to his relatives for burial in Hawkinsville, according to his wish.

**Has Found a Cure for Consumption.**

BERLIN, Oct. 30.—According to the "National Gazette" Prof. Koch, the German specialist, has discovered a cure for consumption by inoculation, and in consequence has abandoned lecturing and will devote himself exclusively to experimenting.

**Congressional Nominations.**

LOCK HAVEN, Pa., Oct. 30.—The Republicans of the 16th district nominated A. C. Hopkins of this city for Congress. He is a prominent lumberman. The Democrats nominated Mortimer P. Elliott for Congress in the same district.

**A Purse for Dixon and McCarthy.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 30.—The secretary of the Twin City Athletic Club of Minneapolis telegraphed here that his club had decided to offer a purse of $2,500 for a finish fight between George Dixon and Cal McCarthy.

**Three Buildings Burned.**

NEWTOWN, N. J., Oct. 30.—J. W. Lane's hardware store was burned during the morning together with its contents. The loss is estimated at $15,000. Two adjoining buildings were also burned.

**Neither Side Able to Score.**

HARTFORD, Conn., Oct. 30.—The Amherst and Trinity football teams contested here but neither side was able to score. The play was sharp throughout.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—U. S. Gov't Report, Aug. 17, 1889.

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### REFUSED TO TIE THE KNOT.

**A Nineteen-Year-Old White Girl Stopped from Marrying a Negro.**

NORRISTOWN, Pa., Oct. 30.—The new industry of splitting granite boulders into Belgian blocks has attracted to the neighborhood of Sumneytown, Montgomery County, a large number of negroes, who are well paid. Their relations with white girls of the neighborhood have become very notorious at recent courts. A striking instance has just occurred of shameless disregard for what may at least be called civilized conventionalities.

Wolford Vught and his daughter, Lizzie, applied for and received a license for the girl to marry Thomas Young, a very dark negro. The clerk of the court had no option but to give them the license.

The girl is only fifteen and fairly good-looking. She was dressed in her best clothing and evidently had the ordinary bridal delight in the prospective wedding. The would-be groom was a short, stumpy youth with gaudy striped trousers. When the trio applied to Justice Urner to perform the ceremony, and the girl's father admitted there was no negro blood in her veins, the magistrate promptly refused to degrade the dignity of his office by assisting the union, and soundly rebuked the father for conniving at it. The groom said the girl is the mother of a mulatto baby, and declared she lost nothing by marrying him, as no white man would have her, and he proposed to treat her as a "lady."

At last accounts the three were still hunting a minister who would be willing to perform the ceremony.

### TWO MEN KILLED.

**Steel Girders Strike a Passenger Train With Fatal Results.**

PROVIDENCE, Oct. 30.—Two long steel bridge-girders loaded on a platform car on the Worcester division of the New York, Providence and Boston Railway became displaced near the Branch avenue bridge, and swung across the opposite track.

A Lonsdale train came along and the girders struck the smoking car killing Daniel McDermott of Pawtucket, and badly wounding Baggage-master Fred Bennett of Central Falls. The girder rebounded and struck the next car, killing N. G. Peabody. The train was stopped with one girder sticking through the car roof and another lying across it. Fortunately there were few passengers on the train or the death list would have been greater.

**God's Will to Burn Children.**

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Oct. 30.—The Brooks arson case took a sensational turn when Mrs. Charles J. Brooks, stepmother of Charlotte Brooks, already under arrest for firing her father's store, was also apprehended. Charlotte declares that the stepmother deliberately planned the act, telling her that if she did not get the children out when the fire started it would be God's will that they should burn. Her motive, according to Charlotte, was to get a large insurance in order to meet bills.

**Suicide Suspected.**

NEWPORT, R. I., Oct. 30.—Dennis S. Sullivan, Treasurer of the Father Mathew Total Abstinence Society, who was charged a few days ago with a shortage of $1,300 in his accounts with the society, died last evening. He had been sick only a few days, and his physician, not satisfied as to the cause of death, applied to Mayor Coggleshall for authority for an autopsy. It is suspected that he committed suicide to escape his trouble.

**A Boy Falls to Instant Death.**

TROY, N. Y., Oct. 30.—Willie Sickles, a carpenter's apprentice, fell from the second story of a building to the ground, a distance of 45 feet, and was crushed into a shapeless mass. In his descent he struck a fire-alarm wire, snapping it in two, and one end coiled around the body of the prostrate youth for a time. People who gathered about the body believed the wire belonged to the electric-light company and none dared to touch it.

**High License for Vermont.**

MONTPELIER, Vt., Oct. 30.—A high license, local option liquor bill, with provisions similar to those of the law now in force in Massachusetts, has been introduced in the Legislature; also a bill providing for the dedication of the Bennington Battle Monument and the centennial anniversary of Vermont's admission into the Union at Bennington, August 16, 1891.

**To Build Another Crack Yacht.**

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., Oct. 30.—Commodore Francis L. Burritt of the Cedar Point Yacht Club has announced that he is about to add to his fleet of crack yachts a boat that will match the world. Commodore Burritt now owns the rival and the Peerless, which have never been defeated.

**Pittsburg to Have a Canal.**

PITTSBURG, Oct. 30.—The Canal Commission will recommend that the Pittsburg and Lake Erie Canal be built. The Commission has decided upon building a retaining wall in the Ohio River and thus carrying the canal to Davis Island dam.

**The Great Thanksgiving Game.**

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Oct. 30.—Yale and Princeton have agreed to play their Thanksgiving day football game on Eastern Park, Brooklyn, the management having guaranteed a proper handling of the crowd.

**News from the Whaling Fleet.**

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., Oct. 30.—Despatches received here to-day give the latest reports from the Artic fleet of whaling vessels, and state that the fleet has taken to October 6, 93 whales or as many as were taken last year.

## AWAITING THE CALL

### British Vessel Owners Ready for a Tie-Up.

### THE SEAMEN'S UNION PREPARED

They Will Confine the Struggle at the Point Where it May Take Place.

**Russian Peasants Start a Campaign of Murder and Arson—Dr. Peters' Charges Against Stanley—Minister Lincoln Coming Home With His Dead Son's Body—Mother and Daughter Murdered.**

LONDON, Oct. 30.—An important meeting of the British Channel Committee of the Shipping Federation was held at Cardiff. There was a very large attendance of the principal ship owners in Great Britain.

It was unanimously resolved that upon an understood signal being given all the ships in the British Channel should be laid up just as they might come in, light or with cargo. In the latter event the cargo would of course be discharged.

The Seamen's Union is making great preparations to fight the owners. Their project is to fight in sections; that is, confine the struggle to the point where it may take place. The ship owners, however, say ships will be laid up everywhere if trouble occurs.

### RUSSIAN CRUELTIES.

**Peasants Forced Into a Campaign of Murder and Arson.**

VIENNA, Oct. 30.—The Russian authorities at St. Petersburgh and Odessa are making every effort to suppress the circumstances connected with the outbreak of the peasantry in Southern Russia.

The revolt is said to have originated in the stringent enforcement of the conscription, from which the rich landholders find ways to secure exemption, and in the cruelties exercised upon the peasants by the petty officials with the view of breaking the spirit of the people.

The elders of villages, men held in veneration by their neighbors, have been brutally flogged for small alleged offenses and the knout has been used on the slightest sentence.

The outbreak originated near Zmiev, about fifty miles from Kharkov, being prompted by some act of judicial cruelty not fully known. The peasants not having firearms, seized any weapon at command, drove the magistrates from the place and began a campaign of murder and arson against the officials and the aristocracy. The first detachment of troops sent against them was defeated and forced to retire, and General Dragomiroff ordered six regiments of infantry and two of cavalry to the scene. These at last accounts had not yet encountered the peasants, said to be swollen to vast numbers and very resolute, though poorly armed.

### CHARGES AGAINST STANLEY.

**Dr. Peters Makes Accusations on the Authority of Emin Pasha.**

LONDON, Oct. 30.—The November number of the Contemporary Review contains an article written by Dr. Peters, upon the authority of Emin Pasha which asserts that Stanley more than once threatened to force Emin to accompany him to the coast.

While delivering King Leopold's offer to Emin, Stanley at the same time urged the Pasha not to accept, alleging that the Congo State was in a bad way, and to further influence Emin to decline, hinting that King Leopold had treated him (Stanley) badly.

Dr. Peters also accuses Stanley of having drunk wine at a dinner served in European fashion, while others of his party at the same table were served with negro fare and had no wine.

**Minister Lincoln's Leave of Absence.**

LIVERPOOL, Oct. 30.—Minister Lincoln sailed to-day for New York, having been granted a leave of absence by his Government. He will return to London in January. A large number of friends assembled to bid Mr. Lincoln farewell and wish him a pleasant voyage. In the party were Consul-General New, Lieut. Emory, Mr. S. Dana Horton, Tom Ochiltree and scores of others, both English and American. The body of young Abraham Lincoln was placed on board the steamer to be taken to America for burial. The casket was enclosed in a packing case.

**Seven Hundred Emigrants Drowned.**

LONDON, Oct. 30.—The reported foundering of a vessel somewhere near St. Vincent, off the southern corner of Portugal, has created great excitement in this city. It is said that there were 700 emigrants on board, and that not a soul was saved. No confirmation has yet been received of this awful calamity and it is hoped that the disaster will not prove so appalling as the first news indicates.

**Irishmen Sent to Jail for Contempt.**

TIPPERARY, Oct. 30.—In the court trying the conspiracy case against Messrs. Dillon and O'Brien and others Simon Gleeson and Alex. Sadler were to-day called for the defense. On cross-examination by the counsel for the Crown the witnesses refused to give evidence, whereupon they were committed to jail for contempt.

**Martin Luther's Old Castle.**

BERLIN, Oct. 30.—The Empress Frederick has purchased Kronbers Castle at Kronbers, in Hesse-Nassau, celebrated as having once been the residence of Martin Luther. She intends to convert it into a charitable institution in memory of her husband.

### HIS SILVER JUBILEE.

**An Immense Torchlight Procession Reviewed by Chicago's Archbishop.**

CHICAGO, Oct. 30.—The celebration in this city in honor of the silver jubilee of Most Reverend Augustus Feehan, was the result of a spontaneous desire not only to recognize the anniversary of a most important event in the history of the Roman Catholic Church, but as a tribute to the popularity of the Archbishop himself.

Last night over 35,000 people participated in a grand torchlight procession which was reviewed by the Archbishop and his guests from the balcony of the Auditorium.

The procession was divided into four sections, the Foresters alone having 10,000 men in line. The first section was composed of Italians, military, colored people and French; the second of Germans; the third of Poles and Bohemians, and the fourth of English speaking citizens. Behind these came the organized societies. Every man carried a torch or lantern, and wore a miniature United States flag in the buttonhole of his coat. There were sixty bands in line and thousands of dollars worth of fireworks were sent up.

### THE BIRCHALL LETTER.

**The Document from "The Colonel" Regarded as a Clumsy Fabrication.**

WOODSTOCK, Ont., Oct. 30.—The Jackson, Mich., letter is regarded as the clumsiest fabrication Birchall has yet put forth.

An examination of the handwriting and comparison of it with Birchall's shows a very general resemblance between the two, and in some cases a very striking likeness.

A friend of Birchall [said: "I think the best defense at the trial would have been insanity—absence of all moral sense. The man is so given to lying that he lies even when he must be aware that he is cutting the ground from under the feet of those who are getting up the petition for a commutation of his sentence."

Among the communications recently received by Mrs. Birchall is one from an enterprising fellow who declares his willingness to take Birchall's place at the hanging for the sum of $1,000.

NEW YORK, Oct. 30.—George Benwell, brother of Birchall's victim, who went to Woodstock to testify at the trial, has arrived in this city en route to England. To a reporter he expressed himself as feeling that Birchall must have had a confederate in the crime. He said that if Birchall could not say who it was that fired the shots that killed his brother, the Government should stay judgment until the mystery had been cleared up.

### NEWS OF THE DAY.

An earthquake shock was felt at San Jose, Cal., yesterday.

Jack Mason, the Boston actor, has been released. He says he will marry Marion Manola on his return from abroad.

The King and Minister of Marine will on Saturday visit the United States steamer Baltimore, which is now at Lisbon.

By a vote of 109 to 5 the Dutch Parliament declared King William III. of Holland to be incapable of longer exercising the governing power.

Miss Agnes McCarthy Moore, whose poems in praise of Erin have been read wherever the English language is spoken, is dead at her home in Boston, aged 50 years.

Henry Cassin, the New York city bell boy who stole $17,000, the property of two bookmakers, from the safe of the Hotel Vendome and recently convicted of larceny, was sentenced to State prison for nine years at hard labor.

The Jewish residents of England have united in preparing an address of congratulation which is to be presented to Cardinal Manning in commemoration of his recently celebrated jubilee marking his fiftieth year as a clergyman.

Benjamin Mehan, of Preston, N. Y., while laboring under the hallucination that a commission was about to send him to the Binghamton Insane Asylum, shot himself with a shot gun at his home last evening, tearing his head completely off. He was 40 years old, and leaves a wife and five children.

**Weather Indications.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 30.—For New England: Cloudiness and rains; winds shifting to colder northwesterly.

For Eastern New York and New Jersey: Colder; fair weather, brisk northwesterly winds.

For Western New York: Colder; fresh northwesterly winds; cloudiness and rain with flurries of snow.

### NEW YORK MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Oct. 29.—Money on call to-day 5 and 5½ per cent.

BONDS.

| | Closing Yesterday. | Closing To-day. |
|---|---|---|
| 4½s, 1891 Reg | 104½ | 104½ |
| 4½s, 1891 Coup | 104½ | 104½ |
| 4 s, 1907 Reg | 124½ | 124 |
| 4 s, 1907 Coup | 126¼ | 125 |

STOCK MARKET.

| | Closing Yesterday. | Closing To-day. |
|---|---|---|
| Canadian Pacific | 74 | 73¾ |
| Central Pacific | — | 30¾ |
| Chicago, Bur. & Q. | 91⅜ | 90⅞ |
| Delaware & Hudson | — | 126½ |
| Del., Lack. & Western | 142 | 142½ |
| Erie | 21⅛ | 21⅛ |
| Erie pref. | — | — |
| Lake Shore | 106⅛ | 107⅜ |
| Louis. & Nash. | 77 | 77 |
| Michigan Central | — | 93 |
| Missouri Pacific | 69⅝ | 69⅝ |
| New Jersey Central | 113 | 113 |
| Northwestern | 106¼ | 106¼ |
| Oregon Navigation | — | — |
| Pacific Mail | — | 41⅜ |
| Reading | 27½ | 27⅞ |
| Rock Island | 77⅛ | 76⅞ |
| St. Paul, Central | 56⅞ | 56⅞ |
| Union Pacific | 47⅞ | 48⅛ |
| Western Union | 81⅜ | 81⅜ |

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## BY THE WAY.

—The St. George Cricket club will hold its first ball, Wednesday evening, Dec. 10.

—Union prayer meeting to-night in the Trinity Reformed church, led by the Rev. Asa R. Dilts.

—The Bible Class for ladies will meet as usual at the Y. M. C. A. rooms, Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

—The regular mid-week meeting of the Reform Club will be held in Reform Hall this evening at 8 o'clock. All are welcome.

—The picture that has been sold by chance at the office of Alex. Titsworth, for the benefit of a disabled fireman, will be drawn for this afternoon.

—The regular meeting of "The Young Ladies Mission Band," of the First Baptist church, will be held in the Bible class room of the church, to-morrow afternoon from two to five o'clock.

—The talk which was to have been given by W. D. Murray at the Young Men's Christian Association rooms, this evening, has been postponed owing to the union prayer meeting to be held to-night.

—The Democrats of North Plainfield will have their rally and ratification, to-morrow evening, in the Gesang Hall. Among the speakers announced are the Hon. John P. Stockton, Wm. Keys, Jas. J. Bergen, Edward F. McDonald and others.

—A meeting of the Woman's Home Missionary Society will be held Friday, at 2 o'clock, in the parlors of the Crescent Avenue church. All the ladies of the congregation are cordially invited. Contributions of money or clothing for the box should be sent in promptly, as it is desirable to send the box before cold weather.

—Westfield and Bound Brook are both crying for a lock-up. Westfield at present uses an old barn and hen-coop owned by Overseer Cox, while Bound Brook, it is said, has to furnish a constable to sit up with each prisoner over night on the post-office steps, till a train goes to Somerville, the jail-town, in the morning. Both methods have their unsatisfactory aspects.

## PARTICULAR MENTION.

The Rev. Charles Bayard Mitchell will lecture in Jersey City this evening.

Harry G. Adams is recovering from a serious injury to his foot, the result of the first accident he has had in fourteen years' continuous travel.

Ernest O. Chamberlin of this city who was recently coaxed from the staff of the New York *Sun* to become city editor of the *World*, has given up that position to devote his entire time to the writing of the city political campaign. It is understood that when such work is ended, he will be appointed assistant manager of the *World*.

Edward DeRussy Gillmore, who up to a year ago was a resident of this city, died yesterday at his home, 133 Palisade avenue, Jersey City. Death resulted from an operation. He leaves two children and a wife who was formerly Miss Louise Coussen, of West Second street He is a son of the late General Quincy A. Gillmore. He was 39 years of age and a lawyer by profession. Interment will be made in this city.

Miss Kate D. Stout, principal of Bryant school, has accepted a position in the State Normal school. Plainfield's loss, however, will be fully supplied by the advancement of Miss M. Lillian Newman to the position. Miss Newman is the daughter of H. O. Newman, of West Fifth street. She is a graduate of the High School and has been trained at Framingham. The vacancy caused by her appointment will be filled by the return of Miss Florence A. Stowell.

Mrs. Anna M. Spencer, of Manning avenue, leaves Plainfield today to make her home hereafter on 91st street New York. She and her sons, Howard, Tiffany and Willie, have a host of friends who greatly regret their going. The young men, however, are so engaged in New York in business that their residence there is absolutely necessary. Mrs. Spencer and her boys are all members and earnest workers of the Holy Cross church, and there, also, will their absence be felt.

*The Methodist Lesson Commentary* for 1891 will have Robert R. Doherty, Ph. D., of Westfield, as associate author with the Rev. Dr. Jesse L. Hurlbut, of this city. Dr. Doherty has prepared an original series of practical notes to assist the teachers in impressing the lessons on the pupils, and in addition he contributes quotations selected by him from more than four hundred learned writers. Dr. Doherty was for many years assistant editor of *The Christian Advocate*, and at present is secretary of the General Epworth League founded by Dr. Hurlbut.

The sudden death has occurred of Mrs. Lillias Cuthbert, wife of the late William Cuthbert, of this city. She has been living at the home of her son, John H. Cuthbert, corner of Fifth and New streets. Yesterday afternoon intending to pass out of the room, she opened the cellar door by mistake and fell to the bottom of the stairs. She lay unconscious until this morning when she died. It may have been that she was seized with a paralytic stroke or vertigo, that caused her fall. A blood vessel was burst in her head. She was in the 71st year of her age, and leaves three sons.

### A Bilious Attack at Seminary Hall.

The advertisement of the appearance of Marshall Wilder, Miss Maude Bowers, and others at Seminary Hall, to-morrow evening, is taken out of THE PRESS today *because every seat is sold*. This is not the only example of late, of the good results that have accrued to those who have advertised in no other daily paper but this.

Crescent Avenue chapel was crowded, Saturday evening, to hear Leland Powers, and the Ladies' Mission Band of the two Presbyterian churches who brought him here, did their daily advertising exclusively in THE PRESS. St. Andrew's Society, of Grace church, had the Dudley Buck quartette at Music Hall recently, and the Whatsoever Circle, of Trinity church, had Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wood at the Y. M. C. A. rooms the other day. They both did their advertising exclusively in THE PRESS, and the attendances were remarkable in spite of the weather.

The entertainment at Seminary Hall, to-morrow evening, will be under the auspices of the Guild of Holy Cross church. The programme will be as follows:

PART I.

Marshall P. Wilder.

Piano Solo.....Miss Jeanie May
"The Chariot Race," from "Ben-Hur,"..Wallace
Miss Maude Agnes Bowers.
Mr. Wilder.
"Still as the Night".....Carl Bohm
Miss Emily S. Thompson.
"The Ruggles Family," (by request).....Wiggin
Miss Maude Agnes Bowers.
Mr. Wilder.

PART II.

A Farce, Wherein are Seen Plainfield Amateurs in
"A BILIOUS ATTACK."

Mr. Job Jinniwin, (a bilious subject)....William
[L. Saunders
Capt. Marmaduke Myrtle, (of the "Royal Berk-
[shire Plungers,")
Walter M. McGee.
Mrs. Jinniwin.....Miss Annie Murphy
Betsy.....Mrs. Geo. C. Evans

### Sudden Death of One Who Left Plainfield to go to War.

Joseph Gowrie, a well-known baker, living at 82 Elm street, Newark, was passing through Commerce street about eight o'clock Tuesday evening, and was seen by some passing pedestrians to stagger and fall. As he was well-dressed, and had every appearance of being sober at the time, those who saw him fall carried him to Dr. Gillin's office, at No. 118 Mulberry street, where he died almost immediately after being laid on a lounge.

No one present knew him and the body was taken to Woodruff's morgue in the police ambulance, and there it was soon identified. He was about fifty years of age, and County Physician Wrightson, who was summoned, gave it as his opinion that Gowrie had died of heart disease. Later on the remains were taken to his late home. Gowrie was a well known baker in this city in 1860 when he was but a young man. He had a shop on West Second street opposite what is now the Trinity church. He enlisted in the civil war with a number of brave Plainfielders, and never returned here.

### The Boys' Club Over the Brook.

The boys of the "Warren Mission Boys' Society, No 2," met last night in the chapel. There were 27 of the 35 members present, and 12 new members joined by signing the pledge. "The Boys" elected the following who will hold office till January 1, 1891:

President—F. Moon.
First Vice President—A. L. Drake.
Second Vice President—J. Bassett.
Third Vice President—J. E. Pangborn.
Treasurer—V. Christofferson.
Recording Secretary—G. D. Johnson.
Corresponding and Financial Secretary—E. Fluck.
Steward—H. Conover.
Marshals—J. Shephard, W. Pearson.
Sergeant-at-arms—F. Kesslering, C. H. Stahl.

The meeting hour has been changed to 8 o'clock. Boys will please bear this in mind.

### Mark the Difference.

While the Democrats are holding open meetings, and discussing vital and important issues before intelligent audiences, the Republicans of Plainfield are holding what they term "Receptions," where only the candidates and a selected few are invited. This is the old "Parlor Circle" system, which was so severely rebuked in municipal matters in this city a few years ago. Are they afraid have their candidate for Senator come before the public as did Hon. Fred. Marsh last evening, and boldly define his position? It looks so, and the honest Republican voter should so remember it next Tuesday. Another of these Republican "Receptions" is called for next Saturday evening.

### Business Men's Meetings.

Morning prayer services in connection with the Mills' union meetings, will be held in the Y. M. C. A. rooms, every day next week, from 7:30 to 8:20 A. M. The subjects and leaders will be:

Monday—"First Gave their Own Selves."—2 Cor. 8-5—Wm. D. Murray.
Tuesday—"Come el Them to Come in."—Luke 14-23—A. C. LaBoyteaux.
Wednesday—"God's Love."—John 3-16—Seely Edsall.
Thursday—"Limiting God."—Ps. 78 41—E. L. Suffern.
Friday—"What Must I do to be Saved?"—Acts 16, 30-31.—H. B. Munger.
Saturday—"Prayer for Friends."—Job 42-10—F. H. Andrews.

Women's prayer meeting, with the same topics, will be held at 2:45 P. M., in the lecture room of the First Baptist church.

Charge your mind with the fact that Hires' Cough Cure is the remedy you want should you have a cough or cold. It is pleasant to take, harmless and effective. Always reliable. No opium or poisonous drugs in its composition.

## "A HOWLING SUCCESS."

### Holy Cross Choir Guild Entertain Friends Right Royally.

The pretty Sunday school building of the Holy Cross church was more than crowded last evening, by the many friends of the Choir Guild who had gathered to enjoy a complimentary entertainment prepared for their amusement, and which turned out to be one of the most thoroughly delightful performances this town has ever seen. The programme, as published in yesterday's PRESS, was carried out in every detail to the Queen's taste and showed, beside attractive numbers, the most perfect of management. The arrangement of the stage was a tasteful and dainty work and merited all the praise it received; dark red hangings set off by handsome rugs and a whole garden of chrysanthemums produced a very handsome effect. The glees sung by members of the Guild were very sweet and begun and ended the programme very appropriately. The baritone solos by Carl Dresselt and the tenor selections of Carl Maas were exceedingly well rendered, and the duet by these gentlemen was much appreciated. William Holmes sang "Anchored" with the delightful taste and clear articulation that always grace his singing. His duet, with Mr. Douglas, was also finely done. Masters Ned Waring and Herbert Schutt's excellent duet was as pretty as two pictures and won much applause. Mr. Pollock's flute solo and the piano duet of the Misses Northrup and Fine were charming, and with the other numbers formed a musical programme not often excelled.

The hit of the evening, however, was an original one-act farce by George Taggart, entitled: "A Howling Success," and its name was most appropriate. Honors were equally divided among the actors, George Taggart, Howard, Will and Tiffany Spencer, and between them the audience was kept in continual laughter. The "plot" of the piece, as the programme put it, was "anything you like" and was simply the framework to show off four very good character sketches—Howard Spencer as a Bowery Hebrew in the disguise of a countryman was splendidly made-up and his walk and smile were inimitable. Will Spencer in the role of a newsboy played his part for all it was worth and made a strong impression, and Tiffany Spencer in black-face, as "Calamity White," was capital. His negro character work was exceedingly clever and one hardly saw enough of it. The responsible party, George Taggart, whom we have laughed at before, did the part of Oscar Bilde with just the right amount of *sang froid*, and introduced a rhyme of his, "The King of the Sandwich Isles," which tickled the people immensely.

The arrangement and direction of the musical programme was done by G. E. Hasselmann, and he deserves unbounded praise for its grand success. The whole affair was under the management of the Entertainment Committee of the Guild, Henry Williams, chairman.

### When You Want Good Water, Ask for Mr. Moore.

Bill Moore, a farmer out in Atchison, Kansas, wanted to dig a well, so he plowed a lot of land and planted it in oats Every day he watched the oats, observing the spots that showed the greatest moisture. Finally he selected a spot and sank a well. At twenty-four feet he had a fine stream of water. It is said to be the best well in the country. Other farmers in the same neighborhood have failed to find water at a depth of 200 feet. This was the method of a farmer who knew and trusted nature.

When Charles K. Moore, of Fanwood, wanted to dig a well, he hired a mysterious Russian with an uncanny divining-rod which in a twinkling pointed out the best supply-spot in the shape of a vast underground river, and which resulted in the boring of the best wells in the county, for Plainfield's water-works. This was the method of a man who had faith in the magnetic theory of a wonderful foreigner whose workings one could not understand, but could only appreciate.

As to methods, it seems that one can take his choice, but the moral is, when you want to dig a well first get your Moore.

### Stanley Will Not Appear in Plainfield.

The following letter was received by E. B. Moore, President of the Young People's Union, St. James' M. E. church, Elizabeth, N. J., from Major James B. Pond, Manager for Henry M. Stanley:

EVERETT HOUSE, N. Y., Oct. 28, 1890.

DEAR MR. MOORE:—Parties in Plainfield have applied for Stanley, but nothing has been settled, and after discovering that it would interfere with the date in Elizabeth, I have notified the Committee in Plainfield that I cannot give them a date, stating that it would not be justice to you, as you were first to make the venture. Stanley is so expensive an attraction, that I cannot afford to place him in all the towns that are so nearly grouped together. New Brunswick is the only city in your vicinity where Stanley will appear this season.

Yours very truly,
J. B. POND,
Manager.

The truth about this matter was published in THE PRESS of yesterday. If the people of Plainfield want to hear Stanley, they should buy their tickets at once. For sale at H. P. Reynolds' pharmacy.

—Manager Hall has booked the well-known actress Miss Ada Gray for three nights and a matinee, at Amphion Hall, November 3, 4 and 5.

—The Democrats of North Plainfield will have a mass meeting, Friday evening, at the Gesang Hall, Somerset street. The speakers announced are the Hon. John P. Stockton, James Bergen, the nominee for Assembly, Wm. Keys, the nominee for Senator, and others.

"THE THREE GRACES"
FOR THE BREAKFAST TABLE ARE
"REXWHEAT" MUSH,
"REXWHEAT" GEMS,
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MEAT FOR THE POOR,
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Will Remain But ONE Week Longer,
And will leave
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She can be seen from 9 to 9 o'clock, as usual, at the *CITY HOTEL, ROOM 4.*
Mrs. DR. EDWARDS, the greatest and the most celebrated CLAIRVOYANT in the World, and is known in this country from Maine to Mexico. She was born with the wonderful gift of second sight, and with a veil. She is the seventh daughter of the seventh daughter. She reveals every mystery; tells you if the one you love is true or false. She removes every grief, settles lovers' troubles, and causes speedy love marriages. She gives reliable information to gentlemen in all business transactions, and informs them how to make profitable investments and acquire speedy riches. She tells lucky lottery numbers. She has an Osiris Egyptian Talisman, which is noted all the world over, as a specific charm for the unlucky. All who are in trouble or sick, should call without delay.
OFFICE HOURS from 9 A. M. to 9 P. M
Ladies 50c to $1. Gentlemen $1.
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Of every description in stock or built to order.
Coupes, Cabriolets,
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EMPORIUM,
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Valuable Building Lots for Sale,
On Grove street and Craig place, North Plainfield. This plot is one of the most desirable in the Borough, and is offered for sale at a reasonable price and on easy terms. Will be sold in quantities to suit. Apply to Owner, at 25 Craig place. 8-14-tf

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KID GLOVES, in five-button length; new and desirable shades.
We have sold them a good while, and can recommend them to wear well.
FOSTER PAUL & CO'S. Kid Gloves; "William," 7-hooks; "Foster," 7-hooks.
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We sell them at the same prices as in New York.
The FUR SHOULDER CAPE is a much prized article among the ladies, and can be had at our house in a variety of kinds, at New York prices.
WOOL Blankets and Comfortables will be needed now; our assortment is complete, and the prices the lowest.
YOU can buy the better quality of goods at Edsall's at about the same price as the poor, cheap goods are usually sold for.
CARPETS made and lined FREE of charge for the rest of this month.
Parties desiring to furnish residences throughout with Carpetings, Rugs, etc., if they will consult us we will guarantee to save them from 10 to 15 per cent., whether you get them from us or New York houses.
EDSALL'S, 20 West Front St.

WHY WOMEN TALK ABOUT IT.
THIS IS WHY.
Ontario Center, N. Y.
May 7, 1890.
*F. E. C. Medicine Co., Rochester, N. Y.:*
For seven or eight years my wife has been troubled with some kind of kidney trouble. She tried many different remedies but all in vain. She continued to grow worse. Last fall I induced her to try the F. E. C. Remedy, and before using one bottle she began to improve, and now, after using six bottles, she is entirely cured. I have recommended it to many and it has benefitted in every case heard from.
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DIZZINESS AND SICK HEADACHE
*Permanently Cured* by using Dr. Comfort's little "Compilla." *Prevent Paralysis.* Nothing like them on the market. At druggists, or sent by mail on receipt of 25 cents, by the F. E. C. Medicine Co., Rochester, N. Y.
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In her great play,
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On Friday, Oct. 31, at 8 P. M.
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Addresses by
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Voters of all parties are invited to be present and hear the above speakers on the issues of the day.
JOSEPH W. BALLANTINE,
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E. H. HOLMES,
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OFFICE—With Woolston & Buckle, 27 North Avenue.
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11 West Front Street.

## DEATHS.

CUTHBERT—Suddenly, Oct. 30, Lillias, widow of Wm. Cuthbert.
Funeral services at the residence of her son, John H Cuthbert No. 24 W. st 5th street, Sunday, Nov 2, at 2:30 P. M. Friends cordially invited.

GILLMORE—Oct. 29, 1890, at his late residence 133 Palisade avenue, Jersey City, Edward DeRussy Gillmore, age 39 years.
Funeral Saturday, Nov 1, 1890, at 2 P. M., from St. Peter's R. C. church, Jersey City. Interment at Plainfield.

LEE—In this city on Wednesday evening, 29th instant, Genevieve L., wife of Henry A. Lee.
Notice of funeral hereafter. 2

## WANTS AND OFFERS.

*Advertisements under this heading, one cent for each word each insertion.*

WANTED—A competent girl to do general housework; colored preferred. 52 East 5th street.

POSTAGE Stamps wanted, cancelled or uncancelled. Addre s E., DAILY PRESS. 10 30 3

WANTED—A tidy young girl for nurse. 49 E. 5th street.

FIVE or six horses for sale very cheap. Inquire at Campbell's Club House. 10 30 2

WANTED—Plainfield realty to exchange for Western lands; also, bids for excavating cellar; also a competent man for doing chores; also, a good milch cow. A. Keyser, 39 Putnam avenue. 10 30 10

WANTED—A good coachman who understands the care of horses, and is willing to make himself generally useful. Such a man can find steady employment. Address P. O. Box 603.

WANTED—Furnished house, with or without good stable; 100 dollars a month. E. C. Mulford, Broker.

FOR RENT—House corner Plainfield avenue and 3d street. Apply to D. N. Groendyke, 91 Mercer avenue, North Plainfield.

GIRL wanted for general housework. Call at No. 2 West 5th street.

FOR SALE, Cheap—Second-hand coupe rockaway. Apply D. N. Groendyke, 91 Mercer avenue, North Plainfield.

$75 CASH will buy first-class engine, 4-horse power, and boiler, 6-horse power: worth $200. Must be moved. J. C. Allen, 44 W. Front street, Plainfield, N. J.

A COOK and nurse wanted for one house. Apply to Mrs. Lindsay, 92 W. Front st. 10 29 2

BOARDERS wanted, 21 West Second street. 10 29 3w

WANTED—Girl for general housework in small family; reference required. 43 East 5th street. 10 29 2

FURNISHED house to rent. Best locality. Address M. C., Lock Box 707, Plainfield post-office. 10 28 tf

LOST—An Irish bull terrier pup; brown and white; lower jaw protrudes, pink eye-lids. Answers to the name of Eddie. A suitable reward will be paid for his return to William M. Stout, 169 East Front st. No questions asked. 10 25 6

NICE large furnished front room to let. Apply 21 West 2d street. 10 27 4

TWO houses to let. Inquire City Mills, Somerset street. 10 14 tf

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WANTED—Work cleaning Vaults and Cesspools. Satisfaction guaranteed. City Odorless Excavating Works, 206 Broadway. Mrs. David Jones, Proprietor. No connection with JOHN & CO. 6-11-tf

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For this purpose a subscription list is now open at Park's Music Store, East Front St. All those wishing to take lessons, or of sending children to the class, are requested to enter their address, stating number of pupils.
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Shaving and Hair Cutting Parlors,
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Special attention paid to
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DEALERS IN
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Yards—Corner of Front St. & Grant Ave
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## RANKIN DOES THEIR PRINTING.

**That's Why He's the Willing Tool of Railroad and Race Track—Some Interesting Revelations at a Rousing Democratic Rally.**

The facts and arguments which the orators at last night's public meeting of the local Democracy presented to the people opened the eyes of more than one voter who previously had been trusting blindly and confidently in the candidates whom the Republican party are seeking to elect in the present campaign.

Amphion Hall was well filled with men of voting age. Most of them were of course stalwart followers of the party under whose auspices the meeting was held, but there were others, and not a few, who were of opposite political faith. Even these latter, however, were not long in becoming deeply interested in the things which they then heard and carefully thought about for the first time, and more than one outsider was persuaded that the Democratic candidates had excellent reasons for being strongly supported in their race for office.

Some of the men were accompanied by their wives, who seemed to relish the speech-making, and the cheers, and the inspiring music of the band, as much as did the veteran politicians.

James Martine, Plainfield's farmer-orator, as President of the Democratic Association called the meeting to order. On his motion Rowland M. Stover was unanimously chosen chairman, for which Mr. Stover expressed his gratitude.

Also on motion of Mr. Martine, the following additional officers, who were given seats of honor on the platform, were elected by a lusty shout:

Vice presidents—The Hon. Joseph W. Yates, the Hon. James Clark, the Hon. Robert L. Livingston, Tell A. Beguelin, Elmore D. Mottett, Leonard Spangenberg, Dr. Chauncey M Field, Gen. William H. Sterling, Otto Arens, Joseph S. Cutter, Louis F. Wadsworth, Seymour Marsh, Edward Conklin, John Dayton, C. J. Feytel, Joseph G. Miller, William L. Force, Vincent L. Frazee, George M. Phillips, Sydney E. Flower, Augustus P. Hotfield, Henry Liefke, William K. McClure.

Secretaries—Alburtus Swalm, W. Duncan Morgan, Lewis H. Brown, Peter Flynn, Charles Stover.

Honorary Vice Presidents from North Plainfield—Chas. Lyman, John Vetterlein, John H. VanWinkle, Elisha Corieli, Fred. Slater, John A. Thickstun, John H. Jackson.

Mr. Martine mentioned the name of the Hon. Jacob A. Geissenhainer, Democratic candidate for reelection to Congress, at which cheers resounded, and then read the following letter:

*J. E. Martine, Esq.,*

DEAR FRIEND:—Your kind note inviting me to be present at your meeting upon Wednesday evening, received. I regret exceedingly that a previous engagement will prevent me from being with you on that occasion. I extend congratulation to the Democrats of Union county on the outlook. The people of our State are awake to the issue—that unnecessary taxation is unjust taxation, and on this issue are rallying to the standard of the Democratic party. Thanking the citizens of Plainfield for their courtesy and consideration, I subscribe myself,

Yours fraternally,

J. A. GEISSENHAINER.

When the applause accorded Mr. Geissenhainer's sentiments had died away the Chairman introduced the first speaker of the evening, the Hon. Frederick C. Marsh, the Democratic candidate for State Senator, who was greeted with cheers and loud applause.

After telling why he was a Democrat—because of Democracy's true Jeffersonian principles, Federal unity, State sovereignty and personal liberty—Mr. Marsh devoted his attention entirely to the important local issues of the campaign, and discussed the personality of the several candidates. He advised the reelection of Geissenhainer to Congres because Mr. Geissenhainer had faithfully and uprightly served his party and the people during his last term. He advised the election of Alford B. Cook to the Assembly because Mr. Cook was an upright and honest man who would represent his constituents with the most upright zeal. He advised the election of William Hicks as Sheriff because Mr. Hicks was an honest man and would conduct the public business with the same probity of principle that had characterized his own business methods for the past thrity-five years, and rescue it from the partisanship grasp which had held it during the reign of the present incumbent.

On the Senatorial question Mr. Marsh was plainly outspoken, and took a fearless stand which won him much applause and admiration. The one great issue of the present senatorial campaign, he held, concerned the race-track problem, and he then reviewed his own record and that of his opponent, John C. Rankin, Jr., on this question.

The original bill presented before the Legislature last Winter was to regulate horse racing during the Winter season: for that bill he as Assemblyman had voted. Later the bill had been returned by the Senate to the Assembly, greatly mutilated by amendments, and with a new object in view—that of legalizing pool-selling, book-making, and other forms of gambling, at the tracks,

"Against this bill"—said Mr. Marsh—"I fought vigorously, and I was one of the six who out of sixty voted not to pass it. My record then is my platform now."

Loud and continued applause greeted this manly statement. Continuing, Mr. Marsh ventilated Mr. Rankin's history in the matter. When public feeling was first aroused against the bill, and the people of Elizabeth endeavored to hold a public meeting, they had asked Mr. Rankin to preside, as Mayor of the city, and show by his presence that he was opposed to the bill. He had refused to attend. Later he was asked to sign a petition against the bill, and again refused. He shirked his duty when he didn't preside; he shirked it when he didn't sign. Then he was appointed a member of a committee to go to Trenton to plead with the Governor not to sign the bill and make it a law. Again Mr. Rankin failed And yet he posed as Elizabeth's Reform Mayor!

But not content with thus skulking away from his duty—the speaker continued—Mr. Rankin had actually given his consent to the running of a gambling ring on the race-track at Elizabeth, in that he permitted his policemen to go to the track and prevent the officers of the State from gathering information for the indictment of the gamblers. And now he came out with a letter and straddled the whole question. He helped the race-track people in the past, and now refused to say that he wouldn't help them in the future. He was, quoting from his letter, "absolutely without engagements, either expressed or implied, with any individual or corporation, as to what his action should be with respect to the race courses or any other matter."

Groans were accorded this quotation, and Mr. Marsh continued to tear to pieces Mr. Rankin's remarkable letter, after which he explained away the charges the Republicans had made against himself. The charge that he was the attorney of the race track people and would work to their interests he pronounced unqualifiedly false. When the Jockey Club had first become incorporated he had conducted their legal business, just as he would conduct any other honest affair; had presented his bill, had been paid, a year and a half ago, and was no longer in their employ. The race track itself was a legal affair, incorporated to promote the breeding of horses and extend the practice of manly sport. The gambling feature was what ought to be suppressed, and he would always do what he could to aid in that suppression. In the Assembly he had fought against all such evils and had worked so hard and so continously in favor of measures for the public good, and against measures which would bring disaster to the people, that he had finally dropped at his seat in utter exhaustion, and had to be carried out by his colleagues. If elected to be Senator he would try to be as faithful a representative in the past.

At the close of his speech, which was frequently interrupted with applause, Mr. Marsh was given ringing cheers as "Our Next Senator."

R. V. Lindabury also made a ringing speech on the race track question. With him, he said, it was a question of morals, not politics. The effort of the race track people and the railroads was to make New Jersey a gamblers' paradise—a dumping-ground for the people who had been driven from New York and elsewhere. The gambling den on the Elizabeth track was doing great harm to the people of the State—placing the homes of the land in peril of great disgrace. The people of Plainfield did not appreciate what a great public wrong the race track had become—did not realize how many of their own sons were being dragged down into the depths by the evil. The young men—and not a few of the young women too—were being ruined by the fascination of gambling den. The bright sons of the land, in numbers perfectly appalling, were visiting, in secret, this great foul den, and were wrecking their manhood and wasting their substance. And it was against this vast evil that Mr. Marsh had taken a firm stand, and in favor of which Mr. Rankin seemed to be working.

"A young man of brilliant promise"—continued Mr. Lindabury—"had justly aspired to Senatoral honors on the Republican ticket. His name was Foster M. Voorhees"—and mention of the name was freely applauded. "But the manly way in which Mr. Voorhees argued against the race track gambling bill cost him his political life. The 'boss' from Camden saw to it that his hopes were blighted, after he had taken that firm stand. The 'boss" wanted the race track bill to pass because it would help his railroad, and as honest young Voorhees, with honest young Marsh, fought against the railroad and race track combination, young Voorhes had to die, politically."

And what was Rankin's position in the matter? That of a straddler, from beginning to end. When the matter had first come up, for the public to fight against, some representative citizens of Elizabeth had tried to have Rankin meet with them at his office to proceed to the office of *The World* and enlist that paper's services. Rankin had utterly failed to help them. So he had failed in subsequent proceedings, as Mr. Marsh had told. Plainfield's grand old man, Mayor Male, and Rahway's executive, Judge Hyer, had with hundreds of others willingly signed the protest against the bill, but Rankin had refused. Further, it was Rankin's deciding vote which granted from the Elizabeth Excise Board, a license to the bar and gambling ring, under the flimsy guise of "inn and tavern," on the Dwyer race track, and it was Rankin's police force which kept order in the betting ring instead of arresting the gamblers. Rankin had said that he wouldn't take any stand in the matter, and had said that if Gov. Abbett refused to sign the race track bill it meant Abbett's political death. Well, Abbett hadn't signed. He had done his duty at the request of pleading Democrats and Republicans alike, and the Republicans didn't want to forget.

But why was Rankin so friendly to the race track and the railroad? Because he was the race track's printer, and the railroad's printer! That was the little joker! Considerable of his income was from the Jersey Central Railroad Company, and from the Jockey Club. His imprint appeared on much of their work, and if he assisted these people to get the law they so much wanted he would get more printing and more income.

Mr. Marsh had fought hard against the race track bill before any public clamor was raised about it. He had repeatedly asserted that under no circumstances would he vote for it. He had fought against it till his long and arduous duties made him fall at his seat. Then, too sick to arise from his bed, but with the people's interests still dear to his heart, he had written to Governor Abbett the first letter the Governor ever received from anybody asking him to veto the race track bill and keep ruin from the firesides of our homes. The second letter was that from Judge VanSyckel.

Mr. Lindabury's excellent speech was given unstinted applause, as was also a stirring Democratic address by Prosecutor Charles H. Winfield, of Jersey City, on the general issues of the day.

During the evening candidates Cook and Hicks presented themselves and made a very favorable impression.

## THEY ARE MISSING.

**A New York Paper Says That Republican Repeaters Fail to Appear in Plainfield.**

*(From the New York Times.)*

Registration under the new law has effected surprising results in the local lists of voters, and the Democrats are hopeful of cutting down to a great extent the big majorities which for years have operated to make Plainfield nominally a Republican stronghold.

Pormer election times have brought forward what has always seemed an extraordinary number of colored voters, all of whom voted the Republican ticket with a suspicious eagerness and many of whom could not be found after election till the next voting day came to hand. The present registration pretty effectually establishes the fact that many former Republican voters have been generous repeaters, voting as many times as there were polling places, under different names and addresses, and a study of the registry lists tends to verify the suspicion that many a negro in the adjoining counties of Union and Somerset has been accustomed to serve as a voter in various parts of the different townships with fictitious residences galore. The house-to-house registration developed many interesting facts. Last year and for several years previous twenty negroes registered annually from 13 Cottage place. The dwelling is a small one in the colored district, and this year the canvassers found no one at the place but three old woffien, who said they wouldn't have a man around. Whole blocks, which heretofore gave an abundance of professional ball t depositors, this year have only an ordinary number, and some scarcely any. One neighborhood, which has never failed to furnish scores of Republican votes, turns out to be a servant-girl colony, with no men of age whatever. Things which were hitherto not even suspected now seem plain as day, and the Democrats archly open their eyes at one another and say: "What has become of all the Republicans?"

It is quite evident that skillful frauds have been perpetrated in secret in times past by those who fear to continue such practices now, and it is further evident that the ballot-reform law in doing away with them will give the Democrats a chance for signal victory in this black Republican spot.

**The Prohibitionists Talk of Testing the New Ballot Law.**

The State Convention of the Prohibition party met in Masonic Hall in Trenton Tuesday morning, T. W. Burger, formerly of this city, chairman of the State Executive Committee, presiding. Nearly one hundred delegates were present. The principal features of the morning session was an address on the ballot-reform law by the Rev. Dr. Graw, editor of the *Temperance Gazette*. He admitted that some of its features were good, but denounced the clause requiring the signatures of 5 per cent. of the voters before the State will print ballots for any independent party like the Prohibitionists.

Reports were heard from the different counties of the State, showing that the Prohibitionists had made nominations for Congressmen and Senators everywhere and for the Assembly in many of the districts. The convention adopted resolutions indorsing the temperance issue as presented in previous State conventions, and approving the general tenor of the new ballot-reform law, but condemning those clauses which make it difficult and expensive for voters not affiliated with the Democratic or Republican party to record their preference at the polls.

A committee was appointed to consider the advisability of testing the law in the courts, the convention believing it unconstitutional in that it interferes with a free vote. Another resolution adopted sympathizes with the Women's Christian Temperance Union in its efforts to introduce scientific temperance instruction in the schools.

**Much Land Changes Hands.**

Among the recent real estate transfers in this vicinity are recorded the following:

Margaret Cowen of Hudson County to Job Male, of Plainfield, land in Plainfield, 158x76 feet, $2,000.

Evan Jones and wife to Job Male, of Plainfield, same tract, $1.

Emma Darling and husband, of New York, to John F. Plummer, of New York, land in Plainfield on east side Ravine ave, and land on south west side of Prospect avenue, $1.

Frederick F. Glasby, Sheriff, to Bennet Brittin, land in Fanwood Township on road leading from Scotch Plains to Fanwood Park, 145x125 feet, $800.

Mary R. Loomis and husband, of North Plainfield, to Richard M. Bowne, of Oyster Bay, L. I., land on south west side of Bay street, Plainfield, 123x181 feet, $500.

Central New Jersey Land Improvement Company to Edmund A. D. Gable, wife and John B. Gable, land in Plainfield, 55x53 feet, $140.

Ferdinand Ruttmann and wife of Plainfield, to John Frederick Ruttmann, of New York, land in Plainfield on road leading from Plainfield to Rahway, 90x177 feet, $9,000.

Eugene T. Lynch and wife, of Flushing, Queens county, New York, to Thomas D. Jordan, of Jersey City, New Jersey, land in township of Piscataway, Middlesex county, and partly in Plainfield, New Jersey, corner of Fourth street and Clinton avenue, $1.

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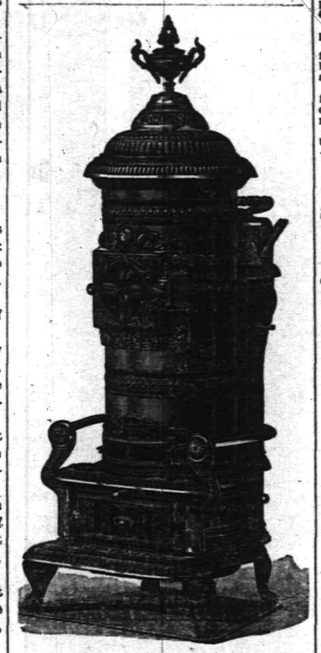

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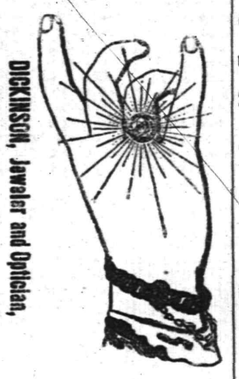

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Of goodly height and weight,
Who wore a bale of whiskers
Most fierce to contemplate,
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Brought from ye Golden Gate.

He came into my sanctum
One pleasant afternoon,
And hinted that we visit
Some neighboring saloon;
I made a bad exception
And went with him full soon.

When we arrived, ye stranger,
Who hail-ed from ye Coast,
Drew forth a yellow eagle,

And shouted to mine host:
"Ho! mix us two bonanzas,
We fain would drink a toast!"

Then did ye skillful mixer
Two bottles set in line,
Ye one containing brandy,
Ye other yellow wine,
And these two pleasant liquids
Proceeded to combine.

Ye stranger eyed ye compound
With sigh of deepest bliss;
Then down his hairy gullet
It slipped with gurgling hiss,
And I did cast a bumper
Into mine own abyss.

Then forth again we sallied
Into ye outer air,
When lo! this world seemed glorious,
This life a boon most rare,
And that bewhiskered giant
A man divinely fair!

Quoth I: "This same bonanza
Puts fire into ye heart.
Return with me, I prithee,
Unto ye liquor mart,
And I, as doth beseem me,
Will play ye buyer's part."

When next again we sallied
Into ye crowded street,
'Twas arm in arm we wandered

And lifted high our feet,
Ye while ye gracious pavement
Rose up our soles to meet.

Ye third time that we issued
From that accursed den
A change was wrought within us,
Defying tongue or pen.
Each fire plug seemed a hogshead,
Each man looked like to ten!

And still a fourth bonanza
Each poured into his face,
Which caused ye mighty buildings
All round about to chase,
And made ye streets and alleys
Tie up and interlace.

Anon ye swaying sidewalk
Grew rife with wriggling things;
With lobsters, pterodactyls,
And toads with fiery wings,
With blue and greenish devils,
And snakes with twisting stings.

That night within ye prison
I slept as sleep ye dead;

My right arm for a pillow,
An oak plank for a bed;
And when I woke ye morrow,
I wondered at my head!

Since then within my pocket
I bear a monstrous gun;
Perchance I may encounter
Again that Native Son;
And if he says "bonanza"
I'll either shoot or run!
—George Horton, in Chicago Herald.

### On Dit.

Noyes E. Howells—Aw, Cholly, I hear you were at the pearl wedding last eve of the De Suckettashes.

Cholly Cholmonueley—I war; tame affar.

N. E. Howells—Wot does the pearl wedding wepwesent?

C. Cholmondeley—Chicawgo institution; thirtieth wedding.—Jewelers' Circular.

### His Weak Point.

Rube Hatfield (to sheriff)—Whachet 'rest my boy Jim fer?

Sheriff—He killed a man last Sunday.

Rube Hatfield—Wall, Jim never did hev much respect fer the Sabbath.—Judge.

### Reassuring.

Slim Dude (to bartender)—Pleathe give me a glath of whithky. I feel thick.

Bartender—Well, then, ye look thin.—Puck.

## THE BOWSERS.

**Mr. B. Undertakes to Do the Family Washing.**

R. BOWSER came home the other day and wanted the hammer for something. He found it in the kitchen, where the girl had been using it as a poker for the range. Mr. Bowser gave expression to his outraged feelings. The girl replied with a good deal of spirit, and after supper she got her wages and walked off. Had I been the cause of her going Mr. Bowser would have read me a lesson forty rods long. As he was the cause it was all right. He'd like to see the hired girl who could run his house while he lived—didn't propose to take "sass" from anybody — wished he had discharged her outright, etc.

All this happened on Monday. Tuesday is our wash day. I didn't think of it until after the girl had gone. Then I said to Mr. Bowser:

"You'll have to hunt around in the morning and get me a washwoman. It

"SAY, OLD MAN, YOU'VE HIT IT."

would have been better to let the girl stay a day longer."

"Not a minute longer!"

"But about the washing?"

"I'll find a woman or do it myself."

After breakfast he took a walk through the locality where washwomen abound, but his quest was a vain one. He come back to the house about nine o'clock and said:

"Mrs. Bowser, I have decided to do the washing myself."

"You wash?"

"I will. I'll do it as a matter of principle. I don't propose to have this house upset because one hired girl gets her back up and quits."

"Let the washing go and I'll find a woman to do it."

"Not by a jug-full! That washing will all be on the line before noon!"

"Mr. Bowser, you can't wash; you will only rub the skin off your knuckles, lame your back, and make a great muss of it."

"I will, eh? That's all you know about it. Now, then, I don't want you to come fooling around. Don't you show your head in the basement until the last rag is on the line."

Mr. Bowser got into an old pair of pants and a vest, changed his boots for slippers, and disappeared down-stairs and at once started a fire. I knew what the result of his efforts would be, and while he was at the barn for wood I ran down and rescued most of the fine clothes. He didn't notice the fact, and in a few minutes had the water heating. He had seen clothes boiling, and the water was no sooner hot than he filled the boiler helterskelter. I heard him at it and started down-stairs to tell him that clothes must be rubbed first.

"Go right back," he yelled as I struck the first stair.

"But you are making a great mistake, Mr. Bowser, you shouldn't—"

"I know my business, and you go back. If I don't know more about washing in one minute than you do in a week I'll eat these sheets and tablecloths."

He boiled the clothes about half an hour, and then came up and rummaged around the pantry. I suppose he had read of some substance to put into the boiler to save rubbing, but he wasn't clear as to what it was. He therefore took a half-pound can of baking-powder and sifted it in to the last pinch. I heard him upstairs, and half-suspecting what he was after, ran to head him off, but too late.

"Mr. Bowser!" I called from the head of the basement stairs, "are you putting that sal soda into the boiler?"

"Sal—nonsense!" he growled in reply. "When I don't know my business I will apply for information!"

Mr. Bowser knew that bluing was part and parcel of the laundry business. He had even seen a tub of blue water. At what stage of the game this blue business came in he didn't know and he was too obstinate to inquire. He took the clothes direct from the boiler and sozzled them into a tub of cold water, and, not knowing how much of the blue to use, he decided to empty in the whole bottle and be on the safe side. He had a pretty fair quality of writing-fluid when the water was stirred up. At this point I called to him:

"Mr. Bowser, how far along have you got?"

"Don't you worry about me, Mrs. Bowser. I'll have the whole shooting match on the line in half an hour."

He put the wash-board into the blue tub and began to rub the clothes in the cold water. He might have had a faint suspicion that something had been left off the programme, but he made up for it in energetic rubbing. He went wash! wash! wash! for about twenty minutes, and then there was an awful flopping and splattering, as if a dozen ducks were playing in the water. He was rinsing the clothes. He wasn't over five minutes about it, and then he appeared in the back-yard with a basketful of clothes to hang on the line. At sight of him I had to sit down. The clothes were plum-blue, and Mr. Bowser was plum-bluer. "The Great and Only Tattooed Man" couldn't hold a candle to him. Just as he appeared in the yard a farmer's wife, who sells us eggs, opened the back gate and walked in.

"Good Lor'! but what is this?" she ejaculated, as she stood with open mouth.

"It's only me," replied Mr. Bowser; "I've been washing."

"Washing what? Why, man, you've spoiled every thing there, to the last rag! Is your wife sick, dead, or run off?"

"Aren't these clothes right?"

"Man! Man! but even a heathen would know better!"

Just then one of Mr. Bowser's down town friends drove through the alley in a buggy. He could see over the fence and when he saw Mr. Bowser he pulled up his horse so quickly that the animal almost fell.

"Is that you, Bowser?" he called.

"Y-yes."

"Well, what in the name of past ages are you doing?"

"Oh, n-nothing."

"Nothing! I'll bet ten to one you're fitting yourself for a museum freak. Say, old man, you have hit it! Just file your teeth to a point and you'll pass for a genuine cannibal!"

He drove on and the egg woman backed out of the gate and said:

"I've been furnishing you three dozen a week, and I've never missed a Tuesday, but I give you notice that I don't come no more. It would be taking chances. A man as is light in the head may be all right one day and werry violent the next. Love to your excellent wife, and I'm sorry for her."

Mr. Bowser entered the kitchen in three jumps. I sat there laughing until I could hardly breathe. He towered above me like a mountain over a mouse, and after choking and gasping for a minute he roared out:

"Mrs. Bowser, you have finally done it, haven't you?"

"What have I done?"

"What have you done! Got me to do the washing and give myself away for an infernal idiot! Look at me! Look at them duds in the yard!"

"Mr. Bowser, didn't I tell you not to try it? Didn't I do my best to keep you from trying it?"

"No! Never! You encouraged me to go ahead!"

"Mr. Bowser!"

"Don't Mr. Bowser me! This is the end! The worm turns! We'll settle matters this very day!"

But Mr. Bowser is still with me, and I have no doubt we shall live and die together.—Detroit Free Press.

### A Matter of Race Pride.

Scientific Parent (on a stroll)—You see out there in the street, my son, a simple illustration of a principle in mechanics. The man with that cart pushes it in front of him. Can you guess why? Probably not. I will ask him. Note his answer, my son. (To banana peddler). My good man, why do you push that cart instead of pulling it?

Banana Peddler—'Cause I ain't a hoss.—Chicago Tribune.

### Experientia Docet Non.

Ned Bunco (in alarm, checking his confrere)—Hold, Bill! Skinned that duck once—last year. I remember him well.

Bunco Bill—Well, what's the matter? Don't you suppose the man has earned any money since?—Life.

### POOR BUT PROUD.

Tramp—Will you kindly assist an old man who has seen better days?

Lady—Would you like a little work?

Tramp—No, miss, the memory of better days prevents me from doing any manual labor!—Munsey Weekly.

### ABOUT CORN JUICE.

The elder sister of Tom Jones, a student, calls at his room, and being nearsighted, mistakes his Indian clubs for bottles. She exclaims: "Dear me, I hope those bottles do not contain whisky. It is not conducive to health."

Tom Jones—Look here, sis, you can call those Indian clubs whisky bottles if you want to, but for heaven's sake! don't spring that old gag on me about their not being corn-juice-ive to health.—Texas Siftings.

## SECRET SOCIETIES.

### Masonic.

At the recent session of the Grand Lodge of Kentucky the Cerneau controversy was practically buried and Charles P. Hill, the recognized head of Cerneauism in Louisville, who had been expelled from the Blue Lodge for his connection with the rite, was unanimously restored by the Grand Lodge to all the rights and privileges of Masonry. The Grand officers elected for the ensuing year were: Charles H. Fisk, Covington, Grand Master; James A. McKenzie, Deputy Grand Master; John S. Smith, Richmond, Grand Senior Warden; James W. Staton, Brookville, Grand Junior Warden; John H. Leathers, Louisville, Grand Treasurer, and Henry B. Grant, Louisville, re-elected Grand Secretary.

Peace and harmony were the prevailing characteristics of the late session of the Grand Lodge of Illinois at Chicago. There was no important legislation and no disturbing questions presented. Six new lodges were chartered, and the net increase of membership for the year was 893, making the total number of affiliated Masons in the State in good standing 42,369. During the past year $22,146 was disbursed for relief of distressed brethren and the maintenance of the Masonic Orphans' Home.

A special convocation of the coordinate bodies of the Scottish Rite in the valley of Lyons, Iowa, will be opened Tuesday, November 18, at the Cathedral of the Rite. All the degrees, orders and grades from the fourth to and including the thirty-second degree will be conferred. Those having petitions to present should send them to E. A. Wadleigh, Grand Secretary, at once.

### Odd-Fellows.

The grandest celebration that the order has had in the East for many years was at the laying of the corner-stone of the Orphans' Home at Worcester, Mass., last week. Fully 15,000 members of the order and Patriarchs Militant were present and made a brilliant show in the parade. Grand Sire M. C. Busbee was present and delivered a stirring address. The business houses along the line of march were handsomely decorated, and the sleepy old town put on its holiday attire to receive the thousands of visitors that attended the ceremony.

The Daughters of Rebekah of Illinois will hold the sixth annual State convention at Springfield November 19. An attractive programme is being prepared for the entertainment of the Rebekahs and an unusually large attendance is expected.

### Order Eastern Star.

The session of the Grand Chapter of Illinois recently held in Chicago was made lively and interesting by the sharp and eloquent tongues of some of the leading sisters present. The business was of a routine character and the interest of the representatives centered in the election of officers and the exemplification of the floral work of the order. The principal officers elected for the ensuing term are: Sue M. Simpson, Peoria, Worthy Grand Matron; George F. Howard, Paris, Worthy Grand Patron; Mary A. Beale, Chicago, Grand Secretary, and Sue A. Saunders, Delevan, Grand Treasurer.

### Ancient Order United Workmen.

The Grand Master of Illinois, C. R. Matson, has organized the lodges of that State into districts for the purpose of holding a series of union meetings during the winter, to discuss questions pertaining to the good of the order and to cultivate fraternal intercourse among the members. The movement is meeting with general favor and promises to be a great success.

There was a great gathering of Master Workmen in Boston last week who came together to discuss matters pertaining to the good of the order in the Bay State. The lodges which were represented pledged over a thousand new members before January 1, 1891. But five deaths were reported in August and only four in September.

The largest lodge of any secret order in the world is Detroit Lodge No. 6 of the United Workmen. It has nearly one thousand six hundred members, and at a recent meeting two hundred and seventy-three candidates were initiated.

Rhode Island reports nineteen thousand members in good standing with no assessment levied in September and none yet called for October.

### Knights of Pythias.

Among the lodges of the order in Missouri there is great activity preparing for the coming session of the Grand Lodge. The year has been one of great prosperity among the lodges in that jurisdiction, and the members are arranging for a brilliant entertainment for the Grand Lodge representatives. A unique and handsome invitation has been issued to many prominent members of the order, and the event is looked upon as a great social feature among the citizens and members of the order in St. Louis.

### National Union.

This order, which was organized in 1881, has now a membership of nearly thirty thousand, extending through Ohio, Illinois, Michigan and Wisconsin. Arrangements are now being made to establish the order in Nebraska, and the first council of the order has just been instituted at Lincoln. McDOUGALL.

### He Meant a Bonanza.

Intoxicated Tramp (stopping Jay Gould on the street)—I shay, Misser Gould, can't you let a poor fellow have (hic) haffa dollar?

Mr. Gould (trying to slip by)—I haven't that much about me.

Tramp—Come now, Jayey, don't try to fool me. You know you're a reg'lar (hic) bogandyl—Texas Siftings.

—Spanish Stew: Boil one and one-half pounds steak till tender—boiling gently. Save the liquor. Next day cut the beef into small pieces, put in a saucepan with one teaspoonful of butter, one-half pint highly seasoned strained tomato sauce, and the liquor in which it was boiled, and let it simmer one-half hour. Just before dishing mash fine the yelk of a hard-boiled egg, stir into it one-quarter teaspoonful of curry powder and add to the stew.—Boston Budget.

—Imperial Cream Nectar: First, to one quart of water add one and one-fourth pounds loaf sugar, one and one-fourth ounces tartaric acid, one-fourth ounce gum arabic. Second, in another dish, one teaspoonful of flour, the whites of two eggs, beat finely together, then add one-fourth cup of water. When the first part is blood-warm, put in the second. Boil three minutes. To prepare the drink, three tablespoonfuls to each two-thirds glass of water, add one-third teaspoonful carbonate of soda. Stir well. Drink at your leisure.—Housekeeper.

—An Omelette for Two: Beat two eggs, yelk and white, together in a bowl until very light. In a cup put one teaspoonful of corn starch and a scant half-teaspoonful of new milk, adding the milk very slowly, beating as you drop the mixture into the eggs also. A little chopped parsley and onion juice to flavor it; a scrape of butter in the frying-pan, and, when it "sizzles," pour in the mixture and shake until it forms. Turn the frothing sides of the omelette with a spoon, continually, into the center of the pan. In two minutes it should be done. Fold it over and dish, by covering the pan with a plate, and then turning the pan upside down.


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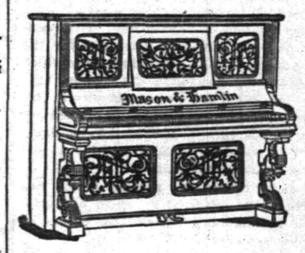

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| 1st trip | 8.15 A. M. | to meet | 8.33 A. M. | train. |
| 2d do | 9.15 | do | 9.32 | do |
| 4th do | 10.00 | do | 10.37 | do |
| 5th do | 11 00 | do | 11.34 | do |
| 6th do | 11.45 | do | 12.06 P. M. | do |
| 7th do | 1.45 P. M. | do | 2.15 & 2.38 | P. M. do |
| 8th do | 2.45 | do | To the Post Office. | |
| 9th do | 3.30 | do meet | 3 51 P. M. train. | |
| 10th do | 5.00 | do do | 5.39 do, | |
| 11th do | 5.45 | do do | 6.07 do | |
| 12th do | 6.45 | do do | 7.09 do | |

Stage will also leave Plainfield ave. and 7th st., and Rockview and Mercer aves., North Plainfield, according to the above time table, and make same connections.

Stage will make return trips over above routes, leaving Plainfield depot as follows: 8.27, 8.36, 9.37, 10.10, 11.30 A. M., 2.04, 2.30, 3.45, 4.36, 5.36, 6.30, P. M.

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8:42 P. M. PACIFIC EXPRESS, with Pullman Vestibule sleeping cars, daily for Pittsburg, Chicago, and Toledo, daily except Saturday, for Cleveland.

For Baltimore, Washington and the South, 1 07, 6 57, 7 59, 9 05 A. M.; and 9 29 P. M. On Sunday at 1 00, 6 59, 9 05 A. M., 9 29 P. M.

For Philadelphia—1 00, 6 57, 7 59, 9 05, 9 35, 11 07 A.M.; 12 05, 1 39, 2 54, 5 15, 6 37, 7 40, 9 30 P. M. Sundays at 1 00, 6 59, 9 05, 9 35, 10 41 A. M.; 5 40 7 47 and 9 29 P. M.

FOR ATLANTIC CITY.

1.39 P. M. (through day cars) week-days. For Cape May, Sea Isle City and Ocean City, 1.39 P. M., week-days.

For Trenton—1 00, 6 57, 7 10, 7 59, 9 05, 9 35, 11 07 A. M.; 12 05, 1 39, 2 54, 5 15, 6 37, 7 40, 9 30 P. M. Sundays at 1 00, 6 59, 9 05, 9 35, 10 41 A. M.; 5 40 7 47 and 9 29 P. M.

For Lambertville, Phillipsburg and Belvidere via Trenton—7 59 A. M.; 2 54 and 5 15 P. M.

For Lambertville and Phillipsburg only, 1.39 P. M.

For Flemington—7 59 A. M.; 2 54 P. M.

For Bordentown, Burlington and Camden via Trenton—7 59, 9 35, 11 07 A. M. 1 39, 2 54, 5 15 7 40 P. M. Sundays at 10 41 A. M. and 5 40 P. M.

A full line of tickets are on sale, and sleeping car accommodations can be secured at the ticket office at Elizabeth.

For further information, see time tables to be had at the ticket offices.

CHARLES E. PUGH, General Manager.
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## Central Railroad of New Jersey.

Station in New York foot of Liberty Street. Time Table in effect, June 22, 1890.

PLAINFIELD AND NEW YORK.

Leave Plainfield 3 37, 5 24, 6 36, 6 29, 6 59, 7 29 7 30, 7 56, 8, 8 15, 8 31, 8 37, 9 39, 10 05, 11 05, 11 39, A. M., 1, 1 41, 2 07, 2 30, 3 12, 3 51, 5 08, 5 31, 6 07, 6 54, 7 08, 8 31, 9 28, 10 12, 11 28 P. M. Sunday—3 37, 8 24, 8 01, 8 55, 11 02, 11 16 A. M., 12 33, 1 39, 3 30, 5 16, 7 01, 7 10, 8 23, 9 02, 10 02 P. M.

Leave New York from foot of Liberty street, 4 30, 5 45, 7, 7 45, 8 45, 10, 11, A. M., 1, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4, 4 30, 5, 5 15, 5 30, 5 45, 6, 6 15, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 8, 8 30, 9 15, 10, 11 30 P. M., 12 15, night. Sunday—8 30, 7, 8 30, 9, 9 30, A. M., 12 M., 1, 1 15, 4, 5 30, 6, 7, 9 00, 10 00 P. M., 12 15 night.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield 5 38, 6 29, 6 59, 7 30, 8, 8 37, 9 32, 10 05, 11 09, 11 39, A. M., 1, 2 07, 2 30, 3 12, 3 51, 5 08, 5 31, 6 07, 6 54, 7 08, 8 31, 10 12, 11 28 P. M. Sundays—6 01, 8 52, 11 16, A. M., 12 33, 1 50, 3 30, 5 16, 7 01, 7 10, 8 29, 8 32, 10 02 P. M.

Leave Newark 7 10, 7 50, 8 55, 10 10, 11 56 A. M., 1 05, 1 35, 2 50, 3 40, 4 02, 4 25, 5 05, 5 50, 6 35, 6 15, 7 15, 7 35, 9 20, 9 35, 11 35 P. M. Sundays—7 20, 8 40, 9 05, 9 50, A. M., 12 05, 1 10, 4 10, 5 40, 6 05, 7 02, 9 25, 10 20 P. M.

Passengers for Newark change cars at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7, 8 07, 9 42, 11, 11 58 A. M., 1 59, 2 32, 3 45, 4 34, 5 20, 5 34, 6 20, 6 38, 7 09, 7 12, 7 34 8 20, 9 43, 11 13, 12 43 P. M. Sundays—8 45, 8 13, 9 48, A. M., 2 03, 2 20, 5 14, 6 38, 10 15, 11 14 P. M.

Leave Somerville, 5, 6 30, 7 03, 7 25, 7 55, 7 48 9 05, 9 47, 11 15 A. M., 12 35, 1 15, 1 48, 2 05, 3 2 4 40, 5 12, 5 35, 8 05, 8 50, 11 05, P. M. Sundays—9 25, 10 55 A. M., 12 08, 1 05, 4 50, 6 40, 8 03, 8 05, 9 30 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7, 8 07, 9 42, A. M., 1 59, 4 54, 5 20, 6 38, 8 20 P. M. Sundays—5 45, 8 13 A. M., 2 03, 6 35 P. M.

Leave Easton 6 05, 8 44, 12 A. M., 12 32, 4 09, 6 49 P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 03, A. M., 6 46, 7 30 P. M

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 9 42 A. M., 6 20 P. M.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

LEAVE PLAINFIELD.

5 45 A. M. for Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

7 A. M. for High Bridge Branch and Easton.

8 07 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 42 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Nanticoke, Drifton, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c.

1 59 P. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, &c.

4 34 P. M. for D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

5 20 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch Schooley's Mountain, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, &c.

6 20 P. M. for Flemington.

6 38 P. M. for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk Reading, Harrisburg.

8 20 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

6 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8 14 a. m. Sundays for High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, &c., 2 03 p. m Sundays for High Bridge Branch Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua and Pottsville. 6 35 p. m Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m. 1 p. m.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c.

Leave Plainfield 3 37, 8, 11 09, a. m., 2 51, 5 51, p. m. Sundays—(except Ocean Grove) 8 52, a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 38, 8, 10 05, 11 09 a. m., 1, 3 51, 5 31, 7 03 p. m. Sunday—8 52 a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8, 10 05 a. m., 1, 3 51, 5 31, p. m.

BOUND BROOK ROUTE.

Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia, 7 17, 5 45, 8 20, 9 48, 11 58* a. m., 1 59*, 2 32*, 4 08, 5 34*, 5 52*, 8 20 p. m. Sundays—1 17, 9 48, a. m., 2 20* 4 08, 5 14*, 6 55 p. m.

For Baltimore and Washington at 7 17, 9 48, 11 58* a. m., 2 45, 4 08, 5 34* p. m. Sundays—1 17, 9 48 a. m., 2 47, 4 08, 5 14* p. m.

RETURNING—LEAVE PHILADELPHIA,

Ninth and Green streets, 7 30*, 8 30*, 9 30, 11 05 a. m., 12 45, 1 30, 3 15, 5 15, 6 15, 8 02, 9 45, 12 p. m Sundays—9 a. m., 12 50, 3 10, 5 15, 6 10, 8, 12 p. m.

From 24th and Chestnut—3 10, 8 20*, 11 08, a. m. 12 52, 3 20, 6 18, 8 05, p. m. Sundays—9 10, 9 38 a. m., 12 52, 3 20, 6 18, 8 05 p. m.

Leave Trenton, Warren and Tucker sts., 1 20, 4 00, 7*, 9*, 9*, 10 10, 11 55 a.m. 1 20, 2 10, 3 00*, 3 55, 5 00, 6 05, 8 47, 10 p. m. Sundays—1 20, 4 00, 9 05 a.m. 1 20, 4, 5 55, 7, 8 47 p. m.

Plainfield passengers by trains marked * change cars at Bound Brook.

J. H. OLHAUSEN, Gen. Sup't.
E. P. BALDWIN, Gen. Pass. Agent.

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Only 25 of those 10-Piece Decorated Toilet Sets left. The price, $2.90 per set, sells them.

There is a special good bargain in Table Linen for this week. 10 pieces, 70-inch wide, 55c yd., value 75c.

Buy a New Broom for 13c.

Do you know that we can and will save you money on Winter Underwear?

When in the store look through our Cloak Department, second floor.

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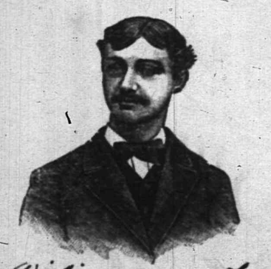

First Catch Your Hare

Reads an old recipe; that' well enough in Culinary matters, but it dosen't do to wait until you Cut, Scald or Burn yourself, and then run for a bottle of CARL KAERTH'S

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A much wiser plan is to spend 25c., and keep a bottle in the house.

Ask your Druggist for it.

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## THE RIGHT TO GIVE

### Commissioner Roosevelt Settles a Vexed Question.

CLERKS MAY AID THEIR PARTY.

Forced Contributions by Intimidation Will Cause Trouble and Arrests.

**Haughwout Howe Lives Only a Few Hours After His Marriage—The President's Trip to Indiana—Troubles of an Arkansas Postmaster—First Comptroller Matthews' Annual Report.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 31.—Commissioner Roosvelt said to-day that government clerks have a perfect right to contribute money to whichever party they prefer, without fear or favor, but they should not be compelled to so contribute. "There is no reason," he said, "why under a Republican Administration, all the contributions should be made to the Republican campaign fund, and under a Democratic Administration they should all go to the Democratic fund.

"The clerks are as much at liberty to contribute to one party as to another, and are perfectly free to make no contributions if they so prefer. Within the classified service the employes are under obligations to no party. Governor Thompson is a Democrat serving under this administration. He made a contribution to aid his party. I am a Republican. I aid mine. If we did not want to contribute we would not. No one can force a government employe to contribute. Nor, if he desires to contribute, compel him to contribute to this party rather than to that.

"This is all there is in the question, except that no employe shall solicit, directly or indirectly, from any other employe, and none shall give political assessments to or take them from another employe.

"If there are political clubs of which government employes are members, there is no reason why they should not be Democratic as well as Republican; but any of them will be prosecuted if we have evidence of their trying to force contributions by intimidation."

### CONCLUDED TO RESIGN.

**An Arkansas Postmaster Who Had a Varied Experience.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 31.—The postmaster at Donladson, Ark., after a varied experience concluded to resign. The postmaster was objectionable to some citizens in the vicinity of the postoffice because he was a Republican. In a letter to the Postmaster-General he says:

"Yesterday I was knocked down and kicked and stamped. I began to think I was used up. We have compromised and I have agreed to resign. I am told that will settle the whole matter. I am truly glad to get away from here. These people know not what they do."

Colonel Whitfield, the First Assistant, will send an inspector to Donaldson, and if he finds that the postmaster has been driven out of the town, will direct the postoffice to remain closed.

**The Spanish Minister's Recall.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 31.—It is announced upon the highest authority that there is no truth in the report that Senor Muruaga, the Spanish Minister, was recalled at the request of Mr. Blaine. On the contrary, the relations between Mr. Blaine and Senor Muruaga have been of the very pleasantest character, and the Secretary of State was the first to express regret at his recall. The only reason for the recall of Senor Muruaga is the change of administration at Madrid.

**The Request Denied.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 31.—A decision has just been rendered by the Treasury Department denying a request to draw into smaller packages a cask of brandy now in bonded warehouse, to prevent deterioration and leakage, on the ground that the law authorized only the repacking of drugs, medicines and chemicals in bond. Permission was granted, however, to transfer the liquor to a single package.

**The First Comptroller's Report.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 31.—First Comptroller Matthews has submitted his annual report to the Secretary of the Treasury. The accounts of warrants received amounted to $589,997,228, while those for accounts and settlement aggregated $644,500,824. He recommends that some definite time be named when accounts against the Government may be treated as settled.

**Million Dollar Capitol for Rhode Island.**

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Oct. 31.—The State House Commission has decided that Rhode Island needs a million dollar capitol. A prize of $500 is offered to each of the best three designs received from Rhode Island architects. These three architects will compete with not more than six architects outside of the State. Then the best plan of all will be accepted. Alfred Stone, William R. Walker and Howard Hoppin will arrange the conditions of the competition.

**Sued the City for $40,000.**

NEWBURYPORT, Mass., Oct. 31.—Papers were served on City Clerk Stevens by Deputy Sheriff Johnson of Salem, in a suit for $40,000 against the city of Newburyport, brought by John A. Douglass on an action of contract. Douglass recently completed the sewerage system in Newburyport. He alleges that the city broke the contract and claims days wages from the beginning to the completion of the job.

**Shot Himself in the Head.**

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 31.—Oscar Galinski, a member of a lithographing firm doing business at 105 Beekman street, New York shot himself in the head at Green's Hotel, this city. He died instantly.

### CREATED A SENSATION.

**Bishop Cleary Speaks for Separate Schools and Ridicules the Newspapers.**

KINGSTON, Ont., Oct. 31.—Archbishop Cleary, who has just received the pallium, created a sensation last night by his reply to an address from school children. He referred to the recent election, which was run on the separate school question, and said:

"The right to control the education of our youth we will never surrender to any man—to Premier, to Governor-General, to Queen, to any one. Never, never."

The newspapers he said, confounded religion with politics and seemed to rule the world, but he did not care a button what they said. The Archbishop in conclusion said:

"Catholics are being persecuted in pious, evangelical Ontario, by unctuous, evangelical, sanctimonious ministers who call themselves preachers of the Gospel, but who know nothing about it. In the Province of Ontario separate schools are in the constitution, and the constitution must go, confederation must go, the Dominion of Canada must go before we give up separate schools."

### SEEKING A BIGAMIST.

**Five Brothers of a Victimized Woman on the Warpath.**

LANCASTER, Pa., Oct. 31.—Charles F. Mowry, a piano tuner, formerly of this city, is now being hunted by five Western men, who threaten to kill him on sight. Mowry deserted his wife something more than a year ago, went to Little Rock, Ark., and secured an excellent position with a musical instrument firm in that city. He associated with the wealthiest people in the place, and soon held a good position in society.

He won the good graces of Miss Wardlow, the daughter of a very respectable family, and persuaded her to marry him. Soon after the wedding the two left Little Rock and went to Fort Worth, Texas, to live. They were there some time and went thence to San Antonio, where Mowry secured a position. They lived in that place until two weeks ago, when Mowry fled after the story of his bigamy became known to his wife and her family.

The victimized woman has become a raving maniac on account of Mowry's perfidy. R. N. Wardlow, her brother, a prominent citizen of St. Louis, is in this city seeking information of Mowry's whereabouts. Four other brothers are on Mowry's trail, threatening to kill him. His legal wife has not heard from him for a long time.

### BURIED IN A SACK.

**The Body of a Murdered Child Found by Dogs.**

SCRANTON, Oct. 31. — While George Breen and a companion were hunting with guns and dogs near Forest City, their attention was attracted by the barking of their dogs.

On investigating they found a large, flat stone turned up to cover a hole in the side of a hill, in which was a sack. Drawing it out they found inside the sack a body of a child. A mark on the head showed where the blow had been struck which killed it.

The body had evidently been in the hole about a week, and decomposition had set in. The authorities are investigating the mystery.

**New York's Mayor Appeals Again.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 31.—Governor Hill, Mayor Grant and a number of prominent Democratic leaders held a conference last night at the Hoffman House on the city census question. Shortly afterward Mayor Grant forwarded a long letter to Secretary Noble, in which he says the enumeration made by the Federal enumerators does not do justice to New York city, and submits further proof to show that the figures of the Federal census are not correct, and hopes a recount will be made.

**Increased the Price of Gas.**

PITTSBURG, Oct. 31.—The directors of the Philadelphia Natural Gas Company decided to increase the price of gas to private consumers 50 per cent. The advance will go into effect December 1. The increase decided upon will make the rate 20 cents per 1,000 feet, with five cents off for cash payment, or 15 cents per 1,000 feet.

**Cardinal Manning Very Feeble.**

LONDON, Oct. 31.—Cardinal Manning, in replying to the address presented to him by the Jewish bodies of Great Britain in honor of his ecclesiastical jubilee, impressed every one present with sorrow at his rapidly growing feebleness. The venerable prelate retained a standing position during the delivery of his reply with great difficulty, and his utterance was slow and tremulous. In the course of his remarks he declared that there were only three lasting elements—history, the man of Israel and the Catholicity of the world.

**The President's Trip to Indiana.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 31.—It is expected that the President will leave here Sunday night or very early Monday for Indiana. He will arrive at his home Monday evening, vote on Tuesday at the State election, and, as now arranged, will leave Indianapolis on Tuesday evening for Washington.

## WILL NOT ARBITRATE

### Every Prospect of a Strike in the Coke Region.

17,000 MEN MAY BE INVOLVED.

The Knights of Labor Say It is a Fight for Supremacy.

**Their Action Causing Unfavorable Comment—The Reinstatement of a Foreman Demanded—Syracuse Workingmen Join the Tailors in Their Trouble—Telegraphers Receive Orders Not to Strike.**

SCOTTDALE, Pa., Oct. 31.—The requisite six day notices have now all been served on General Manager Lynch of the Frick Coke Company from every one of the company's plants, and there is every prospect of a strike of 10,000 workmen if the Tip Top committeeman, Verostics, is not reinstated by Monday.

Master Workman Kerfoot said to-day: "If we are forced to a strike at the Frick works we will immediately call the whole region out. There are 16,000 ovens in the region, and it would involve about 17,000 men. This fight for supremacy between the Knights of Labor and the Frick Coke Company may as well come now as ever."

General Manager Lynch of the Frick Company says that Verostics was justly discharged, and offers to leave the question with a jury or judge to decide. The Knights decline the acceptance of this proposition, and their refusal is causing considerable unfavorable comment.

### A STUBBORN STRIKE.

**Every Branch of Organized Labor Helping the Syracuse Tailors.**

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Oct. 31.—Every branch of organized labor in Syracuse have taken up the cause of the tailors here who have been on strike about three weeks. The local union has sent nearly a hundred tailors back to New York after they had come here to take the places of the strikers.

This is the first time in years that all branches of organized labor, the trades unions and the Knights of Labor, have joined hands in supporting the individual trouble of a union or assembly. Up to a few days ago the tailors fought single-handed and did not ask for assistance. But the other branches of organized labor have made the cause of the strikers their own.

The strong opposition of the employers to organized labor has brought the trades unions and the Knights of Labor into harmony in standing by the strikers. It is almost impossible to get a garment promised by the merchant tailors here.

**Telegraphers Will Not Strike.**

CHICAGO, Oct. 31.—There will be no strike by the Brotherhood of Telegraphers at present. Grand Master Johnson of Louisville has issued an order that all members of the order must remain at work. Those who went on strike at St. Paul and other cities are commanded to return to their employment, and those who have been discharged for their connection with the organization are urged to regain, if possible, their situations with the company.

**The South Hampstead Murder.**

LONDON, Oct. 31. — Interest in the South Hampstead murder case is deepening, and Hogg, the husband of the murdered woman, is rapidly getting himself entangled in the circumstantial meshes which the police are knitting. The man has an unbridled tongue which he is using to its full capacity in criminating himself by the variety of improbable stories he tells. The statement that he has made a full confession is premature, but in a fragmentary way he has told enough to convince the police of his complicity in the crime and his arrest is hourly expected.

**An Old Ship Broker Dies Suddenly.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 31.—John Norton, senior member of the firm of John Norton & Co., ship and freight brokers at No. 90 Wall street, died suddenly during the morning. He was well known in shipping circles, and had been engaged in the brokerage business for the last 45 years.

**Received a Light Sentence.**

NEWPORT, R. I., Oct. 31.—Stephen McDermott, found guilty of criminal assault on a six-year-old girl, was sentenced to nine months in the Providence county jail.

**An Old Bank President Dead.**

NORWICH, Conn., Oct. 31.—Franklin Nichols, president of the Thames National Bank, is dead, aged 95. He had been engaged in banking business for over half a century.

**Mr. Blaine to Speak in Philadelphia.**

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 31.—Secretary of State James G. Blaine will address a meeting here to-morrow.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—U. S. Gov't Report, Aug. 17, 1889.

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### LOOKING FOR THE COLONEL.

**Steps Taken to Find the Man Who Wrote the Letter to Birchall.**

WOODSTOCK, Ont., Oct. 31.—The excitement over the letter from Jackson, Mich., signed "Colonel," still continues. At first it was thought that it was written by Birchall himself, smuggled out of the jail and mailed over the border, but several experts have examined the letter and say the handwriting is not at all like Birchall's. Jailer Cameron and Turnkey Forkes say emphatically that such a letter could not have have left the jail without their knowledge.

Steps will be taken to ascertain who the individual in Jackson who wrote the letter is, and samples of the handwriting of the prisoners in Jackson State prison will be obtained if possible, as it is suspected that the writer may now be doing time there.

Birchall's lawyers have asked Mr. Stevens of Montreal to give them as minute a description as possible of the man described by him as the "Colonel."

### BOILER EXPLOSION.

**Four Persons Fatally Injured and Several Others Slightly Scalded.**

ALTOONA, Pa., Oct. 31.—A serious explosion occurred at the rolling mills of the Portage Iron Company, located at Duncansville, seven miles south of Altoona, shortly after 8 o'clock last night. One of the three large boilers in the ten-inch mill exploded from an unknown cause and the reports could be plainly heard for miles around.

Those fatally injured are: James Weaver, aged 28, badly scalded, skull fractured and cut about the face: Samuel Flick, fireman, aged 48, married, scalded about the face and body; William Miller, aged 30, married, badly scalded; Theo. Orth, puddler, scalded and horribly mangled. Several others whose names are unknown were slightly scalded.

### RESENTS AN INDIGNITY.

**Governor Campbell Resigns from the Well-Known Duckworth Club.**

CINCINNATI, Oct. 31.—The Duckworth Club of this city, one of the most influential Democratic organizations in the West, passed resolutions censuring Governor Campbell for his action in demanding the abolition of the old Board of Public Improvements. The resolutions were mailed to the Governor and the following reply was received:

GENTLEMEN:—I have heard with surprise and sorrow that the Duckworth Club of Cincinnati has formally censured me for performing an official duty of the gravest nature. No self-respecting man desires to be affiliated with those who could perpetrate such an indignity upon him. I therefore tender my resignation as a member of your club.

JAMES E. CAMPBELL.

**Probably Sunk With All on Board.**

SOMERS' POINT, N. J., Oct. 31.—Fears are entertained that the schooner John Lingo, brick laden, from Haverstraw, N. Y., for Atlantic City, N. J., has foundered with all on board. Capt. Somers Ireland of Linwood, N. J., and mates John Milton and Joshua Smith are all young men and well known throughout Atlantic County. The vessel passed Sandy Hook outward bound more heavily laden than ever before on the same evening that the late heavy storm commenced.

**Struck by a Whirlwind.**

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Oct. 31.—A whirlwind from the northwest struck Narragansett Bay off Cowesset last night. The schooner Maggie Cummins from New York, which had discharged her cargo of corn, was sailing down the bay light. The whirlwind struck her and she turned side up, but did not sink. The crew narrowly escaped drowning.

**An Old Railroad Officer Dead.**

RONDOUT, N. Y., Oct. 31.—Anthony Benson, treasurer of the Ulster & Delaware Railroad Company since its organization, is dead, aged 74 years. He had been treasurer and secretary of the Rondout Savings Bank for 20 years and also vice-president of the First National Bank of Rondout. Deceased was well known in banking and railroad circles.

**Count D'Auxy Dead.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 31.—Edward Charles Femand Edouard Count D'Auxy, died in the apartments of the Duke and Duchess D'Auxy at the Pavilion Hotel, New Brighton, Staten Island. Count D'Auxy came to New Brighton from Belgium last May. He was suffering from gastritis, and his journey to America was principally for his health.

**Public Bequests.**

LYNN, Mass., Oct. 31.—The public bequests of Mrs. Lydia Rhodes of this city, widow of Amos Rhodes, are as follows: Second Congregational Society, Lynn, $3,000; Lynn Home for Aged Women, Lynn Public Library and the Lynn Hospital, $2,000 each; $30,000 for the erection of a Rhodes memorial chapel in Pine Grove Cemetery.

**A Train Crashes Through a Hotel.**

HUNTINGTON, Pa., Oct. 31.—A coal train on the Pennsylvania road ran on a misplaced switch at an early hour and crashed through the Hotel Brunswick, creating a panic among the guests, and landed in the yards of the Girard House and Jackson House. The loss to the railroad company's rolling stock is $25,000.

**Died from Exposure.**

FALL RIVER, Mass., Oct. 31.—Searching parties who were hunting for Captain William Shacklen of Copicut, who went gunning Tuesday and had not returned, have found his body. He was 70 years old and a large land holder in Copicut, and is thought to have died of apoplexy and exposure.

## STANLEY EXPLAINS

### Waiting for His Enemies to Tell What They Know.

THE REAR COLUMN WRECKERS.

His Charges Against the Officers Based on Their Own Reports.

**Seamen Preparing for the Threatened Strike—An Opinion on the Behring Sea Question—Cardinal Manning Very Feeble—Mrs. O'Shea Will be Her Own Lawyer—Emin's Expedition Advancing.**

LONDON, Oct. 31.—The Times this morning has the following interview with Henry M. Stanley, who was seen on board the Teutonic at Queenstown.

Mr. Stanley was shown the second installment of Lieutenant Troup's interview in Boston. He read it carefully and said it contained only general charges which might have been expected, but which called for no further explanations from him.

The reporter asked if he did not desire to give the facts which the public was asking for.

"All I desire to say is if the reports which are about to be published by the officers differ in any important sense from the official reports which they furnished me, I shall feel bound to publish fully the official reports which are now in my possession."

"Does not the interview with Lieutenant Troup differ from his official report, Mr. Stanley?"

"Lieutenant Troup's statements are very general, and do not touch the real point at issue. He says he is waiting for me to bring the charges. I intend to make no charges until I find whether the officers of the rear column stultify themselves by publishing reports differing from their official statement to me. The officers of the rear column are at perfect liberty to publish any details of the expedition they think proper, but I do not think that Lieutenant Troup is explaining anything by these vague general charges, nor by the violent and intemperate language he has used will he exonerate himself."

"Do you know why the officers of the rear column appeared to be animated by ill feeling toward you, Mr. Stanley?"

"Yes, it is easy to explain. It must not be forgotten that the cause of the controversy is the violent resentment the officers of the rear column have against the general censure cast upon them in my letter to the Emin Pasha Relief Committee in August, 1888. It was written by me fresh after hearing the horrible details of the wreck of the column. I wrote that the rear column was wrecked by the irresolution of the officers, the neglect of their promises and their indifference to the interest of the expedition. I cannot now modify that censure. Now, the duty of one and all of the surviving officers is to tell their stories plainly and simply, and the public may have the chance of judging whether my view of their conduct is too harsh or unjust. That is all I have to say."

### READY FOR THE FIGHT.

**The Struggle Between the Seamen's Union and Employers Will Soon Commence.**

LONDON, Oct. 31.—Special meetings of the Seamen's Union branches are being held in London, Liverpool, Bristol and Cardiff. The men are determined to make a fight to the last against the refusal of employers to discharge non-union men, and they expect the sympathy and aid of the Dockers' Union in their struggle.

The Shipping Federation has been making active preparation for the strife, and now has free labor offices open in all the principal cities and towns, at which many applications have been received for employment.

Home Secretary Matthews has promised to see that the police do their duty in the event of any unlawful interference with non-union laborers.

Eleven unions, embracing 400,000 members, compose the new Dockers' Federation. The organization is complete in the matter of detail and the discipline of the men is said by the leaders to be admirable. The Federation intends to raise a fund by levying an assessment of sixpence upon each member, and the proposition has been received by the men with a degree of enthusiasm promising the speedy accumulation of a formidable financial bulwark against the assaults of the strikers' most potent adversary, destitution, in the event of a general revolt against the employers.

**Stanley's Charges Against Barttelot.**

LONDON, Oct. 31.—Mr. Herbert Ward, the explorer, says he knows nothing about the alleged facts upon which Mr. Stanley based his insinuations against Major Barttelot, himself and others. He lived with Barttelot for many months and was not aware of anything that would detract from his character as an officer and a gentleman.

**Behring Sea Question.**

LONDON, Oct. 31.—Commenting on the Behring Sea question, the Times this morning thinks the question of mare clausum, which Mr. Blaine appears to throw into the background, must be dealt with before any progress is possible. When this question is settled England is perfectly ready to co-operate with America.

**Emin Pasha's Expedition.**

ZANZIBAR, Oct. 31.—Matters have been received from the Emin Pasha expedition stating that all are well and that the expedition is making a steady advance.

**Will be Her Own Lawyer.**

LONDON, Oct. 31.—Mrs. O'Shea, her friends say, has become strongly determined to conduct her part of the approaching divorce trial in person.

### A BRIDE OF A DAY.

**Haugwout Howe Dead and His Remains Taken to New York This Morning.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 31.—A widow today and a bride yesterday is the sad story of the wedded life of Mrs. Haughwout Howe, nee Miss May Butterworth, daughter of Congressman Butterworth.

For several hours after the wedding Mr. Howe rested easily. Suddenly he became delirious and fancied he was on his wedding trip.

In the morning an attempt was made to quiet him by an injection of morphine, and this was accomplished only after a struggle.

Mrs. Howe, who, with Mrs. Roosa, Mr. Howe's mother, and Mr. Magruder had remained with him during the night, went to her home for breakfast, after her husband became quiet. She returned about half past nine and remained at his bedside until the end.

Nine years ago Haughwout Howe figured in a romance in New York which created a social sensation. He met and fell in love with Marie Vandyke, the pretty daughter of Professor Elie Charlier, a well-known educator of that city. The Professor was furious when he learned the facts and ordered Marie to leave the house.

The couple were married, however, and for a season were happy, but they finally quarreled and in 1888 Mrs. Howe secured a divorce on the grounds of cruelty and desertion.

Services over the remains of Mr. Howe took place this morning at 10 o'clock in the building leased for the use of the Pan-American Conference. Dr. Bartlett, who performed the marriage ceremony for Mr. Howe and Miss Butterworth, conducted the services. At 11 o'clock the body was taken to the railroad station and the funeral train left for New York.

**The Poll-Tax Cases.**

LAWRENCE, Mass., Oct. 31.—In the poll-tax cases in court defense claimed that the action was a political measure and asked a continuance until after the election which was granted. These are the test cases in which the Republicans claim that persons having their poll taxes paid by the Democratic City Committee are not entitled to vote.

### NEWS OF THE DAY.

Gov. Brackett of Massachusetts has appointed November 27 for Thanksgiving Day.

Owing to the new Tariff law of the United States one thousand weavers in Silesia are idle.

It is said that Count von Moltke has refused the dukedom tendered him by Emperor William.

The Count of Paris had a narrow escape from death by missing his footing on a moving train at Plattsburg, N. Y.

Tommy Miller of Indianapolis, has signed articles to fight Tommy Warren for $1,000 a side at New Orleans, November 22.

Charles Duncombe of Keeler, Mich., has filed suit against Congressman Burrows for payment of a $10,000 note which he holds against him.

The monument erected at the Annapolis Naval Academy at Annapolis, Md., to commemorate the heroism of the officers and men of the Jeannette who shared a melancholy fate in the Arctic expedition of 1879, was unveiled during the morning with appropriate ceremonies.

A dispatch from Berlin says that Prof. Koch has fully perfected his plan for the cure of consumption by inoculation. The mode of treatment is said to have received the unqualified approval of many of the leading German physicians, who until very recently scouted the idea.

The Boston freestone cutters who have maintained a strike against the combined contractors and master builders for eight months, during which time they have raised and distributed $11,000 relief money and have had only five deserters from the 350 men who went out, last night met and voted to declare the strike off.

Capt. Comiskey of Chicago has been unable to get together his ball team and the California trip is off, for the present at least. Players who had promised to go kept the wires busy explaining how it would be impossible to get away. The result was that Comisky had no choice but to declare the whole thing off. His California partner, Jack Crooks, has gone to St. Paul.

**Weather Indications.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 31.—For New England and Eastern New York: Colder; fair weather; westerly winds.

For New Jersey: Fair weather and colder, westerly winds.

For Western New York: Colder; northwesterly winds, and occasionally light showers or flurries of snow.

### NEW YORK MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Oct. 30.—Money on call to-day 5 and 6 per cent.

BONDS.

| | Closing Yesterday. | Closing To-day. |
|---|---|---|
| 4½s, 1891 Reg. | 104¼ | 104¼ |
| 4½s, 1891 Coup. | 104¼ | 104¼ |
| 4 s, 1907 Reg. | 124 | 124 |
| 4 s, 1907 Coup. | 121 | 121 |

STOCK MARKET.

| | Closing Yesterday. | Closing To-day. |
|---|---|---|
| Canadian Pacific | 73¾ | 74 |
| Central Pacific | 30¾ | |
| Chicago, Bur. & Q. | 99¾ | 91¾ |
| Delaware & Hudson | 128¾ | |
| Del. Lack. & Western | 143¾ | 143 |
| Erie | 21¼ | 21¼ |
| Erie pref. | | |
| Lake Shore | 107¼ | 108¼ |
| Louis. & Nash. | 77 | 77 |
| Michigan Central | 93 | |
| Missouri Pacific | 68¾ | 69¾ |
| New Jersey Central | 110 | 110 |
| Northwestern | 108 | 108¼ |
| Oregon Navigation | | |
| Pacific Mail | 41¾ | |
| Reading | 37¾ | 37¾ |
| Rock Island | 78¾ | 77¾ |
| St. Paul | 56 | 57¾ |
| Union Pacific | 45¾ | 46¾ |
| Western Union | 81 | 81¼ |

The Presbyterian Synod of New Jersey recently unanimously decided to protest and vote against any Assemblyman or Senator nominated who would not pledge himself decidedly against all legislation to permit or protect race track gamblers. Consequently the Rev. Dr. Ketcham's and the Rev. Mr. Richards' people will understand that their two votes will not be cast for Mr. Rankin.

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## BY THE WAY.

—Shorthand classes meet at the Y. M. C. A. rooms, to-night.

—The Twilight Social Club will hold their second annual ball at Amphion Hall to-night.

—Dr. L. S. Pocock, the only veterinary surgeon in Plainfield, has removed his office to 9 West Sixth street—Stelle's livery.

—One of the latest appointed letter carriers was seen by another, Wednesday, to take out his watch and try to open a letter box with it.

—Buyers of shoes will profit during the month of November by a special reduction in prices made by C. P. Wheeler, of 37 Somerset street.

—Charles H. Hand and wife have sold to Elizabeth S. Apgar, lot on DeKalb avenue, 150 feet Northwest from North avenue, 149x50 feet for $300.

—Prayer meeting (union service) in the Seventh Day Baptist church, to-night at 8 o'clock. The Rev. C. L. Goodrich will have charge of the meeting.

—A photograph taken on the spot of the Plainfield young man who wears a No. 13 and a No. 14 shoe, is displayed today in the window of Doane & VanArsdale.

—William M. Thomas and wife, of New York, have sold to Aaron Butler, of Castleton, Richmond county, N. Y., land in Plainfield, .651 of an acre on Rahway road for $12,000.

—The Whatsoever Circle, King's Daughters, who gave such a pleasing entertainment at Y. M. C. A., Hall, Friday evening, made a gratifying success, and report a net gain of $40 50, which was given to help a poor minister's family in the West.

## PARTICULAR MENTION.

A social party is to be held at the residence of George Shay, Terrell road, Fanwood, on Saturday evening.

The funeral services of Mrs. Henry A. Lee, who died Wednesday evening, will be held to-morrow afternoon at three o'clock, at 5 First place.

James E. Martine, Governor Leon Abbett, and Senator Edward F. McDonald were the speakers at the Democratic ratification meeting in Elizabethport, last night.

The Rev. Dr. D. J. Yerkes, pastor of the First Baptist church of Plainfield, preached the annual sermon at the New Jersey State Baptist Convention at Camden, Wednesday.

Howard Gray, for many years a resident of this city during his connection with THE CONSTITUTIONALIST, is just now rejoicing over the coming of a baby boy to his home in Norwich, Conn.

### Plenty of New Voters in Plainfield.

The complete registration in city and borough shows a considerable gain in the number of voters. Yesterday the Court of Common Pleas met at Elizabeth and revised the lists. A number of names were presented and by order of the court were placed on the books in the several districts. The court also ordered that several who were complained of as being legally entitled to vote be summoned to show cause why their names should not be stricken from the lists. The following gives the number registered in Plainfield in 1889, the number registered this year before the lists were submitted to the Court, and the number registered as legal voters after yesterday's revision:

PLAINFIELD.

| | 1889 | 1890 | 1890 Revised |
|---|---|---|---|
| First ward | 584 | 591 | 591 |
| Second ward | 545 | 592 | 593 |
| Third ward | 417 | 494 | 491 |
| Fourth ward— | | | |
| 1st district | 386 | 472 | 472 |
| 2d district | 348 | 396 | 413 |
| | 2,280 | 2,545 | 2,560 |

In North Plainfield 564 have been registered in the First District, and 438 in the Second, making a total of 1,002. The total vote cast in the entire township last year was only 729.

### We May Have Street Cars Yet.

The projectors of one of the street railway companies who have applied to the City Common Council for a franchise to operate a line in Plainfield visited this city yesterday and drove in carriages from Roberts's stables over the route they have selected for their line. The trip was mainly for the purpose of exhibiting to their constructing engineer, who accompanied them, the distance to be covered and to give him an idea of what will be the requirements of construction. The company has not yet deposited with the Secretary of State the guarantee which must be given before the Council can take official action in the matter. It may be that the deposit will be made before Monday night, and it may be that on Monday night the Council will grant a franchise to another concern altogether. The company that visited Plainfield yesterday plans to operate its line by electricity, by the unsightly overhead wire system.

The Rev. Dr. Yerkes, of this city, at the Baptist convention in Camden, yesterday, was chairman of a committee to protest in the name of 38,000 Baptists of New Jersey against the re-enactment of the laws to legalize pool-selling and book-making. So his congregation will know that he votes for the Hon. Fred. C. Marsh who has already gone through one fight on just that side.

### Councilman Smith Has His Shooting Clothes On.

E. E. Teeple of South Plainfield, having won the silver cake basket that was shot for several times at Campbell's club house, thought his new Ithaca gun was sure of holding all local championships, and under that delusion issued a challenge to T. H. Brantingham to shoot a match for $10 at 10 live birds (31 yards' rise, 50 yards' boundary, and one barrel), which Mr. Brantingham accepted. R. B. Manning was stakeholder and judge. The money was depositated the evening of the cake basket victory, and the match was shot yesterday. The following was the result:

| | |
|---|---|
| Brantingham | 1 0 0 0 1 1 1 1 1 x—6 |
| Teeple | 1 0 1 0 1 0 0 0 x x—3 |

Mr. Brantingham therefore won by killing his ninth bird. He also killed two which fell dead just out of bounds.

Then there was a small sweep shot, $1 entrance, two moneys, at three birds:

| | |
|---|---|
| Brantingham | 1 1 1—3 |
| Manning | 1 1 0—2 |
| Teeple | 0 1 0—1 |

The balance of the afternoon was spent by the club in sweepstake shooting at targets, 25 cents entrance, at six blue rocks. The following are the scores:

First Event—A. R. Soper won first money with six killed; Manning and Smith won second money with five killed; Teeple and Brantingham won third money with four killed.

Second Event—Soper and Brantingham won first money with six killed; S. G. Smith won second money with five killed; Teeple won third money with four killed.

Third Event—Teeple won first money with six killed; Brantingham won second money with five killed; Manning, Smith and Soper won third money with four killed.

Fourth Event—Soper and Smith won first money with six killed; Manning won second money with four killed; Teeple and Brantingham won third money with three killed.

Fifth Event—Brantingham won first money with six killed; Smith won second money with five killed; Teeple and Soper won third money with four killed.

Sixth Event—Manning, Brantingham and Smith tied for first money with six killed. They shot at six birds on the tie, and Brantingham and Smith divided by breaking five each. Teeple and Soper tied for second money with three killed. They shot off the tie and Teeple won.

A large gathering witnessed the shoot, and the occasion was very enjoyable to all.

### No More Lottery Money by Express for Plainfield.

Harry F. Skiff, Manager for the United States Express company in this city, is a most affable gentlemen for his patrons or anyone else to meet. A PRESS reporter interviewed him yesterday on the order recently issued by the company to all of its superintendents and agents forbidding them to receive or forward any lottery tickets or advertisements, or any packages which they had reasonable ground to believe contained such articles or money intended for the purchase of lottery tickets.

The reporter learned that the Adams Express company has taken the opposite ground, that it has no right to inquire about or suspect the character of packages offered to it for carriage. The consequence of this is that nearly all of the lottery business today is being carried by the messengers of the Adams Express company, and its agents are receiving and distributing the money and lottery tickets of the Louisiana State Lottery throughout the Northern States. If the Adams Express company were to issue the same orders that have been issued by the United States Express company, the business of the Louisiana Lottery would be at once almost entirely confined to the city of New Orleans.

Manager Skiff says that to the company this step, it is said, means a sacrifice of $100,000 worth of business annually. This is a large sum, but undoubtedly the express people will, in the end, be amply repaid for whatever temporary loss they may sustain.

### Brings Tears to the Eyes of All.

The Savannah *News*, one of the safest critics of the Southern press, speaks as follows of Miss Ada Gray, who is to appear at Amphion Hall Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of next week:

"The play of 'East Lynne' is one of the most pathetic and emotional to be found in the modern drama, and always attracts a good house. The theatre, therefore, was well filled last night with an audience to witness the play, and to see Miss Ada Gray in the leading parts of *Lady Isabel* and *Madame Vine*. From the first the interest of the audience was awakened, and kept enchained until the close. Miss Gray portrayed with great effect the beautiful, jealous and loving wife, and the repentant, heart-broken woman. At the close of the last act she received practical recognition of her genius by a copious flow of tears throughout the auditorium."

Charge your mind with the fact that Hires' Cough Cure is the remedy you want should you have a cough or cold. It is pleasant to take, harmless and effective. Always reliable. No opium or poisonous drugs in its composition.

The Rev. Dr. E. M. Bodman, rector of Grace Episcopal church, is one of the Plainfield clergymen who signed the war note against race track gambling that was read in all the pulpits in Union county, Sunday the 19th inst. Count his vote therefore for the Hon. Fred. C. Marsh, and also the votes of Dr. Hurlbut, Dr. Lewis and the Revs. Schenck, Taylor, Ditts, Goodrich, Simpson, and Leonard it is just to suppose.

## ANOTHER REPUBLICAN APPEALS.

### The Rev. George F. Greene Asks John C. Rankin to Speak Out.

The following is an open letter to Republican Senatorial candidate Rankin, from the Rev. George F. Greene, of Cranford, a life-long Republican. The letter was sent to the Elizabeth *Journal* which professes to be an enemy of the race track, but that paper declined to publish it. The Republicans are dumbfounded at the suicidal action of Mr. Rankin and the foolish course of the *Journal*.

*Hon. John C. Rankin, Jr.:*

MY DEAR SIR—Before deciding to vote for you though I am and always have been a Republican, I shall await a clear and direct declaration from you to the public concerning your attitude on the question of *legalizing book making*.

Everybody knows where Mr. Marsh stands. The public is not so enlightened concerning you. Your letter in last Saturday's *Journal* is very unsatisfactory in just this respect: It is neither fish nor fowl. And the precise objection to your attitude is this, not that you are a friend to the race tracks, or are opposed to them, but that you have not hitherto seen fit to take the public into your confidence and frankly say where you are.

You are now much like the wooden men sometimes seen before the tobacco stores, with two faces, one looking up the street and the other looking down.

I don't like a political "trimmer." I like to see a candidate boldly say what he believes and what he intends to do.

I know that your friends make much of your social and religious standing.

They say: "Mr. Rankin is church member, his father is a Presbyterian minister, and he would no more support a measure like that Governor Abbett withheld his signature from last winter than he would receive a bribe."

Well, then, why don't you say so to the public?

It is said that you are basing your refusal to declare your attitude on this question on your dignity.

O fudge! Mr. Mayor! You are after votes.

They say "It is an insult to ask Mr. Rankin to make a pledge on this subject, as it would be to demand a pledge that he would not accept a bribe." But in your letter you intimate that the race track question is an open question and that you wish to hear it debated before deciding upon its merits. So, then, at one time you think that voting to legalize book-making is like taking a bribe, and at another you are not certain whether you would vote for it or not. Aren't you trying Blondin's business here of walking a very slender tight rope?

What I think Republican voters want is an explicit answer from you to these questions: First, what do you personally think of that race track measure? and second, how do you propose to vote upon it in the Legislature? Here is a distinct issue. Unless I am mistaken scores of loyal Republicans will vote against you unless you choose to answer the above inquiries.

I have known you personally for ten years, and have always voted the Republican ticket, but before I vote for you next Tuesday I wish to know what your political creed is. What is your answer, Mr. Mayor, to the above questions?

GEORGE F. GREENE,
Cranford, N. J.

October 30th, 1890

### Mr. Balfour's Movements.

CORK, Oct. 31.—Chief Secretary Balfour and party visited the villages of Omay Island and completed their trip at Clifden, a proposed terminus of the new railroad. Here Mr. Balfour addressed an audience of 200 persons. After having been everywhere accorded a respectful reception by the people the party returned to Kilmare.

### Hanged Himself in the Woods.

CARLSTADT, N. J., Oct. 31.—The dead body of Henry Holz, a wood carver, was found hanging to a tree in the woods near here. Holz had fastened the rope around his neck, then climbed the tree, crept out on the overhanging limb, tied the other end of the rope securely to the limb and jumped off.

### Every City Interested.

CHICAGO, Oct. 31.—A decision has been rendered by Judge Gresham that involves nearly every city in the country. He has decided that the Indianapolis owners of the patent fire alarm gong device in common use by city fire departments throughout the country have cause for recovery of damages, where the alarm has been used without their permission. The patent is in the automatic feature of the alarm gong which at the time the alarm is given releases the horses from their stables.

### State Board of Trade.

BOSTON, Oct. 31.—A State Board of Trade was formed here by the business associations of Massachusetts at a meeting of 99 delegates representing 33 associations. Charles E. Adams of Lowell was elected president.

### A Political Leader Injured.

MT. CARMEL, Pa., Oct. 31.—Hugh McDonald of this place, well known throughout the entire country as a political leader, was struck by a Reading train last night and fatally injured.

### Defeated Harvard's Champion.

BOSTON, Oct. 31.—S. T. Chase, the winner of the fall lawn tennis tournament at Harvard College, played Hugh Tallant, the present college champion, defeating him in three straight sets, 6-4, 6-3, 6-2.

### The Comte de Paris Back.

NEW YORK, Oct. 31.—The Comte de Paris returned to New York last night with his son, the Duc d'Orleans, and the members of his suite.

### Burned by Molten Metal.

BETHLEHEM, Pa., Oct. 31.—A large vessel in the converting department of the Bethlehem Iron Company, containing molten metal, tilted over and horribly burned Michael Dugan, who cannot recover. Osborn Crissman, William Souders, Louis Boyer and Augustus Schmick were seriously burned.

### Shot His Eight-Year-Old Brother.

NEW YORK, Oct. 31.—John A. V. Anido, aged 15 years, shot and fatally wounded his younger brother, William L. Anido, aged 8 years, at their parents' home, 994 Park avenue. The boy says he did not know the revolver was loaded. He was locked up at the police station.

### Snow Hurts the Grape Crop.

DUNKIRK, N. Y., Oct. 31.—About half an inch of snow fell here during the morning. This is particularly hard on the farmers back from the lake shore, as hundreds of tons of grapes are yet to be picked.

### Another Case of Leprosy.

CHESTER, Pa., Oct. 31.—John Andersen, a Swede, was sent yesterday to the County Almshouse Hospital at Lima, near here, as a leper.

### Woman's Modesty.

Many women are prevented by feelings of delicacy from consulting a physician in those disorders of her peculiarly delicate organism, and the most serious results are often caused by this neglect. To such persons Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is an especial boon as it offers a sure and safe cure for all those distressing disorders to which women are peculiarly subject, while it saves a modest girl or woman from the embarrassment of a personal consultation with a physician. "Favorite Prescription" is the only medicine sold by druggists, under a positive guarantee from the manufacturers, that it will give satisfaction in every case, or money will be refunded. See guarantee on bottle wrapper.

DEMOCRATIC MEETING!

TO-NIGHT!

At Saengerbund Hall,
NORTH PLAINFIELD.

Addresses by

HONS. J. P. STOCKTON,
EDWARD F. McDONALD,
AND
JAS. J. BERGEN.

Voters of all parties are invited to be present and hear the above speakers on the issues of the day.

JOSEPH W. BALLANTINE,
Chairman Dem. Co. Ex. Com.
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## DEATHS.

CUTHBERT—Suddenly, Oct. 30, Lillias, widow of Wm. Cuthbert.
Funeral services at the residence of her son, John H. Cuthbert, No. 24 West 5th street, Sunday, Nov 2, at 2:30 P. M. Friends cordially invited.

GILLMORE—Oct. 29, 1890, at his late residence 133 Palisade avenue, Jersey City, Edward DeRussy Gillmore, age 39 years.
Funeral Saturday, Nov 1, 1890, at 2 P. M., from St. Peter's R. C. church, Jersey City. Interment at Plainfield.

LEE—In this city on Wednesday evening, Oct. 29, Genevieve L., wife of Henry A. Lee, in the 37th year of her age.
Funeral services at 5 First place, Saturday, Nov 1, at 3 P. M. Interment private.

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LOOMIS & RICE
49 B'DWAY

The Rev. Dr. E. M. Rodman, rector of Grace Episcopal church, is one of the Plainfield clergymen who signed the war note against race track gambling that was read in all the pulpits in Union county, Sunday the 19th inst. Count his vote therefore for the Hon. Fred. C. Marsh, and also the votes of Dr. Hurlbut, Dr. Lewis and the Revs. Schenck, Taylor, Dilts, Goodrich, Simpson, and Leonard it is just to suppose.

The first letter Gov. Abbott received petitioning him to veto the bill legalizing pool-selling at race tracks, was from the Hon. Fred. C. Marsh, and written on his sick bed. Will you vote for him or for Mr. Rankin who refuses to pledge himself or say a word against the race track gamblers? Remember also, Mr. Rankin's vote was the vote that granted the license to sell liquor on the race track.

# SHALL GAMBLING ON RACE TRACKS BE LEGALIZED?

## "THE PEOPLE HAVE A RIGHT TO CLEAR, POSITIVE AND UNEQUIVOCAL ANSWERS."—*Elizabeth Daily Journal, Oct. 25, '90.*

Read For Yourself and See Which of the Following Two Fills the Bill:

MR. MARSH'S POSITION.

ELIZABETH, N. J., October 30, 1890.

To the Rev. D. J. Yerkes, D. D., Pastor First Baptist church, Plainfield.

The Rev. E. M. Rodman, D. D., Pastor Grace church, Plainfield.

The Rev. W. R. Richards, Pastor Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church, Plainfield.

The Rev. Everard Kempshall, D. D., Pastor First Presbyterian church, Elizabeth.

The Rev. Everett T. Tomlison, Ph. D., Pastor Central Baptist church, Elizabeth, and others:

*Gentlemen:*—

I believe that it is the duty of a candidate for the Legislature, when asked to give his views upon any question affecting the material or moral interests of the people he desires to represent, to honestly and frankly comply with the request.

If it is a clear case he can say that he is for or against the legislation proposed. If it is a doubtful case he can say that he will keep his mind open upon the question until he has heard both sides and then give his decision.

You and those whom you represent rightly desire to know how the candidates for Senator stand upon the bill passed by the last Legislature, known as the bill to legalize pool-selling and book-making on race tracks.

I do not need to listen to any debate upon this question. I have a clear and distinct opinion regarding it, and my record is already made. I opposed and voted against the bill when it was before the House of Assembly, and after it had passed I wrote to the Governor requesting him not to sign it. I was clear as to my duty then and am equally clear as to my duty now.

I am unalterably opposed to any measure which seeks to legalize pool-selling and book-making on race tracks in the State of New Jersey. I am controlled in this matter by my judgment and conscience, and I must continue to oppose any such legislation, no matter how such opposition may affect my personal fortunes.

I am, with great respect,
Yours very truly,
FREDERICK C. MARSH.

MR. RANKIN'S POSITION.

ELIZABETH, N. J., Oct. 24.

*To the Editor of the Journal:*

DEAR SIR—I am in receipt of several letters from clergymen in different parts of the county asking me for an expression of my views about race track legislation. The active interest recently taken by the clergymen of the community in matters of public concern, and their efforts to promote good order and respect for law are sure to create a wholesome influence on the electors.

With regard to this matter, there seems to be a somewhat persistent effort on the part of my adversaries to misrepresent and injure me in my candidacy.

The report that I have been identified with those favoring legislation legalizing gambling on the race tracks is utterly false. It comes from political enemies whose sole object in circulating the same is to attain their own selfish end in the election of their candidates.

It is my settled conviction that no candidate for legislative office should, in advance, tie his hands by any pledges with respect to his action upon any particular measure. And however unfavorably impressed with any bill that may come up for his action, I think his duty is to listen to debate, to hear the bill read, as provided by the constitution, and then give his decision.

I have been eight times elected to public office in the city of Elizabeth, and I have yet to make the first pledge or promise to any individual as to what my action would be. So in the present contest, I am absolutely without engagements either expressed or implied, with any individual or corporation, as to what my action shall be with respect to the race courses or any other matter.

The only pledge I will make is that I will, on every measure, act conscientiously, without fear or favor, and will give my vote in the manner that will seem best calculated to promote the moral and material advancement of the people of the county.

Very respectfully,
JOHN C. RANKIN, JR.

### The "Central Times" Less Honest Than it Was.

Mr. Geissenhainer answered to the roll call 218 times, but where, oh where was he when the clerk struggled with that wealth of vowels 241 times? This is the record of the roll book.—*Central Times.*

That is not the record of the roll book, brother. It is merely a campaign lie that all the Republican mocking-bird editors are repeating. There were only 367 roll calls. At six of these Mr. Geissenhainer was absent on account of sickness and while attending Governor Abbett's inauguration. At 60 roll calls he refrained with his party from voting on obnoxious party questions. The record shows that he was paired at different times with Republicans who were necessarily absent, but when so paired, (although present and working faithfully for his District before the River and Harbor Committee, the Pension Committee and in the thousand-and one ways that so many of his constituents have reason to know about and be proud of), he was in honor bound to refrain from voting. Brother Runyon make a careful and truthful examination and find, if possible, a single member from New Jersey, Republican or Democrat, who was present as much of the time attending faithfully to his duties as was your own representative, Mr. Geissenhainer. He was present and voted on every important measure before the House and on every bill affecting his District.

### Three Churches and Five Saloons.

George Kyte is nominated for Assemblyman in this district which has a majority of about 600 in his favor. There is therefore no doubt of his election in spite of the following facts:

Fanwood township has *three* churches and *five* saloons. Liquor licenses are granted by the township committee which consists of three Republicans of whom Mr. Kyte is the chairman. Mr. Kyte says that he will grant all applications for license that come to him in proper shape.

Now some readers will say—"But in spite of the 600 majority in his favor, Mr. Kyte will not be elected because the temperance people will not vote for a man who is responsible for five liquor saloons in his little township of only three churches."

You poor misguided child! Temperance people are no more holy nor honest than other politicians when the time comes to vote.

—William E. Lowe's coachman, Charles Barber, was kicked in the face by a horse, Wednesday. Some of Barber's back teeth were loosened and had to be taken out. Otherwise he escaped very fortunately.

—THE PRESS is authorized to say that the sentiments expressed by the Hon. Fred C. Marsh in his letter published in this issue, are warmly approved and endorsed by Alford B. Cook the Democratic candidate for the Assembly.

## ALVAH CLARK FOR KEYS.

He Will Not Desert His Party for His Partner.

*(From the New York World.)*

The farmers in Somerset are slowly realizing how the new Tariff law affects them, and the conclusion thousands of them have arrived at and openly expressed bodes no good to the Republican party.

Gov. Abbett addressed a meeting in Somerset Hall, Somerville, Wednesday night. Fully a thousand people were present and for over an hour and half followed the convincing arguments of the Governor as step by step he dissected the McKinley tariff and proved that it was a disastrous blow directed at the agricultural interests of the county.

The meeting was one of the most enthusiastic Democratic gatherings that the town has ever known. Alvah A. Clark presided and made a graceful speech, in which he assured the Democrats that he was heart and soul with them, and pledged his support and influence to William J. Keys, the candidate for Senator.

Mr. Clark's speech pleased the Democrats because it gave the assurance that the ex-Congressman would work for his party notwithstanding the fact that his son-in-law and law partner, Charles Reed, is the Republican candidate for Senator against Mr. Keys. There were speeches also by ex-Assemblyman George Place and Mr. Rickard, of Jersey City.

Mr. Keys is making a most stirring canvass for the Senatorship, and there is no longer any doubt of his election. The Republicans realize that they are practically out of the race, and they simply keep up appearances by sending their candidates around like commercial travellers to solicit votes.

Mr. Reed's recent reception in North Plainfield was anything but cordial. His appearance there recalled the failure of a big builder in that town last Winter, for whom Mr. Reed was counsel. Instead of relieving the needs of the many workmen to whom he owed money, the builder made an assignment in favor of a rich merchant, and the poor laborers had to wait a long time for their just dues. Mr. Reed was the adviser of the builder, and the workmen of the town have given him to understand that they will remember his friendship for the laboring class, at the polls next Tuesday.

—Rogers Bros. will give away sheet music to every lady customer to-morrow.

—Rally over the brook to-night. The Democratic candidates will be present and a number of illustrious speakers. Go and see Wm. Keys, the nominee for Senator. You'll like him.

The Presbyterian Synod of New Jersey recently unanimously decided to protest and vote against any Assemblyman or Senator nominated who would not pledge himself decidedly against all legislation to permit or protect race track gamblers. Consequently the Rev. Dr. Ketcham's and the Rev. Mr. Richards' people will understand that their two votes will not be cast for Mr. Rankin.

### Bromoform in Whooping Cough.

Dr. Hugo Lowenthal, of Prof. Senator's clinic in Berlin, has tried bromoform in the treatment of whooping cough, it having been recommended by Dr. Stepp, of Nurnberg, and he is disposed to agree with him in considering it a very valuable remedy. Dr. Lowenthal says that it exerts an almost specific action upon whooping cough, at all events, if it is used at the commencement. A hundred children were treated with it, varying in age from eight weeks to seven years. The doses given were from two to five drops three or four times a day. The liquid was simply dropped into a tablespoonful of water, and formed a bead floating in the water. The quantity dispensed at once was about a drachm. The parents were cautioned to keep the bromoform from the light, as otherwise it is liable to be decomposed. As a rule, the good effects of the medicine began to show themselves on the second or third day, the vomiting being arrested within a week after the commencement of the bromoform. In cases where complications, such as pneumonia, occurred, they ran a favorable course, and where there were relapses, a return to the bromoform soon arrested the symptoms. In a very few cases the drug appeared to produce sleepiness and lassitude, and in one case, that of a weekly child a little over a year old, where a drachm had been given in the course of three days, a semicomatose condition was induced. Subcutaneous injections of ether revived the child, who was found to have pneumonia. This, however, ran a rapid and favorable course, and afterward the whooping cough was successfully treated by renewed doses of bromoform.—Lancet.

### Poison in Food Plants.

Dr. Harris, in a paper read before the Pennsylvania Horticultural Society recently, called attention to the fact that some of the most valuable productions, like the white potato, the tomato and the egg-plant, are the results of development in a family which produces the tobacco, the Jamestown weed and the deadly nightshade; and still more singular is it that edible innocence in a product may be intimately associated with a poisonous element in the plant. Starch-yielding tubers may even be in themselves an association of simplicity and venom, as we find in the cassava, from which tapioca is obtained, the soluble elements of the tuber being poisonous, and the insoluble starch edible. In the white potato we have a solanum which has poisonous sprouts and fruit, with a valuable and innocent tuber or subterranean root-stock. The poison, solania, is found in the white sprouts of the tuber and in the green seed ball or fruit, but not in the tuber as prepared by boiling or roasting. Solania is not a powerful poison, and is one of very uncertain strength; still, death has been produced in childhood by eating the balls. Very young tubers and old sprouted ones are unwholesome food, for these contain a fraction of the poison. The tomato plant contains solania, while the fruit, which has the same unpleasant odor, is free from it. Three deadly poisons, among the most potent of all active vegetable principles, are obtained from some of the solanacea—namely, nicotia, from tobacco; dataria, from stramonium, and atropia from belladonna. One drop of pure nicotia will kill a large dog in a few minutes, and the other two are fatal in minute quantities.

### The Consumption of Salt.

According to some statistics recently published in France, the annual consumption of salt per head in England exceeds that of any other country in Europe. For while in France the amount is estimated at about thirty pounds, Italy twenty, Russia eighteen, Austria sixteen, Prussia fourteen, Spain twelve, Switzerland eight, the Englishman requires no less than forty pounds. The Hospital Gazette thinks that perhaps this is the secret of British thirst. If so, it offers an easy solution to the drink question, which the temperance party should not be slow in adopting.—N. Y. Medical Record.

[The large consumption of salt in England is due to the extensive manufacture of soda, bleaching powders, etc., which are made from salt.—Ed. S. A.]

### Snakes in Banana Bunches.

Banana bunches brought from tropical America sometimes contain snakes of the family Boidæ tightly wound round the central stem. A specimen of this kind was taken in Savannah, Ga., and was sent the United States National Museum. I identified it as the Epicrates augulifer, a native of Cuba. More recently a snake was found in a similar situation in a lot of bananas in Chicago, and was sent by Dr. J. L. Hancock to the National Museum. Dr. Stejneger has identified it as the Boa imperator, the common species of Central America and Mexico. The specimens are always young, as adult boas of the genera named could not be concealed in so small a space.—E. D. Cope.

### A Paste Which Will Stick Any Thing.

A paste which will stick any thing is said by Prof. Winchell to be made as follows: Take two ounces of clear gum arabic, one and a half ounces of fine starch, and half an ounce of white sugar. Disolve the gum arabic in as much water as the laundress would use for the quantity of starch indicated. Mix the starch and sugar with the mucilage. Then cook the mixture in a vessel suspended in boiling water until the starch becomes clear. The cement should be as thick as tar, and kept so. It can be kept from spoiling by the addition of camphor or a little oil of cloves.

The Rev. Dr. Yerkes, of this city, at the Baptist convention in Camden, yesterday, was chairman of a committee to protest in the name of 38,000 Baptists of New Jersey against the re-enactment of the laws to legalize pool-selling and book-making. So his congregation will know that he votes for the Hon. Fred. C. Marsh who has already gone through one fight on just that side.

## LOVE IN A FLAT.

The Thin Young Man and the Shapely Young Woman.

If history simply repeats itself one can not help having a faint suspicion that the old mound-dwellers are having some sort of repetition in the blocks of modern New York flat houses, of the type which is multiplying so rapidly in the hitherto empty and rock bound streets of upper New York. Two series of box-like rooms constitute two flats for each floor, and thus a block of ten houses within their five stories shelters one hundred families. To watch for a few minutes daily from an opposite window the curious characteristics of such a throng of neighbors grows to be a fascinating occupation. A Tribune reporter has been studying incidents through open windows lately, and here are some of the results.

The young woman on the top floor opposite seemed extremely agitated. She hung a large portion of her rather shapely form dangerously far out of the window, until the on-lookers would have been alarmed had they not been convinced that somewhere within the room a pair of pedal anchors were securely holding fast. She looking anxiously up the street and down in a way significant of some one's coming, a waiting and watching that was soon rewarded by the appearance of a tall, thin young man on the horizon. The marvelous occurrences that followed the advent of the tall, thin young man in the parlor of the top flat, beginning with a series of torpedo-like kisses and the sudden disappearance of gas-light, defy description.

In about three minutes the tall, thin young man and his hostess appeared at the window. They thoughtfully provided against wear and tear on the furniture by using only one chair.

"Awfully glad to see you," he said, giving the other occupant of the chair an athletic hug.

"You sassy thing!" she screamed.

The thin young man disregarded this remark by administering another large hug, followed by a series of little tremor hugs and ten or a dozen pop kisses.

"Go 'way!"

"I won't."

Four toy-pistol kisses.

"I like your sass."

"I know you do."

At this juncture there was a dive and a jump, the external symptoms of a pinching match.

"O-o-ch!"

"Never do it again?"

"Never!" Bang, bang, depreciating into the long rattle of kissing musketry. The opportune arrival of a thunderstorm at this point compelled the shutting of windows, and incidents in the parlor of the top-floor flat no longer engrossed the attention of the opposite community.

## WONDERS OF THE SEA.

THE cuttle-fish, which, among other strange things, always walks with its head downward, does not chew its food at all, but masticates with its gizzard.

LATE investigations have determined that the majority of deep-sea depressions come from other than volcanic origin, and that the coldest waters of the ocean stand in the deep troughs instead of running, as was formerly thought to be the case.

AN interesting fact just ascertained by Government observers is that at the extremities of Long Island sound the tide begins to flow inward near the bottom one and one-half hours before it begins to flow in the same direction at the surface of the water.

THE experiments of marine biologists in fishing up the dwellers of the deep by the aid of the electric light have shown that the light may be used in ordinary commercial fishing with profit. If an electric light is lowered into the sea inside a tow net more fish than would naturally be taken are attracted into its meshes.

AMONG the exhibits in the Edinburgh International Exhibition are some beautiful spoils of the sea, collected by the Eastern Telegraph Company. One of these, a specimen of *hyalonema sieboldii*, is particularly interesting. It was dredged from 1,500 fathoms in the Indian Ocean, and consists of the root or anchor by which the sponge fastened itself to the bed of the ocean. It is twenty-eight inches long, and it is believed to be the longest specimen hitherto secured.

SUBMARINE life, such as fish, lobsters, etc., have the habit at the very first apprehension of danger of darting rapidly away and of stopping equally quick. They seem to understand that a very few yards will get them beyond the vision of their enemy. The shading of the water varies from blue to greenish. Objects at a depth of thirty feet take a blue tinge, and at from seventy-five to ninety feet the light is such a deep blue that objects of a red shade appear black. The fact of the blue rays of light penetrating so much further than those of any other color renders it possible to bring photography to aid the submarine explorer in his investigation as to the real depth that light does succeed in making its way.

THE deep sea is full of wonders. There are fish living two thousand six hundred fathoms down, some blind, others almost eyeless, which are so compressed from the weight of the water that when brought to the surface their bodies expand. Three miles down there is no light and no change of temperature. Being no light there is no vegetable growth, and the fish feed on each other—at least so many of them as have teeth probably do so. Those without teeth, no doubt, feed on animalculæ. From Prof. Tait's experiments it seems that at a depth of six miles the sea is compressed about six hundred and twenty feet. May this compression long continue; for should it cease something like two million square miles would be inundated.


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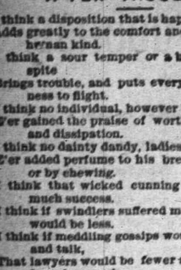
I think a disposition that is happy and resigned
Adds greatly to the comfort and the health of human kind.
I think a sour temper or a bosom filled with spite
Brings trouble, and puts every sign of happiness to flight.
I think no individual, however high his station,
E'er gained the praise of worthy men by vice and dissipation.
I think no dainty dandy, ladies' favors suing,
E'er added perfume to his breath by smoking or by chewing.
I think that wicked cunning never met with much success.
I think if swindlers suffered more their number would be less.
I think if meddling gossips would cease to spy and talk,
That lawyers would be fewer and courts would have less work.
I think that many doctors would better blacksmiths make.
I think that clerks who gamble have more than gold at stake.
I think a man who marries, if he gets a proper mate,
Secures a fortune, though the bride may own no real estate.
I think if certain folks would let some other folks alone,
They'd find more leisure to attend to business of their own.
I think when stingy rich men chance from fortune's height to tumble,
And meet with little sympathy, they have no right to grumble.
I think that many ministers, renowned for fluent speech,
Would more consistent be if they would practice what they preach.
I think that true religion, when the tempter tries his art,
Throws a shield of triple power around the wavering heart.
I think that every soul that sins will meet with suffering,
Whether that soul belongeth to a peasant or a king.
I think all grades of people, from the monarch to the slave,
Are fashioned from one common clay, and equal in the grave.
—Francis S. Smith, in N. Y. Weekly.

## A HARD FIGHT.

### The Way a Plucky Girl Saved Her Brother's Life.



THE country around Limona, South Florida, is the hunter's paradise, says a correspondent in the Globe Democrat. Besides bear, panther, wildcats, deer, etc., there are 'gators by the million, plumage birds, etc., in quantity so that the most insatiable nimrod can be almost surfeited by sport in a month's stay here. Many times, though, the hunted turn hunters, and then the fun isn't quite so enjoyable—at least on the part of the "game." Then, too, in these wilds there is a species of wild hog that at times makes the hunter's life a misery, as they are savage and know no fear. These are the remains of droves of domestic hogs that used to be turned into these high hummocks to fatten. Many times scores would not be found at the branding time, and, from their long stay in these woods, large droves finally became wild and savage. Many narrow escapes have been reported from time to time, and many of the old settlers who were hunters have scars to show of the ferocity of these savage boars. The most exciting adventure of late years is one that happened some months ago, and it was related to the writer a few days after.

Down by Snake Bayou, some eight miles below here, lived a family named Herrickson, consisting of a father, mother, son, aged ten, and two daughters, aged twelve and sixteen. When in want of supplies the father and mother generally came up here in a team, leaving the younger ones to watch things at home. At this time the old folks started as usual, leaving the girls and boy at home. The latter in the middle of the forenoon took his gun, and, with his dog, went out hunting. An hour later the girls were startled by hearing the dog barking furiously and the loud shouts of their brother for help. Taking down a light shotgun, the eldest girl ran out at once, while the other, seizing a small hatchet, followed. Soon they approached the dense woods where they heard their brother's voice. He heard them coming and shouted out for them to be careful, as there was a drove of wild hogs after him. The dog heard them, too, and ran out to meet them, which brought out a half-dozen wild and savage boars in swift pursuit. These no sooner saw the girls approaching than they ran at them, grunting horribly and rasping their fierce jaws till the froth fell to the ground in great clots.

Mattie fired her shotgun at the leader, then turned and ran for the house.

SHE PUSHED THE GUN INTO ITS MOUTH.

The younger sister turned, too, and ran after her. As they approached the house the young girl slipped and fell right in the path of the pursuing beasts. She screamed frantically as she fell, and Mattie half turned to see what the trouble was. The sight froze her blood, and, as she said afterwards, she didn't know what to do, and felt as if turned into stone. The girl in falling fell over a sharp pine root, which penetrated her dress and pinned her to the ground. Close beside her was a big boar, its fierce eyes gleaming with rage and anger, its open mouth, with its hideous tusks, champing and raging. Close behind was another, also fierce in its aspect, but smaller in size. Mattie moved not until another scream for help from her poor sister roused her sinking energies. Then with a rush and a jump she placed herself in front of the savage animal. The dog, too, sprang at the boar and buried its teeth in its thick neck. The boar, though surprised for a moment, turned savagely, and with a thrust laid open the poor dog's side with a terrible gash from its tusks. With an angry shake of the head the beast then turned on its victim. As it approached Mattie bravely met it, and as its horrible jaws opened to grasp her dress, pushed the barrel of her gun into its open mouth and fired, sending the remaining charge into the boar's inside. He fell at once with a squeal of pain and ferocity that made the brave girl's flesh creep.

The other one, seeing the fall of its leader, hesitated a moment and then sprang forward. Mattie seized the hatchet that her sister had had, and aimed a blow at the beast. The latter dodged and the hatchet fell from her hand, falling far out of her reach, while the violence of the blow caused her to fall over in front of the hog. The latter champing its jaws till the froth stood all over its head, presenting a horrible picture to the poor girls, lowered its head and charged on them. It came up and seized her dress savagely, and tried to catch her leg in its mouth. Mattie, nerved to desperation, gave it a kick with all her power, hitting it in the tender portion of the throat. The boar drew back a second and this proved her salvation. As she lay on the ground her hands encountered a pine knot (dead wood), hard and sharp as iron. With every nerve exerted she sprang up and flung it straight in the boar's face. Happily it struck him across the eyes, blinding both temporarily, and he stood and champed for a second or two, turning in a circle and raising a big dust.

Mattie turned, and, catching up her sister, ran for the house. The boar, hearing her run off, started in pursuit, grunting and rasping its tusks in a manner to make the girl's heart turn cold. It was a race for life, and the girl's pluck won. Entering the house in advance of her foe, she shut the door and fastened it as the boar came rushing up against it. The girls fell to the floor and for several minutes could not raise themselves. But frontier life had made them brave and self-possessed in time of danger, and the recollection of the peril that their brother was in soon roused them. Glancing around for a weapon the sight of a kettle full of hot water caught Mattie's eye. Procuring a good supply she mounted the window-sill in the loft, right over the still raging boar on the outside, and as he looked up, being attracted by the noise

MATTIE OPENED FIRE.

she made, the nervy girl gave him a big dose of water in the eyes and face. All the ferocity was knocked out of the beast by this attack, and, with a loud squeal, it turned tail and fled.

Two others now came up, attracted by their companion's cries, and they, too, received a dose. This put them to flight.

After waiting some time and not hearing from any more of them, Mattie ventured forth. Proceeding cautiously to the spot where she lost her shotgun, she found it and loaded both barrels. Then, cautiously approaching the spot where her brother's voice had been heard, she soon found him. He was on a stump about ten feet high, and around him were half a score of savage grunters, their fierce eyes fixed on him, at times charging up savagely to the foot of the stump in impotent rage. The boy looked as if he rather had as much of it as he wanted, and Mattie, first securing her own safety by getting up on another stump, opened fire on the hogs. The first shot startled them, and as the second came, laying low another of their party, the others became panic-stricken and fled at once. Mattie and the boy then returned to the cabin at once, and took good care not to venture out again until their parents had returned. The boy said that as he was going along he saw this drove ahead of him, and, without thinking, shot at and wounded one of them. The others turned on him, and he had only time to get on the stump before they had surrounded him.

When the old folks returned their amazement was great to hear of their daughter's bravery. The neighbors made a heroine of her at once. A hunting party started out the following day to rid the neighborhood of such dangerous "critters," and they bagged some eighteen.

### In 1893.

Inpatient Traveler (to conductor)—How soon shall we reach Chicago?

Conductor—We entered the city limits early this morning, sir, and if we meet with no bad luck we will be at the exposition grounds about noon to-morrow.—West Shore.

### He Enjoyed It.

Fred—That cigar you gave me did me lots of good.

Arthur—I'm glad of it. When did you smoke it?

"Oh, I didn't smoke it. I gave it to Howard; I hate him, you know."—The Jury.

# THE HOUSEHOLD.

## HOME-MADE HAT-RACK.

### It Is Pretty and Serviceable and Also Inexpensive.

I had a long narrow hall, and how to make room for the belongings that are almost a necessity in such a room was a puzzle to me. It was too narrow to permit me to use the hall-racks that are usually sold in shops. Finally I planned and made one that has been copied extensively. It may be as large, ornamental and expensive as fancy dictates or purse permits. Mine is thirty-four inches across the top. A gilt hook is screwed to each of the upper points and one to the center at the bottom. They are sold at ten cents per dozen at the stores. These are hung over similar ones, put in the studding at the proper height. Two or three boards must be glued together to shape the rack. Give

PRETTY HAT-RACK.

plenty of time to dry and become perfectly hard. Have the surface dressed smoothly on each side. The illustration shows the form.

Wardrobe hooks are screwed in at the places indicated and a mirror twelve inches square is set in the center. The outer edges are beveled one inch. The whole is sandpapered and filled on both sides with a preparation called "wood-filling" that makes a solid, smooth surface. When dry give a number of coats of common white house-paint, the more the better; but allow each to dry and dress with sandpaper between each coat. Then paint any decorative design; flowers, or a flight of birds against the blue sky; a river scene with sky and hills in the distance, with roeds, rocks and grasses and water-fowl in the foreground. Directly under the rack on the floor is an ordinary drain tile, the end placed in a tin pan a little larger than the tile. This I painted inside and out, and after it was dry gilded the outside of the rim and also the top edge of the tile and an inch band near the top. The body may be decorated in any desired style. When done I set the tile in the pan and placed a large cheap sponge in the bottom to absorb the drippings from wet umbrellas, etc. This may be set upon blocks of different sizes so arranged as to make terraces or steps, and painted to represent white marble or stone. The entire cost is not one-third the price of a hall-rack bought from the furniture store; besides, it is out of the way in sweeping and occupies no space. One can easily be designed to fill a corner space by the joining of the boards in the proper way.—American Agriculturist.

## DRESSING THE CHILDREN.

### It Is a Matter That Interests Every Young Mother.

The fall is the season of the year when the greatest care should be exercised in clothing our little ones.

These October days with their fickle suns and penetrating winds are well adapted to the generation of colds, sore throats and other ailments that, once contracted, may linger throughout the winter. The feet must be well protected. Paper-soled shoes are not best for girls or boys at any season of the year. Neither are the heavy double soles. The latter style tires the feet and does much toward giving the wearer a heavy, disagreeable step. But there is a compromise between these two extremes.

It is a shoe made of Dongola for the top and foxed with straight goat. The sole is the thickness of the ladies' walking boot and it has a spring heel. The latter is something all mothers would do well to adopt. It prevents weak ankles and strengthens the muscles of the lower limb. Children should be kept in these flat-soled boots up to the age of thirteen or fourteen.

The children's dresses this fall are unusually beautiful.

The prevailing fashion seems still to be full skirts plaited on short waists with loose sleeves and sash belt.

Plaids are very popular and come in all colors and a variety of styles. Let us begin at the foundation of a child's wardrobe and consider what is the most sensible, yet inexpensive, apparel that a child can wear.

First of all comes the undervest. It is of ribbed stockinet, high about the neck, but sleeveless; for, until really cold weather is here, the long-sleeved vests are not a necessity. Nor should under-drawers be put on till the winter months. Select instead wool stockings with cotton feet. The all-wool stockings are often productive of chilblains, but this new kind of hose is a very good one.

There is one thing that one should be particular about, and that is the garter. Do not under any circumstances give a child the round garter. It not only spoils the shape of the leg, but oftentimes is worn so tight as to impair the circulation of the blood, which in time will lead to serious difficulties. The stocking supporter is the safest and best method of holding the stocking in place. Almost every mother is familiar with it. It is a piece of elastic fastened at the side of the underwaist and catching with a buckle into the top of the stocking. It not only holds the stocking most securely, but has a tendency to straighten the back of the child, who at an early age inclines to stoop.

A corset waist is undeniably a good thing. It takes the place of the boned waist, and can be laundered beautifully. The idea of this waist, which is of linen, heavily corded, is to keep the weight of the child's clothes from the back and hips. There are buttons woven with tape into the waist, so that to pull them off is almost an impossibility. These buttons are for fastening the skirts and under petticoats on. Very pretty flannel skirts can be bought. They are of blue and white worsted, hand-crocheted in the shell pattern. These take the place of the short flannel skirt and are much prettier and wear better.

Alpaca is so soft and silky that a skirt of it is very pretty and will be most serviceable for fall wear.

A tasteful frock is a combination of blue tricot and red and blue plaid. It is made exactly after a cut of an imported frock I was fortunate enough to secure. The skirt is full and of the plaid material, with a plaited front of the plain blue cloth.

The waist is made of blue, with the plaid laid in little plaits in the shoulder seams and gathered into the band at the waist.

Both the back and the front of the waist are finished in this way and the effect is very pretty. The sleeves are loose and fall from the shoulders into a band of plain blue at the wrists. Such a dress is very inexpensive, but quite attractive and artistic.

Dressing children has really become an art.

The latest thing in cloaks for fall wear is a little reefing-jacket in dark blue. It is of the fleece-lined Bedford cloth, made double-breasted and edged with a silk cord of white and blue. The collar can be turned up about the ears, and is lined with white Astrakhan. The cuffs are also of that and the buttons, of white pearl, are sewed through and through. It is a very stunning little coat and just exactly what is needed for fall.

A simple blue sailor is prettier for a young girl than a plain round hat. The sailor hats, in felt and tarpaulins, are more popular for school girls than any other style.

A fascinating school-bag is made of strong burlaps with a colored border of red, blue and brown. This burlaps is about fifteen inches in length and nine inches in width, and forms the body of the bag. On one side is the monogram and on the other, worked in dark-red silk, is a conventional design. The bag is lined with dark-blue surah and the handles are of leather. There is a very convenient little pocket sewed to the lining, which may be used for car-fare and stamps.—N. Y. World.

## TWO USEFUL ARTICLES.

### An Umbrella Case and a Writing Board—Any One Can Make Them.

The cuts accompanying this article represent two very valuable conveniences that can easily be made at home. No. 1 is a hanging case for umbrellas, canes or parasols. Make it of an oblong square of duck, linen, canvas or cretonne. If the material is very stiff no lining will be necessary, but if not sufficiently heavy to hang smoothly and hold the strain, line it, after you have made the pockets with something stiff. Cut your three pockets long and large enough for the umbrellas you have, and bind them round with fancy colored

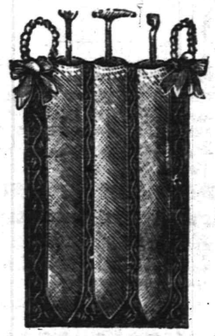


FIG. 1.

braid, fastening them only except at the top where the braid should be machine-stitched on.

Baste the pockets to the foundation, slightly gathering them at the bottoms, and stitch them on by machine along the edge of the braid. Stitch the same style of braid all round for a border, sewing the lining to the foundation with it, if there is one. Ornament with two handsome ribbon bows, and provide with two cord loops behind the bows, to hang up by.

Fig. 2 represents a neat little writing board which was invented by a young French lady, for an invalid's use. It consists of a plain, smooth board about thirteen by twenty-four inches. Cover it neatly with a piece of dark blue or green ladies' cloth, flannel or baize, on both sides, lapping the edges of both

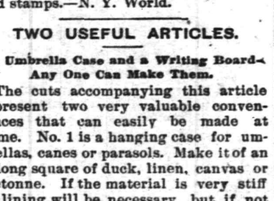


FIG. 2.

covers on the width of the board, and fastening them with small, brass-headed tacks. A blotting pad is kept in place by the four little corner pieces noticeable, which may be either of cloth or leather, tacked on by small brass-headed tacks. The other various pockets are also made either of leather or cloth, tacked on, and may be cut in size and shape according to the judgment of the maker, for holding envelopes, note paper, stamps, etc. The small ink-bottle is secured by means of straps of cloth or leather, and the pen-wiper may also be made fast. A strip of leather is tacked down to hold the pen, pencil, knife, etc., and thus a pretty, convenient and inexpensive writing board is completed, which any invalid could use either if able to sit in a chair or compelled to lie on a couch.—Ohio Farmer.

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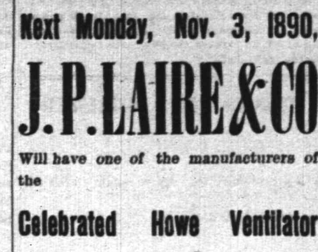


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Leave Newark 7 10, 7 50, 8 55, 10 10, 11 05 A. M., 1 05, 1 35, 5 50, 3 40, 4 02, 4 35, 5 05, 5 30, 5 55, 6 15, 7 15, 7 35, 8 20, 9 35, 11 25 P. M. Sunday—7 20, 8 40, 9 05, 9 50, A. M., 12 05, 1 10, 4 10, 5 40, 6 05, 7 02, 9 25, 10 20 P. M.

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4 34 P. M. for D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

5 20 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch Schooley's Mountain, Easton, Bethlehem Allentown, &c.

6 20 P. M. for Flemington.

6 38 P. M. for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk Reading, Harrisburg.

8 20 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

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